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THE GREAT PUMPKIN DROP



Shown above, Sisters, Sofie, Lili, and Adalyn Roberts about to toss pumpkins down Overlook Hill during the Great Pumpkin Drop at Fort Banks Playground on Nov. 6. Shown below, Jordan Deeb and his one-year-old daughter, Soraya, rolling pumpkins. See more photos on Page 4.



Research Station dedicated to Kermit Norris

By Marianne Salza

The Friends of Belle Isle Marsh dedicated an Education and Research Station in memory of founding member, Kermit Norris, a pioneer advocate for the conservation of Belle Isle Marsh. Following the November 6 ceremony, friends and family joined for refreshments and a walk through the meadow.

"I wish Kermit could be here because the research station would give him extraordinary pleasure," said Norris' wife, Debbi, who generously donated funds to build the shed. "Kermit's relationship with Belle Isle Marsh and its importance to the local environment were ever-present in his mind. This is a reason to celebrate."

Norris, an East Boston resident, served as the president of Friends of Belle Isle Marsh during its conception in 1985, during a time when

the land was abandoned and unhealthy. Belle Isle Marsh was surrounded by a dilapidated metal fence, and littered with beer cans and fast food wrappers. Plastic bags were stuck on the branches of trees.

Norris' friend and founding member, Gail Miller, described him as warm, knowledgeable, and passionate about preserving the environment. Norris was committed to protecting the "finned, furry, and feathered friends" that live in the park's habitat.

"Kermit relished giving tours," said Miller, who remembers first meeting Norris during his presentation of exotic birds living in Belle Isle Marsh. "You felt his passion for this sacred environment, which he hoped to inspire others with. Kermit believed this place had to be protected for current residents and generations to follow."



Norris' wife, Debbi (speaking), donated funds to build a research station in memory of her late husband, Kermit. See more photos on Page 6.

FACEOFF CIRCLE

Winthrop students enjoy watching their teacher Jillian Dempsey excel for the Boston Pride

By Cary Shuman



Jillian Dempsey.

Jillian Dempsey showed no signs of relinquishing her crown as the most electrifying player in the Premier Hockey Federation or her reigning champion Boston Pride team's hold on the Isobel Cup.

It was a fantastic opening weekend of the 2021-22 season for Dempsey, the former Harvard University star from Winthrop. The Boston Pride captain scored her milestone 50th career goal, assisted on linemate McKenna Brand's short-handed winning goal

in Sunday's 1-0 victory over the Whitecaps, and joined her teammates in unveiling the 2021 National Women's Hockey League championship banner. (The NWHL has changed its name to the Premier Hockey Federation).

But of all her glorious individual achievements as the Connor McDavid of women's hockey, the humble Harvardian seemed to enjoy the presence of her fifth-grade students in the crowd at the Warrior Rink the most. The Cummings School teacher extended a fist-bump through the glass

to acknowledge her students before the game, and there was the hero's reception that she experienced from them after the games as they waited patiently for her to emerge from the Pride locker room.

"I'm here to see Miss Dempsey," said Cummings School fifth grader Molly Titmore, who attended Sunday's game with her family. "She's a really cool teacher. I like her because she's a hockey player and she can manage two things at once. This is my first time seeing her play hockey, and she's awesome. I know she went to Harvard, too. I'm going to tell my classmates how much fun we had today."

Boston Pride Coach Paul Mara, who played 12 seasons in the National Hockey League and who like Winthrop's Mike Eruzione, has an Olympic gold med-

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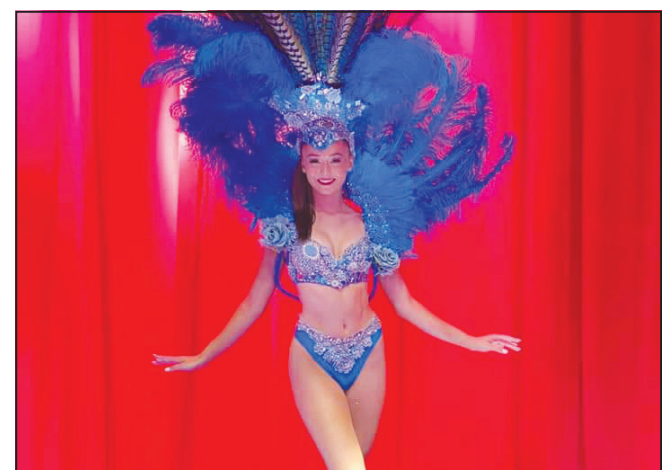
Boyajian to perform in Las Vegas

Shealagh Boyajian of Winthrop, a former student of Sheila Rosanio School of Dance and Gymnastics in Revere, MA., and a 2020 Graduate of "TAPS" Theater Arts Preparatory School in Las Vegas, Nevada has signed a contract to

perform in Bally's Extravaganza in Las Vegas.

She will be dancing, tumbling and performing lyra.

Her proud parents, Rich and Pauline Boyajian and Grandpa, Dennis McLaughlin traveled to Las Vegas to watch her perform.



Shealagh Boyajian in costume at Lin Bally's Extravaganza.

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NEWS Briefs

NO MAIL ON THURSDAY

There will be no regular mail delivery or retail services available on Thursday, November 11, as postal employees across the commonwealth celebrate Veterans Day, but our carriers will be delivering Priority Express and other guaranteed next day services.

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OUR Opinions

VETERANS DAY -- HONOR OUR VETERANS

It was 103 years ago on November 11, 1918, that World War I formally came to a conclusion on the “11th hour, of the 11th day, of the 11th month.”

Americans observed the first anniversary of the end of the war the following year when the holiday we now know as Veterans Day originated as Armistice Day in 1919.

The first world war was referred to at the time as “the war to end all wars.” It was thought that never again would mankind engage in the sort of madness that resulted in the near-total destruction of Western Civilization and the loss of millions of lives for reasons that never have been entirely clear to anybody either before, during, or since.

Needless to say, history has shown us that such thinking was idealistically foolhardy. Just 21 years later, Hitler invaded Poland on September 1, 1939, and the world again became enmeshed in a global conflagration that made the first world war seem like a mere practice run for the mass annihilation that took place from 1939-45.

Even after that epic second world war, America has been involved in countless bloody conflicts in the 76 years since General Douglas MacArthur accepted the Japanese surrender on the Battleship USS Missouri. and millions of our fellow Americans have fought and died in our nation’s numerous wars and military engagements since then.

“Peace is at hand” has been nothing but a meaningless slogan for most of the past 103 years.

Armistice Day officially became known as Veterans Day in 1954 so as to include those who served in WWII and the Korean War. All of our many veterans since then also have become part of the annual observance to express our nation’s appreciation to the men and women who bravely have answered the call of duty to ensure that the freedoms we enjoy as Americans have been preserved against the many challenges we have overcome.

Although Veterans Day, as with all of our other national holidays, unfortunately has become commercialized, we urge our readers to take a moment, even if just quietly by ourselves, to contemplate the debt we owe to the veterans of all of our wars and to be grateful to them for allowing us to live freely in the greatest nation on earth.

If nothing else, Veterans Day should remind us that freedom isn’t free and that maintaining our freedom since our nation’s founding has required the personal sacrifice of the millions of our fellow Americans who have placed their lives on the line to preserve our ideals and our way of life.

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GUEST OP-ED

The Experience to Change Things

By Anthony D'Ambrosio

The Covid-19 pandemic disrupted our community in virtually every way imaginable. It laid bare all our society’s vulnerabilities and inequities, as well as the ways in which our leaders are failing in their obligations to Massachusetts residents. The pandemic also accelerated our country’s shift to online learning, remote work, and virtual healthcare and legal services. Many of these changes are never going away, and we need leaders who thoroughly understand them. I am the right person to lead this district forward as we begin to not only recover from the pandemic but also rebuild for the 21st century.

At Yale and the University of Cambridge, I studied how periods of dramatic technological change altered America’s culture and economy. My classes often drew comparisons between the present day and the Gilded Age, with our technology CEOs acting as glorified robber barons. Those comparisons are accurate but also inadequate; the rise of big data and me-

ga-monopolies within the technology industry today poses a truly unprecedented threat to jobs, privacy, and economic development. We have never seen anything like this before.

In my private sector career, I have worked with some of the most innovative technology companies in the world. The integration of technology companies into our economy grows exponentially every day, which is why it is absolutely vital that we have representation that understands how these companies work and how their decisions impact our communities. I am the only person in this race with the experience to secure a real seat at the table with the CEOs, Boards of Directors, and key stakeholders of the organizations that are driving change within this state and country. I have sat across the table from technology executives before, and, if elected, I will do so again to fight for the interests of our residents. The power of workers will not be ignored.

I also have a deep background in education. I have served as an elected member of the Revere

School Committee, and I played a pivotal role in guiding the City through the COVID-19 pandemic. At the height of pandemic turmoil last spring, my colleagues and I posited a data-oriented approach for determining how and when to re-open schools.

During the pandemic, I made it my mission to work directly with students and school administrators on developing new strategies to overcome the many psychological and physical challenges that children face today. I have observed many of these challenges firsthand while teaching public school classes on disability and mental health issues related to social media and academic performance. That is why I joined my School Committee colleagues in implementing enhanced districtwide mental health services for students. It is clear that many of our children are suffering.

On the School Committee, I also spearheaded the creation of a citywide Equity Advisory Board that brings together parents, teachers, students, and other community stakeholders to develop creative solu-

tions to address educational inequities. In developing the Board, I drew on my previous experience as the leader of Dwight Hall, a 3,500-person non-profit organization. Dwight Hall’s mission is “to nurture and inspire students as leaders of social change and to advance justice and service.” Dwight Hall’s programs strive to form a more just society that meets the needs of the community in a fair and dignified way. I have sought to continue this mission through my work on the Revere School Committee.

My experience in education, technology, and finance, within both the private and public sectors, provides me the experience to ensure that our Commonwealth recovers fully and that our children are properly prepared for the jobs of the 21st century.

Please join me in this effort.

Anthony D'Ambrosio is a candidate for State Senate, who graduated with a B.A. from Yale University and with a Masters from the University of Cambridge.

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al (as an assistant coach of the 2018 U.S. women’s hockey team), appreciates Dempsey’s impactful presence and exceptional leadership.

“Jillian is a special person and a special player,” said Mara. “The way she dedicates herself to this game is second to none. And her work ethic, her intensity, her leadership – it’s awesome to be around.”

Boston Pride goaltender Katie Burt, who played three seasons for Anthony Martucci’s Winthrop High varsity team beginning in the sixth grade,

said of her teammate, “I love Dumps. She’s awesome. Jillian’s the hardest worker on the ice and the ultimate professional. She shows up every day ready to work hard and she’s the ultimate leader who brings us all together.”

As her students rushed to take photos with her after



Boston Pride captain Jillian Dempsey is pictured with some of her Cummings Elementary School students following Sunday’s game at Warrior Rink in Brighton.

the game, Dempsey, who is playing on an All-Beanpot line with McKenna Brand (Northeastern) and Sammy Davis (Boston University), talked about the opening weekend of the new season.

“It’s a great start to the season,” said Dempsey. “I’m proud of today’s effort and obviously it’s great to start the year 2-0.”

As for her career goal-scoring milestone, Dempsey said, “It’s exciting. I’m more focused on the wins and getting us to where we need to be. It’s a great testament to all the linemates and teammates I’ve had.”

Dempsey, whose parents and sister were at the games, said it was nice to see the large crowd back in the rink [after COVID-19 affected attendance last

season]. “To have the lively crowd in Boston, to be able to have my students in the crowd, and my family and friends – that’s what makes its worth it. Having my students here really makes me smile. They pound on the glass, and I try to go over and give them a little fist-bump, give them a wave and let them know that I see that they’re here and appreciate all their support.”

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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 930 – INGALLS NARROW GAUGE RAILWAY STATION



One of the subjects for which many readers request historical information are the Narrow Gauge Railway Stations that existed in Winthrop during its almost 70 year adventure with rail transportation. Commencing with a very brief period of a horse drawn trolley in the early 1870's it developed, by 1888, into a successful railroad of narrow gauge (3 foot wide) track that ran a loop through the Town before returning to its origin. This train connected to the run through East Boston that ended at the terminal for Ferry service to Boston. This line started with steam driven locomotives pulling a small number of passenger cars on a single track. In 1903, the line was double tracked to be able to provide train service in both directions thereby reducing travel time for its passengers. In 1928, the entire system was electrified but on January 27, 1940, its operation was regretfully discontinued for financial reasons.

As the "History Buffs" in town know, the nine stops along the Narrow Gauge Railroad line in Winthrop were at the (1) Pleasant Street, (2) Cherry Street (Battery), (3) Highland, (4) Ocean Spray, (5) Shirley Street (Playstead), (6)

Beach, (7) Thornton Park, (8) Center and (9) Ingalls Stations. As requested by our readers, we are randomly devoting an article to each of the nine stations along the Narrow Gauge railroad loop that served the commuters in Winthrop. This week's article addresses the Ingalls Station which was originally located on the western side of Walden Street across from Walden Place. The stairs down from Herman Street to Walden Place are one of the many footpaths still in town that were built so residents could take more direct routes when walking to the station nearest their home. The street was named after the early President of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad, Edwin Walden. The first picture shows the station as initially built in 1887/8 with a single track extending North to the bridge where the train passed beneath Main Street. Later, when the railroad loop through Winthrop was double tracked in 1903, the station was moved to the Eastern side of Walden Street at the South side of Walden Place as seen in picture two taken from where the tracks crossed Lincoln Street. Again, in the distance, one can see the bridge where the double tracked train passed under Main Street.



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 November 9, 2011

Peter Gill earned an impressive victory in the hotly-contested race for president of the Winthrop Town Council Tuesday, defeating incumbent Jeffrey Turco by a margin of 116 votes. Gill won in four of the town's six precincts and showed political strength across the town. Gill received 2,453 votes, while Turco received 2,337 votes.

In the other contests on the ballot, well-known businessman, volunteer, and veterans' activist Richard Honan was the top vote-getter in all Winthrop races Tuesday night, as he grabbed 3,546 votes in an uncontested race for one of two seats on the Winthrop Housing Authority. Joining Honan on the WHA will be Frank Ferrara, who got 2,909 votes for the other seat on the board. In the only other contested races besides Council President, MaryAlice Sharkey, Gary Skomro, and Melissa Polino beat out incumbent Mark Rotondo for the three available seats on the School Committee and James Matarazzo, Marie Ferri, and Alex Alexanian topped Richard Bergman for the three seats on the Board of Library Trustees. Precinct 2 Councilor James Letterie and Precinct 6 Councilor Linda Calla were re-elected to their positions in uncontested races. Craig Mael was elected to the position of Precinct 4 Councilor in an uncontested race. Mael succeeds outgoing Councilor Jeanne Maggio on the nine-member council. In all, approximately 4,828 voters cast ballots in the election.

Jack and Jill, The Descendants, and Happy Feet Two are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

20 years ago November 15, 2001

The debate on Beacon Hill over how to close the state's \$1.1 billion budget shortfall for the current fiscal year could lead to a reduction in local aid by more than \$100 million if Acting Gov. Jane Swift and the legislature cannot agree on a budget deal.

The students of Winthrop Middle School have raised over \$2100 for the victims of the 9/11 terrorist attacks. Winthrop High School will hold an open house for 7th and 8th graders to give them the chance to visit the school and see what it has to offer.

Monsters Inc., The One, and Serendipity are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

30 years ago November 13, 1991

The town will receive \$70,000 in federal funds for the cleanup costs for Hurricane Bob in August, but still is tabulating the much more costly damage from the No Name Storm two weeks ago.

Winthrop police officers Marotta and Perrin, responding to a report from a Beal St. resident that her neighbor's back door had just been kicked in, arrested the burglar as he was running out a side window with his pockets full of the homeowner's jewelry. Police warned that many such breaks have been preceded by phone calls to residents asking whether they need a home security system.

The School Committee will ask the Advisory Committee for a transfer from the Reserve Fund in order to hire more school crossing guards after parents warned of the dangerous situations at many intersections in the town.

Cape Fear is playing at the Revere Showcase Cin-

emas.

40 years ago November 18, 1981

The State DEQE is expected to give approval this week to the plan for twin, 68,000 gallon sewage holding tanks for the Seal Harbor condo development. The tanks will hold the sewage until off-peak hours when it then can be released into the town's sewerage system.

Joe Falbo has been elected the new President of the local Kiwanis Club.

Joseph V. Ferrino Jr., 26, has been elected by a joint meeting of the Winthrop Housing Authority (WHA) and Board of Selectman as a member of the WHA to fill the term left by 13-year veteran Robert Hodgkins, who recently passed away.

A Revere jeweler has been charged with possession of stolen property after pieces of jewelry taken from a River Rd. home were found in his store's display case. The owner of the jewelry was accompanied by Police Lieut. Angelo LaMonica and Det. Robert MacFarland when she confronted the jewelry store owner.

Tattoo, starring Bruce Dern and Maud Adams, and The Pursuit of D.B. Cooper, starring Robert Duvall and Treat Williams, are playing at the Sack Theatres at the Assembly Square Mall in Somerville.

50 years ago Nov. 17, 1971

The Winthrop schools have announced the creation of a drug education workshop for parents, teachers, and students.

The Winthrop Hebrew Ladies Auxiliary Sisterhood of Temple Tifereth Israel dedicated the Hebrew School Library to the memory of Mrs. Frances Rudginsky Sunday evening.

After a meeting attended by all of the clergy in town, it was decided to cancel the annual Interfaith Thanksgiving Service for this year because of dwindling attendance.

State Senator William McLean, who filed the legislation creating a state lottery, told the Chamber of Commerce at its weekly meeting that the Mass. Lottery will exceed the revenues of the New Jersey lottery, after which the Mass. Lottery is patterned.

Mia Farrow stars in See No Evil at the Revere Drive-In.

60 years ago Nov. 16, 1961

The selectmen took action to adjust personnel in the Police Department in the wake of the retirement of Police Chief William Pumphret, naming Sgt. John Van Dalinda, a 24-year veteran, to the rank of Acting Lieutenant.

Edward M. Kennedy, the brother of President John F. Kennedy and an Asst. District Attorney for Suffolk County, will be the guest speaker at the Rotary Club meeting in two weeks.

Charles Archdeacon of the Citizens Committee Opposed to Forced Evictions charged this week that residents and businesses of the Centre, Winthrop Beach, and Highlands areas will be evicted by land takings and widening of streets under plans being considered by the Winthrop Redevelopment Authority. Redevelopment Authority officials denied the charges.

Paul Newman and Joanne Woodward star in Paris Blues at the Revere Drive In. Rock Hudson and Gina Lollabrigida star in Come September at the Revere Theatre.

70 years ago Nov. 15, 1951

Planning Board Chairman Andrew Benson said that his board is urging the developer of the 31 homes on the 125,000 sq. ft. site of the former Taft Inn to reconfigure the homes, all of which will be 24 x 28 feet at the foundation, to provide for 16 feet of space between the homes. The developer's plans currently call for just eight feet of space between the homes.

Harold Young of Somerset Ave. has been installed as the President of the Winthrop Zionist District.

Michael Rennie and Patricia Neal star in the Day the Earth Stood Still at the Winthrop Theatre.

80 years ago Nov. 13, 1941

A gigantic parade and rally Monday night was held on the eve of the start of the most significant Red Cross Roll Call drive since the world war. The parade, the largest of its kind ever held here, featured 50 private automobiles, commercial trucks, a busload of 30 ladies representing the Red Cross Surgical, and a police escort with sirens blazing and flares illuminating.

Jesse Witham was installed as Commander of the George W. Russell Camp of Spanish-American War Veterans in colorful exercises held in the junior high auditorium.

Clark Gable and Lana Turner star in Honky Tonk at the Winthrop and State Theatres.

90 years ago Nov. 14, 1931

Proceeds from this week's Chelsea vs. Winthrop football game will benefit the town's unemployment funds. All residents are urged to attend the game to show their support for the town's unemployed.

This week's Red Cross Roll Call drive marks the 50th anniversary of this annual campaign.

100 years ago Nov. 12, 1921

After a long and interesting Town Meeting, it was voted to give the Winthrop Golf Club a 25-year lease at the Playstead at a rental of \$600 per year. The club in turn will make improvements and maintain the park at its own expense, which is estimated to cost \$50,000 over the term of the lease.

The annual Red Cross Roll Call gets underway this week. Membership is just \$1.00 to join the organization which is known as the Greatest Mother in the World. The Red Cross will use the funds locally to assist disabled veterans and to provide dental care to children in our schools, among other things.

110 years ago Nov. 18, 1911

The Rev. Seelye Bryant was inducted as the new pastor of the Union Congregational Church before a large crowd that included clergy from all over Greater Boston.

120 years ago Nov. 16, 1901

Winthrop voters were treated to what will go down as the most turbulent Town Meeting in town history, almost rivaling those of our sister town of Revere. The meeting became out-of-control when a voter asked the moderator why a certain article was not on the warrant. Mr. Craib, speaking for the Board of Selectmen, replied that the article had not been included by the selectmen because they had felt that the article was not in the best interests of the town.

ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL

Lydia Edwards endorsed by State Reps. Aaron Michlewitz, Adrian Madaro

Special to the Transcript

In the special election to State Senate, Lydia Edwards has been endorsed by House Chair of Ways & Means State Representative Aaron Michlewitz and State Representative Adrian Madaro. Primary Election Day is December 14, 2021. General Election Day is January 11, 2022.

Chairman Michlewitz said, “Lydia Edwards is an advocate who understands the power of good public policy. Just in her role as a City Councilor, she has crafted state legislation and built the coalitions around her work to secure real results for the people she serves. Lydia is an incredible public servant and I look forward to working with her in the State House.”

Chairman Michlewitz serves as the State Representative for the Third Suffolk district, representing parts of Downtown Boston including the North End, Chinatown, Bay Village, Back Bay, Beacon Hill, and the South End. The current district geographic boundary overlaps with those of the Massachusetts Senate’s 1st Suffolk and Middlesex district and 2nd Suffolk district. As a North End resident, he has been a constituent of Lydia Edwards since she was sworn in as a Boston City Councilor in January 2018.

In endorsing Lydia Edwards, Representative Madaro said: “I have worked side-by-side with Lydia Edwards for years now, and I have had a front-row seat to her strength,

tenacity and determination. She understands the unique challenges facing East Boston and nearby waterfront communities and she has consistently used her role on the City Council to be a voice for the people. I am excited to partner with her again in the State House. Lydia has my vote on December 14.”

Representative Madaro had considered a run for this Special Senate election, but in mid-September, opted not to run to spend time with family, including his infant son Matteo. Rep. Madaro serves as the State Representative for the First Suffolk district, representing Boston’s Ward 1 (East Boston). As a lifelong East Boston resident, he is also a City Council constituent and neighbor of Edwards.

Healey and Unite Local 26 endorse Lydia Edwards for State Senate

Special to the Transcript

Attorney General Maura Healey endorsed Lydia Edwards for Senate with a canvass kick-off at Lopresti Park in East Boston. The campaign was joined by Unite Local 26, which also formally endorsed Edwards today. Members and over 100 volunteers rallied their support and then hit the doors to ask voters across the district to cast their ballots for Lydia Edwards for Senate on December 14, 2021.

“Lydia always shows up for the people she serves, but most importantly, Lydia knows that good change comes from public policy rooted in humanity. It’s not enough to protect workers’ wages; she protects their dignity,” said Attorney General Healey. “No one will fight harder for this District than Lydia Edwards. This election matters and we’ll do everything we can to make sure she wins on December 14.”

“Attorney General Healey is a champion for working people and beyond, and I am so grateful for her support and excitement about this campaign,” said Edwards. “This energy is the perfect way to hit the ground for the final sprint to Election Day, and as I see the strong voices and leaders who have joined us today, I am overwhelmed by your faith in me. I am inspired everyday by the strength and character and grit of the people who live here and you are the reason why I am fired up to go to Beacon Hill as your next senator!”

Standing with Edwards and Attorney Gen-

eral Healey were dozens of members from UNITE HERE Local 26, representing workers in the hospitality industries of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. “For our members to recover from the pandemic, we need to elect Lydia Edwards to State Senate,” said UNITE HERE Local 26 President Carlos Aramayo. “We have six weeks to change the lives of generations in Massachusetts with the courage and commitment of Lydia Edwards. When we endorse, we put in the work and we will be getting out the vote – for our moms, our kids, and our future.”

Edwards was also joined by City Council colleagues Kenzie Bok and Ed Flynn, as well as State Representative Nika Elugardo. A number of organizations joined the rally and hit the streets in Winthrop, Revere, Boston and Cambridge, including: OPEIU Local 453; the North Atlantic States Regional Council of Carpenters; UFCW Local 1445; Iron Workers Local 7; Teamsters Local 25; IBEW Local 103; SEIU 509; Massachusetts Nurses Association; the Brazilian Workers Center; and the Chinese Progressive Association.

UNITE HERE Local 26 represents workers in the hospitality industries of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Its members work in Boston and Providence’s best hotels, restaurants, and university dining halls in addition to the Boston Convention Centers, Fenway Park and Logan International Airport. Local 26 members clean hotel rooms,

greet guests, and prepare and serve food for hundreds of thousands of travelers to Boston and the northeast.

Prior to entering the City Council, Councilor Edwards worked extensively in the legal field serving as a judicial law clerk with the Massachusetts Superior Court and the Massachusetts Appeals Court. Edwards worked as a public interest attorney with Greater Boston Legal Services focusing on labor issues such as fighting for access to unemployment insurance, back wages, fair treatment for domestic workers and combating human trafficking. She served as the statewide campaign coordinator for the Massachusetts Coalition for Domestic Workers, which advocated for the passage of the Domestic Workers Bill of Rights. In 2015, she was named Bostonian of the Year by the Boston Globe.

Lydia Edwards is a candidate for State Senate representing the First Suffolk and Middlesex District, following the departure of Senator Joseph A. Boncore. For a full and up-to-date list of endorsements, visit: LydiaEdwards.org/endorsements.

Councilor Lydia Edwards is a career advocate, activist, and voice on behalf of society’s most vulnerable. She is currently the Chair of the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Housing and Community Development in the Boston City Council. Learn more at LydiaEdwards.org/meet-lydia.

D’AMBROSIO HITS THE PAVEMENT AND KNOCKS ON DOORS IN TOWN



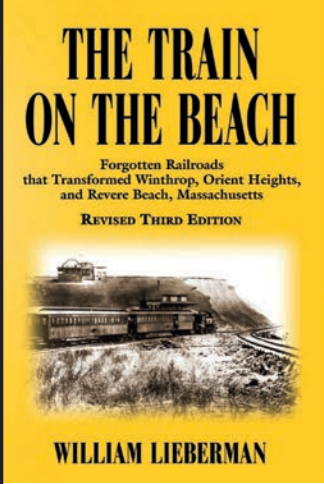
Candidate for State Senate Anthony D’Ambrosio hit the campaign trail last week in Winthrop, going door to door to meet the residents, ask for their support and build a better understanding the constituency he will be representing if he wins in the December special election.

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treated to what will go down as the most turbulent Town Meeting in town history, almost rivaling those of our sister town of Revere. The meeting became out-of-control when a voter asked the moderator why a certain article was not on the warrant. Mr. Craib, speaking for the Board of Selectmen, replied that the article had not been included by the selectmen because they had felt that the article was not in the best interests of the town. At that point, a dozen voters jumped from their seats asking to be heard, and even speaking without being recognized. One member asked what the unapproved article was. Craib read the article, which called for the appointment of a committee of five to investigate the town’s finances. Craib said the selectmen removed the article because it implied financial wrongdoing by town officials, at which point the town meeting erupted into a shouting match between those who felt that the selectmen had exceeded their authority and town officials who responded by saying the article was scurrilous. The moderator asked for a vote to

adjourn which was approved at 9:05 p.m. with none of the


work of the meeting having been accomplished.



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Family of Kermit Norris with members of the Friends of Belle Isle Marsh.



Sean Riley, Forest and Park Supervisor for the Department of Conservation and Recreation.



Debbi Norris, wife of Kermit Norris, in front of The Belle Isle Marsh Education and Research Station.

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National Anthem | Tina Marie Talvi

Greetings from the Commonwealth | Rep. Jeffrey Turco

Greetings from the Commonwealth | Senator Joseph Boncore

Town Council President | Philip Boncore

"America the Beautiful" | Tina Marie Talvi

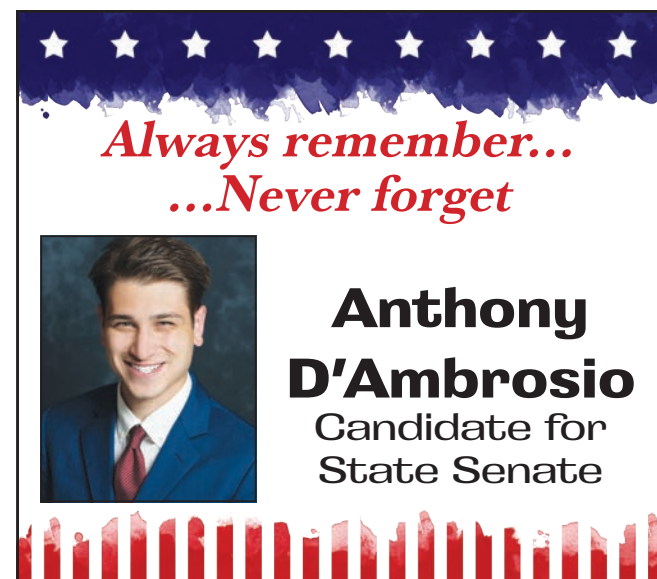
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Memorial | Susan Gerow

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MIAA STATE PLAYOFFS

Winthrop advances with 35-0 victory over South Hadley

By Cary Shuman

Taking control on both sides of the football in the first quarter, Winthrop High defeated South Hadley, 35-0, in a Division 6 state playoff game before a large crowd at Miller Field.

Welvis Acosta rushed for three touchdowns while Cam Martin excelled on offense and defense for the Vikings, who kept the visiting Tigers from western Massachusetts out of the end zone for all 48 minutes.

Meanwhile, the Vikings' outstanding 6-foot-4-inch lineman Pete Jurovich made the "play of the game" in the first quarter when South Hadley entertained thoughts of driving for the game-tying touchdown. Jurovich raced across the field to separate the South Hadley ballcarrier from the football and cause a fumble. Mikey Chaves scooped up the football in stride and returned it 17 yards to the South Hadley 8-yard line.

Martin scored on an 8-yard run and Anthony Indrisano rushed for the two-point conversion, and the lead was 14-0 with 5:21 left in the first quarter.

Martin had earlier contributed to the first touchdown with a reverse hand-off to Acosta, who scored from 11 yards out.

Winthrop made it 21-0 when quarterback Robert Noonan connected with Ian Harris on a 16-yard com-

pletion to set up the Vikings on the 1-yard line. Noonan did the touchdown honors and Juan Sanchez booted the PAT to give Winthrop a 21-0 lead.

Acosta's 9-yard TD run, set up by Martin's long-gainer, made it 27-0. Noonan then connected with Acosta for the two-point conversion.

Rising freshman running back Nick Cappuccio sprinted through the South Hadley defense to set the Vikings up in prime scoring position, just falling short of the goal line. Acosta scored his third TD on a 1-yard run to complete the 35-0 triumph.

Head coach Jon Cadigan, defensive coordinator James Fucillo, and the coaching staff put together a solid game to shut down South Hadley's offense which had scored 42 points in a win over Chicopee, one of the larger communities in western Massachusetts with a population of 55,000 residents.

"I thought we played well in all phases of the game," said Cadigan. "There were things special teams wise we wanted to do and that was kicking the ball off deep, and we got that done. We had a punt return for a touchdown, which was disappointing, but then we also had a blocked punt. Of-

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BROKEN UP: South Hadley's Brock Fitzell (9) got his hands up to knock away a pass intended for Winthrop's Cam Martin (8). See more photos on Page 8.



RECOVERY CENTER: A pair of 16s—Winthrop's Rob Noonan and South Hadley's Burkje Belsky—dive after a loose ball, as Belsky recovered his own fumble



PASSING FANCY: Winthrop quarterback Rob Noonan aims a throw downfield.



LOCKED ON: Winthrop's Juan Sanchez bears down on South Hadley runner Brock Fitzell.

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WHS SPORTS ROUNDUP

WHS BOYS SOCCER WINS TOURNAMENT OPENER

The Winthrop high boys soccer team advanced to the round of 16 in the Division 4 state soccer tournament with an 8-3 victory over Bishop Connolly this past Saturday in an opening round contest at Miller Field.

The Vikings sprinted to a 3-0 lead at the outset thanks to Gustav Hemmingsen, who lit up the Bishop Connolly net for all three goals within a six-minute stretch thanks to some great through-balls from his teammates that sent Gustav in alone on the Bishop keeper, whom he beat cleanly every time.

On one of the goals Hemmingsen deked a defender literally off his feet after taking the pass and cutting from right to left about 10

feet out, from where he then proceeded to deliver the ball past the keeper.

After the Hemmingsen onslaught, Bishop Connolly called a time-out to regroup and fought back with two goals. However, Aymane Cherki, assisted by Esteban Alvarez, responded for Winthrop to leave matters at 4-2 at the intermission.

The Vikings maintained their momentum to start the second half, with Jeronimo Jimenez making it 5-2 with an assist from Hemmingsen.

A few minutes later, Hemmingsen scored his fourth goal of the game off a pass from Juan Guaque. Bishop Connolly was able to score one more before Viking Carlos Dura restored the Vikings' four-goal margin with a penalty

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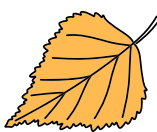
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Deputy Harbormaster James Nelson arrives for the celebration in his honor.



State Representative Jeffrey Turco presented a state citation to Winthrop Deputy Harbormaster James Nelson in recognition of his 50 years of continuous service to the Harbormaster Department.

Photos by Cary Shuman

Family, friends, and colleagues in the Town of Winthrop Harbormaster Department honored Deputy Harbormaster James “Tiger” Nelson for 50 years of service in his position where he has helped coordinate operations and promote safe boating in Winthrop Harbor.

Deputy Harbormaster John Floyd led a brief speaking program in which Mr. Nelson’s dedication in his work and outstanding



Deputy Harbormaster John Floyd did a superb job as the master of ceremonies at the celebration honoring his colleague, Deputy Harbormaster James Nelson.

service to the town were recognized.



Friends and colleagues in the Winthrop Harbormaster Department, from left, Winthrop Harbormaster Arthur Hickey, Mark Sorrentino, Dennis DeCarney, James Nelson, John Floyd, Chuck Evans and Chris Page.



Guest of honor James “Tiger” Nelson (seated), with front row, from left, Steve Gagin, Raj Bahduri, Rich Tewksbury, Joe Houghton, Larry Powers, and Mike Ross; back row, from left, are Ralph Ianuzzi, Rick Barry, and Charles Famolare.



Town Council President Philip Boncore presents a town citation to James Nelson honoring his 50 years of service in the Winthrop Harbormaster Department.



Interim Town Manager Terence Delehanty congratulates James Nelson on reaching the 50-year milestone in his service to the Town of Winthrop.



U.S. Coast Guard Boston Officer in Charge Michael Mattson presents a certificate of recognition to Winthrop Deputy Harbormaster James Nelson at a celebration in his honor at the Winthrop Arms.



James “Tiger” Nelson, with his wife, Kathy Nelson, at the party held in his honor at the Winthrop Arms.



Proud family, from left, Sandra Nelson, Kathy Nelson, James Nelson, and Traci Nelson.



Assistant Harbormaster Dennis DeCarney, Deputy Harbormaster James “Tiger” Nelson, and Deputy Harbormaster John Floyd.



James Nelson, with a friend of the family, Denise Despres.

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MVES celebrates National Family Caregivers Month during November

Staff Report

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"Through this program, hundreds of caregivers are

helped every year," says Kathy Learned, MVES Caregiver Support Coordinator. "When a new caregiver signs up for the program, a support coordinator sets up an appointment with them to go over an individualized action plan. We understand that every caregiver's situation is distinct from others which is why the plan is uniquely tailored to each caregiver's needs."

According to Learned, this plan comes at little or no cost to the caregiver. During the meeting, the coordinator will discuss the different kinds of services provided by MVES such as one-on-one assistance, peer support groups, family meetings, and community resources.

MVES' services range from support groups where a caregiver can form friendships with other caregivers to workshops focused on raising awareness to the issues a caregiver faces throughout their day. Many caregivers who have taken part in the program have befriended other caregivers who are in similar situations. The support group engages in thoughtful con-


versations about the difficulty of being a caregiver and the situations they can face. It also brings awareness to common diseases so that the caregiver doesn't feel alone in their journey.

"Some services may be needed at the home that the caregiver may not have which is why we have adaptive home equipment to support the family. From bed rails to a shower curtain, MVES strives to meet an individual's needs on an everyday basis," says Learned.


She continues: "We also understand that a caregiver may feel like their needs are delayed when taking care of others which can lead to a burnout. Therefore, we have services tailored to giving some relief to the caregiver. This assistance, if caregiver is eligible, provides supportive services such as adult day health, companions, and helping find private duty assistance. These services are just a phone call away."

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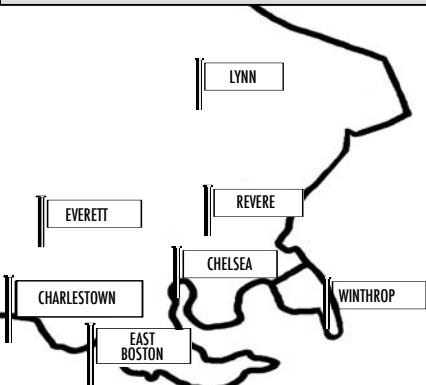


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Monday, November 15

10am-2pm: Computer Usage
10:30am: Tap Dancing with Tracy (at Methodist Church)
11am-12pm: Blood Pressures
11am: Grab and Go Lunch
12:30pm: Art Class with Dawn

Tuesday, November 16

9:30am: Exercise
10am-2pm: Computer Usage
10am: Bowling (at Win-

throp Elks)
11am: Grab and Go Lunch
1:30pm: Chorus

Wednesday, November 17

9:30am: Yoga with Kathleen
10am-2pm: Computer Usage
10am: Low Vision Support
11am: Grab and Go Lunch
1:15-2:45pm: Italian Class

All participants are required to have an updated Emergency Contact Form on file with the office before participating in any activities. Emergency Contact Forms are available at the front desk, and on our website.

We are unable to offer any snacks or drinks at this time. Participants should bring their own bottled water, coffee, or tea. Shared food is not allowed, please bring individual snacks only.

Grab and Go Lunches will be available for pick up Monday – Friday at 11am.

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.

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

Van Transportation is available Monday – Thursday between 9am and 3pm (return trips must be completed by 3pm). Reservations must be made at least 2 weekdays in advance of your trip. A full list of our destinations and pricing is available on our website, at the Senior Center and in our newsletter.

Senior Center Holiday Pie Giveaway. Please call 617-846-8538 to request an apple pie. Pies can be picked up on Monday, November 22 from 9:30am to 2:30pm. If you are unable to leave your home, let us know when you call. Limit one pie per household.

Medical Manicurist.

Barbara Ullman, RN, a registered nurse and manicurist from Seen Your Feet will be at the Senior Center to do nail clipping on Thursday, December 2nd from 9:30am to 2:30pm. Cost: \$20 (cash only). Appointment required. To schedule, please call the Senior Center.

Legal Aid Group Q&A. Attorney Amy Gelineau Ofrias, of Gelnieu Kline will be conducting group Q&A sessions on elder law issues at the Senior Center on Wednesday, December 1st from 1-2pm. Questions must be submitted in advance by emailing Attorney Ofrias at amy@gelineaukline.com; please put “Winthrop Senior Center” in the subject. Questions can also be dropped off at the Senior Center.

The Caregiver Support Group. Being a caregiver can be fulfilling, exhausting and everything in between. Gain comfort and support from others who are doing the same work. Open to all caregivers, this group meets on the second Wednesday and fourth Monday of each month. To join, please con-

tact Jessica Phelan, Caregiver Support Coordinator at 781-388-2319.

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.

Zumba with Cindy will be starting up on December 1st. The class will meet weekly on Wednesdays from 11am to 12pm. Cost: \$5 (pay at front desk).

Spanish with Pete. Tuesdays from 10-11am beginning December 7th. To register, please call the Senior Center.

CAPIC Fuel Assistance. Applications for the FY22 Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program are now available. Due to COVID, CAPIC’s office is closed to the public. Applications can be submitted online or over the phone/by mail. For more information, go to www.capicinc.org or call CAPIC at 617-884-6130.

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 COAReception@town.winthrop.ma.us.

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.

Upcoming Trips

Sign up at the Senior Center. Payment can be made in cash or check; please make checks payable to “Friends of WCOA”.

December 31, 2021 – An American Bandstand New Year’s Eve Day featuring the Tom LaMark Orchestra at the Danversport Yacht Club. Price: \$105 (includes transportation) or \$79 (drive on your own). Meal Choices: Stuffed Breast of Chicken or Baked Schrod.

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GREAT PUMPKIN DROP AT FORT BANKS PLAYGROUND



Nico Chrissis, two-years-old, tossing a pumpkin.

By Marianne Salza

Little ones rolled pumpkins – and themselves – downward and into bins below during the Great Pumpkin Drop, on November 6, at Overlook Hill, in the Fort Banks Playground. The zero-waste event, hosted by Winthrop Mothers Out Front, advocated for clean, renewable energy. Families created natural, hanging air fresheners using tangerines, cloves, and maple leaves. Natural bird feeders were also made

using rice cakes smeared with peanut butter or honey, and sprinkled with bird seeds. Later, the discarded Halloween pumpkins were collected by Black Earth Compost.

“We compost at home,” said nine-year-old Lili Roberts, who flung 10 pumpkins downhill with her sisters. “It’s when you take something that’s old, and put it somewhere. Worms eat it, and it makes dirt. It’s good for the earth because grass, trees, and plants can grow.”



Carina Campobasso with her nephew, Eli Swanson, first grade, holding his tangerine air freshener.



Gabi Calmon, Kate Tozzi, Kathryn Monahan, and Leila Riebero, of For Kids Only.



Families creating natural air fresheners out of tangerines, cloves, and maple leaves.



Brendan, Johanna, and five-month-old, Emma Cooney.



Abby Githinji and Hailey DeMarco.



Lilah, two-years-old, and her father, John Cross.

WINTHROP HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA SOCIETY PRESENTS THE SPONGEBOB MUSICAL

By Marianne Salza

The Winthrop High School Drama Society is

presenting The Spongebob Musical, adapted from the Nickelodeon series, November 13, at 2pm and

7pm; and November 14, at 2pm, at The Neil Shapiro Center for Performing Arts. A volcano is nearing eruption in Bikini Bottom, and tenacious friends, Spongebob, Patrick, and Sandy, must save their undersea home during a time of chaos.

“Spongebob has a lot of optimism; even when no one else does,” said senior, Dan Tracy, who plays Spongebob. “A positive outlook helps people in a tangible way.”

Although The Spongebob Musical is a vibrant and fun show, the play also touches upon overcoming discrimination and doubt. This is the first production in the Winthrop High School theater since March 2020.

“It’s been fun because we haven’t done a show in



Junior, Michael Callanan, as Patrick Star; senior, Dan Tracy, as Spongebob SquarePants; and junior, Cori Powell, as Sandy Cheeks.

so long because of the pandemic,” explained sophomore, Sarah Delehanty, who plays Squidward.

“This show is optimistic; and I think everyone needs that right now.” Purchase tickets online

at WinthropDramaSociety.com.



Dan Tracy, as Spongebob, and Cori Powell, as Sandy Cheeks, poised for karate.

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