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MASSACHUSETTS
STATE SENATE
PASSES DRIVER'S
LICENSE BILL

The Massachusetts State Senate passed the Work and Family Mobility Act by a vote of 32 to 8. The following statement may be credited to the leaders of the organizations co-chairing the Driving Families Forward Coalition, Brazilian Worker Center Executive Director Lenita Reason and 32BJ SEIU Vice President Roxana Rivera:

"We are once again overcome with happiness, pride and gratitude for today's historic vote in the Massachusetts Senate. The legislature has now resoundingly supported the Work and Family Mobility Act, moving all state residents toward greater road safety, improved security, better public health and a more vibrant economy, and promising a profound transformation in the lives of undocumented immigrants across the Commonwealth. The pursuit of these many goals is what brought us together in Driving Families Forward, a broad

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WINTHROP SAILING TAKES ON CONCORD



PHOTO BY BOB MARRA

Ryan Begin and Erin Thompson sailing the waters outside Cottage park Yacht Club during their third regatta of the season. See more photos on Page 10.

Traffic Impact

Summer Tunnel weekend closures to start next month

By John Lynds

Work to completely overhaul the decaying Summer Tunnel will begin next month with weekend closures scheduled to begin on June 10 and last for 36 weeks. The work in the tunnel will culminate with a full closure of the Summer for four months between May 2023 and September 2023.

At a virtual meeting last week, MassDOT officials said the MBTA still has not made a decision whether or not they make the Blue Line free for Eastie residents during the planned four-month closure of the tunnel.

While residents have been clamoring for free T service during the closure, some have begun circulating petitions calling for ferry service during the tunnel's planned closure.

Despite MassDOT's promise of a comprehensive traffic plan many residents are weary of state officials downplaying the huge traffic impacts that will befall the neighborhood during the weekend closures and subsequent full closure next year.

Eastie resident Joshua Schmidt started an online

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School Committee honors Winthrop High School seniors

By Laura Plummer

The Winthrop School Committee met on Monday, May 9, where it celebrated its graduating seniors.

Celebrating Seniors

With the school year drawing to a close, the committee recognized the district's graduating seniors, who will attend more than 150 colleges and universities, including Harvard.

Nine seniors received

the John and Abigail Adams Scholarship: Analise Bruno, Aidan D'Entremont, Maggie Doig, Anwar Ettabia, William Gillis, Ari Hain, Ryan Kfoury, Ramzi Khelladi and William MacMullen. They posed for a photograph.

Seniors will be enjoying several events. An all-night celebration will happen in the WHS gym from 10 pm on May 27, until 5 am on May 28. The senior prom will be on May 31, Harvard.

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



PHOTO BY MARIANNE SLAZA

Charlie Bauer receiving his First Holy Communion at St. Michael the Archangel Parish. See more photos on Page 16.

Sixth annual Officer Stephen Acone Hockey Tourney at Lawrence Larsen Rink

Staff Report

Last Saturday morning, the Stephen "Punky" Acone Hockey Tournament was under way. It is sponsored in partnership by the Winthrop Youth Hockey Program and the Winthrop Police Association. Born and raised in Winthrop and a member of the 1975 Squirt New England Championship Team and a graduate of Winthrop High School, Acone played for his beloved Vikings and supported the youth hockey program. Acone joined the Winthrop Police Department in 1993 and continued to serve the community in many ways, including the Winthrop Youth Hockey Program.

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The combined teams of the Carni-Bums (red) and the Punks (green). After the ice was cleared, the 2022 Champions were the Carni-Bums.

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WINTHROP POLICE BLOTTER

The following incident reports are among the calls to which the Winthrop Police Department responded on the listed dates. The log is a public record and available for review. All persons who are arrested or charged with a crime are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

MONDAY, APRIL 25

1108: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Sturgis St. for the civil moving infraction of a marked lanes violation. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1119: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Grovers Ave. for a civil moving infraction and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1122: A resident called the station to report a fraud attempt on his account online.

1614: A Governors Drive resident reported the theft of a package. The officer viewed the video with the management. A person who is seen taking the package was identified by the management, but that person no longer lives there. The officer filed a report.

1659: A person who was riding a bicycle called the station to report that he had crashed into a parked motor vehicle (MV) on Shirley St. An officer observed damage to the rear of the vehicle and spoke to the owner of the MV. The officer filed a report.

1846: A person came into the station to turn in a weapon. The officer filed a report.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26

1625: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle from Governors Park.

1641: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle from Governors Park.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27

0139: An officer directed persons playing music loudly in a residence on Shirley St. to lower the volume.

1020: An officer responded to a report of a motor vehicle accident at Shirley and Perkins Sts. The parties told the officer they will handle the accident on their own.

1039: An officer issued parking tickets to four vehicles on Tileston Rd. because of street-sweeping.

1319: Officers responded to a motor vehicle accident (MVA) at Crest and Grovers Aves.in which an MV struck a wall. The MV was towed. The officers filed reports.

1341: An officer responded to a report from a Hermon St. resident that a person walking a dog allowed his dog to use the resident's lawn. The officer spoke to the dog owner and told him to stay off the property.

1349: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Pauline St. for the civil moving infraction of speeding in a school zone. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

2147: A Pleasant St. resident reported that the family dog had just escaped and did not have a collar. The officer informed the resident that they will be called if the dog turns up.

THURSDAY, APRIL 28

1358: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Winthrop St. for the civil moving infraction of a stop sign violation. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1406: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Wilshire St. for the civil moving infraction of a stop sign violation. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1609: The director of the Frost Public Library reported that five young

females had been smoking marijuana in the rest room and had set off the smoke alarms. The officer who responded referred the matter to the School Resource Officer. The officer filed a report.

1623: A clerk at the CVS reported that a person had come into the store posing as a Post Office employee in order to obtain medications. When the employee asked for an ID, the person left. The officer observed video footage of the incident and filed a report.

1657: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Revere St. for a civil moving infraction and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1918: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Main St. for the civil moving infraction of a red light violation. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1933: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Pleasant St. and Tileston Rd. for a civil moving infraction and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2355: Officers responded to a report of a motor vehicle (MV) that was traveling on Ocean Ave. and striking four parked vehicles and then fleeing down Shirley St. The officer observed damage to two vehicles with fluid leaking from them. The officer filed a report.

FRIDAY, APRIL 29

0013: Officers caught up with the operator of the alleged hit-and-run from the previous call at the Alcohol and Drug-Free Lodging Home at 48 Shore Drive. The officer arrested Jason M. Varsch, 45, of 30 Perkins St., on charges of operating a motor vehicle (MV) while under the influence of alcohol (2nd offense) and leaving the scene of an accident after causing property damage.

0542: A person called the station to report that

his motor vehicle (MV) was struck in the drive-thru at the Dunkin' Donuts on Main St. by another MV that then fled the scene. The caller reported that he had the plate number of the offending MV. The officer who responded observed minor damage to the victim's MV and advised the victim to take up the matter with his insurance company since he had the plate number of the offending MV.

0911: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Wilshire St. for the civil moving infraction of a making an illegal turn. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

0955: Officers responded to a motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Revere St. involving a motorized scooter and a small sedan. There were no injuries and the officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1323: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Pleasant St. for a civil moving infraction and issued a citation to the operator.

1446: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Pleasant St. for a civil moving infraction and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1502: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Shirley St. and Washington Ave for a civil moving infraction and issued a citation to the operator.

1727: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Walden and Short Sts. for a civil moving infraction and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1730: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Shirley St. for the civil moving infraction of failing to stop for a traffic control sign or signal. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1927: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Bates Ave. for the civil moving infrac-

tion of a number plate violation. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

SATURDAY, APRIL 30

0136: An officer ordered a group of loud party-goers at a Pleasant St. address to quiet down.

0224: Officers responded to a report of a disturbance between persons in a residence on Shore Drive and restored the peace.

0922: An officer informed a person with a dog that was not on a leash at the roller blade park at Ingleside Park of the town by-law requiring dogs to be leashed at all times.

0939: The Animal Control Officer (ACO) responded to assist a Chamberlain Ave. resident who had trapped a squirrel in his home. The ACO helped with the release of the animal and the homeowner called a company to board up a hole on the premises that had been the entry point for the squirrel.

1103: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Pleasant St. and Girdlestone Rd. for a civil moving infraction and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1108: An officer responded to a report of two persons on scooters weaving in and out of traffic on Pleasant St. The officer located the scooter operators, who were two young males, and gave them a verbal warning.

1153: The ACO found a dog without a collar and returned the dog to its owner on Court Rd.

1321: An officer responded to a motor vehicle accident (MVA) at Crescent and Shirley Sts. in which a motorcycle crashed into a fire hydrant. The operator was transported to the MGH and the motorcycle was towed. The officer filed a report.

1508: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Woodside Ave. for the civil moving infraction of a violation of the hands-free law. The

officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1524: A person came into the station to report a case of harassment. The officer filed a report.

1538: A person came into the state to report a hit-and-run MVA. The officer filed a report.

1851: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Revere St. and Crest Ave. for the civil moving infraction of failing to stop for a traffic control sign or signal. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1924: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Governors Park for a civil moving infraction and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2232: A food delivery worker reported that a person to whom she had delivered food had made unwanted sexual advances toward her. The officer filed a report.

2252: An officer responded to a report of an altercation between two parties at the Executive Apartments on Veterans Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2308: An officer spoke to the persons holding a party at the Pleasant Park Yacht Club about their loud music. The officer directed them to wrap-up the party for the night.

SUNDAY, MAY 1

1453: An officer responded to a report of two male parties who were playing frisbee at the Massa Playground with a dog off the leash. The officer spoke to the parties and advised them of the town's leash by-law.

1627: An officer unlocked the gates at the tennis courts at Ingleside Park for a female who had been locked inside.

1754: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Pleasant and Main Sts. for the civil moving infraction of speeding. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

Massport, elected officials, tourism partners celebrate the return of cruising in Boston

Special to the Transcript

The Massachusetts Port Authority (Massport), local elected officials and leaders of the state and region tourism bureaus celebrated the start of the 2022 Cruise Season in Boston, the first full season in two years. The return of cruising to Flynn Cruiseport Boston supports the tourism recovery for the City of Boston and the Commonwealth, generating \$135.5 million in annual economic impact and supports 2,200 jobs. The fa-

cility was renamed Flynn Cruiseport Boston in 2017 in honor of former Mayor of Boston and United States Ambassador to the Vatican Ray Flynn.

Massport will welcome 125 ships from 19 cruise lines supporting the local travel and tourism industries. The season includes established routes to Bermuda and Canada/ New England, as well as new ships and itineraries as the cruise lines look to attract new audiences to cruising. The Cruiseport will welcome 12 maiden calls, and

for the first time, will have four cruise lines offering five homeport ships and voyages:

- Norwegian Cruise Line: Norwegian Pearl starts April 4th
- Holland America: Zaandam starts May 15 and Nieuw Statendam starts August 3
- Celebrity Cruises: Celebrity Summit starts August 31
- Royal Caribbean International: Voyager of the Seas starts September 18

“Cruising plays an important role in the visi-



Left to right in the back row Captain Kaloyan Nedyalkov, Norwegian Pearl, MOTT Executive Director Keiko Matsudo Orrall, State Representative David Biele, City Councilor Michael Flaherty and City Council President Ed Flynn. Left to right in the front row GBCVB President and CEO Martha Sheridan, ACD Vice President George McEvoy, Massport CEO Lisa Wieland, Congressman Stephen F. Lynch, Massport Acting Port Director Joe Morris, and Lauren Gleason Massport Deputy Port Director.

tor economy and we are delighted to welcome our cruise partners back to Boston to support the recovery of travel and tourism for the city and the Commonwealth,” said Massport CEO Lisa Wieland.

Congressman Stephen F. Lynch, who represents the MA 8th Congressional District including South Boston, was honored with this year’s Maritime Champion award. Congressman Lynch, a former iron worker was part of crew that installed the cranes at Conley Terminal more than 30 years ago. Congressman Lynch has been a steadfast partner to the working port and Massport, helping the Authority secure federal funding for the Boston

Harbor Dredging project, which benefits all ships navigating Boston Harbor and allows the port to remain competitive. Congressman Lynch has also supported major improvements at Conley Terminal, enhancements at Flynn Cruiseport Boston, and the growth of seafood processing in South Boston.

“It’s an honor to receive Massport’s second Maritime Champion award,” said U.S. Rep. Stephen F. Lynch. “Both my grandfathers worked in the Port of Boston, so when I ended up working at Conley Terminal, it seemed like a family tradition. Over the years, I’ve witnessed firsthand Massport’s efforts to make

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WINTHROP MARKETPLACE

BLUEBERRY TURNOVERS

INGREDIENTS:

- ½ cup fresh blueberries
- 1 (8 ounce) package refrigerated crescent rolls
- ¼ cup confectioners' sugar
- ¼ cup prepared vanilla frosting (Optional)

DIRECTIONS:

STEP 1: Preheat oven to 375 degrees F (190 degrees C). Roll out crescent dough triangles onto a baking sheet.

STEP 2: Place 1 tablespoon blueberries on the widest end of each triangle. Sprinkle 1/2 teaspoon confectioners' sugar over blueberries on each roll. Beginning with the wide end, roll up each crescent around blueberries; pinch both sides to seal completely.

STEP 3: Bake in the preheated oven until golden, about 12 minutes. Re-move to cool on a wire rack for 5 minutes; dust with the remaining confectioners' sugar. Drizzle with the vanilla frosting.

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Winners of the Abigail Adams Scholarship.

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from 6 pm to 11 pm at the Hyatt Regency Boston Harbor. It will follow a photo opportunity at WHS from 5 pm to 5:45 pm. There will be an awards ceremony at the WHS auditorium on June 1 at 5:30 pm. A mandatory graduation rehearsal is on June 2 at 9 am at Miller Field, and graduation will be on June 3 at 6 pm on Miller Field. Details for events are on the WHS website.

General Updates

Student Jacob Oliver was one of the winners of the MWRA poster contest. Honorable mentions went to Elliot Alberto, Carmen Bauer, Aniela Capasso, Roman Carson, Veronica Delorey, Scarlett Fuller, Brando Konchar, Elise Linehan, Sophia Pettee and Wynter Rose.

The Winthrop Elks

Club recognized the following middle school students for March: Stephen Barron and Kelsey Tallent for Grade 6, Francesca Indrisano and Alex Ross for Grade 7, and Erik Briggs and Jordan Mercado for Grade 8.

Project 351 Ambassador Jillian Buonopane organized a Cradles to Crayons clothing drive, which collected 52 bags for the local nonprofit.

Supt. Lisa Howard applied for and received a communication board for the Fort Banks School playground through the Doug Flutie, Jr. Foundation for Autism. Communication boards provide pictures to allow those with limited speaking skills to express themselves.

WHS updated its course catalog. Students have

chosen their courses for the coming school year, and schedules should be available by June.

The committee revised its Zoom meeting policy to include live public comments.

Upcoming Events

A fundraiser to benefit Andrea Salvaggio will take place on May 13, from 3:30 pm to 5:30 pm at the Larsen Skating Rink. Tickets are \$5 and include skates, pizza and raffles.

The WHS Drama Society will perform “Black Comedy” on May 13 and 14 at 7 pm.

WPS teachers, students and coaches will be recognized at the 30th Annual Winthrop Chamber & Community Awards on May 21 at the Cottage Park Yacht Club. Tickets are \$35.

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and diverse coalition of more than 270 businesses, faith groups, labor unions, community organizations and others. Working with law enforcement and other experts, Driving Families Forward also built in safeguards that led to the bill’s endorsement by the Massachusetts Major Cities Chiefs of Police Association, whose members lead two-thirds of the state’s total police force, as well as a majority of the state’s District Attorneys and sheriffs, and dozens of individual chiefs in smaller towns and cities.

“We extend our deepest thanks to Senate President Spilka for her support in moving the bill forward. We also thank the bill’s four lead sponsors, its dozens of cosponsors and the many thousands of individuals who have written letters, made calls, and attended meetings to help bring us to this point.

We now urge Governor Baker to sign the bill, which provides all the safeguards necessary to answer any doubts he may have raised previously, and we look forward to then celebrating with him and all our allies as the Work and Family Mobility Act becomes law.”

STATE TREASURER'S VETERANS' BONUS DIVISION EXTENDS ELIGIBILITY PERIOD

The State Treasurer’s Veterans’ Bonus Division announced that the eligibility period for the Massachusetts COVID-19 Bonus for National Guard members has been extended past its initial end date of June 15, 2021. National Guard members activated for additional deployments at any point after March 10, 2020 are eligible to receive a subsequent bonus.

“When we launched the COVID-19 Bonus in April 2020, our goal was to thank Massachusetts National Guard members for their service during a time of great uncertainty,” said State Treasurer Deborah B. Goldberg. “By extending the eligibility period, we are able to support our servicemembers as the pandemic has required their continuing commitment, efforts and focus.”

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, Treasurer Goldberg and the Veterans’ Bonus Division created the Massachusetts COVID-19 Bo-

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nus for National Guard members in 2020. National Guard members are eligible to receive a \$500 bonus for their first-time activation and a \$250 subsequent bonus for any additional activations.

National Guard members can follow this link to apply for a first-time or subsequent bonus: <https://www.mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-a-massachusetts-covid-19-bonus-for-mass-national-guard>

In addition to the bonus extension, the Veterans’ Bonus Division has partnered with Unite Us, a national social and health networking platform, to streamline its inquiry system and connect veterans to local veteran-serving organizations.

“Partnering with Unite Us allows us to track inquiries better and respond to veterans quickly,” said Steven Croteau, Veterans’ Bonus Program Manager. “With the platform’s robust network of veteran-serving organizations, our team is able to better serve our veterans by connecting them to the groups and resources that they need.”

Veterans, service members, or their families can inquire about any of the bonuses offered by the Veterans’ Bonus Division by following this link: <https://www.mass.gov/service-details/veterans-bonus-inquiry>

GOLDBERG ANNOUNCES INTERIM CHAIRMAN FOR CCC

State Treasurer Deborah Goldberg announced that Sarah G. Kim was sworn in as Interim Chairman for the Cannabis Control Commission (Commission). Ms. Kim replaces Steven J. Hoffman who submitted his resignation as Chair in April after serving for several years to establish a successful new industry in Massachusetts. Ms. Kim is tasked with leading the Commission as the Treasurer continues the search process for a permanent Chairman.

“Sarah has extensive leadership experience and knowledge about the standards, goals, and operations of the Commission, as well as perspective on necessary steps as we progress in the implementation of good policies in Massachusetts,” said State Treasurer Deborah B. Goldberg. “We are proud

to appoint her as the Interim Chair, and strongly support her efforts in this new role.”

“I am grateful to the Treasurer for entrusting me with this opportunity to be the Interim Chair of the Cannabis Control Commission until a new Chair is appointed, and I look forward to working with agency staff, stakeholders, and commissioners to continue the important work of growing a successful, safe, and equitable industry in Massachusetts,” said Sarah G. Kim, Interim Chairman of the Cannabis Control Commission.

Ms. Kim has worked for the Office of the Massachusetts State Treasurer & Receiver General since 2015 and currently serves as a Deputy Treasurer and General Counsel. As a Deputy Treasurer, Ms. Kim has general oversight of the Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission, and as General Counsel, she manages the team that provides support to the Treasury and its affiliated agencies on various legal issues, including open meetings, ethics, public records, and campaign finance laws. Ms. Kim also advises senior staff on strategic policy, procurement, employment, and litigation issues. She coled the Treasury’s initial efforts to implement the provisions of the ballot initiative that decriminalized the adult use of recreational marijuana.

Before joining Treasury, Ms. Kim was an Assistant Attorney General in the Fraud and Financial Crimes Division under Attorney General Martha Coakley. Prior to that, she was a litigation attorney for ten years. Ms. Kim currently serves in leadership positions for several philanthropic organizations. She is a graduate of the Villanova University School of Law and Dartmouth College.

The Office of the Massachusetts Treasurer and Receiver General is currently accepting applications for Chair of the Cannabis Commission for appointment by Treasurer Deborah B. Goldberg. The position requires experience in corporate management, finance, or securities. Completed applications in PDF form must be submitted via email to HR@tre.state.ma.us and received by June 4, 2022. Applications are available online at www.masstresury.org.

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the Port of Boston more efficient and more attractive to new businesses. And it has been a pleasure for me to work with Lisa Wieland—she has been a maritime champion in her own right. I am grateful for this award, and I look forward to continuing to work on behalf of our longshoremen, fishermen, shipfitters, masters, mates, and pilots, and all the import/export businesses that rely upon Massport and the Port of Boston.”

Flynn Cruiseport Boston served a record 402,346 passengers on 138 ships in 2019. Generating more than \$130 million and supporting more than 2,000 jobs annually, cruising supports hundreds of businesses large and small throughout the region, from transportation providers and restaurants, to tourist attractions, airlines and hotels, souvenir shops, and provisioning companies that supply the ship. In regard to shore excursions, cruise lines have traditionally focused on main tourist attractions, giving Boston high passenger reviews. More recently, cruise line shore excursion teams are looking to expand their offerings to include more culturally-diverse experiences and destinations, unique and curated attractions, and opportunities to welcome demographics of all ages from Millennials to baby

boomers.

“The economic impact of cruising is critical to the overall vitality of the visitor economy,” said Martha Sheridan, President and CEO of the Greater Boston Convention and Visitors Bureau. “The influx of cruise passengers and the injection of their spending during the summer months - and also through our shoulder seasons - creates a consistent flow of visitors that our destination depends on. This market segment was sorely missed during the pandemic and we are thrilled to see cruising return to Boston!”

Boston is well-known in the cruise industry for having one of the best airport-to-cruiseport proximities in the U.S. The Cruiseport will serve several new itineraries that either start or end in Boston throughout the 2022 season. In October, Celebrity Summit is offering a 12-day one-way cruise from Boston to the Caribbean and ending in Miami, FL. Vantage Cruise Line’s Ocean Explorer will depart Boston on Oct 29th for a 10-day cruise along the East Coast and ending in Nassau, Bahamas. Royal Caribbean’s Voyager of the Seas is offering a 14-day “Arctic Crossing” cruise that starts in Copenhagen, Denmark and ends in Boston on September 18th.

“The revitalized, expansive cruise ship season will have a viable eco-

nomic impact on tourism destinations all across the Commonwealth, as intrepid travelers stepping off in Boston realize what cultural, culinary and scenic treasures await them here in the Bay State,” said Executive Director Keiko Matsudo Orrall of the Massachusetts Office of Travel & Tourism. “Flynn Cruiseport is fast becoming a gateway for new visitor adventures in Massachusetts and New England.”

“Every time a ship visits Boston as a port of call, the passengers and crew are supporting local businesses and jobs,” said State Senator Nick Collins. “The Flynn Cruiseport is more than just a stop or a starting point for a cruise – it is an economic engine that provides significant employment opportunities for the people of South Boston and beyond.”

For the full cruise schedule and additional information, visit FlynnCruiseportBoston.com and follow @FlynnCruiseport on Twitter.

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OUR Opinions

CONGRATULATIONS,
BOB DEFELICE

The term “living legend” often is overused, but in the case of Winthrop native and lifelong resident Bob DeFelice, it is, if anything, an understatement.

We'll just state the facts: Bob played baseball for Boston College and was drafted by the Red Sox upon his graduation in 1963. After playing in the Sox’ farm system for a few years, he took on the role of the first baseball coach for the newly-created Bentley College baseball program in 1968, a position he has held for the past 54 years until his retirement this past week, a tenure of 1868 games that has made him one of the longest-serving collegiate coaches in NCAA history.

He also joined the coaching staff of the Winthrop High football team in the late 1960s and eventually was named the head coach in 1970, a position he held for 17 years. Under his leadership, the Vikings compiled a record of 101-65-2 -- despite being the smallest school in the Northeastern Conference -- and won two Super Bowl titles in 1980 and 1982 that bookended an undefeated skein of 33 games, one of the longest gridiron winning streaks in Mass. high school history. (Long-time Viking fans will recall that Winthrop was not selected for the 1981 Super Bowl because of the controversial rating system in place at that time.)

Bob left the WHS football post when he assumed the role of Athletic Director at Bentley, a job he held for 29 years in which he transformed the Falcon athletic program and facilities into a first-rate program, during which Bentley captured two national championships and often qualified for the post-season.

The Bentley baseball field is named in his honor, replete with his statue at the entrance and he has been inducted into nine high school and collegiate halls of fame.

But those are just the numbers.

What always has impressed us -- and everyone who has had the honor to know Bob -- is his humility, coupled with a sense of unmatched determination, hard work, and compassion for the young men he has coached over the years.

We always thought that had Bob entered the military, he would have been an amazing general.

We know we join with all of our fellow residents in congratulating Bob (who will be turning 80 this week) upon a wonderful career and thanking him for his many years that he has dedicated to our community.

We wish both Bob and his wife Patricia all the best in their retirement.

AN ILL WIND.....

The unrelenting easterly seabreeze that has been blowing at 20-30 miles per hour 24/7 for the past five days has reminded us that "spring" is an ephemeral term for those of us who live along the Massachusetts coastline.

The temperature has refused to climb beyond 50 degrees -- thanks to a water temperature of 48 degrees in Boston Harbor -- and the strong on-shore wind has made it feel closer to 40 degrees with the wind-chill factored in.

As usual, temperatures a little bit to our west are 10 degrees warmer. But for us, winter coats, hats, hoodies, and gloves are still the norm for any outside activity, whether it's walking along the beach or the Charles, or attending our children's soccer or baseball games, or enjoying a lunch at Kelly's on Revere Beach.

On the other hand, for those of us fortunate enough to be close to the ocean, the pounding surf on the shoreline with white caps extending to the horizon have created a seascape that is mesmerizing.

The smell, sight, and sound of the churning sea consumes our senses. It never grows old.

Still, our spring along the coast has followed the usual, frustrating pattern of, "One step forward, three steps back."

Mother Nature is a tease at this time of year. For each day of warmth that she bestows upon us, we must endure four or five days of chill, as if she's daring us to plant our summer vegetable garden under the threat of a frost or a wind gust that might snap the tender shoots.

We can't help but think that it would be nice to reserve some of these sea-breezy days for mid-July and early-August when the water temperature will be warm enough for us to enjoy the churning surf.

But the bottom line is that, to paraphrase the Bill Belichick cliché, the spring season along our coast, "Ain't what it ain't." It's always a mere chimera that taunts us.

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Dear Editor,

Please join me in congratulating the Winthrop High School Class of 2022 by inviting our townspeople to contribute to the Rona Mael Town Scholarship! Each year, this coveted award, the only scholarship from the Town of Winthrop, is presented at graduation to a deserving student. The Winthrop Scholarship Committee wants you to know that there is still time to contribute to our town scholarship, named after Rona Mael, a much beloved high school educator and community activist who served on the

scholarship committee since 1980 until her death a few years ago.

Donations to the Rona Mael Town Scholarship may be made by sending a check to the Winthrop Tax Collector’s Office, Town Hall, One Metcalf Square, Winthrop, MA 02152. Please make checks payable to Town of Winthrop, indicating Rona Mael Town Scholarship on the memo line.

Please join us in continuing Rona Mael’s passion for connecting students to funding for their educational needs!

Thanks of behalf of the Winthrop Scholarship Committee,

**Mary Lou Osborne,
Chair**

GUEST OP-ED

Marie Claire: Elizabeth Warren: I am angry but determined to protect Roe

By Elizabeth Warren

Roe v. Wade has protected the right to a safe and legal abortion for nearly half a century. Over and over again, conservative Supreme Court nominees proclaimed Roe “settled law,” signaling to the American people that, on their watch, Roe would not be overturned. But now a draft opinion reveals that five justices believe this is their moment to strike down this “settled law,” permitting states to criminalize anyone who seeks an abortion, performs an abortion, helps someone find an abortion, or even has a miscarriage.

Yes, I’m angry. I’m angry at the justices who deliberately deceived the American people. I’m angry at the Republicans in Congress who stole two Supreme Court seats to get us to this day. And I’m angry at the cruelty of the anti-abortion politicians who will impose enormous pain, suffering, and possible death on people who have the fewest resources to fight back.

The minute Roe is officially gone, more than half the states in this country are poised to outlaw abortion or severely limit abortion access. If abortion is outlawed, the impact won’t fall equally on everyone. Wealthy women will still get safe, legal abortions by flying to another state or even travel-

ing to another country.

But the world will be very different for those who have the least power: low-income women, young women, women of color, victims of incest and abuse, moms already working two jobs to support their children. This far-right, extremist Supreme Court doesn’t care if Americans suffer; they are hellbent on imposing their views on all of us.

For me, this isn’t about politics; this is personal. I have lived in a world where abortion was illegal. I learned early on that when the law bans all abortions, only safe and legal abortions will be banned. I lived in a world in which women bled to death from back alley abortions. A world in which infections and other complications destroyed women’s futures. A world in which some women took their own lives rather than continuing with a pregnancy they could not bear. For decades, expanded access to abortion has allowed people to make decisions about their own bodies and lives, promoting equity and access to life-changing opportunities. But these extremist justices on the Supreme Court want to send us back to those dark days and take away women’s rights to control their own futures.

Changes in abortion laws will have dire conse-

AN OPPORTUNITY
TO BE HEARD

Dear Editor:

On Monday May 16 at 6:30 pm the Winthrop Republican Town Committee is hosting an hour with Senator Lydia Edwards. This one hour event is a perfect opportunity for the community and those individuals that feel their voices are not being heard in the one party state of Massachusetts. Help Senator Edwards know what issues are important to you or respectfully comment on important current topics.

- Due to capacity constraints free admission to this May 16th event must be obtained by registering on Facebook at “Win-

throp Republican Town Committee” Facebook account, or

- emailing winthroprtc@gmail.com
- Comments or questions for Senator Edwards should be submitted to the “Winthrop Republican Town Committee” Facebook account or emailing winthroptc@gmail.com. This will permit as many comments and questions from the community as time permits.

The WRTC encourages residents to take advantage of this opportunity for respectful dialogue which will take place at the Winthrop Senior Center, 35 Harvard Street in Winthrop.

**Paul Caruccio
Chairman WRTC**

quences. In Texas, a young woman was charged with murder for an alleged self-induced abortion. (The charges were later dropped.) In Oklahoma, a new law would force a 12-year-old survivor of rape to bear the child of her predator. In Louisiana, Republicans are pushing for the most extreme bill yet, which would classify abortion as a homicide and could even criminalize using certain forms of birth control. And Republican politicians won’t stop at criminalizing abortion. They have already signaled that a Republican-controlled Senate would pursue a nationwide ban on abortion care.

Let me be crystal clear: Republicans in Congress are planning to restrict abortion access and reproductive health care everywhere, endangering all Americans, whether they live in red, blue, or purple states. And it is equally clear that the Supreme Court is opening the door to banning birth control, outlawing marriage equality, and even making interracial marriage illegal.

American freedoms and the Constitution itself are under attack. The Republicans have planned long and hard for this day, and we can’t wait a second longer to fight back. We need action.

The Supreme Court does not get the last word. The American people—

through their leaders in Congress—can and must take action. Congress has the power to make Roe the law of the entire nation. The House has already passed legislation to shield abortion rights, and the Senate will take up the bill this week. We should debate that bill on the floor and then vote on it—because every American should know exactly where we stand and hold us accountable. But to get that vote and protect Roe, we must end the filibuster. This November, Americans will decide the future of Roe, and voters everywhere must bring their fury to the voting booth.

Yes, I’m angry that a group of unelected ideologues on the Supreme Court think they can turn current law upside down and dictate to tens of millions of people across this country the terms of their pregnancies and their lives.

I will use my anger to do everything I can to keep an extremist Supreme Court from having the last word on the right to a safe and legal abortion. In a democracy, that power is in the hands of the people. We need to use our anger to make real change. We’re not going back—never.

Elizabeth Warren is a U.S. Senator representing the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

GUEST OP-ED

Talk to your teenagers about driving while drinking, impaired or distracted

By Jeanne Holgerson, MSN, APNP-BC

The prom is one of the most memorable events in the life of a high school student. For many it’s a once-in-a-lifetime night, planned for months and talked about for years afterward. The prom is followed by graduation and many celebrations in the months to follow.

But it’s important to remember that, as fun as the prom, graduation, and parties can be, they can also be very dangerous. Too often, all over the country, communities are grief-stricken because of a drunken driving crash involving teenagers. Those accidents are entirely avoidable. Teens simply must know the consequences of drinking

and driving.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), it’s one of the most dangerous times for teens on the road. Texting, underage drinking, and other distractions lead to tragedies that can be avoided through education and communication.

Drinking and Driving

Alcohol is a substance that reduces the function of the brain, impairing thinking, reasoning, and muscle coordination. All these abilities are essen-

tial to operating a vehicle safely. As alcohol levels rise in a person’s system, the negative effects on the central nervous system increase. Even a small amount of alcohol can affect driving ability.

Driving after drinking is deadly. Yet, it continues to happen across the United States. If you drive while impaired, you could get arrested, or worse — be involved in a traffic crash that causes serious injury or death.

Approximately one-

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WINTHROP Then and Now

Winthrop Improvement and Historical Association

By G. David Hubbard, Town Historian • Photos courtesy of Stephen F. Moran

ART 948 - HISTORY OF PAULINE ST. & FREMONT ST. INTERSECTION



Many of our street corners have witnessed numerous changes over the years that have contributed a great deal to Winthrop's historic past. One such corner is the intersection of Fremont Street and Pauline Street. In picture #1, taken about 1915, one can see the building on the right which was originally built to house the GEM Silent Movie House. It only functioned as a theatre for a few years and was often referred to by the school children as the "Germ" theatre. One can only imagine why. The empty

field in the foreground became the site of the John C. McMurray Buick Dealership which operated there until about 1970. It was later the site of McDonald's Fast Food Restaurant and since February 2009 has been the new location of Nick's Place. Across the street, the E.B. Newton School, built in 1908, can be seen as it appeared in its early days. Picture #2 depicts the previously mentioned theater after 1914, when it was closed and the Knights of Columbus Lodge used the hall for a few years prior

to the International Order of Odd Fellows establishing their Zenith #42 Fraternal Lodge in the building. Picture #3 depicts the major fire that leveled the I.O.O.F. Lodge Hall building in the early 1960's. This location is now the new office building of a Law firm and a Mortgage Company. In the 1990's, the I.O.O.F. Lodge purchased the Masonic building around the corner on Winthrop Street opposite the entrance to Madison Avenue. As can be seen in picture #4, when the I.O.O.F. relocated to their new home, they graciously recognized the historical significance of the building and retained the original inscribed plaque on the front of the building as can be seen in this photograph. When originally constructed in 1892, the Masonic Lodge Hall was located on the second floor and in the first floor left hand side store front, the Winthrop Post Office existed for 39 years until the U.S. Government built the new Post Office Building in 1931 that is now the current home of the Winthrop Police Department.



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 May 11, 2012

Winthrop Vietnam veteran and proprietor of Honan Sign Company, Richard Honan, is once again posting a call to arms, of sorts. Honan, who is well-known in town as a veterans advocate and active in the veterans community in Winthrop, is once again organizing an army of grave marker cleaners in time for Memorial Day. Honan and a group of volunteers have been cleaning up grave markers at the town's cemeteries for the past several years in an effort to help the town make the cemeteries look as good as possible for the annual Memorial Day services.

Town Manager James McKenna announced this week that the dedication ceremony officially naming the new Town Harbor Terminal Building at the Winthrop public landing for Winthrop resident Norman Siefert will take place on Saturday, May 26. McKenna said that dedicating the terminal in honor of Siefert is based on the long history he has had in town, in being active with the waterfront, and in particular with the development of the landing and all that has gone on there.

Dark Shadows, The Dictator, and Men in Black 3 are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

20 years ago May 16, 2002

Mike Eruzione and his family's foundation, Winthrop Charities, announced this week that it will be making a \$50,000 donation to Winthrop High School to build a health and fitness center for all high school students and faculty.

The MWRA prepared local residents for rate hikes for their water and sewer bills by announcing that rates will be increasing district-wide from 3.5 to 8.8 percent.

The selectmen and Advisory Committee are in disagreement about how to solve the budget deficit problem, with the latter advocating that all town departments share equally in budget cuts, while the selectmen want to cut non-essential town budgets, such as the library, first. The Advisory Committee's proposal would reduce the school budget by \$295,000, but the selectmen seek to cut the schools by only \$141,000.

A new A.J. Wright store opened in East Boston this week.

My Big Fat Greek Wedding, Panic Room, and Fire Clockstoppers are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

30 years ago May 21, 1992

The selectmen heard from both sides on the issue of whether to grant a bus route extension to the Paul Revere Bus Company to the Highlands. Although most residents opposed the idea, a number of residents from Seal Harbor spoke in favor of it, noting that it would be a great boon for commuters to Boston.

The School Committee voted to give no pay raises to teachers for the 1991-92 school year. Contract talks for the 1992-93 contract will get underway shortly.

The selectmen have named Frank Inzirillo Jr.

as the Acting Town Accountant to replace Anne Baker, who has taken a similar position with the City of Chelsea at a much higher salary.

The MDC and the town will undertake separate projects to restore Winthrop and Yirrell beaches to repair the damage done by the No-Name Storm last October 31.

Whether Winthrop Hospital, which filed for bankruptcy protection three weeks ago, will be able to emerge from the bankruptcy proceedings and remain in operation is an open question.

Lethal Weapon 3, The Playboys, and Criss Cross are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

40 years ago May 19, 1982

Local architect Frank Costantino spoke to the Chamber of Commerce this week on the need to revitalize Winthrop Centre.

The selectmen voted unanimously to grant a liquor license to the Donut Department Extension. Ronald Rotondo, the owner of the restaurant, said he plans to include family style dining along with the present breakfast menu.

State and local police have launched an around-the-clock investigation into the murder of a local businessman who was found stabbed to death in his Shore Drive apartment. The 32 year-old victim was the owner of a card and gift shop in Michael's Mall.

Pulsifer's Market was the scene of an unarmed robbery last week when eight to 12 persons, garbed as Indians, took items from the shelves and fled while two other persons kept the store clerks busy.

Winthrop Community Hospital has been cited by the American Hospital Association for its efforts to provide high-quality care to patients while keeping costs down.

The Vestry of St. John's Episcopal Church voted unanimously in favor of supporting the Nuclear Weapons Freeze Bill presently before Congress.

Henry Fonda, Katharine Hepburn, and Jane Fonda star in On Golden Pond at the Kincade Theatre. Arnold Shwarzenegger stars in Conan the Barbarian at the Sack Theatres in Somerville.

50 years ago May 17, 1972

A fire of suspicious origin caused thousands of dollars of damage to St. John's Episcopal Church Sunday morning. Firefighters responded at 2 a.m. and were able to halt the blaze before it destroyed the old, wooden structure. In front of the church were scrawled the words, "God Forgive Me" in large letters. St. John's Pastor Rev. Robert Mackie praised the efforts of the firefighters in saving the church from total destruction.

Jim Soper, the founder of the PTA in 1942 and long active in many other civic affairs, has been named the Citizen of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce.

A 15 year-old Winthrop girl was apprehended by local police about 200 yards from the shore after a Coast Guard helicopter and a Fire Department rescue boat were unable

to persuade her to come back to shore. Police Officer Robert Crawford then decided to plunge into the cold waters and caught up to the fast-swimming young lady, placing a headlock on her and bringing her back to shore. The girl was wanted for a parole violation by the Youth Service Board.

Selectman Richard Dimes this week announced the first step of a master plan by the town for a waste recycling program, starting with newspapers. A town truck immediately will begin a monthly collection of newspaper from residents.

A group of 25 residents of the Shirley St. area voiced their protest of the lack of adequate police protection for their neighborhood at the selectmen's meeting. The residents said that the incidence of teen vandalism has risen sharply in recent months, with the windows of six storefronts smashed by gangs of youths in recent weeks. The residents charged that the youths smoke "pot" throughout the night and also routinely are supplied with liquor.

The School Committee voted to cancel its usual ad in the Sun Transcript's annual graduation issue, with some members openly disapproving of the Sun Transcript's editorials critical of the many executive sessions being held by the committee in recent weeks.

Dustin Hoffmann stars in Straw Dogs at the Winthrop Cinema.

60 years ago May 17, 1962

Winthrop has embarked on an all-out polio vaccination campaign with the goal of ensuring that every child is permanently immunized against the dreaded disease by the end of this summer. All Winthrop students soon will start to receive the three-stage Sabin oral vaccine, even those who previously have been immunized with the Salk injections in previous years.

A joint concert between the Winthrop and Milford, New Jersey, high school bands this weekend in Memorial Auditorium was a huge success.

About 850 local residents received free chest X-rays in the mobile X-ray unit this week. The program was sponsored by the local Board of Health in conjunction with the State Board of Health.

Rev. Thomas E. Hayden of this town has become the newest member of the Catholic Relief Services organization which provides aid overseas. Fr. Hayden will be stationed in Monrovia, Liberia, where he will be in charge of supervising the distribution of U.S. government food and medical supplies.

The Rev. Thomas E. West, pastor of the First Baptist Church, informed his congregation that his sermon this week, entitled, "What Does Our Little Gray Church Stand for Anyway?" will be the most important talk he has delivered since arriving here two months ago.

Sun Transcript Publisher Andrew P. Quigley writes in his column this week that the arrival in Boston of Steve Smith, the least well-known of the Kennedy brothers-in-

OBITUARIES

Rosalie Ehrenwald

Of Winthrop, formerly of the West End of Boston

Rosalie Ehrenwald of Winthrop died peacefully on May 3 at the age of 100.

Rosalie was predeceased by her beloved husband, Irving with whom she shared 68 beautiful years.

Born and raised in the West End neighborhood of Boston to her parents, Louis and Dora Schwartz, she would tell her family many stories of growing up and visiting the West End Museum several times and was interviewed a few years ago to share stories about her life in this neighborhood.

For over 70 years, Rosalie lived in the same house in Winthrop across from the Winthrop Yacht Club, watching the boats every summer and enjoying the music from the Saturday night parties.

Rosalie loved being in the kitchen cooking and baking. Her family enjoyed delicious meals and many pastries she made including mandel bread, marble cake and strudel. She made delicious soups and her family loved the chicken soup the most.

Rosalie leaves her



daughter, Vivian Kruger and her husband, Jack, her daughter, Sharon Scobert and her son, Jeff Ehrenwald and his wife, Seri, as well as many grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Rosalie was predeceased by two beloved foster sons, Ben Gordon and Michael Gordon.

A funeral service for Rosalie was held on May 6 at the Torf Funeral Chapel in Chelsea. Interment followed at the Chebra Kadi-sha of Chelsea Cemetery in Everett.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made in Rosalie's memory to St. Jude's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Theresa Cronin

Retired Registered Nurse

Theresa J. "Terri" Cronin, retired registered nurse (R.N.) of Winthrop, died on May 7.

A member of the Winthrop Council on Aging, she was a past parishioner, Eucharistic Minister and Parish Council Secretary of the Sacred Heart Church of East Boston.

Always known as "Terri," she was a native of Norristown, PA and a graduate of the Montgomery Hospital School of Nursing in Norristown in 1951. She relocated to Massachusetts in 1954 to accept a position as an operating room nurse (Baker OR) at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. During her 47-year career as a registered nurse, she worked as an operating room, obstetrics and medical-surgical nurse at various Greater Boston hospitals including Massachusetts General, Somerville Hospital, Winthrop Hospital and Lahey Clinic/Burlington. She was a long-time nursing supervisor at the Lawrence Memorial Hospital of Medford.

Terri was an active sports participant in basketball and lettered in field hockey at Norristown High School (Class of 1948), and was an enthusiastic follower of the New England Patriots and Boston Red Sox. She was a long-time devoted donor to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and eagerly awaited her monthly mailing to add new faces to her prayers for their recovery. Her greatest joy was visiting and keeping up with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Born in Norristown, PA., the daughter of the late John Picard and the late Josephine (Perpetua) Picard of Norristown, she was the mother of Catherine (late husband Michael)



of Wakefield, John of Litchfield, NH, Maureen and Aileen and the late Terrence P. Cronin; sister of Evelyn Melchiorre of East Norriton, PA and Kathryn Friedman of Philadelphia, PA; loving grandmother of Alicia (Cronin) Pearsons and her husband, Bradd of Stratham, NH, Cameron of Brooklyn, NY, Christine (Cronin) Gorveatt and her husband, Joshua of Londonderry, NH and Sean of Litchfield, NH; beloved great-grandmother of Rocco and Charlotte Gorveatt and Connor Pearsons. She is also survived by nephews: Don Melchoirre and his wife, Patty of Brigantine NJ and their son, Michael and his wife, Amanda; Dean Melchiorre and his wife, Terry of Collegeville, PA and their son, John; nieces Kathryn Schilling of Loomis, CA and Lynn Deans of San Ramon, CA and their children and also survived by grandchildren, Samantha Barnard (and daughter Miriah) and Edmund and James Fino.

Terri asked that those who attend her services wear bright colors to celebrate her many years of nursing service.

Family and friends are cordially invited to attend the visitation from the Caggiano-O'Maley-Frazier Funeral Home, Winthrop on Wednesday, May 18 from 4 to 8 p.m. The funeral will be conducted from the funeral home on Thursday, May 19 at 9 a.m. followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at the Sacred Heart Church, 45 Brooks Street, East Boston at 10 a.m. (www.sacredhearteb.org) Services will conclude with interment in the Oak Grove Cemetery, Medford.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital of Memphis TN (www.stjude.org).

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Remembering Tink Around the Waterfront (a poem)

(Remembering my mom, Tink Martin, 9/18/25 - 9/28/12)

"Live fully, Compassion, Curiosity and Joy"



One of Tink Martin's many credos - Ahoy!
Sail boats, light houses, Clam diggers, Rocky Shoals
Love and empathy radiating
All Around the Waterfront, Tink researched and explored
Recipient of Raytheon's Captain Lawton Boating Safety Award
Writer for Winthrop Transcript, N.E. Offshore, and N.E. Cruising Guide
Coast Guard Auxiliary boat inspector, Friends of Belle Isle Marsh, adored outside
Advocating for social and environmental justice, such a key mission
Critical Thinker, Adult Education, Winthrop Disability Commission
Memorable Fourth of July celebrations, such fun, what a blast!
Family jaunts to Provincetown, time to swim, relax, explore, laugh.
Corinne Doud

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third of all traffic crash fatalities in the United States involve drunk drivers. In 2019, there were 10,142 people killed in these preventable crashes. In fact, on average over the 10-year period from 2010-2019, more than 10,000 people died every year in drunk-driving crashes. In every state, it's illegal to drive drunk, yet one person was killed in a drunk driving crash every 52 minutes in the United States in 2019.

According to the NHTSA, 28% of teen drivers killed in car accidents were drunk driving. Parents need to talk about the dangers of driving under the influence of alcohol with their teenagers. Especially as we enter the season for the prom and graduation parties, it is vital to communicate the risks to your children of drinking and drunk driving. Research proves that parents are a teenager's number one influence about alcohol. They may not be talking, but teens are always listening. So as parents you still have a major influence on your teenagers. For more information on talking to your teen, preventing underage drinking, and facts about the problem, visit www.familytalkingaboutdrinking.com.

Texting and Driving

We all know the dangers of drinking and driving. However, using a cell phone while driving delays a driver's reactions as much as having four 12-ounce beers. According to distraction.gov, sending or receiving text messages takes the driver's eyes off the road for 4.6 seconds and makes the driver 23 times more likely to get into a crash. Teens should download apps such as AT&T's DriveMode or DriveSmart. When these apps are enabled, the phone will automatically respond to incoming texts with a message letting others know you're on the road, and that you'll respond when it's safe.

Marijuana and Driving

Driving under the influence of marijuana is dangerous and illegal. If you get behind the wheel while you're impaired by any substance, you put yourself, your passengers, and others on the road at risk. Impaired driving is a criminal behavior regardless of whether a drug is prescribed, obtained over-the counter, bought in a retail setting, or considered an illicit substance.

There is no level of marijuana safe for driving. Research shows that marijuana can impair drivers in a variety of ways. It can affect psychomotor functions such as attention, reaction time and coordination. Laboratory-based studies have demonstrated that marijuana use impairs many aspects of cognitive and physical function that are necessary for safe driving. Marijuana can decrease car handling, can impair performance and attention while increasing reaction times, following distance and lane deviation.

Mixing alcohol and marijuana may produce effects greater than either drug on its own.

Getting Home Safely

Honest communication with your child, explaining the deadly risks of impaired driving, and discussing underage drinking prevention can prevent a deadly end to the night. AAA has offered some guidance on key points to discuss with your teenager, and more information can be found on their website www.teendrivingaaa.com.

AAA offers the following tips:

- Remind teens that if a friend gets behind the wheel of a car drunk and won't listen to reason, they should not take that ride. Assure them that you would much rather get a call from them, asking for a ride, than a call from the police.

- Develop a safe driving plan. AAA encourages parents to make a safe driving plan with their teen, set a reasonable time to return home and talk with them about potential risks such as driving with a passenger, and while impaired or distracted.

- Discuss prom plans with other parents. Don't assume all parents share your values and will monitor your teen's actions as you would expect. Exchange phone numbers and talk with other parents and your teen's friends to ensure ample communication.

- Limit the number of passengers in a vehicle. Parents should limit the number of teens in the vehicle to the driver and one passenger. The teens may have plans to go "as a group" but they should drive in separate vehicles and enjoy the "group" when they reach their destinations (pictures, dinner, prom and after prom).

- Say No to Alcohol. Remind your teen that it is against the law for anyone under the age of 21 to consume alcohol. Encourage teens to be prepared to appropriately handle peer pressure to drink alcohol by saying no. Do not serve alcohol to your teen or any other teen in your home.

- Don't drive while impaired, distracted, or drowsy:

- Remind teen passengers not to create distractions for the driver. No cell phone use while driving. Keep your eyes on the road and limit passenger interaction.

- Remind your teen that safe, responsible drivers do not combine drinking and driving.

- Remind your teen to not drive if they are drowsy after a long night of dancing. Sleepiness can slow reaction time, decrease awareness, and impair judgement.

- Remember defensive driving skills. Teens will be on the road on a weekend night with adult drivers who may be driving impaired (from alcohol or drugs). They need to be attentive and watch for other drivers who may not be driving safely.

- Additional safe driving tips for teens and parents can be found at www.teendrivingaaa.com.

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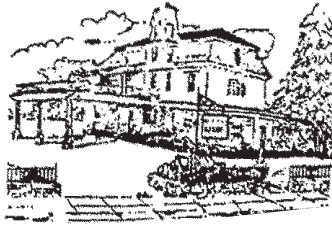
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Steve Acone // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

Stephen “Punky” Acone’s memory is honored with this annual hockey tournament, geared to raise money for scholarships for graduating Winthrop hockey players.

Along with scholarships in Acone’s name are the following: Detective Michael Delehanty Memorial Scholarship, Delehanty served the community of Winthrop as a police officer for more than 26 years. The Detective Robert McFarland Memorial Scholarship, proudly serving the Town of Winthrop for 48 years. The Officer Charles A DeMinico Memorial Scholarship, and the Lieutenant Joseph Flannery Memorial Scholarship.

The Winthrop Youth Hockey Program and the Winthrop Police Association wish to thank all those who generously donated in any way to make this



Lt. Mary Crisafi, Kim Rogers and Sgt. Sean Delehanty with the check for the WHS Scholarships, with Mia Rossi, Angelo Rogers and Mia McFarland.

annual event a success and help carry on the memory of these fine police offi-

cers that served the Town of Winthrop with pride and honor.



The McFarland family enjoyed the pre-game ceremony as Kylie McFarland drops the puck between Jay Nalen and Steve Rogers, also in photo Sgt. Sean Delehanty.

Dear Editor,
Last Saturday at the Larsen Rink/ Eruzione Center was the 6th Annual Officer Stephen Acone Hockey Tournament to benefit the

- Officer Stephen Acone Scholarships (two awarded at \$1,000 ea)
- Detective Michael Delehanty Scholarship (two awarded at \$1,000 ea)
- Detective Robert McFarland Scholarship (two awarded at \$1,000 ea)
- Officer Charles A. DeMinico, Jr. Scholarship (one awarded at \$1,000 ea)
- Officer Joseph Flannery Scholarship (one awarded at \$1,000 ea)

Thanks to the always enthusiastic participation of over 50 local pickup hockey players, in partnership with Winthrop Police Association and Winthrop Youth Hockey, \$8,000 was raised for the above cited scholarships for graduating seniors of WHS at \$1,000 per scholarship.

We offer sincere thanks to our sponsors, Winthrop Police Association, Winthrop Youth Hockey, and special thanks to Sal Tiano, WHS class of ‘84 and David Nectow both of Pure Hockey and to the many local businesses who donated. And, as always, thanks to Sgt. Sean Delehanty for volunteering his time as grill master!

Stephen Rogers
Lieutenant, Winthrop Police

Sumner Tunnel // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

petition calling on Rep. Adrian Madaro and Sen. Lydia Edwards to put pressure on the MBTA and keep the ferry that was running between Eastie and Boston during the recent Blue Line project as a transportation option for residents during the Sumner closures.

“The MBTA has provided two options for transportation downtown from East Boston: shuttle buses from either Maverick or Airport Stations or the ferry from Lewis Wharf to the Long Wharf,” said Schmidt. “The MBTA is only intending to use these options for the extent that the Blue Line underwater tunnel undergoes maintenance (until May 15). With the upcoming closure of the Sumner Tunnel on weekends starting June

2022 and with a complete closure from May 2023 to September 2023, we urge the (State) and City of Boston to keep the ferry option open for East Boston residents to relieve the extreme pressure expected to be placed on the roads and subway systems. During the first week of operation, the MBTA ferry has received a lot of positive feedback and provides the frequency the people need for a morning commute.”

The online petition, which can be found at www.change.org/p/bring-the-mbta-ferry-option-back-for-eastie-residents has already gained 1,245 signatures with a goal of reaching 1,500 signatures.

Schmidt said a more formal petition will be sent to MassDOT, Rep. Madaro and Sen. Edwards

once the 1,500 signatures are reached.

Residents have also been lobbying for the T to be free throughout the duration of the tunnel’s closure. Residents have argued that the inconvenience posed by such a closure, planned between May 2023 to September 2023, will have a significant impact on commuters and lead to more traffic and gridlock during the commute.

In order to attract more people to ride public transportation during the tunnel’s closure and cut down the number of cars driving through neighborhood streets, residents have asked MassDOT to advocate for the community and pressure the MBTA to make the Blue Line free.

MassDOT is anticipat-

ing significant traffic impacts that come with shutting down a tunnel that was handling 39,000 vehicles per day pre-COVID.

The MBTA has agreed to hold off any routine or scheduled maintenance for any of the systems that would be impacted as a result of the Sumner closure. When the tunnel is shut down for a weekend it will be from 11 pm Friday to 5 am Monday morning and shouldn’t impact any of the MBTA bus or train operations during the week.

However, when MassDOT shuts down the tunnel for 16 weeks in 2023 rush hour will be affected. It will be during this full closure when MassDOT will work closely with the MBTA to see what can be done to reach out and provide a better service for people and encourage

them to take the T.

Through some traffic modeling conducted by MassDOT the department projects that 45% of motorists will use the Ted William Tunnel during the closure; 34% will use the Tobin Bridge; and 19 percent will go the Bell Circle route to Route 16 and down towards Rutherford Avenue in Charlestown.

However, at past meetings MassDOT officials said about 2% of the 39,000 vehicles during the morning commute will ‘get lost in the mix’ and go elsewhere. This could translate into around 800 vehicles per day ending up on Eastie streets and adding to the congestion residents have come to expect each morning before the pandemic.

The proposed Sumner Tunnel Centennial Proj-

ect consists of resurfacing the tunnel roadway including pavement and lane markings; rehabilitating the overhead arch and ceiling, including deteriorating suspended ceiling supports; restoring the historic portal facades and addressing the functional system deficiencies of the Sumner Tunnel. Once the project has been completed, the Sumner Tunnel will meet modern fire and life safety codes with fireproofing, fire standpipe, fire alarm and CCTV upgrades. The tunnel will feature new LED lighting and security systems; new utility conduits and cables under the roadway deck which will improve cell phone, GPS, and radio service inside the tunnel.

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WHS SAILING TAKES ON CONCORD ACADEMY IN THIRD REGATTA OF SEASON

Photos by Bob Marra

Although the weather hasn't been terribly co-operative for sailing, the Winthrop-Swampscott High co-op sailing team raced in their third regatta Friday, May 6 against Concord Academy in the waters off Winthrop's Cottage Park Yacht Club. Coach Angela Hickey, in her second year at the helm, has watched her team compete closely also

against traditionally potent teams from Gloucester and Winchester. Saturday's regatta with Boston Latin was cancelled due to weather, and the team sails against Pingree Wednesday, May 11. The roster includes Joe Cataldo, Quinn McCarren, Ryan Begin, Erin Thompson, Bridget Hickey, Imogen Clancy, Trevor Sacco, Emma Dahlberg, Benen McCarren, and Rose McCarren.



Ryan Begin and Erin Thompson.



Bridget Hickey and Imogen Clancy.



Bridget Hickey and Imogen Clancy approach a marker.



Joe Cataldo and Quinn McCarren.



The boats approach a marker.



The three Winthrop-Swampscott teams cruise: left to right, Sail 4 Ryan Begin and Erin Thompson, Sail 5 with Bridget Hicky and Imogen Clancy, and Sail 1 with Joe Cataldo and Quinn McCarren.



Winthrop-Swampscott Sail 5 with Bridget Hickey and Imogen Clancy, with a Concord Academy boat close behind.



Joe Cataldo and Quinn McCarren.

Years // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 5

law, heralds the start of the campaign of Edward M. Kennedy, the youngest Kennedy brother, for the U.S. Senate seat formerly held by his brother before he became President. Smith worked at a high level in the campaign in 1958 for John F. Kennedy's re-election to the Senate and established himself as one of the most popular and capable members of the campaign staff. Joseph Sternick has been re-elected President of the Ocean Lodge, B'nai B'rith for 1962. Selectmen Chairman Melvin T. Carver has announced that he will run for the Republican nomination for State Representative. Carver will oppose incumbent Fred Baumeister in the GOP primary. The Rotary Club will raise the curtain on its third annual Stars of Tomorrow show at the Memorial Auditorium. Vocalists and musicians from throughout the community will make up the 37 acts to be presented. Chubby Checker stars in Don't Knock the Twist at the Winthrop Theatre.

gone even higher, but that the town's total valuation increased by \$750,000 to an all-time high of \$26,491,000. Three new captains have been named to the Winthrop Fire Dept.: Edward A. Hazlett, 34; Charles J. Flanagan, 27; and Arthur M. Maskell, 45. A space oil heater exploded in the kitchen of a home at 68 Main St., causing a fire that burned the owner and a friend who was visiting from Rhode Island. Pvt. George F. Joyce, 19, a former resident, has been reported as killed in action in Korea on May 5. Rabbi Hyman R. Friedman of Atlanta, Georgia, was named the new spiritual leader of Temple Tifereth Israel at a special meeting Sunday. Ronald Reagan and Rhonda Fleming star in Hong Kong at the Winthrop and State Theatres.

80 years ago
May 21, 1942
Russia's onslaught against Kharkov was a mere sideshow compared to the offensive launched Friday evening in the junior high gym when the legions of members of the Winthrop Committee on Public Safety stormed the bastion to have their photos taken for their official government identification cards. A very special honor was conferred upon Mrs.

Carl Floyd by the Red Cross National Headquarters last week in Town Hall. Local Red Cross Chapter President Preston Churchill presented Mrs. Floyd with an insignia in recognition of her many years of faithful service. The Winthrop Salvage Committee requests that all residents "Get in the Scrap" and make every effort to salvage their scrap metal and waste paper for the nation's military effort. Although Winthrop is almost totally blacked out every night, several changes in the dim-out regulations affecting stores and restaurants, which will require even more stringent shading of lights, appear imminent. The best compliment paid to George W. Searles upon his re-election as Advisory Committee Chairman is the reduction of 60 cents in the tax rate to \$27.40, a figure that is well below the average of communities across the state. WHS senior class members voted unanimously to proceed with plans for a patriotic pageant for their graduation exercises despite some negative comments about the event by some individuals in the town. Henry Fonda and Olivia DeHavilland star in The Male Animal at the Winthrop and State Theatres.

throp and Cottage Park yacht clubs will participate in the season-opening regatta and events at the South Boston Yacht Club on Monday, May 30. The local yachting season will get underway June 17 when a three day regatta will take place for all types of sailing craft. After four weeks of delay in the construction of the new Post Office building caused, it is reported, by the failure of one of the contractors to finish the work he had started, arrangements have been made with the bondsman whereby men and materials have been secured to ensure that the work will be completed by July 1. The Reverend Root of Somerville gave a stirring speech in favor of Prohibition at the First Church of Winthrop, Methodist Episcopal, Sunday. Rev. Root proclaimed that no issue in the country is stirring up more people than the liquor question. Root said that the "wets" would return this country to the heavy yoke of bondage to the liquor industry. However, Root said that an even-greater question facing the nation today is the present uneven distribution of wealth. Clinton N. Howard, who has been declared to be a prophet by none other than Billy Sunday, will speak at a mass meeting of patriotic citizens Friday evening in the First Baptist Church. Howard

is expected to deliver his talk with his usual array of patriotism, power, and punch. The Daughters of Maine held a pleasant gathering at the home of Mrs. Belle Floyd Saturday afternoon. Will Rogers stars in Business and Pleasure at the Winthrop and State Theatres. **100 years ago**
May 20, 1922
Once again the town will have the opportunity to pay tribute to one of her sons who made the supreme sacrifice on the soil of France in the world war when the body of Lt. Henry Quimby Griffin, who was killed in action at Sy Agnan, France, on July 16, 1918, will be buried with full military honors from Legion Hall Saturday at 2 p.m. For the first time in many years, Winthrop will have a regular, old time Fourth of July celebration of the sort, "Where you won't go home until the morning the night before the Fourth." The Legion boys have a committee out who have arranged to have the first celebration of what promises to be an annual event. There will be dancing at Legion Hall, a parade headed by a band, a huge bonfire that promises to be the largest in town history, and a Carnival and Frolic, which will feature sports games, side shows, and red lemonade.

Rudolph Valentino stars in Moran of the Lady Letty at the Winthrop Theatre. **110 years ago**
May 18, 1912
Among the many pleasant occasions of the Quest and Question Club that will stand out for years to come was the reunion of club members that took place in the home of Mrs. Bessie Cobb on Temple Ave. in the Highlands Friday afternoon. The young ladies guild of St. John's Episcopal Church gave the operetta Japanese Girl in the parish house Saturday evening before an audience that completely filled the hall. The bazaar held by the local Elks in their new home on Washington Ave. has been a huge success thus far and will continue through the end of the week. **120 years ago**
May 24, 1902
Winthrop will have another Town Meeting and, judging from the length of the warrant with 24 articles, it promises to be a record-breaker. Local veterans groups thank those who have contributed to the memorial exercises that will honor the soldiers of the war from 1861-65. A license was given by the selectmen to Geo. R. Britain of 266 Shirley St., as innholder, to maintain one pool table.

70 years ago
May 22, 1952
Board of Assessors Chairman Arthur Fielding and colleagues Arthur Sullivan and William Abely have announced a tax rate for 1952 of \$45.80, an increase of \$3.00 over last year's rate. They said that the rate would have

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WHS SPORTS ROUNDUP

UP AND DOWN WEEK FOR WHS BASEBALL TEAM

The Winthrop High baseball team learned a version of the sports axiom, "A win is a win," when the Winthrop Athletic Department was informed that a loss earlier this season to Boston English has been deemed a forfeit by English after English was found to have members on its team who were not attending the school after a complaint had been lodged by other Boston city schools.

On the playing field, the Vikings improved their record to 8-5 with a 12-2 victory over Salem Academy this past Monday which was highlighted by

Senior Day festivities.

All six members of the team from the Class of 2022 -- Cam Martin, Anthony Indrisano, Chris Gibbons, Joe Hayes, Joe Ferullo, and Juan Sanchez -- were recognized for their contributions to the WHS baseball program.

In addition, the sextet started the game and played key roles in the victory.

"It was great to see them all play and get a win on Senior Night," said WHS head coach Mark DeGregorio.

Senior Joe Ferullo started the game on the mound and went all five innings in which he struck out eight enemy batters.

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WHS VIKINGS SOFTBALL HONORS ITS SENIORS



The WHS Varsity Softball Team and Coaches, along with family members, Say good-bye and thank you to the WHS Lady Viking Softball Seniors with flowers and smiles. See more photos on Page 12.

Deeb donates practice uniforms to WHS Vikings baseball team

Bob Deeb, owner of MSA Mortgage donated to the Winthrop High School baseball making

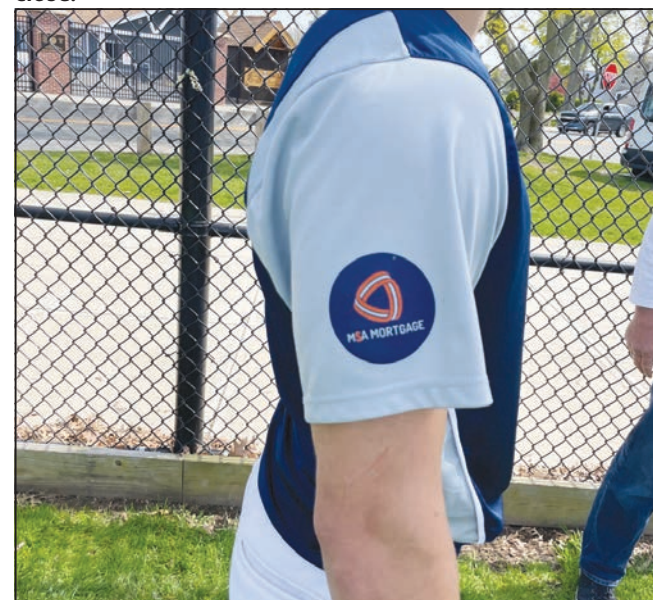
it possible to outfit the 33 kids in the program with practice jerseys.



Bob Deeb with the seniors. Left to right in the picture with the seniors is Joseph Hayes, Juan Sanchez, Bob Deeb, Joseph Ferullo, Anthony Indrisano, Christopher Gibbons. Cameron Martin is a senior but was taking an AP exam which is why he isn't in the picture.



Shown above and below, the new practice uniforms up close.



The larger picture is the JV and Varsity players along with Bob Deeb and Frankie Fabiano.

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"Joe pitched a great game," said DeGregorio. "He was able to pound the strike zone all game. I told him if he can locate his fastball, he is very difficult to hit against because he has a heavy fastball and it gets in on the hitters fast."

Senior Joe Hayes went 2-for-4 with three stolen bases.

"Joe also played a stellar game at shortstop and continues to be a great leader," noted DeGregorio.

Senior Cam Martin went 1-for-3 with three runs scored and two stolen bases, including a steal of home.

"Cam's bat has begun to get hot at the right time of year," said DeGregorio.

"Senior Chris Gibbons has been a stalwart for us at second base this year," DeGregorio continued. "He is the type of kid that you throw out on the field and you know what you are going to get -- a tough kid who gives you every bit of effort he has at all times."

"Senior Anthony Indrisano also had a couple of hits. He did a good job of putting the ball in play and getting on base," said DeGregorio.

"Finally, senior Juan Sanchez started the first varsity game of his career. Juan is playing baseball for the first time this year and I could not be prouder of how hard he has worked and how much improvement he has made this year," DeGregorio said. "I got the chance to coach him in football this year and he is just a great kid and someone that you want to be part of your program."

Winthrop stole home for a second time later in the contest when Colin Kinsella swiped home plate on a delayed steal.

"Colin took off as soon as the catcher got ready to throw the ball back to the pitcher," noted DeGregorio. "We were able to take advantage on the base-paths all game with a total of 12 steals. I know I have said it numerous times before, but this is how we have to play and generate runs."

"All in all, it was a great team win and good team effort," DeGregorio concluded. "Before the game we asked the team to play for the seniors and they did that. It was great to see the seniors out there and I am proud of each and every one of them."

The Vikings were not as fortunate in their contests last week.

Their scheduled encounter last Wednesday with Masconomet was

rained out and Winthrop came out on the short end of decisions to Marblehead and East Boston on Friday and Saturday.

"Unfortunately, we were unable to make plays when we needed to and our bats didn't wake up in those games until it was too late," said DeGregorio. "East Boston is currently 11-0 and is a very good team. We can see why they are one of the best Boston City Schools."

A big highlight for the Vikings was the performance of sophomore Matt DeCarney in the match with Eastie. Matt went 3-for-3 at the plate and tossed three innings without yielding an earned run.

"Matt continues to grow with each game," said DeGregorio. "He demonstrates a lot of confidence on the mound and at the plate. That is very rare for a sophomore."

DeGregorio and his crew were scheduled to embark on the final third of their 2022 campaign yesterday (Wednesday) at Salem High.

They will return home to Veterans Field tomorrow (Friday) to host Beverly at 4:30 and to entertain Peabody next Wednesday at 4:00.

WHS GIRLS LACROSSE DEFEATS SALEM, 9-6

The Winthrop High girls lacrosse team earned a split of its two contests this past week, defeating Salem, but falling to Peabody.

In the 9-6 triumph this past Monday over the Witches, Mia Martucci (three goals and an assist) and Emma Holmes (three goals) both achieved the hat trick to pace the Lady Viking offense.

Brianna Marley, Mia Norris, and Hannah Parker also reached the back of the Salem net.

Talia Martucci and Sam DiMento were credited with an assist on the day.

Goalie Adrianna Rizzotto made three saves.

"Reese Brodin had a very good defensive game and Kailey Sullivan crushed the team's re-defend," said WHS head coach Emma Marrs. "Kailey was able to come up with a lot of caused turnovers and interceptions."

In the 14-7 loss to Peabody, Mia Martucci led the way with three goals. Teammates Hannah Parker, Talia Martucci, Emma Holmes, Sam DiMento, and Kira Diaz scored a goal apiece.

Rizzotto was a stand-out in the net, making 15 saves.

"Reese Brodin, Annika

Holgersen, Abby Holmes, and Mia Norris played incredible defensive games," noted Marrs.

The Lady Vikings are scheduled to host Beverly today (Thursday) at Miller Field. The opening draw is set for 4:30.

They will entertain Peabody this Saturday morning at 11:00 and Danvers next Thursday.

WHS SOFTBALL TEAM EXCELS IN BIG WIN

The Winthrop High softball team celebrated Senior Day in fitting fashion with a 22-3 victory over Excel Academy this past Monday.

The four members of the Class of 2022, shortstop Summer Tallent, outfielder Julianna Guzman, utility player Ana Potera, and pitcher Ava Martello were honored for their contributions to the WHS softball program and played key roles in the big victory.

The Lady Vikings scored early and often, putting up nine runs in each of the first two innings and adding three markers in the third frame.

WHS senior captain Summer Tallent had a monster day at the plate. Summer went 4-for-5 with two doubles, four RBI, and two runs scored.

Ava Martello also had a big game with the bat. Ava was 4-for-5 with four RBI and a run scored. Martello picked up the victory in the pitcher's circle, tossing all five innings (the contest was called after five because of the mercy rule), allowing just two hits while fanning six opponents and walking only two.

Guzman was 2-for-4 with a triple, three RBI, and two runs scored.

Teammates who also joined the party were: Lily Tallent with two base hits, three runs scored, and an RBI; Izzy Cash (1-for-3); Amelia Spencer, who was 2-for-3 with a double, three runs scored, and an RBI; Gabby Golden, playing in her second game since returning from a broken arm, was 4-for-4 with an RBI and two runs scored; Gabby Carrier, who was 2-for-3 with a double, three RBI, and two runs; and McKenzie Magardo, who was 2-for-2 with a double, a run scored, and an RBI.

Although the Lady Vikings came up on the short end of a 13-8 decision to Swampscott this past Friday, veteran WHS head coach Dave Guffey said that despite the final outcome, "This was our best game of the season."

After yielding five runs to the Big Blue in the first, Winthrop got one back when Cash doubled and scooted home on a base hit by Martello.

Swampscott responded with a marker of its own, but the Lady Vikings got that one back when Cash delivered an RBI base hit to score Spencer, who had reached when she was hit by a pitch.

Winthrop added two more runs in the following inning when Lily Tallent reached on an error and cousin Summer Tallent, Martello, and Spencer all singled.

The Lady Vikings would add four more runs in the final inning, with an RBI base hit by Spencer the key blow.

Guffey and his crew were scheduled to travel to Salem Charter yesterday (Wednesday) and will entertain Gloucester tomorrow (Friday) at 4:30. They will trek to Danvers on Monday and return back home to host Salem next Wednesday.

WHS BOYS TENNIS EARNS TWO VICTORIES

The Winthrop High boys tennis team chalked up two victories this past week, defeating Salem and Mystic Valley.

In the 5-0 wins over Salem and Mystic, singles players Carlos Penalba at number one, Carlo Baretta at number two, and James Sicurella at number three all won their matches in straight sets. The Viking doubles tandems of JD Parker and Ryan Kfoury at first doubles and Bruno Penalba and Ari Hain at second doubles also were straight-set victors.

Coach Marie Finn's squad dropped a 4-1 decision to Marblehead last week. Penalba defeated his Magician counterpart at first singles, 6-2, 6-4.

Baretta and Sicurella played well in their singles matches, but both came up short by scores of 6-3, 6-4.

In the doubles encounters, the duo of Parker and Kfoury extended their Marblehead rivals to three sets before falling by a score of 6-3, 5-7, 6-4. At second doubles, Liam Turner joined Hain in a 6-2, 6-2 match.

Finn and her crew are scheduled to host Masconomet today (Thursday), Watertown tomorrow (Friday), and Gloucester on Monday. They will trek to Danvers next Wednesday and to Beverly next Thursday.

WHS GIRLS TENNIS DEFEATS GLOUCESTER

The Winthrop High girls tennis team enjoyed a successful week, winning three matches.

The Lady Vikings earned a 4-1 victory over Northeastern Conference (NEC) rival Gloucester last Tuesday.

The Lady Vikings were led by newly-named captain Kendall Brant, who defeated her Lady Fisherman counterpart at first singles, 6-2, 6-0.

"Kendall has just been getting better and better every time she takes the court," said WHS head coach Mike Nickerson.

Winthrop's third singles player, Mira Ivanis, won in a pretty smooth match, 6-3, 6-3.

The first doubles tandem of captains Emma Forsyth and Maddie Rossi split their first two sets pretty evenly, but then dominated the third to win their match, 6-4, 6-7, 6-0.

At second doubles, the duo of Viona Bytyqi and Ava Beshere controlled the match from the outset and won handily, 6-3, 6-1.

This past Monday, Winthrop defeated NEC foe Salem, 5-0.

Winthrop received singles wins from Kendall Brant, Genesis Bueno, and Mira Ivani and got doubles sweeps from Emma Forsyth & Maddie Rossi at first doubles and Casey Peterson & Paola Ivanova at second doubles.

Winthrop also earned a victory over Mystic Valley on Tuesday.

"We played a match with the boys vs. Mystic Valley Charter School, which was my first time coaching a co-ed match," noted Nickerson. "Technically we won by a score of 5-0 because they did not have enough girls to field their own team. Kendall took home another singles win and Mira Ivanis teamed up to get a win in doubles."

Last Friday, the Lady Vikings put up a spirited battle in a 4-1 loss to perennial NEC power Marblehead in a contest that was much closer than the final score would indicate.

Brant scored a huge victory at first singles, battling back from a loss in the first set to topple her Lady Magician foe, 4-6, 6-0, 7-6.

"I can't tell you how proud I am of Kendall," said Nickerson. "In my years coaching here, we have never won at #1 against Marblehead. She lost the first set, but battled back to win the next two and played a very smart and determined match."

Mira Ivanis came within a few points of winning her match. Mira split the first two sets, but then narrowly fell in a tie-breaker for the third set.

"This was the closest match vs. Marblehead that Winthrop has had in my tenure as a coach here," noted Nickerson.

Nickerson and his crew are amidst a busy stretch. They were scheduled to take on Peabody yesterday (Wednesday) and will trek to Masconomet today (Thursday), to Watertown tomorrow (Friday), and to Gloucester on Monday.

They will return home to host Danvers next Wednesday and Beverly next Thursday.

"The girls are working hard and they are seeing the results on the court," said Nickerson, whose squad now stands at 7-3 on the season.

ANOTHER GOOD WEEK FOR WHS BOYS LACROSSE

The Winthrop High boys lacrosse team, which is competing as a club program in 2022 amidst a rebuilding season, stands at 9-1 in its contests against a mix of junior varsity and varsity opponents.

In a match with the Stoneham JV team this past Monday, the Vikings started slowly, but eventually found their rhythm.

"We started off sloppily on offense, losing the ground ball battle and not setting up into our

offense," said WHS head coach Brian Donnelly. "However, we recovered as the game went on with a couple of nice goals from junior Jack Hayes, Andrew Hurley, and freshman attack Colin Cifuni."

"Our defense continues to play well, with some excellent takeaways by all three of our defensemen, including eighth grader Dylan Hovermale," Donnelly said.

"We are gathering excellent experience for our new players and our veteran players continue to gain confidence in taking on leadership roles," Donnelly added.

Donnelly and his crew have a busy week ahead. They will travel to Swampscott today (Thursday), to Burlington on Monday, to Beverly on Tuesday, and to Essex Tech next Thursday.

Abbott, McCarey win in meet with Danvers

Although the Winthrop High girls outdoor track and field team came up short by a score of 93-42 in their meet last week with Northeastern Conference rival Danvers, a number of Lady Vikings turned in outstanding individual performances.

Shannon Abbott won the long jump with an airborne flight of 14'-11.5" and took second in the high jump with a leap of 4'-4" to score eight points on the day.

Nora McCarey captured the 100 meter hurdles with a clocking of 20.0 seconds and took third in the triple jump (29'-10.5") and the shot-put (20'-5.5").

Scoring three points for Winthrop with second-place performances were: Daniela Gomez in the shot-put with a toss of 22'-7.5"; Olivia Skomro in the javelin with a throw of 53'-9"; Rebecca Lindstedt in the 400 hurdles with a time of 1:22.0; Sophia Munson in the 100 dash with a sprint of 14.8; and Libby Carney in the mile with a time of 6:35.4.

Adding single points with third-place finishes were: Delia Parco in the discus (45'-5"); April Ferguson in the javelin (45'-5") and the 800 (2:59.1); Gomez in the 100 dash (15.0); and Carney in the 400 dash (1:18.9).

The Lady Vikings were scheduled to take on Saugus yesterday (Wednesday) and Beverly next Tuesday.

CAPPUCCIO CONTINUES STELLAR SPRING SEASON

Nicholas Cappuccio scored 17 points for the Winthrop High boys outdoor track and field team in their meet with Danvers last week.

Nicholas won the 100 dash with a sprint of 11.0 seconds and the 200 dash in a clocking of 23.5. He tied for first in the high jump with a leap of 5'-5" and took second in the long jump with a flight of 21'-8".

Also scoring three points for the Vikings was Peter Jurovich with a second-place effort in the shot-put with a throw of 35'-3".

The Winthrop boys were scheduled to meet Saugus today (Wednesday) and Beverly next Tuesday.

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Head Coach Dave Guffey and Asst. Coaches Tanya Kulas and Ron Vitale are shown with their seniors, Ava Martello, Summer Tallent, Juliana Guzman and Ana Portero.

During the final home game of the 2022 Softball season, the WHS Lady

Vikings softball team honored their seniors.



Ava Martello her mom Lisa, cousin Ava Alioto, and Mimi Russo.



Exchange Student Ana Portero (left) is shown with Mary Bonito.



Juliana Guzman is shown with her mom, Patty Guzman.



Summer Tallent is shown with her parents, Kathy and Mark.

NFPA offers safe grilling tips and recommendations to help reduce fires and injury

Staff Report

Often considered the unofficial kick-off to summer, Memorial Day weekend typically includes lots of celebrations and cook-outs, often with grilling as a focal point. As the holiday, and summer months, grow closer, the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) reminds everyone of basic safety tips to grill and celebrate safely.

Fire departments responded to an average of 10,600 home fires annually involving grills, hibachis, or barbecues according to NFPA's research from 2014-2018. This includes 4,900 structure fires and 5,700 outside or unclassified fires. These fires resulted in an annual average of 10 civilian deaths, 160 civilian injuries, and \$149 million in direct property damage.

The peak months for grilling fires are July (18 percent), June (15 percent), May (13 percent), and August (12 percent), though grill fires occur year-round. Leading causes of grill fires include failing to clean the grill, the heat source being lo-

cated too close to combustible materials, leaving equipment unattended, and leaks or breaks in the grill or fuel source.

"As grilling season approaches, it is important to review basic safety tips especially if the grill hasn't been used over the winter," said Lorraine Carli, vice president of Outreach and Advocacy at NFPA. "Establishing a firesafe location for using your grill is also crucial, to make sure it is a safe distance from your home and other items that can burn."

A yearly average of 19,700 patients per year went to emergency rooms because of injuries involving grills. Nearly half (9,500 or 48 percent) of the injuries were thermal burns, including both burns from fire and from contact with hot objects; 5,200 thermal burns per year were caused by such contact or other non-fire events.

Children under five accounted for an average of 2,000, or 39 percent, of the contact-type burns per year. These burns typically occurred when someone, often a child, bumped into, touched, or fell on

the grill, grill part, or hot coals.

NFPA offers these tips and recommendations for enjoying a fire-safe grilling season:

- For propane grills, check the gas tank for leaks before use in the months ahead. (Watch NFPA's video on how to check for leaks.)
- Keep your grill clean by removing grease or fat buildup from the grills and in trays below the grill.
- Place the grill well away from the home, deck railings, and out from under eaves and overhanging branches.
- Always make sure your gas grill lid is open before lighting it.
- Keep children and pets at least three feet away from the grilling area.
- If you use starter fluid when charcoal grilling, only use charcoal starter fluid. Never add charcoal fluid or any other flammable liquids to the fire. When you have or are finished grilling, let the coals cool completely before disposing in a metal container.
- Never leave your grill unattended when in use.

The National Fire Protection Association® (NFPA®) is a global self-funded nonprofit organization devoted to eliminating death, injury, property, and economic loss due to fire, electrical, and related hazards. The association began its work

to solve the fire problem in a young, industrialized nation in 1896 and has since become a global force known for advancing safety worldwide. NFPA delivers information and knowledge through more

than 325 consensus codes and standards, research, training, education, outreach, and advocacy, and by partnering with others who share an interest in furthering the NFPA mission. NFPA will for-

mally celebrate its 125th anniversary at its Conference & Expo in Boston on June 6-9, 2022. For more information or to view NFPA codes and standards for free, visit www.nfpa.org.

The Postal Food Drive is back and the date is May 14, 2022. Please leave your bag of nonperishable food out at your mail box and the wonderful letter carriers of this town will pick it up and bring it to the Food Pantry.

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SEAN STELLATO OF S. E. S. STELLATO ENHANCED SPORTS HOSTS ANNUAL DRAFT PARTY AT FERNCROFT COUNTRY CLUB

Sports agent Sean Stellato hosted the annual draft party night at the Ferncroft Country Club recently. A capacity crowd filled the main hall, with sports fans of all ages from around the area. Prior to the dinner and auction, a golf tournament was help

at the Ferncroft. Auctions for sports items were held, monies going to local charities, following that, prior to the national viewing of the first draft round for the NFL a delicious buffet was served to all in attendance.



The host, Sean Stellato makes his entrance.



Sean Theodos had a photo-op with the cheer leaders.



Members of the New England Professional Cheer Leaders Association were on hand.



"The Voice" of the WHS Vikings, Jim Lederman (right) with Craig Bosworth, Aidan Fallon, Tim Duggan and Tim Rogers.



With the New England Patriots Super Bowl Trophies, Tom, Paul and Bob Adams.



Mark Shikles and Dan Hoffenberg from Cataldo Ambulance Services were on hand to enjoy the festivities.



New England Patriot and Super Bowl Champion, Jonas Grey was on hand to sign autographs.



From Boston College Travis Levy.



From Brown University, QB EJ Perry.



Pro Sports Agent Sean Stellato with his parents, Pat and Gloria Stellato.



Aiden Fallon, a big Gronkowski fan, won the auction for an autographed game jersey from Gronk, shown with Sean Stellato.

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Winthrop Senior Center News

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Thursday May 12
9:30am: Exercise
11am: Grab and Go Lunch
12:15pm-2:30pm: Bingo

Friday, May 13
10:00am: Ceramics
10:00am: Line Dancing with Diane
11:00am: Grab and Go Lunch

Monday, May 16
9:00am: Blood Pressures
10:00am-11:30am: Office Hours with Rep. Turco's Legislative Aide
11:00am: Grab and Go Lunch
12:30pm: Art Class with Dawn

Tuesday, May 17
9:30am: Exercise
10:00am: Spanish Class
11:00am: Grab and Go Lunch

Wednesday, May 18
9:30am: Yoga with Kathleen
10:00am: Low Vision Support Group
11:00am: Grab and Go Lunch
11:00am: Zumba with Cindy
1:15pm-2:30pm: Italian Class

Subscribe to the Senior Center's monthly newsletter. Go to www.town.winthrop.ma.us/subscribe, enter your email address and select "Senior Center Newsletter" from the options.

Grab and Go Lunches are available for pick up Monday – Friday between 11am and 1pm. To

reserve a lunch, please stop by the front desk or call the Senior Center at 617-846-8538 by 11am the day before (for Monday lunch, reservations must be made by 11am on Friday). Menus are available on our website and in our monthly newsletter. Please note, lunches cannot be held overnight, they must be picked up on the day it was requested.

Meals on Wheels also continues to operate. To sign up, contact Mystic Valley Elder Services at 781-324-7705.

Senior Van. Van transportation is available on Wednesday and Thursday between 9am-3pm. Reservations must be made at least 2 weekdays in advance of your trip. Reservations are on a first come, first served basis. Medical rides will be prioritized. A list of destinations and pricing is available on our website and in our newsletter.

Public Computers are available for use Monday-Thursday from 10am-2pm and Fridays from 10am-12pm.

Blood Pressures: Nurses from the Medical Reserve Corps will be at the Senior Center offering blood pressure readings on the first and third Monday of each month from 11am to 12pm. No appointment needed.

Podiatry: Barbara Ullman, RN, a registered nurse, and pedicurist from Seen Your Feet will be

at the Senior Center on Thursday, June 2nd, 2022, from 9:30am to 1:30pm. Cost: \$20 (or \$25 to have toe and fingernails done). Cash only. Appointment required; to schedule, please call the Senior Center.

Senior Phone Buddy Program. Senior Center volunteers are available to make friendly phone calls to homebound seniors. If you, or someone you know would like to receive a call, please contact the Senior Center at 617-846-8538, or email COARception@town.winthrop.ma.us.

SHINE Counseling. Our SHINE Counselor, Charlie Randall, is available to help you with any health insurance questions you have. Charlie will be at the Senior Center on the second Wednesday of the month from 1-3pm. Appointments are required; to schedule, please stop by the Senior Center or call us at 617-846-8538.

Join us June 28 for a light lunch and entertainment. Unfortunately, Ruth Harcovitz had to cancel her Songs of WWII performance, but we are excited that Smokin' Joe Cheffro will now be here instead. Cost: \$10. Sign up at the Senior Center.

Coffee and Conversation. Join us on May 19 at 10:30am for an informal chat and some coffee and cookies too. Coffee and Conversation will take place on the third Thursday of each month.

Upcoming Trips
Sign-Up at the Senior Center. More information (including trip flyers) is available at the Senior Center and on our website.

May 19, 2022: Comedy Hypnosis Show Featuring Richard Barker. ****SIGN UP CLOSED**** Price: \$98. Makes checks payable to Friends of the WCOA. Meal: Cranberry Cornbread Stuffed Chicken (vegetarian meal option also available).

May 25, 2022 – May 26, 2022: A Victorian Age Getaway. ****SIGN UP CLOSED**** Travel via Amtrak's Downeaster to Maine and spend the night at the Nonantum Resort in Kennebunkport. Trip includes guided tours of Portland and Kennebunkport, Maine and also Portsmouth, NH, evening entertainment at the resort and a vineyard tour with winetasting. For full tour information, pick up a flyer at the Senior Center (flyers are also available at www.town.winthrop.ma.us/council-aging). All travelers going on the Victorian Age Getaway are required to complete a travel form. Forms are available on our website and at the Senior Center.

Saturday, June 25, 2022: Rhode Island Lighthouse Cruise. ****WAIT-**

LIST ONLY** Enjoy a buffet brunch at a local country club before a narrated sightseeing cruise through Narragansett Bay. Price: \$118. Make checks payable to All Around New England.

Wednesday, August 3, 2022: LAKE WHAT CRUISE???? Enjoy a narrated cruise of Lake Chargoggmanchaugga Goggvhaubunagungamaugg In Webster Mass on-board the Indian Princess, a modern-day replica of a Mississippi River Boat. After the cruise, enjoy lunch at the "Samuel Slater" restaurant before stopping at the Boston Honey Company on the way home.

Meal choices: Baked Fish, Broiled Steak Tips, or Chicken Piccata.

Price: \$110. Make checks payable to All Around New England.

August 23, 2022 – August 25, 2022: Spectacular Saratoga. Explore the very best of Saratoga Springs and Lake George on this amazing 3-day adventure. Enjoy Saratoga Raceway, see Lake George, enjoy some fun at Saratoga Casino, step back in time to our Revolutionary days, and experience WWII history up close and personal. All this and more awaits you on this fantastic journey!

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Optional travel insurance: \$52 per person.

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All trip participants must fill out a Best of Times travel form (available at the Senior Center)

Wednesday, October 5, 2022: Molly Stark Trail Vermont Foliage Spectacular. Enjoy the byways of Massachusetts as you head long the Mohawk Trail to Vermont. After enjoying lunch at the New England House Restaurant in Brattleboro, you will travel along Vermont's scenic Molly Stark Trail to view the beautiful sugar maples and picturesque stops along the way.

Meal choices: Orange Tarragon Salmon, Cider Chicken, or New England Pot Roast

Price: \$99 (make checks payable to Friends of WCOA)

Optional cancellation insurance: \$10 (make check payable to: Fox Tours). If you wish to select the insurance, you must also fill out the Fox Tours insurance form (available at the Senior Center).

*Fox tours requires all trip participants to have had the COVID-19 vaccine to travel with them.

MVES issues RFP for older adult programs

Staff Report

Mystic Valley Elder Services (MVES) has issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) to fund innovative programs that promote the health, well-being, and independence of older adults and to complement or supplement the support activities of primary caregivers.

Areas of focus include: family caregiver issues and services; special populations such as elders with special needs, isolated, marginalized, LGBT elders and those who are disadvantaged by racial, cultural and/or linguistic barriers; health promotion programs that focus on evidence-based programs for older adults; transportation; housing insecurity; social insecurity/isolation; health and wellness, including physical and behavioral health; and economic insecurity.

Funding is available by MVES through the Older American Act and is subject to availability of federal funding. The project begins October 1, 2022 and end on September 30,

2023.

MVES is requesting Letters of Intent from organizations wishing to apply for funding to support individuals age 60 and older in MVES' service area, which includes Chelsea, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, North Reading, Reading, Revere, Stoneham, Wakefield and Winthrop. The Letter of Intent, not to exceed two pages, should include:

- Purpose of the program
- Which of the AAA funding priorities the program will address
- The estimated amount of Title III funding the applicant will request
- Anticipated number of older adults the program expects to serve
- Cities and towns the program plans to serve

Letters of Intent should be sent electronically to ltreid@mv.es.org by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, June 10, 2022. They will be reviewed and prospective applicants will be notified no later than close of business on Wednesday, June

15, 2022 regarding their eligibility to complete the full application for Title III funding which will be due on Wednesday, July 6, 2022, at 4:00 p.m.

If you have questions please contact Lauren Reid, MVES Director of Community Programs, atlreid@mv.es.org or 781-388-2382.

Celebrating 45 Years of giving older adults their independence, Mystic Valley Elder Services is a non-profit agency located in Malden, Mass., that provides essential home- and community-based care and resources to older adults, adults living with disabilities, and caregivers who reside in Chelsea, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, North Reading, Reading, Revere, Stoneham, Wakefield and Winthrop, regardless of their income level. Agency services include coordination of home care, transportation, Meals on Wheels, and information and referrals. For more information, please call (781) 324-7705 or visit www.mv.es.org.

MVES to hold free workshop

Staff Report


Mystic Valley Elder Services will present a free workshop series—Dr. Paul Lam's Tai Chi For Health—on Fridays, June 3 -- July 22, 10:30 to 11:30 AM at the Stoneham Senior Center, 136 Elm Street, Stoneham.

Find pain relief, reduced stiffness, and a bet-

ter quality of life through tai chi. Tai chi is often described as "meditation in motion," harmonizing body and mind by practicing slow continuous movement accompanied by deep breathing. The class will cover the basic movements in Dr. Paul Lam's CDC approved program. There's growing

evidence that this mind-body practice has value in treating or preventing many health problems. Our practice is gentle, requiring a small range of motion.

Registration is free, but required. To register, please call today as class size is limited: 781-438-1157.



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Malden Catholic's Leading Beyond Gala raises over \$1 million

Special to the Transcript

Malden Catholic held its 16th Annual Gala on Thursday, April 28, 2022 in the Doherty Gymnasium and celebrated the school's 90th Anniversary along with honoring longtime benefactors, Dr. Daniel J. McCarthy '50 and Mrs. Margaret T. (Noonan) McCarthy GC '50, with the distinguished Plus Ultra Award. Over 360 parents, alumni, faculty, staff and friends attended the live event which raised over \$1,000,000 for Malden Catholic student scholarships.

According to John K. Thornburg, MC President, "This has been a momentous year for Malden Catholic - we are cel-

ebating our 90th anniversary and the first class of Girls Division students to graduate in May 2022 along with the Boys Division. Malden Catholic is leading beyond all expectations, by fostering nine generations of extraordinary young adults who continue to flourish from the education provided by this outstanding institution."

In the tradition of Malden Catholic's Annual Gala, the school celebrated a couple who personifies the pillars of character, leadership and success - Dr. Daniel J. McCarthy '50 and Mrs. Margaret T. (Noonan) McCarthy GC '50 as the Plus Ultra Honorees. Dr. McCarthy, Emeritus University Dis-

tinguished Professor and McKim-D'Amore Distinguished Professor of Global Management and Innovation, ranks as the #1 most published author (tied) in the Journal of World Business from 1993-2003, and has been ranked in the top 5 percent of all authors worldwide who published in the leading international business journals from 1996 to 2005, according to a Michigan State University study. He is also one of the top three scholars internationally in business and management in Russia and Central and Eastern Europe, based on a Journal of International Business Studies article analyzing publications in 13 leading journals from

1986-2003. Mrs. McCarthy GC '50 was a nurse and long-time realtor on the North Shore. Dr. and Mrs. McCarthy MC & GC 1950 have established scholarship funds for Malden Catholic Girls and Boys Divisions as well as a fund in memory of Margaret's cousin Margaret M. Dunphy 1961. They are also members of the Malden Catholic's Plus Ultra and the Saint Francis Xavier Societies.

"We are most grateful to Margaret and Dan McCarthy for their tremendous dedication and commitment to Malden Catholic," stated Thornburg. "The 2022 Leading Beyond Gala is the highest grossing Gala in our history and our entire community



Shown seated are honorees Dr. Daniel McCarthy and his wife Margaret. Standing are James Donovan, Chair of the Board and John K. Thornburg, MC President.

has been very generous in supporting our students!"

Malden Catholic Gala proceeds will benefit student scholarships and help ensure that qualified young men and women who want to attend MC are able to do so, regardless of family finances.

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 Suffolk Probate and Family Court
 24 New Chardon St.
 Boston, MA 02114
 (617)788-8300
 CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
 Docket No. SU22P0881EA
 Estate of: Constantinos Tsiotos
 Also known as: Constantine Tsiotos
 Date of Death 01/17/2019
 To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by John Tsiotos of Winthrop, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.
 The Petitioner requests that: John Tsiotos of Winthrop, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.
 IMPORTANT NOTICE
 You have the right to

obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 06/13/2022.
 This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.
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administration.
 WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
 Date: May 03, 2022
 Felix D. Arrayo
 Register of Probate
 5/12/22 W

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE
 By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Dawna Borozny to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Finance of America Reverse LLC, dated January 6, 2018 and recorded in the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in Book 59056, Page 238 of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, by assignment from: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for Finance of America Reverse LLC to Finance of America Reverse LLC, recorded on November 19, 2021, in Book No. 66699, at Page 263 for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 AM on June 13,

2022, on the mortgaged premises located at 76 Sunnyside Avenue, Winthrop, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, TO WIT: The Property is located in the county of SUFFOLK, state of Massachusetts, described as follows: THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS IN DEED BOOK 51753, AT PAGE 198, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: THE LAND WITH THE BUILDINGS LOCATED THEREON, SITUATED AT 76 SUNNYSIDE AVENUE, WINTHROP, SUFFOLK COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS, DESCRIBED AS A CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND BEING SHOWN AS A LOT CONTAINING THREE THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED SIXTY (3,160) SQUARE FEET OF LAND ON A PLAN BY WHITMAN & HOWARD, DATED MARCH 1923, RECORDED WITH SUFFOLK DEEDS, BOOK 4452, PAGE 546, BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: WESTERLY: BY SUNNYSIDE AVENUE, FORTY-SEVEN (47) FEET; NORTHERLY: BY LAND NOW OR LATE OF MARY AND ANNIE CORINHA,

SEVENTY-THREE AND 6/10 (73.6) FEET; EASTERLY: BY LAND NOW OR LATE OF MICHAEL CORINHA, THIRTY-NINE (39) FEET; SOUTHERLY: BY PARCEL SHOWN AS CONTAINING TWO THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED EIGHTY (2,880) SQUARE FEET, BEING LAND NOW OR LATE OF JOSEPH T. CORINHA, SEVENTY-THREE AND 9/10 (73.9) FEET. BEING THE SAME PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE DEED TO DAWNA BOROZNY, INDIVIDUALLY, FROM DIMITRY BOROZNY AND DAWNS BOROZNY, HUSBAND AND WIFE, RECORDED ON JULY 9, 2013, IN BOOK 51753, AT PAGE 198, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SUFFOLK COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS. For mortgagor's(s') title see deed recorded with Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in Book 51753, Page 198. These premises will be sold and conveyed subject to and with the benefit of all rights, rights of way, restrictions, easements, covenants, liens or claims in the nature of liens, improvements, public assessments, any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, tax liens, water and sewer liens and

any other municipal assessments or liens or existing encumbrances of record which are in force and are applicable, having priority over said mortgage, whether or not reference to such restrictions, easements, improvements, liens or encumbrances is made in the deed. TERMS OF SALE: A deposit of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance is to be paid by certified or bank check at Harmon Law Offices, P.C., 150 California St., Newton, Massachusetts 02458, or by mail to P.O. Box 610389, Newton Highlands, Massachusetts 02461-0389, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. Deed will be provided to purchaser for recording upon receipt in full of the purchase price. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication. Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. FINANCE OF AMERICA REVERSE LLC Present holder of said mortgage By its Attorneys, HARMON LAW OFFICES,

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 LEGAL NOTICE
 CARE AND PROTECTION, TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS, SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION, DOCKET NUMBER: 21CP0167SP THE TRIAL COURT OF MASSACHUSETTS JUVENILE COURT DEPARTMENT COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Hampden County Juvenile Court 80 State Street, Springfield, MA 01103. TO: Hiroko Jennifer Ascioti, mother and William Lambrose a/k/a William Lambros or the father of Rhea Rose Maria Lambros. Born on 05/05/2021 in Salem, MA to Hiroko Jennifer Ascioti: A petition has been presented to this court by DCF Van Wart Center, seeking as to the following child: Rhea Rose Maria Lambros, that said child be found in need of care and protection and committed to the

Department of Children and Families. The court may dispense the rights of the person(s) named herein to receive notice of or to consent to any legal proceeding affecting the adoption, custody, or guardianship of the child named herein, if it finds that the child is in need of care and protection and that the best interests of the child would be served by said disposition. You are hereby ORDERED to appear in this court, at the court address set forth above, on the following date and time: 05/18/2022 at 9:00 AM Other Hearing You may bring an attorney with you. If you have a right to an attorney and if the court determines that you are indigent, the court will appoint an attorney to represent you. If you fail to appear, the court may proceed on that date and any date thereafter with a trial on the merits of the petition and an adjudication of this matter. For further information call the Office of the Clerk-Magistrate at (413) 748-7714. WITNESS: Hon. David B. Paradis, FIRST JUSTICE, DATE ISSUED: 04/21/202

Paul R. Viets
 Clerk-Magistrate
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ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL – FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Photos by Marianne Salza

Children received God’s love in their hearts and minds when they celebrated their First Holy Communion on May 7 at St. Michael the Archangel Parish. In his homily, Father Chris O’Connor, Pastor, compared a lightbulb being illuminated by electricity when plugged into an outlet to Jesus wanting his light to shine into the world.

“In the gospel today, Jesus says He wants to remain in us, and us to remain in Him. Jesus is saying we’ve got to stay connected to Him,” explained Father Chris to families. “We receive His prayers and spirit from bread from heaven. We stay connected to Him by coming to church and receiving His body. By becoming part of Him, we can shine Christ’s light into the world and love our neighbors.”



Kierra Hincman and her mother, Danielle.



Catherine, Joseph, and Gabby Aufiero, 7-years-old.



Cara, Chris, Carmen, 7-years-old, and Charlie Bauer, 7-years-old .



Toni, Matt, Jake, and Molly Titemore.



Richard, Jessica, Rich, and Dennis Vivolo, 8-years-old.



Jill, Giovanni, Giuliana, and Alessandra Grimaldi, 7-years-old.



Gabriella Aufiero presenting a reading from the First Letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians



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Carmen Bauer proceeding down the aisle.



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Rich and Abigail Harkins, 8-years-old.



Charlie Bauer leading the church in the prayers of the faithful.