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WINTHROP DEMS TO MEET JUNE 12

On Monday, June 12, at 6:30 PM, Democrats will convene in the Lyceum Room at the EB Newton School, 45 Pauline Street, to elect 10 delegates and 4 alternates to represent Winthrop at the 2023 State Democratic Convention. Any Winthrop registered and pre-registered Democrats may vote and be elected as a delegate or alternate during the caucus.

The 2023 Convention will be on Saturday, September 23 at the Tsongas Center in Lowell. At the Convention, Delegates will adopt a Party Agenda and/or Platform. Those interested in getting involved with the Winthrop Democratic Committee should contact Catherine DelVento at catherinedelvento@gmail.com.

JUNE EVENTS AT BREAKHEART RESERVATION

Breakheart Reservation is located at 177 Forest St. in Saugus. All programs are free and open to the public. Reasonable accommodations upon request. Adults must accompany children. For outdoor events wear closed toe shoes, consider insect repellent and sunscreen. Bring water.

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Demers, Vice President, and Haven Pereira, Class Secretary. See more photos in our special 2023 Graduation Section on Pages 9 - 15.

WIHA announces plans for the 109th Strawberry Festival

Special to the Transcript

The Winthrop Improvement & Historical Association (WIHA) is delighted to announce that the 109th Strawberry Festival will be held on Saturday, June 17th (raindate: June 18th). The festival's hours are from 2-6 pm in the Deane Winthrop Gardens, 40 Shirley Street. The ticket price is \$10.

The Strawberry Festival is a true Winthrop tradition dating back to 1912.

In addition to serving our signature Strawberry Shortcake, this year's festival will feature select Craft Beers from the Drop Zone Brewery and Strawberry Daiquiris.

Tours of the historic 375-year-old Deane Winthrop House will be available. There will be Strawberry Festival raffles, The Boston Scottish Fiddle Orchestra will provide live music, and there are fun activities available for the kids. It will be a great

day!

Tickets are available at Webster First Federal Credit Union, the Winthrop Public Library, Shirley True Value Hardware, Woodside Ace Hardware, the Winthrop Chamber of Commerce, The Winthrop Book Depot and Café, Simon's Winthrop Book Store, Salon Luxo, Swetts Liquors, The Meat Market, the E.B. Newton Clock Tower Gallery, and The Senior Center. For more information, please visit the official Winthrop Improvement & Historical Association Facebook page.

As always, special thanks go to our sponsors: Webster First Federal Credit Union for their loyalty and support; the Paul W. Marks Company for donating the wonderful strawberries and fresh cream; and the Winthrop Market Place for donating the delicious biscuits.

New trash regs in place in July

By Adam Swift

The town is getting out the word about new trash regulations that will go into effect at the beginning of July.

At Monday night's Town Council meeting, Town Manager Tony Marino said he has taped an informational video that will be played on WCAT about the changes. In addition, Marino said the town has sent out flyers to every household about the new trash regulations.

Residents will be able to put out one trash container and one recycling container per household, and will need to purchase special bags from locations throughout town to put out additional materials for collection.

"Even though it goes into effect on July 1, with the way the Fourth of July falls, people will get a little reprieve that first week with the holiday week," said Marino. "So starting that following Monday, July 7, is when the strict

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DCR announces upcoming summer events on North Shore

Special to the Journal

The Department of Conservation and Recreation has announced the following summer programs for the North Region Coastal District

Department of Conservation and Recreation from June to August.

All Programs are free and open to the public. An adult must accompany

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children. Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities available upon request. Please dress for the weather. Programs are cancelled during inclement weather, including high winds. For more information call (781) 656-1485 or email mat-

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MBTA bus stop changes coming July 2

By Adam Swift

Due to safety concerns, there will be a change to the MBTA bus stops in town effective July 2, with the bus stops on Herman Street moving to Walden Street.

Town Council President James Letterie said the decision to move the bus stop is Town Manager Tony Marino's call, but a move that he supports.

"We have seen, unfortunately, something that has happened on Herman Street, and I know, during the past couple of weeks driving to Town Hall almost every day, there is a situation where you have to back up," said Letterie.

Letterie noted that the width of Walden Street is about 11 feet wider than

there is a better turning radius at each end of the street.

"There will be a bus stop at the crosswalk on Walden Street where the basketball courts are," said Letterie. "There will be a bus stop at the corner of Lincoln and Pauline on the tennis court side."

Marino reviewed the new bus stop plan with the police chief and the head of public works, said Letterie.

"I think it is very hard to argue that it doesn't seem to be a safer route," said Letterie. "If we are all wrong, we change it back, but we don't know if we don't try. I just feel that the incidents we've had over the past year, and just the congestion in gen-

Herman Street, and that eral, warrants this type of there is a better turning change."

Precinct 5 Councilor Joseph Aiello said it was sensible to try the change, given the restrictions on Herman Street. However, he added that he agreed with some concerns raised that the Walden Street bus stop would be further from some residences than the one on Herman Street.

Aiello said he believed it was critical that the MBTA provide bus shelters on Walden Street, and urged the town to keep the pressure on the MBTA to provide the shelters for the town.

Council Vice President Stephen Ruggiero said he agreed that the changes were necessary because of the safety concerns.

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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, MAY 22

0903: An officer issued parking tickets to four vehicles on Forrest St. during street-sweeping day.

0906: An officer issued parking tickets to seven vehicles on Dolphin Avet. street-sweeping

1212: A towing company reported the trespass tow of two vehicles from the Belle Isle Boatyard.

1244: An stopped a motor vehicle at Shirley St. and Hawthorn Ave. for the civil moving infraction of failing to stop for a traffic control sign or signal. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1250: A person called the station to report that his motor vehicle had been struck by a hit-andrun operator on Revere St. The victim provided identifying information for the offending vehicle. The officer filed a report.

1303: A Cutler St. resident reported that his puppy had escaped from the house. The Animal Control Officer located the pup at Daw Playground and returned it to the owner.

1331: An officer issued a parking ticket to a motor vehicle parked in excess of the 15-minute limit section of Revere St.

1419: officer An stopped a motor vehicle on Kennedy Rd. for the civil moving infraction of failing to wear a seat belt. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1628: The State Police at Logan Airport reported that the airport's drone detection system detected a drone flying in the vicinity of 200-210 Somerset Ave. An officer passed along the serial number of the drone to the State Police.

2016: An officer in-

formed a work crew at a Dolphin Ave. residence of the curfew per the town's

TUESDAY, MAY 23

0907: Officers from Winthrop and Revere assisted a deer that appeared to be drowning off Deer Island.

0910: A Shirley St. resident reported that her motor vehicle had been vandalized while parked on the street overnight. The officer filed a report.

1020: An officer directed the operator of a moving van that was parked on the sidewalk on Pleasant St. and blocking pedestrians to move.

1628: An officer directed the owner of a motor vehicle that had been parked for six straight days in a two-hour parking spot on Woodside Ave. to move the vehicle.

1814: An officer issued a parking ticket for a fire lane violation to a motor vehicle on Woodside Ave.

1841: An officer directed a person using a Caterpillar excavator to do landscaping work at a residence at Court Rd. and Sargent St. to wrap it up for the day.

officer 2043: An stopped a motor vehicle at Winthrop and George Sts. for the civil moving infraction of a headlight violation. The officer also determined that the vehicle's registration had been revoked for insurance cancellation. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator and followed him back to his residence, where the vehicle was parked on private proper-

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

0901: A tow company reported the trespass tow of two motor vehicles from Governors Park.

0949: An officer spoke to both parties at a road rage incident on Pauline St. in which a female operator had expressed her displeasure with a turn taken by the school bus driver.

1002: The DPW was notified that a hole in the middle of Revere St. at

Kennedy Rd. had not been filled-in.

1016: An officer stopped a motor vehicle at Veterans Rd. and Locust St. for a civil moving infraction. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1022: officer An stopped a motor vehicle at Pauline and Fremont Sts. for a civil moving infraction. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator. 1128: An officer di-

rected the owner of a dog barking in the backyard at a Sea Foam Ave. residence to bring in the dog. 1138: An officer locat-

ed a loose dog on Upland

Rd. that has been a recurring problem. The officer spoke to the owner about the issue. 1232: An officer issued a citation to a motor vehi-

cle with an expired registration at the Public Land-1328: An officer stopped a motor vehicle at

Veterans Rd. and Shirley

St. for the civil moving infraction of a stop sign violation. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator. 1337: officer An stopped a motor vehicle at Tafts Ave. and Mugford St. for the civil moving in-

fraction of failing to stop

for a traffic control sign or signal. The officer issued a citation to the operator. 1344: An officer stopped a motor vehicle at Tafts and Maryland Aves. for the civil moving infraction of failing to stop for a traffic control sign or

signal. The officer issued a

citation to the operator.

1433: An officer directed the owner of a parked motor vehicle partially blocking the street at Hutchinson St. and Crest Ave. to move the vehicle.

1438: An officer stopped a motor vehicle at Beacon Circle and Shore Drive for the civil moving infraction of a stop sign violation. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1446: An officer responded to a two-car motor vehicle accident on Crest Ave. and filed a re-

1645: officer An stopped a motor vehicle on Revere St. for a civil moving infraction. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1702: A person called the station to report that an MBTA bus struck a parked motor vehicle in the 400 block of Shirley St. The officer located the bus and assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

THURSDAY, MAY 25

1121: An officer stopped a motor vehicle on Shirley St. for a civil moving infraction. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator. 1133: A person called

the station to report that her senior citizen father was being scammed via telephone by a person claiming to be from the Geek Squad and seeking \$29,500. The daughter froze his bank account and nothing was taken. 1523: A resident came

into the station to report that his identity had been used to file a false unemployment claim. The officer filed a report. 1655: A person called the station to report that

she had struck a parked

vehicle on Lowell Rd.

One of the vehicles was towed and the officer filed a report. 1757: An officer stopped a motor vehicle on Revere St. for the civil moving infraction of a red light violation. The officer

the operator. 2007: officer An stopped a motor vehicle on Main St. for the civil moving infractions of a stop sign violation and making an illegal turn. The officer gave a verbal warning to

gave a verbal warning to

FRIDAY, MAY 26

the operator.

0206: An officer issued parking tickets to eight vehicles on Almont St.

0845: The DPW was notified of a dead skunk in the middle of the road in the 800 block of Shirley 0907: An officer or-

dered tows for two boat trailers and a box truck with expired registrations from the Public Landing. 0941: An officer stopped

a motor vehicle on Pauline St. for the civil moving infraction of speeding. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

officer 0952: An stopped a motor vehicle at Walden and Pauline Sts. for the civil moving infraction of speeding. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1010: An officer or-

dered the tow of a motor vehicle on Lowell Rd. The officer filed a report. 1050: An officer or-

dered a tow for a motor

vehicle with a registration revoked for insurance cancellation and that was parked in the fire lane on Woodside Ave. The officer issued a citation to the owner for the criminal offense of operating an uninsured motor vehicle and for the civil infraction of operating an unregistered motor vehicle. He also issued a parking ticket for the fire lane violation.

1345: A resident came into the station to report that she had been the victim of identity theft. The officer filed a report.

1448: An officer issued parking tickets to two vehicles on Locust St.

SATURDAY, MAY 27

0515: An officer on directed patrol came across a group of Winthrop High seniors who were enjoying the sunrise on Winthrop Beach after their sleepover in the WHS gym. All were orderly and respectful.

0815: A Summit Ave. resident reported that her parked motor vehicle had been struck by a hit-andrun operator overnight. A neighbor saw the accident and provided the information for the offending vehicle. The officer filed a report.

1142: officer An stopped a motor vehicle at Main and Beal Sts. for the civil moving infraction of a red light violation. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1222: officer An stopped a motor vehicle at Winthrop St. and Ocean View Way for the civil moving infraction of an equipment violation. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1450: An officer gave a verbal warning to a motor vehicle owner with an insurance issue. The officer directed the owner not to operate the vehicle until the insurance issue is re-1544: An officer direct-

ed the owner of a parked motor vehicle that was making it difficult for other vehicles to make the turn at Tileston Rd. and Pleasant St. to move his vehicle.

1811: An officer issued two parking tickets to vehicles at Walden and Lincoln Sts.

2129: An officer directed persons playing music loudly at a Winthrop St. residence to turn it down for the night.

2251: An officer stopped a motor vehicle on Walden St. for a civil moving infraction. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2316: An officer dispersed a noisy group of youths from a residence on Crescent St.

SUNDAY, MAY 28 0130: An officer issued

a parking ticket to a ve-

hicle without a resident

parking sticker on Forrest 0211: An officer responded to a report of a motor vehicle striking a utility pole and leaving the

scene. There was no damage to the pole and the officer was unable to locate the vehicle. 1214: An assisted the parties with the exchange of papers in a parking lot on Crest Ave. in which

one of the parties opened a door into the other vehicle 1308: An officer issued a parking ticket to a vehicle at Ocean Ave. and Shore Drive for parking

too closely to the corner. 1318: An officer issued a parking ticket to a vehicle at Sturgis St. and Shore Drive for parking too closely to the corner.

1608: An officer stopped a motor vehicle at Beach Rd. and Shirley St. for the civil moving infraction of a stop sign violation. The officer gave a verbal warning to the op-

1831: Officers responded to a report of a grey and white Husky once again running loose in the area of Upland Rd. The dog was located in a backyard on Quincy Ave.

1920: Winthrop officers provided mutual aid to Revere and State Police for a report of gun shots being

fired on Revere Beach. 2213: An officer directed a group of party-goers at a Shirley St. residence

to turn down their music. 2213: An officer dispersed a loud group of persons from the area of a residence on Hermon St.

2248: Officers dispersed a large group of youths from Yirrell Beach.

2318: An officer dispersed a group of loud persons from Ft. Heath

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shaped by its stone and by the many people who have called it home. Join our park interpreter to uncover this history through the stone artifacts they left behind. This is a 2.5 mile moderate hike along rocky trails, with several stops. Best for adults and older children with a keen interest in history. Meet outside the Visitor Center. Rain cancels.

Sunday June 25th 10-11:30am

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highlight natural and his-

Breakheart unique. Hikes time and nature walk! will be moderately paced Complete a small craft and range from 2-3 miles and explore the woods! over sometimes uneven Walks are gently paced and rocky terrain. Best for ages 8 years and up. Meet though not accessible for at the Visitor Center. Heavy rain cancels. Thursday's June 8, years old. Meet at the Vis-

12, 25 10am-11am Breakheart Birding

Help our park interpret-

er identify and count the many different birds that visit Breakheart! Take part in this world-wide project to document the distribution, abundance, and movements of thousands of species of birds. Binoculars encouraged but not necessary. First time birders welcome! Best for adults and older children. Meet outside the Visitor center. Rain cancels.

Friday's June 9, 23, 30

Saturday's June 10 and 24th 10am-11:30am Family Fishing Join our park interpreter for a drop-in fishing program! Learn how to fish, what fish live in our ponds,

and how to catch and release responsibly. Bait and a handful of rods will be provided but feel free to bring your own gear and fish with us and share your tips! No license required if fishing in this program. Appropriate for families with children 5 years and older. Meet at the left side of Pearce Lake Beach.

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Winthrop school administrators association signs one-year contract

By Adam Swift

The School Committee approved a one-year contract for the Winthrop Administrators Association on Monday.

The contract, which in-

cludes a two percent raise and an additional sick day, is retroactive to the beginning of the school year. The district will now begin negotiations for either a new two- or three-year bargaining agreement for

the association, which includes assistant principals, the athletic director, special education evaluation team chairs, and the grants and after school coordina-

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Andrea Gayle-Bennett appointed as the First Deputy Secretary of the **Executive Office of Veterans' Services**

Special to the Journal

Secretary Jon Santiago today announced the appointment of Dr. Andrea Gayle-Bennett as first-ever Deputy Secretary of the Executive Office of Veterans' Services (EOVS). Dr. Gayle-Bennett, a retired Brigadier General in the Massachusetts National Guard and a distinguished healthcare professional, brings a wealth of experience and expertise to this vital role. The Deputy Secretary will serve as a strategic partner to Secretary Santiago and lead important initiatives related to EOVS services and programming.

"We are delighted to welcome Dr. Andrea Gayle-Bennett to the Healey-Driscoll Administration as Deputy Secretary of the Executive Office of Veterans' Services," said Governor Maura Healey. "Dr. Gayle-Bennett's distinguished career in medicine and military service make her uniquely qualified to take on this important role and support Secretary Santiago and our entire administration in our efforts to advance the health and well-being of Massachusetts' veterans."

exceptional qualifications and remarkable dedication to both health care and military service make her the ideal candidate for the position of Deputy Secretary," said Secretary Jon Santiago. "I have full confidence that she will enhance our efforts in serving the Massachusetts veteran community through her leadership and passion for supporting veterans."

"Sheryl Sandberg, the author of 'Lean In: Women, Work, and the Will to Lead,' wisely remarked, 'If you're offered a seat on a rocket ship...get on.' Drawing inspiration from these words, I am embracing this opportunity with immense gratitude," said Gayle-Bennett. Andrea "I am thrilled to have the chance to make a positive contribution on behalf of veterans in the Commonwealth and to collaborate with this esteemed team as part of the Healey-Driscoll administration."

Dr. Gayle-Bennett holds a Doctor of Medical Science (DMSc) degree from the University of Lynchburg, a Master of Education degree from Lesley College, and a Bachelor of Science in allied health from Sophie Davies School of Medicine. She has a distinguished career



Dr. Andrea Gayle-Bennett

spanning over three decades, including 37 years as a Physician Assistant at Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates in Boston, where she demonstrated exceptional skills delivering comprehensive medical care.

Joining the Massachusetts National Guard in 1983, Dr. Gayle-Bennett rose through the ranks and held positions such as State Surgeon, Deputy Commander, and Chief Physician Assistant. In 2019, she earned the Brigadier General (MA) rank due to her dedication and leadership.

In 2022, the Massachusetts Legislature passed significant legislation reforming veterans' governance, structure, and care at the two Massachusetts Veterans' Homes in Holyoke and Chelsea. As part of these reforms, the Executive Office of Veterans' Services was created, with the Deputy Secretary being appointed by the Sec-

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rules will go into place."

Gayle-Bennett's

Although the new restrictions go into place in July, Marino said he expects there to be continuing education efforts for residents in July and August.

"We expect people will be upset and there will be some pushback," said Marino. "But in July and August, we'll have time to educate people in the process. The flyer has been mailed out to everybody,

and there will be more on the town manager blog and social media."

In other news, nomination papers are available

for the fall town election. Nomination papers for the Nov. 7 election are available in the Town Clerk's office, and must be returned no later than

Thursday, Sept. 19. Positions up for election this year include the two-year term for Town Council President, one

four-year term for Councilor-at-Large, and fouryear terms for council in precincts 2, 4, and 6.

There are also three four-year terms for School Committee, two four-year terms for Housing Authority, and three four-year terms for Library Trustee

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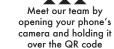
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OUR Opinions

JUNE IS A MONTH OF **FREEDOM**

June marks the first month of the summer season, the period on the calendar when we take vacations from school and work to travel and enjoy the company of our friends and family members. It's our personal time, that sweet spot each year when we break free from the humdrum of our daily schedules and we have the freedom to do whatever we want,

But June also uniquely celebrates a number of events that brought true freedom to Americans who had been unable to experience the promise of America -- "all men are created equal" -- that we take for granted today.

June 12 is known as Loving Day. It was on that day in 1967 that the U.S. Supreme Court struck down a Virginia law that forbade interracial marriage and made it a criminal offense to do so. The Lovings, an interracial couple, were convicted under that Virginia law and, to avoid jail, they agreed to leave the state. Similar laws existed throughout all of the Southern states until the Supreme Court's ruling.

June is observed as Pride Month by the LGBTQIA+ community to mark the date of June 28, 1969, when gays prtoested the arrests at the Stonewall Inn (a gay bar in New York City's Greenwich Village) at a time when police routinely made arrests of gay men on phony mor-

The riots, that lasted for a number of days, are widely-recognized as the beginning of the modern gay rights movement that culminated more than 50 years later with the Supreme Court decision of Obergefell v. Hodges in 2015 that struck down state laws forbidding same-sex

Juneteenth, which is now a national holiday, marks the day when the Union army entered the city of Galveston, Texas on June 19, 1865, and freed the slaves in Texas -- the last state to be occupied by Union forces and where slavery still existed -- pursuant to President Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation, which had gone into effect more than two years earlier on January 1,

Finally, June 14 is Flag Day, marking the adoption of the flag of the United States on June 14, 1777, by resolution of the Second Continental Congress. In 1916, President Woodrow Wilson issued a proclamation that officially established June 14 as Flag Day and on August 3, 1949, National Flag Day was established by an

Although it undeniably is true that America has fallen far short of the ideal that "all men are created equal," it also is undeniably true that the flag of the United States has been the world's greatest symbol of freedom since our nation's founding.

Nations, like people, are far from perfect. But hopefully, the many holidays of freedom we observe in June attest to the truth of the words of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., "The arc of the moral universe is long, but it bends toward justice," that ultimately will fulfill the promise of America.

HAPPY NOT TO BE A **BOSTON SPORTS FAN**

When we were younger, we lived and died by our Boston sports teams. Yes, the late Bill Russell and the Celtics provided more than a decade of joy and, for a short time, so too did Bobby Orr and the Bruins. But overall, being a Boston sports fan meant that there was more agony of defeat than thrill of victory.

Those big, bad Bruins are remembered as much for their 1971 loss to the hated and heavily-underdog Canadiens in Game Seven in the Garden as they are for Bobby Orr's joyous Superman flight after his goal that won the Stanley Cup in 1970.

The Impossible Dream Red Sox of 1967 raised our spirits, only to break our hearts with a Game 7 World Series loss (yes, we were in Fenway), which was repeated in 1975 (we were in Fenway for that one too), and again in 1986.

As for the Patriots, we suffered through more than 40 years of frustration -- at the old Braves Field, Fenway Park, Harvard Stadium, and then Schaefer Stadium -until Tom Brady came along and began a magnificent and magical run of almost 20 years of excellence. And yes, the Sox finally did come through for us in 2004, "07, 13, and 18, literally bringing tears to our eyes.

But despite those successes in the 21st century, all of those earlier years of heartbreak and defeat during our youth created their own form of post-traumatic stress (and for the record, the last Pats' game we've watched in its entirety was the 2008 Super Bowl game).

For those of us who have followed Boston sports for six decades, the early exit from the playoffs of the "bestteam-ever" Bruins and the Celts' collapse last week in Game 7 were all-too-predictable. As for the Red Sox and the Pats, it is clear that they are destined to be consigned to the realm of mediocrity for the foreseeable future.

So we're happy that we're no longer followers of Boston's sports teams. To those who are, we can offer only this advice, "Be prepared for a lifetime of hurt."

Forum

LETTER to the Editor



Video contest winner, Chelsea Long (center) with Dawn Mahoney, WAA President (I) and Joanne Schisler, Artist member (R).

20 seconds with the theme, Winthrop My Town. The Video Contest was created by Artist member, Joanne Schisler who contacted the Winthrop Public Schools for participation. Brian Donnelly, High School Video Production Teacher supported this contest with a class project. The Art Association was thrilled to receive over 30 entries from Winthrop High School students. All entries were judged by Mike Cabral, Executive Director of Winthrop Cable Access Television (WCAT). The Winthrop Art Association was pleased to announce that Winthrop High School freshmen, Chelsea Long, was the grand prize winner. Second place went to Joshua Taylor and third place awardee was Owen Nargi. We look forward to continuing the Video Contest in the future.

We look forward to future contests to encourage young artists to create their works and have an opportunity to present these creations to the public. With recognition and support art thrives for young and old alike.

The Art Association also has a full schedule of events for the upcoming summer season. Saturday Art in the Park will be held on June 17, July 15, August 19 and September 9 at Crest Avenue Park in Winthrop. There will be

tables for member artists and live music for this welcome summer event. We greatly appreciate all the support from the community and the Winthrop Cultural Council through the MA Cultural Council for making these events possible.

We welcome new members to the Winthrop Art Association. For information about these events and WAA, please email dawn6249@aol.com or by phone at 617.846.2644.

Dawn Mahoney, President **Winthrop Art Association**

NOT SEEKING RE-ELECTION

Dear Editor,

To the people of Precinct Six, the Town of Winthrop, and my Colleagues on the Winthrop Town Council,

After much contemplation and reflection, I have reached the conclusion that I will not be running for re-election at the end of this term. It has been an incredible honor to serve as the Precinct Six Councilor and I am grateful for the trust and support that the community and my colleagues have placed in me. During my tenure, I have had the opportunity to work with amazing individuals and contribute to the growth and progress of our Town.

However, as with any journey, there comes a time when one must evaluate their aspirations, priorities, and personal circumstances. It is with a heavy heart that I have come to the realization that it is time for me to step back from elected office and explore new avenues of service and personal, professional, and academic growth.

Please know that this decision was not made lightly, and I have given it considerable thought. My commitment to public service remains steadfast and I will remain an engaged member of our community and continue to contribute to its growth and wellbeing in other ways.

However, at this time, I believe that it is in the best interest of both myself and the community to pass the proverbial torch to another leader in our Precinct who can continue to build upon all that this Council has accomplished, and will accomplish throughout the remainder of 2023. As my term comes to a close, I am committed to ensuring a smooth transition for my successor. I will be available to offer any assistance or guidance required during this period. It is my hope that by declaring my intentions at this time, other dedicated members of our community may begin to have discussions with their friends and families before we enter the official start of summer and emerge as viable candi-

dates for this seat. In closing, while there will be plenty of time for expressions of gratitude and appreciation at a later date, I would be remiss if I did not thank my Mom, Martha, my Dad, Stephen Sr., my grandfather, Frank, and my grandmother, Violente, for their unwavering

> Sincerely, **Stephen Ruggiero Town Council Vice President - Precinct 6**

love and support.

GUEST OP-ED

"Blue Carbon and Belle Isle Marsh"

By Ana Tavares and Julie Conroy

Climate change is currently the most pressing environmental crisis of our time. However, there is a largely overlooked solution to this problem; carbon sequestration (storage) that is provided by wetlands.

Carbon sequestration is the process of capturing carbon dioxide from the atmosphere, measured as a rate of carbon uptake per year. Carbon storage is the long-term confinement of carbon in plant materials and sediment, measured as a total weight of carbon stored.

Fresh and saltwater wetlands hold a disproportionate amount of the earth's total carbon emissions within their soil; approximately 20 to 30% of the estimated 1,500 petagrams of global soil carbon (one "pg" is equal to one billion tons), despite

occupying only 5% to 8% of the Earth's land surfaces. Wetlands in the conterminous United States store a total of 11.52pg.

Salt marshes are coastal ecosystems that are flooded and drained by salt water brought in by the tides and are dominated by salt-tolerant plants. Belle Isle Marsh is one of the last remaining salt marshes within Boston Harbor. It provides a myriad of benefits including reducing the impact of storms to developed areas, filtering pollutants from water and air, supporting healthy fisheries, providing habitat for over 271 species of birds, improving public health and well-being, and mitigating climate change impacts by storing significant amounts of carbon emissions. Salt marshes also play a critical role in protecting development investments and the regional economies. According to a study conducted by the University of California, San Diego in 2020, salt marshes provide storm protection services averaging \$36 million per km2 over a 30-

year period. Salt marshes have been found to be one of the most effective carbon sinks on the planet, able to sequester carbon up to 10 times faster than tropical rainforests. This carbon storage is known as "blue carbon." Globally, it is estimated that coastal ecosystems—salt marshes, mangroves, and seagrass meadows-are responsible for sequestering up to 1.4 billion tons of carbon per year. This is equivalent to the annual emissions of 553 million cars. Salt marshes can sequester about 1,940 pounds of carbon per acre per year. Belle Isle Marsh, therefore, sequesters approximately 350 tons of carbon per year, or the equivalent of emissions from 319,000 miles of air travel.

Despite the many benefits that salt marshes provide, they face many threats including their elimination and degradation by development and polluted waterways from stormwater runoff and industrial waste. The de-

struction of salt marshes

also releases stored carbon

back into the atmosphere

contributing to climate change (instead of fighting

The most important way to protect these critical ecosystems, and all the benefits they offer, is to implement policies that protect these ecosystems from destruction by adjacent development. Additionally, if wetlands are degraded, it is important to restore them by whatever method is needed. There are also several market-based approaches that can be used to incentivize the protection and preservation of salt marsh ecosystems, such as carbon credits and payments for wetland protection and

The protection and restoration of all wetlands should be an essential part of any comprehensive climate change mitigation strategy. By recognizing the value of wetlands and promoting their protection and restoration, we can work towards a healthier and more sustainable future for ourselves and future generations. For further information, please visit our website: www. friendsofbelleislemarsh.

Ana Tavares Leary and Julie Conroy are both members of the Friends of Belle Isle Marsh

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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 1003 - COTTAGE PARK HOTEL - ESTABLISHED 1880





Of all the fifty-six hotels, inns and resort establishments that have operated in Winthrop from 1880 to the present date under no less than 70 different names, the largest and most luxurious was the Cottage Park Hotel complex located on Bartlett Road.

We have received numerous requests for more information on this resort hotel and therefore have prepared a mini series of Then and Now articles that will be devoted to describing first its establishment in 1880, then its expansion to its final configuration in the late 1890's and finally the many amenities it had to offer its cliental in the early 1900's.

This article begins with the 1850 construction of the first home in this area for Charles W. Bartlett at about 175 Bartlett Road where William Francis Bartlett, his son, was raised. For those who are unaware, General William Francis Bartlett was severely wounded during the Civil War, lost a leg in action but returned to duty and led his troops into battle with a wooden leg only to be captured and incarcerated as a prisoner of war

He was one of the most prominent veterans of the Civil War and a statue of him stands in the Massachusetts State House.

When discharged, he married the young lady that had nursed him back to health, Agnes Pomeroy of Pittsfield and, after the war, they toured Europe as ambassadors of President Johnson. Picture Number 1 shows this home as it appeared in the mid 1850s.

About 1880, additions were made by Orlando

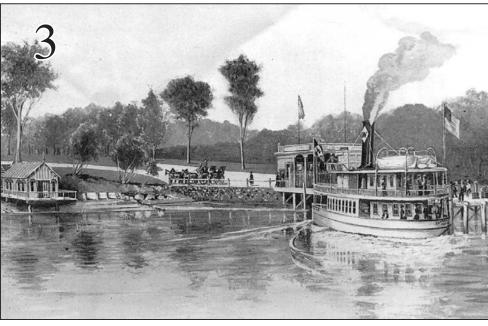
Belcher to expand it into the Cottage Park Hotel shown in picture Number 2.

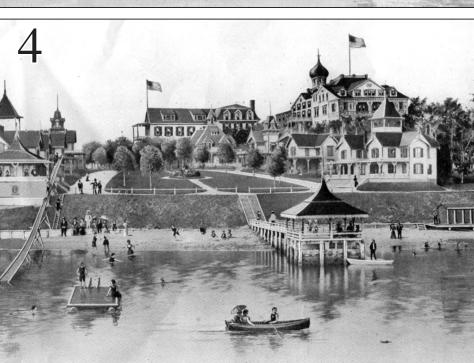
From 1883 until 1902, passengers from Boston were transported by ferryboat to a terminal located on a pier where the Cottage Park Yacht Club is now located as shown in picture Number 3.

This pier was at the end of Orlando Avenue, just one block from Bartlett Road, where the Cottage Park Hotel complex was located.

Looking up what would later become Cottage Park Road, picture Number 4 depicts the beginning of the hotel complex.

The next Then and Now article will describe the further expansion of the hotel to its final configuration of about 1895.







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 June 6, 2013

The Winthrop Lodge of Elks will host Flag Day Services on June 14 at 6 p.m. at the Lodge.

Exalted Ruler Pamela Milton said residents are welcomed to join the Lodge at its annual commemoration of Flag Day. Esteemed Loyal Knight Dan Swett is overseeing the program and serving as master of ceremonies. Milton will deliver the welcoming remarks. Speaker of the House Robert A. DeLeo, State Sen. Anthony Petruccelli, Council President Peter Gill, and Town Manager James McKenna have been invited to the event. Nancy Williams, executive director of the Winthrop Senior Center, will receive the Citizen of the Year Award. In a new report by the

leading Boston Harbor environmental advocacy group ranked Winthrop Beach in the Top 10 on its water quality report card. Save the Harbor / Save the Bay released the report on the region's public beaches from Nahant to Nantasket and Winthrop Beach scored 100% in 2012. The score was the result of assessed water quality conditions at the beach and the group looked at the percentage of tests exceeding the state swimming standard of 104 cfu/100ml. The score means Winthrop Beach is one of the cleanest and safest to swim at during the summer months.

One-hundred-and-twenty-four graduates will receive their diplomas during the Winthrop High School Class of 2013 commencement ceremonies Friday at 6 p.m. at Miller Field. In case of inclement weather, the ceremony will be held indoors at the school gymnasium.

Principal Gail Conlon will welcome the gathering to the ceremonies and present her remarks. Conlon is retiring as principal this year. Conlon and Vice Principal Robin Kostegan, who is also retiring, will present the diplomas. There will also be a presentation of scholarships. Superintendent of Schools John Macero will speak during the program. Speaker of the House Robert A. DeLeo and Town Council President Peter Gill will congratulate the graduates and join other dignitaries at the ceremonies. Class Marshals John Dalton and Julia Wallace will lead the Pledge of Allegiance. Michael Lessard, class valedictorian who will be attending Harvard, and Nicole O'Brien, class salutatorian who will be attending MIT, will deliver speeches. Class president Joseph Gobiel will deliver his presidential address near the conclusion of the ceremony. The Internship, The

Purse, and This is the End are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

20 years ago June 12, 2003

The contractor for the new Arthur Cummings Schools, E.J. Sciabba General Contractors, has informed the town that it voluntarily is withdrawing from the project. The bonding company for the project now will have to take over the completion of the school. The school's construction has been be-

hind schedule and the new

timeline for completion

will need to be revised.

More than 300 persons were on hand for a tribute to Selectwoman Marie Turner, who has served the town in various capacities for the past 42 years.

State Rep. Robert De-Leo accompanied Senator Jarrett Barrios on a recent trip to Cuba to deliver books and medical supplies to the people there. The Winthrop Federal

Credit Union celebrated its 40th anniversary recently with a dinner at the Winthrop Arms.

Entries are filling up the remaining spots for

the remaining spots for the first-ever Midsummer Lights Relay Race to be held on Deer Island June 20-21. Race Director Tom Derderian said the purpose of the overnight race is to celebrate the open space that has become available at Deer Island.

Finding Nemo, The Italian Job, and The Matrix Reloaded are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

30 years ago June 17, 1993

A fire of suspicious origin ripped through the town garage opposite Metcalf Square early Sunday morning, destroying the structure and essentially leaving the DPW homeless. A significant amount of the town's equipment also was destroyed.

The early retirement program adopted by Town Meeting has led to 18 employees announcing their retirements from town service, including Town Clerk Marie Turner, Police Lieut. Patrick Staff, police officers James D'Avella and Charles Herbert, Building Inspector Dave Hayden, Fire Chief David Higginbotham, Fire Captain. James McLaughlin, Fie Lieut. Robert Burditt, and Tax Collector Jim Corkhum.

The Elks' Flag Day ceremonies were highlighted by the handing over to the Winthrop Improvement and Historical of the trunk of the famous Gibbons Elm, which has been in the care of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Society in Faneuil Hall since the historic tree, which was 347 years old, was cut down in 1912 when it contracted Dutch Elm disease.

Jurassic Park, Life With Mikey, and Guilty As Sin are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

40 years ago June 15, 1983

More than \$25,000 in scholarship prizes were presented to the 200 members of the WHS Class of 1983 at graduation exercises Sunday at Miller Field. Alan Miles delivered the valedictory address and Class Pres. John Calabrese presented the class gift.

The Winthrop High Viking Marching Corps has returned from a recent trip to Washington, D.C.

Sun-Transcript Publisher Andrew P. Quigley has announced that the newspaper company, which also owns the daily Chelsea Record, has purchased the Saugus Advertiser.

State Rep. Alfred Saggese has announced that two contracts for the dredging of Winthrop Harbor have been awarded by the state.

Harbor have been awarded by the state.

The selectmen have announced the implementation of a new merit review system under which town

employees will be evaluat-

ed on an annual basis.

Congressman Edward J. Markey said this week that the delay in the development of the controversial MX missile is a victory for those who believe that the U.S. should be working to bring about a reduction in the nuclear arms race.

Revere Mayor George

Colella has undertaken a nationwide search for a developer for the 12.3 acres of vacant land on Revere Beach. The Man With Two

The Man With Two Brains, Psycho 2, and Octopussy are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

50 years ago June 13, 1973 The assessors

nounced this week that the state's cherry sheets reveal that the state will be reimbursing the town 47 percent less than last year for the town's participation in the Northeast Regional Vocational School district, amounting to a loss of \$44,000 for the town.

Bill Matarazzo was in-

Bill Matarazzo was installed as the new President of the Winthrop Jaycees in ceremonies held at the Sons of Italy Hall.

has named Peter R. Finn of Andover as the new Asst. Superintendent of Schools. Finn was the top choice of the citizens advisory committee.

Mrs. G. David Hubbard

The School Committee

has been installed as the new President of the Winthrop Women's Republican Club. Gov. Francis W. Sargent

will be the guest speaker at the Elks Flag Day exercises here June 14. Harbormaster Bobby Crawford and members

of the Fire Department rescued several persons whose boat capsized near the airport this weekend. The new public landing

on Shirley St. was dedicated last week.
Steve McQueen and

Steve McQueen and Ali McGraw star in The Getaway at the Winthrop Cinema.

60 years ago June 13, 1963

A capacity crowd is expected to be on hand in Memorial Auditorium for graduation exercises this evening for the 222 members of the WHS Class of 1963. Dr. John Gillespie, the Director of Massachusetts State Colleges, will deliver the principal address. School Committeeman John M. Milne Jr. and Superintendent of Schools Arthur Dalrymple will confer the diplomas. Douglas R. Milne is the Class President.

Winthrop Health Officer Ralph Sirianni has been named to a six year term on the State Public Health Council.

Use of the town dump on Argyle Street has been restricted to town residents only with local contractors permitted to use it for an annual fee of \$50. The selectmen took the action after state officials notified the town that the open burning of rubbish must cease after June 15 because of the state's new Open Burning law. DPW Supt. Donald Hodgkins said that all rubbish now will be covered with sanitary fill.

Miles Rambler advertises a used, 1961 Classic Rambler for \$1445.

Marlon Brando stars in

The Ugly American at the Winthrop Theatre.

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Winthrop Senior Center News

35 Harvard Street, Winthrop, MA 02152 Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9am-3p.m. / Friday: 9am-1p.m.

Website: town.winthrop.ma.us/council-aging Email: COAReception@town.winthrop.ma.us Phone: 617-846-8538

Additional information on our activities and programs can be found in our monthly newsletter, which is available at the Senior Center and on our website.

Thursday, June 8

9:30am-10:30am: Exercise Class (\$1)

10:30am-12:00pm: Council on Aging Meeting 12:00pm-12:30pm: Lunch-Dine In / Grab and Go Lunch Pick-Up

12:45pm-3:00pm: Bin-

Friday, June 9

10:00am-11:00am:

Line Dancing (\$5) 11:00am: Grab and Go

Lunch Pick-Up

Monday, June 12 9:30am-10:30am: Yoga

with Kathleen 11:00am: Grab and Go

11:30 a m - 2:30 p m: Game Day/Mahjong

Lunch Pick-Up

12:30pm-2:30pm: Art Class with Dawn

Tuesday, June 13 9:30am-10:30am: Exer-

cise Class (\$1) 12:00pm-12:30pm: Lunch Dine In/ Grab and Go Pick-Up

1:30pm-2:30pm: Cho-

Wednesday, June 14 9:30am-11:00am:

Friends of WCOA Meet-

9:30am-10:30am: Yoga

with Kathleen (\$5) 11:00am-12:00pm: Zumba with Cindy (\$5) 11:00am: Grab and Go Lunch Pick-Up 1:00pm-3:00pm: Shine

Counseling 1:15pm-2:45pm: Italian

Class

Senior Lunch Program:

The Senior Center offers in-person dining on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12-12:30pm. Grab and Go Lunches are also 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 at the Senior Center. Please note, lunches cannot be held overnight, they must be picked up on the day it was requested.

Senior Van. The Senior Van runs Monday – Thursday from 9am-3pm. Reservations are on a first come, first served basis, and can be made by calling the Senior Center. Medical rides will be prioritized. A list of destinations and pricing is available on our website and in our newsletter.

Upcoming Activities &Programs

Eats & Treats Café

(cooking demo): June 21 (2:00pm-3:00pm) This month's recipe will be homemade strawberry short cake. Sign up at the front desk. Cost \$5.00

Ceramics with Gerry: Friday, June 23 (10:00am-12:00pm) All materials will be provided.

Sign up at the front

Good Posture: Help Prevent Back Pain, Neck Pain, Headaches and Arthritis: June 29th (11:00am-12:00pm) Presented by Dr. Robert Staulo, Chiropractor. Sign up at the front desk.

Tai Chi /Qi Gong: July 5 (12:15-1:15pm) Beginning July 5th, the Senior Center will be offering a

Tai Chi / Oi Gong class on Wednesdays at 12:15pm. Sign up at the front desk. Cost \$5.00

Senior Lunch Traveling Chef BBQ: Wednesday, July 26th (12:00pm) Mystic Valley Elder Service's Traveling Chef will be BBQing at the Senior Center. Meal includes Burgers, Hot Dogs, Coleslaw, Potato Salad, Watermelon, and Lemonade. Sign up at the front desk beginning June 21st. Cost: \$2.00.

Programming & Activ-

A full listing of the Senior Center's programs and activities is available in our newsletter and on our website.

Blood Pressures: First and third Tuesday of each month from 11:00am to 12:00pm. No appointment needed.

Bowling: There will be no Bowling from May through August. Bowling will resume in September. Coffee and Conversa-

tion. Join us on the third

Thursday of each month at

10:30am for an informal

chat and some coffee and cookies too. Computers are available for use Monday-Thursday from 9:00am-3:00pm and

Fridays from 9:00am-

12:00pm.

Podiatry: Barbara Ullman, RN, a registered nurse, and pedicurist from Seen Your Feet will be at the Senior Center on the first Thursday of each month. Cost: \$20 (or \$25 to have toe and fingernails done). Cash only. Appointment required; to schedule, please call the Senior Center.

Seaside Tappers: The Seaside Tappers meet on Wednesdays for Tap Classes from 10:00-11:00am, at

the Methodist Church. For more information, contact Gail at: 617-763-7311.

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 1pm-3pm. Appointments are required; to schedule, please stop by the Senior Center or call us at 617-846-8538.

Technology Class: Volunteers will be available from 10am-12pm on the fourth Tuesday of each month to help you with any tech support you need. Bring your laptops, smartphones, or tablets, along with your questions. To register, call the Senior Center.

Upcoming Trips

Flyers, with additional trip information, are available at the Senior Center.

Wednesday, June 21, **2023:** The Texas Tenors at Danversport Yacht Club

Provider: Bet of Times Travel Cost: \$89 (drive on

your own) or \$119 (with transportation) Make checks payable

to: Friends of WCOA Meal choice: Stuffed Breast of Chicken

"The Upswing," deliv-

ered the commencement

address. Putnam urged

the graduates to seek new

ways to bring Americans

together across divides of

politics, region, race, reli-

gion, ethnicity, class, and

faces unprecedented po-

litical polarization, eco-

nomic inequality, social

fragmentation, and mor-

al self-centeredness, but

you - collaborating with

others - can reverse those

trends," he said. "Your

generation didn't cause

these problems, but only

you can lead the way to-

ward a more diverse, more

tolerant, more cohesive,

more equal society. A so-

ciety in which rather than

shout or shoot at one an-

other, we listen to one an-

Honorary degrees were

conferred to Putnam; Ruth

Wilson Gilmore, a profes-

sor, scholar, and author

considered a pioneer in

the field of carceral geog-

raphy and a forceful activ-

ist in the prison abolition

movement; and Ronald

Carter, a legendary jazz

bassist, bandleader, Gram-

my Award winner, and

power of education" was

the theme of remarks by

the graduate ceremony

student speaker Idriss

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other - actually listen."

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gender.

Baked Scrod

Thursday, August **10, 2023:** Corvettes Doo Wop Revue and traditional Maine Lobster Bake at Fosters Lobster Bake in York, Maine.

Provider: Best of Times Travel Cost: \$119.00

Make checks payable to: Friends of WCOA

Meal Choice: Whole broiled 1 ¼ lb. or ½ BBO Chicken

Thursday, September **7, 2023:** Neil Diamond & Friends at the Castleton Banquet Hall, Windom N.H. Provider: Best of Times

Travel Cost: \$79.00 (drive

on your own) or \$109.00 (with transportation) Make checks payable

to: Friends of WCOA Meal choice: Apple

Cranberry Stuffed Chicken or Vegetarian Lasagna

Sunday, December 31, 2023: An American Bandstand- New Year's Eve Day at the Danversport Yacht club Provider: Best of Times

Price: \$95.00 (drive on your own) or\$125.00 (with transportation)

Travel

Make checks payable to: Friends of WCOA

Meal choice: Stuffed Breast of Chicken or **Baked Schrod**

LOCAL STUDENTS *EARN ACADEMIC HONORS*

MULKERRIN NAMED TO 2023 DEAN'S LIST

Ashley Mulkerrin of Winthrop was named to Regis College's spring 2023 Dean's List. Mulkerrin was among those students who earned exemplary grades in their classes.

"This noteworthy achievement is one that perseverance, requires determination, and critical focus - skills that will encourage your continued progress in your undergraduate studies, career, and in life," said Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs Mary Erina Driscoll, PhD. "Ashley's unwavering commitment to academic excellence is reflected in being named to the Dean's List.'

To earn a spot on the Dean's List, Regis sophomores, juniors, seniors, and professional studies students must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher; firstyear students must have a GPA of 3.25 or higher. Additional criteria can be found in Regis' Academic

Regis College is a coed university 12 miles west of Boston in Weston, Mass. founded by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Boston. With over 3,200 undergraduate, graduate, and doctoral students enrolled on campus and in fully online graduate programs, Regis provides an academically rigorous education within the schools of nursing, arts and sciences, business and communication, and health sciences. In line with Regis' mission of providing innovative, industry-focused learning opportunities, the university offers academic partnerships with hospitals and local employers, a clinical dental center in Waltham, Mass., and bachelor's

completion and accelerated nursing programs at its campus in Lawrence, Mass. The university's 20 NCAA Division III athletic teams compete within the Great Northeast Athletic Conference (GNAC). Regis educates the whole person, preparing our students to pursue excellence, to become change agents in their own communities, and to serve and lead as advocates for a more just and compassionate global

PETERSEN NAMED **TO SPRING 2023 DEAN'S LIST** AT STONEHILL **COLLEGE**

Caleigh Petersen of Winthrop, a member of the Class of 2023, has been named to the Spring 2023 Dean's List at Stonehill College.

To qualify for the Dean's List, students must have a semester grade point average of 3.50 or better and must have successfully completed all courses for which they were registered. About Stonehill College

Stonehill College, a Catholic institution of higher learning, founded by the Congregation of Holy Cross in 1948. Located on the beautiful 384-acre campus and former estate of Frederick Lothrop Ames in North Easton, Massachusetts, it is a community of scholarship and faith, anchored by a belief in the inherent dignity of each person.

Through more than 100 academic programs in the liberal arts, sciences, business and pre-professional field, Stonehill College provides an education of the highest caliber that fosters critical thinking, free inquiry and the inter-

change of ideas for over

2,500 students.

Stonehill College educates the whole person so that each Stonehill graduate thinks, acts and leads with courage toward the creation of a more just and compassionate world.

MARTIN EARNS DEGREE FROM **CLARK UNIVERSITY**

Jessy Arleen Martin, of Winthrop, received a degree from Clark University during the University's Commencement exercises on Sunday, May 21. Martin graduated with a Master of Arts in Teach-

The University awarded 1,300 degrees (590 bachelor's degrees, 681 master's degrees, and 29 doctoral degrees) to the Class of 2023 and conferred three honorary degrees in ceremonies that heralded the graduates for their accomplishments, their resilience, and their ambition.

In his opening remarks, President David B. Fithian noted that the undergraduates were impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic throughout all four years of their college careers, a collective experience that he said resulted in a more creative and tenacious learning community.

"You became experts in the evolving art of remote learning and navigating uncertainty," Fithian said. "You experienced a uniquely challenging time in our history, and you proved to be stronger than maybe you even imagined you could be." Robert D.

American Society, includ-

ing "Bowling Alone" and

dreams you knew were impossible to achieve. That was the reality for Putnam, me growing up in Niger," Malkin Professor of Pubsaid Abdou, who served lic Policy at the Harvard as the vice president of University John F. Kennethe School of Managedy School of Government ment Student Council and and author of a number the graduate advisor for of books examining the Clark's Caribbean and Afdecline of community in rican Student Association.

"I was fortunate enough

to pursue my studies in Morocco and France, and now here in the United States as a Fulbright scholar," he said. "My personal journey is just one example of how education can change lives. As members of the Clark community, I know that each of you has a story to tell, challenges to overcome, and success-

es to celebrate." In her address to fellow undergraduates, student speaker Glory Phipps, a philosophy major, compared her class's journey to that of a rose growing from concrete, an analogy inspired by a poem written by the late rapper Tupac Shakur. Phipps spoke about the optimism she and her classmates shared at the start of their Clark experience, and how they persevered during the pan-

demic.

"We made it through by focusing on our passions. We fought for issues we believed in. We began to use our voices for the greater good," said Phipps, who served on the Student Council, the Black Student Union, the Latin American Student Organization, and the Mock Trial team. "No matter how many times we were struck down we still got up." perseverance,

President Fithian said, is why the world needs Clar-"Today's world needs

minds that can understand a variety of perspectives. Today's world needs those who value research-based evidence-informed solutions to complex problems. Today's world needs individuals who aren't afraid to be themselves, and who aren't afraid to challenge convention," he

"Today's world needs you."

WINTHROP MARKETPLACE **MANGO-PECAN CHICKEN** • 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger **INGREDIENTS:** • 1/8 teaspoon ground cinnamon

- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- 1 onion, halved and sliced
- · 2 mangos peeled, seeded, and
- · 2 tablespoons lemon juice 1 tablespoon white sugar
- - 1/8 teaspoon ground mace • 4 skinless, boneless chicken breast halves - cut in half lengthwise
 - salt and pepper to taste
 - 1 tablespoon vegetable oil • 1/4 cup chopped pecans

DIRECTIONS STEP 1: Heat 1 tablespoon vegetable oil in a large saucepan

over medium heat. Add onion; cook and stir until the onion softens and turns translucent, about 5 minutes. Add mangos, lemon juice, sugar, ginger, cinnamon, and mace. Bring to a simmer and cook for 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Turn heat to low, cover, and allow to cook 5 minutes **STEP 2:** While the mango sauce is simmering, season chicken

on both sides until nicely browned, and the chicken is no longer pink in the center, about 8 minutes per side. **STEP 3:** To serve, place one or two pieces of chicken onto each serving plate. Spoon mango sauce over the top, and sprinkle with

vegetable oil in a large skillet over medium heat. Add chicken, and cook

breasts with salt and pepper to taste. Heat remaining 1 tablespoon

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Mildred Emmett

NE Telephone/Verizon retiree and proud member of the Telephone Pioneers

Mildred M. (Placido) Emmett of Winthrop, passed away on June 2 at the age of 99 at the Advocate Health Care Center in East Boston.

Millie retired from New England Telephone/ Verizon in 1989 and was a proud member of the Telephone Pioneers. She had made many wonderful friendships through her years at the Telephone Company. She enjoyed her family especially and loved sharing wonderful memories.

The loving daughter of the late Terrance and Mary (Morrissey) Placido, she was the beloved wife of the late Vincent Emmett; devoted mother of James Davis and his wife, Diane, Maureen Davis, Darlene Ferrara and her husband, Frank and the late Frank Davis and his surviving wife, Roberta; dear sister of the late Dorothy Kincade and cherished grandmother of nine grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and three



great-great grandchildren. She is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

A memorial service honoring Millie's life will be held at the Ruggiero Family Memorial Home, 971 Saratoga St., Orient Heights, East Boston on Saturday, June 10th from 12 noon to 2 p.m.

The family would like to say special thank you's to the caregivers and staff at Advocate Health Care, Care Dimension, and Winthrop PACE for their wonderful support through this time.

To leave an online condolence visit www.ruggieromh.com.

William Mack

Graduate of Winthrop High School, Class of 2006

William E. Mack of Winthrop passed away at the Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital in Boston on June 5. He was 34 years old.

Born in Boston, the beloved son of Cheryl (Marckini) and William Mack, he was a 2006 graduate of Winthrop High School. At the time of his passing, he worked at a company that specialized in crating and shipping artwork. He was also a member of the Winthrop Lodge of Elks.

He was the loving nephew of Deborah Jones of Peabody and Denise Gillespie of Revere; beloved cousin of Alicia Cifuni, John Cifuni, Janelle Murray, Sophie Paulson and Stephanie Gillespie and cherished grandson of Joan Mack.

Family and friends are cordially invited to attend



the visitation from the Caggiano-O'Maley-Frazier Funeral Home, Winthrop on Friday, June 9 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. followed by a funeral mass in St. John the Evangelist Church, 320 Winthrop St., Winthrop at 12 Noon. Services will conclude with interment in the Belle Isle section of Winthrop Cemetery.

To sign the online guestbook, go to www. caggianofuneralhome.

Joseph Macchiavelli, Sr.

Retired Hair Stylist

Joseph A. Macchiavelli, Sr. of Winthrop passed away at the High Point House in Haverhill on June 2. He was 81 years

Born in Messina, Sicily,

Italy, he was the beloved son of the late Lina (Foti) and Arturo Macchiavelli. He came to this country at an early age residing in East Boston before moving to Winthrop over 54 years ago. Prior to his retirement, he worked as a hairstylist in Revere for many years where he was also the proprietor.

He was the devoted husband of Stella (Micciche) and the loving father of Anthony Macchiavelli of Rowley and the late Joseph A. Macchiavelli, Jr. He was the dear brother of Nick Macchiavelli and his wife, Josephine and their

daughter, Lina of East



grandfather of Chloe, Anthony and Patrick.

Family and friends are cordially invited to attend the visitation from the Caggiano-O'Maley-Frazier Funeral Home, Winthrop on Sunday, June 11 from 4 to 8 p.m. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home on Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

To sign the online guestbook, go to www. caggianofuneralhome.

OBITUARIES

Guy Sasso Jr.

Mass Dept of Revenue Retiree, honored by Mass. State Police

Guy A. Sasso Jr., 74, of Winthrop, formerly of Medford, passed away on May 21.

Guy was born in Medford and was a graduate of Medford High School. He also attended Mass. Bay Community College and Northeastern University. In 2010, he retired after

38 years from the Massachusetts Department of Revenue. He held many roles including Chief of Special Investigations, Director of Seizure Unit and Chief of Criminal Investigations to name a few. He was passionate about his work, creating multi-agency task forces investigating both civil and criminal cases. He worked alongside local, State, Federal and International law enforcement agencies. He created specialized financial investigative training modules and was honored by the Massachusetts State Police.

He enjoyed life at "The Lake" in New Hampshire with family and friends. Among his hobbies were cooking, boating, exercising and entertaining. He enjoyed trying new recipes and sharing them with



everyone. We will all miss his experiments with different food types to sample.

He leaves behind his wife, Denise (Stone), daughter, Kerri and four brothers: Joseph, Stephen, Christopher and Marc.

Family and friends are cordially invited to attend the visitation from the Caggiano-O'Maley-Frazier Funeral Home, Winthrop today, Thursday, June 8 from 4 to 8 p.m. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home at 7:30 p.m. this evening.

In lieu of flowers please make a donation to St. Jude at www.stjude.org or the charity that is special to you.

To sign the online guestbook, go to www. caggianofuneralhome.com.

Michael J. "Mike" Henry

May 15, 2023

On Saturday, June 3, close to 100 family and friends of Michael J "Mike" Henry

gathered at the Brown Jug in Chelsea to say goodbye to our uncle, father, husband, friend and "Papa." Michael J Henry Sr, recently a resident of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, but formerly of Revere and Charlestown, who entered into eternal life suddenly on Monday May 15, 2023.

He was 71 years of age. Mike was born in Everett on June 29, 1951, a son of the late John W and Josephine (Frances) Henry. He grew up in Charlestown and graduated from Charlestown High School where he was a member of the Majestic Knights Marching Band.

Following his graduation, he served in the United States Army before starting his career with US Airways where he worked for 35 years before his retirement.

Mike was the beloved husband of 34 years to Beverly (Bishop) Henry and the devoted father of Michael J. Henry, Jr and his companion Lynsey Gowens. He was also a proud "papa" to Michael J Henry III, Ezra Cantin, Chase and Ethan Gowens. In life Mike was a generous and friendly man who was always willing to do anything to help a friend or family member in need. He will be remembered and missed by his loved ones.

Michael was the beloved brother of John W Henry, Jr and his wife, Elizabeth Kurkjian, Eileen (Henry) Ward and her husband, John, Daniel F Henry and his wife, Linda Leach.

He was the proud uncle to Stephanie, Brian, Jake, Brittany, Daniel, Kayla and Conor on the Henry side of the family and to Joseph, Lori, Thomas, Kerri, Amy, David and Kathleen on the Bishop side of his family. He is also survived by many loving cousins and friends.

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Elizabeth Fiorentini

Generous to a fault to anyone in need, she lived a long and remarkable life

Elizabeth (Puopolo)
Fiorentini of Winthrop,
formerly of East Boston,
passed away on June 2
shortly before her 100th
birthday.
Elizabeth lived a long

and remarkable life and was truly beloved by all who knew her. She was generous to a fault to anyone in need. She found joy in hosting her loved ones in the sunlit kitchen of her Bennington Street home before moving to Winthrop where she enjoyed many happy days at the Parc at Harbor View Senior Living. Many of the best memories in Betty's life were made at the family lake house in Amherst, New Hampshire, where she relished in watching her loved ones share the summer months together on Baboosic Lake. In the year that preceded her passing, Elizabeth and her family were miraculously returned the remains of her long lost brother Cpl. Joseph J. Puopolo, a Korean War POW.

Born in East Boston, the cherished daughter of the late Alessio and Anna Puopolo, Elizabeth was the beloved wife of the late Eugene A. Fiorentini, the devoted mother of Roseanne Graham and her husband, Alan, Jean Lewis and her husband, Arthur, all of Winthrop and her late cherished son Joseph Fiorentini. She was the adored grandmother of



Gina DeNunzio of Winthrop, Mia Lombardi of Melrose, Richard Graham and Alan Graham II, both of Needham and the loving great-grandmother of Francesca and Gabriela DeNunzio of Winthrop, Avery Swinton of Melrose and Charles, William, Elizabeth, Desmond, Fiona and

Imogen Graham, all of Needham; the dear sister of the late Corporal Joseph J. Puopolo, Mary Mosca, Rose Vecchia, Emilio Puopolo and Nicholas Puopolo. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

The family would like to extend appreciation to the Pace Program, The Parc at Harbor View Senior Living and Hospice Care Dimensions for the care they provided.

At the request of the family, Elizabeth's funeral service will be private. Funeral arrangements by Maurice W. Kirby Funeral Home, 210 Winthrop St., Winthrop.

To sign Elizabeth's guestbook, please visit: www.mauricekirbyfh.

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"The Making of a Miracle"

The Untold Story of the Captain of the Gold Medal-Winning U.S. Olympic Hockey Team by Mike Eruzione with Neal E. Boudette

Reviewed By Bernie Kelly

Mike Eruzione gives us a riveting account of his participation in the 1980

Winter Olympic hockey victory over the Soviet Union. Mike, a Winthrop

native, scored the winning goal against the heavily favored Russian team. Prior to that, he was standout player on the B.U. hockey teams which advanced to the finals of the N.C.A.A. tournaments three years running in the early 1970's.

The author tells us of his upbringing in Winthrop, where he grew up in a working-class family. As a result, he barely had money to buy skates, but he persevered and played well enough to advance to Merrimack College. Eventually, he caught the attention of Jack Parker, the B.U. coach, who persuaded Mike to transfer to

After graduating, he played for a short stint at Toledo in the International Hockey League. But he did not play past the initial 10 game limit, which would have disqualified him from trying out for the Olympics.

Once he did qualify for the Olympic team, he was coached by Herb Brooks. A harsh taskmaster who produced winning teams. Brooks pushed his players hard, forcing them to run "Herbies", sorties up and down the rink in order to condition them.

Brooks was almost alone in his belief that his team could outplay the Russians, who were famous for their intricate passing game and their mastery of the aesthetics of hockey. He instilled this belief in his players, though, and in the end, they proved equal to the

task. Brooks gained considerable notoriety for pushing his players to the limit, until they finally prevailed against the heralded Russian team.

After his stint in the Olympics, Mike received numerous invitations to make speeches and do endorsements. He returned to his family home in Winthrop. For a while, he worked as a television commentator and then as a hockey coach. But his first loves were his wife Donna, his children and his extended family.

Mike is a talented writer, his authorship sparkles with verve and enthusiasm, especially in his dedication of the Olympic hockey win over the heavily favored Soviet team.

Neal E. Boudette, who is also a graduate of Boston University co-wrote this book. He is a reporter for the New York Times, and lives in Ann Arbor

Michigan. Again, this book is well written, and it engages the reader's attention. Mike Eruzione has met with a President (Jimmy Carter) and frolicked on the Kennedy compound. He is a credit to his community.

You will enjoy his book! **Bernie Kelly**

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THE UNTOLD STORY OF THE CAPTAIN

OF THE 1980 GOLD MEDAL-WINNING

U.S. OLYMPIC HOCKEY TEAM

WITH NEAL E. BOUDETTE

tor position.

"They were on the same track as the teachers, the ESPs (education support professionals), and everybody else that we have already settled with," said Superintendent of Schools Lisa Howard. "But being

administrators, they were patient and waited until everything else was settled before they came to the table. They are due for a contract that would be for the past school year, and the clock is running down."

Howard said the association asked to settle its contract for the current school year, and then to reenter into negotiations for either a two- or three-year contract.

The two percent raise

is retroactive for the current year, Howard said. She said the administrators previously were allotted 13 sick days per year, compared to 15 for teachers, and successfully negotiated to increase the

annual sick days to 14.

In addition, Howard said the contract includes the listing of several stipend positions that make them eligible for retirement deductions.

"They voted (Sunday) to accept this ... so once

great display of beautiful

gowns of varied hues and

textures worn by the sweet

girl graduates of Winthrop

High on Wednesday. They

were fittingly offset by the

boys in flannel trousers

and dark coats when they

marched from the high

school to the new Win-

throp Theatre for Class

Day exercises. The class

numbers 151 grads, the

largest ever in the history

of Winthrop High School.

and good riddance, is the

shack that burned to the

ground on the boulevard

that formerly served re-

freshments, but which no

longer was used for any

The Highlands Yacht

Club will be the place to

be Saturday from 1:00 in

the afternoon until mid-

night for the club's great

Russell of the Span-

erans Association has re-

ceived word that the local

post will receive the 15th

tablet of the Battleship

Maine. The design of the

tablet, of which 1200 have

been struck, shows Ha-

vana Harbor in the back-

ground with the Maine

sinking and a female fig-

ure with arms outstretched

and the inscription, "In

memory of the 266 sailors

who lost their lives on the

The circus production at

the Lodge of Elks is sched-

uled for late July. The tent

will have a capacity of

3000, which promises to

make this show unlike any

The parade for the

Fourth of July promises

to eclipse any ever held in

The Flag Day parade

will be held today. Lieut.

Gov. David I. Walsh will

ever held in Winthrop.

Maine."

this town.

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Commander

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purpose.

Gone but not forgotten,

the School Committee votes, we can provide them with retroactive pay and move forward to negotiations for their next contract," said Howard.

Years // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 5

June 11, 1953

70 years ago

State Senator Andrew P. Quigley has rescued a bill from the Senate Ways and Means Committee and then secured its final passage in the Senate that will provide \$100,000 for the long-awaited jetty project on Shore Drive. Quigley also inserted into the bill another \$150,000 for sea-

wall repair in Winthrop.

Winthrop's Israel Cohen has told friends and relatives of the horror he witnessed in the aftermath of the deadly torin Worcester that he observed in that city last week. Winthrop Civil Defense Director Matthew Lambert assured local residents, who have been stunned by reports of the high death toll and destruction to property, that his department stands

ready to assist in any way possible if such an event should happen here.

Bob Smith, the winner of last year's striper contest sponsored by Brill's Radio and TV, reports that the stripers are running once again. Smith came back with two 10-pounders after a recent fishing trip to Faun Bar.

Winthrop has received two checks from the state totaling \$210,552 that will help offset this year's tax rate. An additional \$42,000 is expected as the town's share from the state's corporate, income, and meals taxes. Last year the town received a total of \$258,000 on the state cherry sheets.

Three juveniles will be arraigned in East Boston District Court on charges of malicious destruction of property after they were tory, the grads wore caps

arrested for breaking windows on Walden St.

Rock Hudson and Barbara Hale star in Seminole at the Winthrop Theatre.

80 years ago June 12, 1943

The principal speaker at the Elks Flag Day ceremonies tomorrow will be Monsignor Quinlan, the pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church.

The Harbor Defense Baseball League will open its season tomorrow. The league is sponsored by the Army officers at the forts and by the USO-Winthrop Soldiers and Sailors Committee.

The 184 graduates of the Winthrop High Class of 1943 received their diplomas in the junior high auditorium yesterday. For the first time in WHS hisand gowns in dark blue, with many of the grads being thrilled that they will be attired in the dignified symbol of learning and academic achievement. Winthrop High grads previously wore jackets for the boys and dresses for the girls. School Committeeman John B. Mattson

will confer the diplomas. Alice Faye and Jack Oakie star in the comedy, Hello, 'Frisco, Hello, at the Winthrop and State Theatres.

90 years ago June 17, 1933

The largest class in Winthrop High history, numbering 230 graduates, received their diplomas Friday morning in Winthrop Theatre before a capacity crowd. John Van Dalinda is the Class Pres-

Miss Pecha V. Stavredes, a WHS sophomore, is the proud and happy winner of the 1933 Silver Cup, awarded annually by the Elks for the best student essay in honor of

Flag Day ceremonies. For the first time in the town's history, Winthrop voters, by a 2-1 margin, voted to go "wet," which means that once the repeal of Prohibition takes place, the town will issue licenses to stores for the sale of wine and malt beverages. Local voters even more overwhelmingly, by a 4-1 margin, voted in favor of repealing the Prohibition Amendment.

East Boston District Court Judge Barnes has issued an order to a local resident, giving him one week, to clean up his property in accordance with the directive from the Board of Health.

The Winthrop Yacht Club held its second New Deal dinner of the season, featuring dinner, dancing, and a cabaret. More than 150 persons were on hand for the festivities.

ters along Winthrop Shore

100 years ago June 15, 1923

Drive.

be the principal speaker. The Geo. W. Nicholls 120 years ago Company is the low bidder with a bid of \$109,000 to construct the breakwa-

There was indeed a Fens from an unsightly

June 13, 1903

Graduation exercises will be held for the high

school at Assembly Hall next week. A plan has been unveiled that will turn the Ingleside

bog into a beautiful park and playground. Work already has been underway since April with a gang of 20 men under the charge of Mr. C. Porter Tewksbury. About 100 Norway maples and 500 shrubs have been put out and by frequent watering during the current drought are in fine condition. Ten acres of the park are to be used for a playground and three acres for a ballfield. The property years ago was covered by heavy timbers that were cut down and used for

Wharf in Boston. The ongoing court action between ex-Congressman Conry and Congressman Kelliher alleging election fraud will be heard in the Suffolk County courthouse this week.

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130 years ago 110 years ago June 14, 1913

George

June 16, 1893 Visiting day for the parents of the children at the schools on Pauline Street and Almont Street occurred last week, with the teachers immersing the parents in the many subjects being taught to their

children. The Methodist Church was beautifully adorned for Children's Day Sunday

The selectmen have yet to take any action on the petition for an electric rail-

way line through the town. The Town Clerk is available at Town Hall for dog

licenses. New arrivals of summer

visitors at the local hotels are occurring daily.

140 years ago June 15, 1883 At the thinly-attended

adjourned Town Meeting held this week, with Mr. E.T. Underhill elected as Moderator, the members referred back to the selectmen the question of changing the grade of Winthrop Street, which some homeowners say is necessary to prevent further damage to their property.

The Board of Education of the Methodist Church held its annual Children's Day with appropriate exercises.

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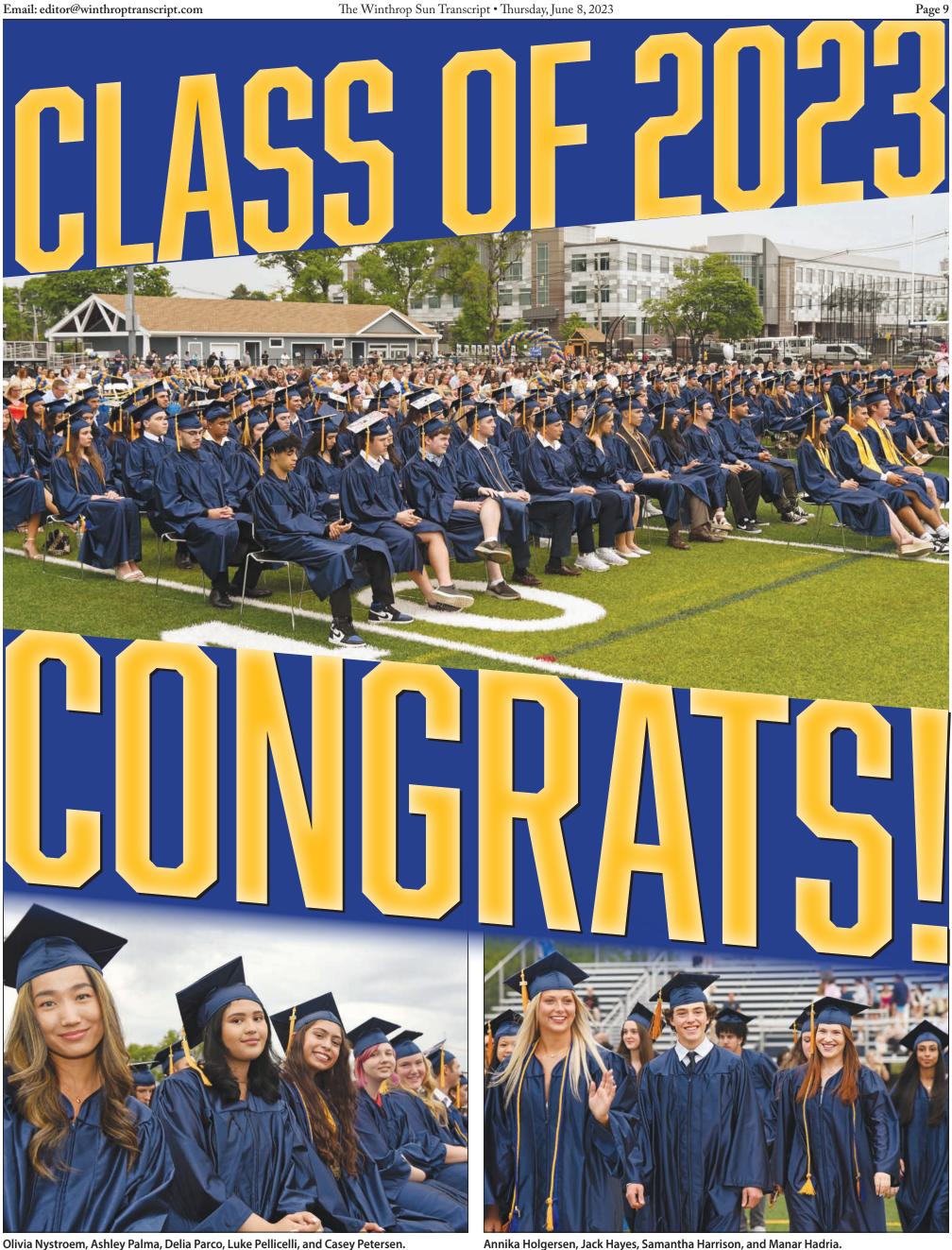






*You must be 21 years old or older to enjoy these beverages.

Rain date: June 18th



Olivia Nystroem, Ashley Palma, Delia Parco, Luke Pellicelli, and Casey Petersen.

Photos by Marianne Salza Winthrop High School (WHS) Class of 2023 celebrated their accomplishments, perseverance, and successes during their June 2 Commencement Exercises on Miller Field. Principal Matthew Crombie acknowledged the athletes, scholars, performers, and leaders who make up the special group of students; and described the 128 graduates as extraordinary young adults with resolute strength.

"Although this town is small, your dreams and aspirations are not defined by the size of your community. Big dreams can become a reality. It

is the beginning of a new chapter filled with endless opportunity," said Lisa Howard, Superintendent of Schools. "Cherish the

here. You have learned the values of compassion, hard work, and integrity, and the benefits of being kind to each other."



Manar Hadria and Isabella Gordon.



Zach, Loert, Nick, and Robert.



Ali DiPietro, with Luke Pellicelli, and Richard Dingwell, proceeding onto Miller Field.

- The Martucci Family



Nataliya Melnyk, Josue Mendez, and Eric Mendoza.



WHS Class of 2023 walking beneath the blue and gold balloon arch onto Miller Field.



Soon-to-be graduates waving to family and friends onto Miller Field.



Sara DeGennaro, Julio Gonzalez, David Gonzalez, and Gabrielle Golden.



David Sirrico, Olivia Skomro, Giogio Stante, and Madison Stiglets laughing at Principal Crombie's game of Jeopardy.





Good luck on your next endeavors





Congratulations!

Wishing you all

continued success

School Committee member

Suzanne Leonard

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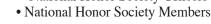
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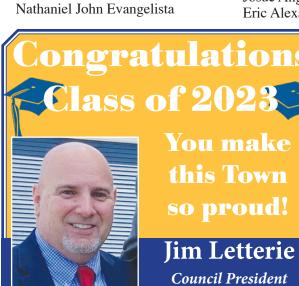
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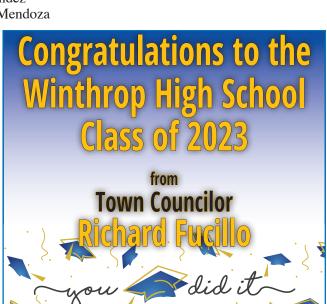
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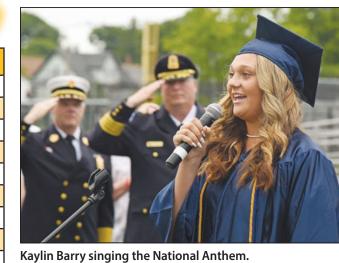


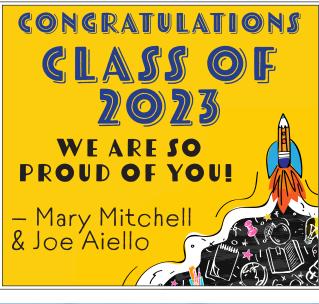
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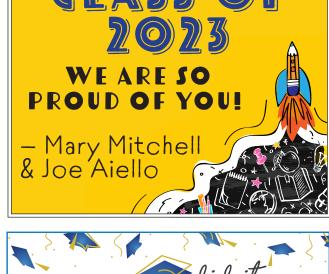


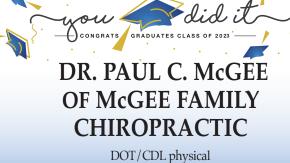
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throp High School held tent provided just enough their prom last Tuesday comfort for dinner and night at the Harborside dancing. For most this is Hyatt in East Boston, probably the last they will on the terrace. It was a see of their classmates, beautiful evening for the but that will have to take last official gathering of a backseat, for that night classmates and friends was to celebrate the WHS before graduation. The Class of 2023. sun was shining, the seas

The 2023 Class of Win-



Katie Jevoli, Fationna Kamberi and Xhoi Qose at the WHS Senior Prom.



Seated for dinner, Joan Pablo and Lourdes Paredes.

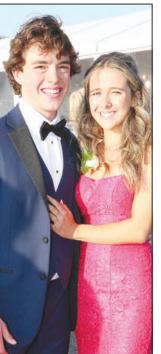


Billy Hayes and Emma Holmes.

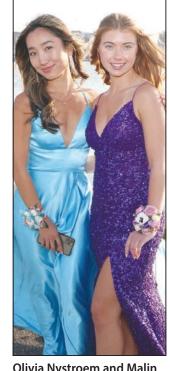








Jack Hayes and Gabby Currier.



Olivia Nystroem and Malin Flatner.





The lovely ladies of the WHS Senior Class of 2023.



Jackson Irving and Mia



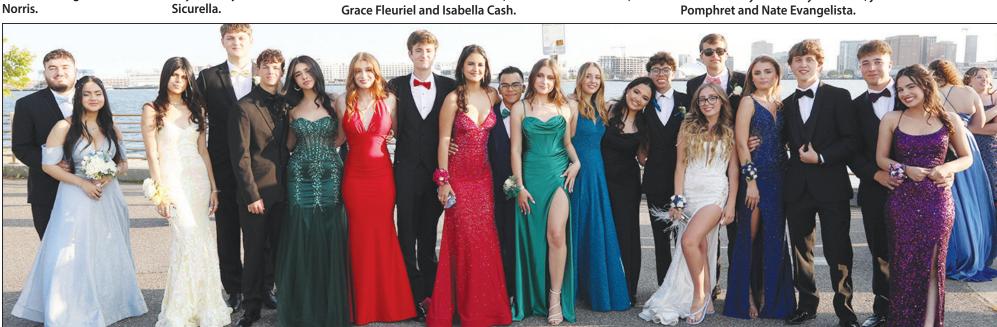
Kaylin Barry and James



The Fabulous Frankie Fabiano, with Gabrielle Golden,



Jackson Andy and Casey Peterson, join classmates Ava Pomphret and Nate Evangelista.

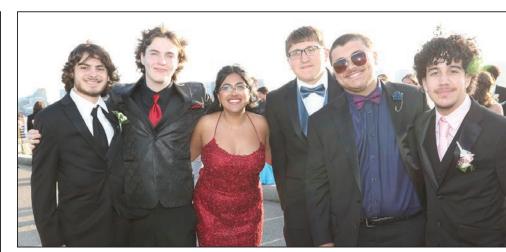


WHS Classmates enjoying their Senior Prom at the Harborside Hyatt.



It was a beautiful evening to enjoy friends and classmates and celebrate as graduates.

The Dalrymple Principals Award



 $Nicole\ D'Souza\ with\ her\ class mates,\ Nathan\ Holmes,\ Brennan\ Mortimer,\ Joe\ Romano,$ Gabe Lescay and Jacob Rosas.

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Class Annards Night

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WHS Parents/Teachers Club Award in Foreign Language	\$100.00	Ramadani, Erion
WHS Parents/Teachers Club Award in History	\$100.00	Raney, Christopher
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Winthrop High School Drama Scholarship	\$500.00	
Marilyn Carter Memorial Scholarship	\$200.00	Romano, Rachael
Sabrina Feudo Memorial Scholarship	\$500.00	
Marilyn Carter Memorial Scholarship	\$200.00	Ronan, Alayna
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George, Mable & David Blaisdell Scholarship	\$350.00	Skomro, Olivia
WHS Parents/Teachers Award in Business & Technology	\$100.00	Tallent, Lily
Yearbook Award	\$100.00	
Eleanor Govoni Memorial Scholarship	\$200.00	
Thomas Serra Winthrop Golf Club Memorial Scholarship	\$500.00	

Plaque



Seaside at the Harborside Hyatt the Senior Class of 2023.



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Madalyn Deeran

Manuel Cruz

Georgiana Bakos

Christian Hurley

Juliana Demers

Annika Holgersen

Jennifer Delehanty

Willow Hall

Jack Hayes

Julia Holmes

Colin Kinsella

Julie Cabrera

Milla Pimenta

Daniel Liberti

Lily Tallent

Robert Noonan

Francesca Conner

Casey Petersen

Lily Tallent

Mia Norris

Nathaniel Evangelista

Juliana Demers

Ava Pumphret

Eric Mendoza

David Sirrico

Joseph Romano

Annika Holgersen

Andrew Hurley

Christian Hurley

Kaylin Barry

Haven Pereira

Rachael Romano

Zachary Bogusz

Ina Shabani

Robert Noonan

Manuel Cruz

Isabella Cash

Christian Buonopane

Nicolas Babine

Colin Kinsella

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Quest & Question Club International Prize Award \$1,000.00 Delia Parco **Quest & Question Club International Prize Award** \$1,000.00 Corinne Powell

Sons of Italy Lodge Past Presidents Award

Raffaella Boncore Memorial Scholarship

Sandra Stolzberg Shulman Memorial Scholarship Rona Mael Town Scholarship

Dr. & Mrs. A. Nathan Caplan Health Science Award Winthrop Improvement & Historical Assoc. Award Robert Capezza Scholarship

Robert Perry Scholarship

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Scholarship in Memory of Det. Michael Delehanty

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Peasant Park Yacht Club/Winthrop Youth Cheer Scholarship

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WCAT Ron Moses Memorial Scholarship

The Pete Towner CPYC Educational Scholarship

"The Wallace B. Maclean Athletic Trophy"

"The Francis M. Fioretti Award"

"The Michael Eruzione Olympic Spirit Award

"The Winthrop Little League Award Trophy"

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"The Edwin E. MacFarland Memorial Plaque"

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In Their Own Words

Benjamin Robert Prew

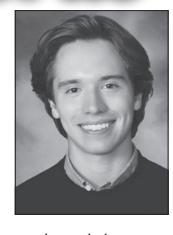
WHS Class of 2023 Valedictorian

Thank You! Distinguished guests, I feel honored to be a part of this momentous occasion. I would not be standing here before you today if it weren't for the help of so many exceptional people. To the students and faculty who have made my high school journey such a rewarding experience, I offer my sincerest thanks! To my many aunts, uncles, and cousins, thank you for being such a solid base of support in my life. Words alone can not express how grateful I am! To my Nana, thank you for being my biggest fan! To my mother, thank you for being the most loving and caring person I have ever met! You motivate me to be a better person every day. And to my dad, thank

you for being a huge inspiration for success, and of course, for being my best And now, I shall inspire

all of you, my fellow students, to achieve your greatest of goals! ... I'll do my best.

Growing up in a seaside community, I have always been amazed by the vastness of our oceans. As the great explorer Ferdinand Magellan said, "The sea is dangerous and its storms terrible, but these obstacles have never been sufficient reason to remain ashore". Life. Life itself is a voyage. There will always be reasons to stay in the charted territory, to shy away from risks, and to save our dreams for tomorrow. In time, tomorrow becomes days, then



months, and then years, until one day our aspirations drift away.

Class of 2023, we live at a time in the world where our very livelihoods are so heavily influenced by technology. Artificial intelligence and instant gratification have become our new normal, so our dreams may fade quicker than ever before. It pains me to think of what our world will look

like with 30 years more of technological development. But this is no advancement, this is the desecration of free will. But this same vastness of the internet can very well be its strength and therein lies hope. Never before has there been such an exorbitant amount of information at our fingertips. This same availability that poses our greatest threat stands as our greatest salvation. There is seemingly infinite knowledge to be learned, and for those who take advantage of it, infinite success to behold. As we soon move on with our lives, I am confident that our world will give reason to your voyage. Magellan is famous for

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the strait which bears his name. In 1520, his fleet became the first to brave the treacherous waters, but to their surprise, the current all but stopped. A scholar's account describes a golden sunset, cast across water like glass, stretching as far as the eye can

Good evening, ladies

and gentlemen, facul-

ty members, esteemed

guests, and most impor-

tantly, the exceptional

Today is a momentous

occasion, one that fills us with a blend of joy, nostal-

gia, and a touch of bitter-

sweetness. As we gather to

celebrate the peak of our

academic journey, I would

like to invite the graduates

to please stand up and turn

around facing the audi-

ence. Now, I want you to

join me in a heartfelt ap-

plause for the remarkable

individuals who played an

instrumental role in our

success. These are the only

people who have truly wit-

nessed our growth from

our first steps as toddlers,

to the confident strides we

take today as graduates.

graduating class of 2023,

We made it!!!

see. And at this moment, Magellan broke down in tears of joy, naming the ocean Pacific, or peaceful sea. Experiences like these give an adventure purpose, make risks worth taking, and inspire generations to come. Cherish moments like these, golden sunsets of our own, for life, will always flow like the sea. Cultural icon Bruce Lee

once said that it "is the life of perfection which seems to be incomplete, and of fullness which seems to be empty". There will be hard times when all hope seems bleak, but a life without flaws leaves our successes without distinction. The technology aims to perfect life, but this is its very demise.

For as long as I can remember, Winthrop has struck me as a truly unique place. In my 17 years of life, I have never experienced another community

where its profound sense of place brings everyone together. In the spirit of the legendary coach Tony Fucillo, "You can go to any high school in the country and be a student for four years, or you can go to Winthrop and be a Viking for life". No matter the places we go, the successes we have, and of course, through our failures, Winthrop will remain a beacon of tradition and camaraderie. A beacon of solidarity in an ever-changing world.

I leave you with these words: Strive for greatness every day. Endure the hard times, and your greatest moments will make life worth living. While we all share a golden sunset on this special evening, today is just the beginning of the voyage.

Congratulations class of 2023, we're doing it!

arrived. We just went

through 4 years in what

felt like a blink of an eye.

The past 4 years we were

always waiting and rush-

ing until time was up. One

last year left before grad-

uation quickly turned into

one quarter left. Which

turned into one month and

eventually one week. In

moments from now, it will

be just one minute until we

can go home. One minute

until we will never step

foot into Winthrop High

School again. But we nev-

er realized how much we

would want just one more

minute. One more min-

ute on the ice, mat, field,

stage, the court, the class-

room. One more minute to

learn something new, or

laugh with your friends.

Just one more minute to

enjoy- just being in high-

school. Now the pages in

our book are completely

filled, the book has ended.

but now we have a blank

page for the rest of our

lives in which you have

the freedom and capability

college, some will go right

into the workforce, some

will go to trade school,

and some will join the mil-

itary. But no matter where

you go, you will be filling

your pages every step of

the way. We are the gener-

ation of change and have

the ability to push through

whatever life throws at us.

high school not knowing

what to expect, and hon-

estly i'm not sure if any

of us have even figured

that out. But what I do

know is that endings are

inevitable, and with this,

one door is closing while

so many others ahead are

opening. High School was

not meant to last forever,

and it is time to say good-

bye. But goodbyes can be

sad, so I would rather say

hello. Hello to a new ad-

venture, beginnings, and

the future. And as we go

onto this new chapter in

our lives, may we never

forget what shaped us to

be the individuals that we

have become and may we

never forget the chapters

of our high school days.

May we never forget Win-

throp high school, and

all the memories we will

2023, and congratulations

for all your hard work, and

accomplishments. Gradu-

Here's to us class of

4 years ago we entered

Some of us will attend

to create your own story.

Delia Parco

WHS Class of 2023 Salutatorian

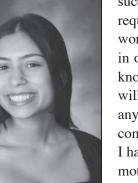
Hello, guests and fellow graduates. Today, I stand before you with a sense of joy and gratitude, reflecting on the remarkable journey that has brought us to this significant moment. As we gather here, united in celebration, I feel privileged to introduce myself to those who may not be familiar with me. My name is Delia Parco. I proudly embrace my mixed heritage, cherishing my rich Indian and American roots. I am a woman venturing into the field of medicine and I am teemıng with anticipation for the path that lies ahead. Lastly, above all, I am grateful to be a daughter, a role that has shaped my life in immeasurable ways. I, however, have not gotten to where I am on my own, and it would be selfish to take credit for the lessons taught to me by somebody special. So on this occasion, I am going to be sharing the lessons that epitomize the profound impact of struggle on the journey towards excellence-the life lessons taught to me by my remarkable mother.

When I was in elementary school, I often felt isolated as a little girl of color, navigating a world that seemed to lack understanding and representation. However, my mother's teachings served as guiding lights that illuminated my path. She provided me with the tools to navigate a world where barriers often present themselves, instilling in me the importance of self-acceptance and resilience. I learned to rise above adversity, celebrating my uniqueness and recognizing the strength within my identity. Today, as a confident and empowered individual, I continue to grow, embracing every

opportunity in the hope of

making a positive impact

in the ever dynamic world.



Subsequently, when I was in fourth grade, my mother made a life-changing decision to pursue her dream of attending law school and became a lawyer. Inspired by her own experiences, she chose to use her legal expertise to empower and uplift survivors of domestic violence. Her commitment to advocating for others was a testament to her unwavering dedication and her belief in the transformative power of using one's personal struggles to bring about positivity. As I witnessed remarkable transformation, a vital lesson took root within me: true fulfillment and growth as individuals stem from embracing change, exploring diverse opportunities, and navigating life at our own pace. By following in my mother's footsteps, I am inspired to seek my own purpose and make a meaningful impact on the

My freshman year of high school I made a decision that would shape my future: I aspired to build a career in STEM. However, as a girl entering a field dominated by men, I encountered challenges and doubts that tested my passion. It was during these moments of uncertainty that my mother's steady belief in my abilities became my absolute inspiration. She reminded me that my dreams were not limited by my gender, but rather determined by my will power and persever-

ance. Through her encour-

agement, I learned that

in oneself. In the future, I know I will struggle, but I any hardships that may come my way using what I have learned through my mothers influence.

Now, as we embark on the next chapter of our lives, let us remember the power of unconditional love and support. We owe a debt of gratitude to those who have stood by our side through triumphs and tribulations, uplifting and empowering us to overcome every obstacle we've encountered. They have believed in us when we doubted ourselves, offered a helping hand whenever we stumbled, and provided words of encouragement when our spirits wavered. Their firm belief in our potential serves as a constant reminder that we are capable of achieving greatness.

this. Recently, my teacher, Ms. Irvine, shared a profound African Proverb with me that resonated deeply: "If you want to go fast, go alone; however, if you want to go far, go together." I invite you to take a moment to look around at your classmates, family members, and friends who have been unfaltering in their support of your success. Let us express a silent gratitude for their dedication and belief in us. So, as we find ourselves in this unique juncture, caught between reflecting on our past and forging plans for our future, let us not forget to acknowledge the people who are present with us right now. It is their influence, guidance, and support that have pro-

pelled us to this moment, where our potential and possibilities are infinite. Thank you and congrat-

success in any endeavor requires struggle, hard work, and the steady belief will persist and overcome

These are the people who have supported us, spent countless early mornings waking us up, nurtured us, and wiped away our tears when we faced setbacks. But most importantly, the people who believed in us and were always right there when we felt like giving up - our parents and guardians. The graduates can now please sit down! When each and every one of us was born, we were born with a blank page. It isn't until your first experiences, the first people you meet, or the first accomplishments you make where you begin to build who you truly are as a person. You soon be-I will leave you with come a product of everything you experience and all the people around you

> munity was a fire starter for our individual pages. Approximately 2,457 days ago we stepped foot into the beautiful building to the right of me for the very first time. We were the first class to go sixth through twelfth grade in the brand new middle/ high school. When we entered the doors of 6th grade we were beaming with excitement at the fact that we got to use lockers for the first time. Lockers were an opportunity to showcase our personalities, passions, and the things that made us uniquely ourselves. From photos of our loved ones to inspirational quotes and vibrant stickers, our lockers became an extension of who

> > we are. But not only that,

they became the hub of

our social lives, a place to

gather with friends, share

stories, and try to figure

in your life. Lucky for us,

our small- town roots have

given us a strong founda-

tion and the sense of com-



out who liked who before class started. In those moments, it seemed that lockers were the epitome of middle school bliss, and although that was all fun and good, when we look back upon it, we begin to realize that we loved the idea of lockers so much not because they were a place to hang out or decorate. But instead, they gave us all of our first taste of independence outside of the classroom.

As we entered the 8th

grade, we were the oldest in middle school and we spent all of the 180 days of school eagerly anticipating our class trip to Washing ton D.C. In those moments the trip to D.C felt like the best thing that could happen to us, even when we were fighting over who roomed with who. When it finally arrived after waiting all year long, we looked at it as a way to leave behind the routines of school, a chance for an adventure, and to be on a trip in another state with our friends. Instead it meant something more profound. This trip was a gateway to

maturity, a worldly experience that opened our eyes to the power of history and our place within it.

When sophomore year hit and everything sped up, we turned a 2 week spring break into tik tok dances, binge watching The outer banks and trying to do online homework, and let's be real, that was rough. Fall of junior year came

and we were back into online learning once again. Some of us really were not sure if we were going to make it a second time. But take a minute, look around, and realize that we did. As we look back now, those seemingly simple moments held deeper significance. They reminded us of the fragility of time and how swiftly circumstances can change. They taught us the importance of seizing the present moment and cher-

ishing the experiences and

connections that bring joy

and meaning to our lives.

nior year. The Kings and

the queens of the school

Finally, here we are: se-

share forever.

my count of three throw them in the air as we officially graduate WHS. 1,2,3.

ates please stand, and let us celebrate one last time Move your tassel from the right to the left and on

Mia Norris WHS Class of 2023 Class President

Sports

WHS SPORTS ROUNDUP

this game," said Degrego-

rio. "As a coach, you have

to win the first one before

you can look ahead, which

is why it didn't matter to

us who we were playing

-- we knew it was going

to be Zach taking the ball.

Zach delivered for us like

he usually does. Zach

had what we would call

an atypical first inning as

he struggled a bit with his

command early, but bat-

tled through after allowing

a run in the first inning.

Then he settled down and

that was all we needed the

good scouting report on Bishop Connolly," De-

gregorio continued. "We

knew they were going to

bunt and steal, as that is

their bread and butter. So

we worked a lot leading up

to the game on those items

defensively and were able to really hold them in

check. We got some great

defense from (shortstop)

Petey Silverman and (sec-

ond baseman) Nicholas

Marchese up the middle.

Those two have been quite

the double play duo for us

Although the Vikings

only managed five hits on

the day, they took advan-

tage of some small ball op-

portunities. Ryan Gagnon

executed a safety squeeze

to drive in a run, Evan

Rockefeller executed a

hit-and-run, and the Vi-

kings stole multiple-bases

on the day, which has been

one of their trademarks

aggressive, sometimes to

a fault, but we were able

to take advantage of that,"

Winthrop had some

nice hitting performances

from Michael Donahue,

who went 2-for-3 with a

double; Silverman, who

was 1-for-2 with two RBI

and a walk; and a hit each

from Bogusz and Rocke-

to help propel us officially

into the tournament," said

Degregorio. "This makes

making the tournament

urday's postponement, the

Vikings had to hit the road

the next day for the long

trek to Uxbridge to take on

the sixth-ranked Spartans,

who entered the tourney

good team that has a pen-

chant for hitting," said De-

gregorio. "Jay Fotiades,

who has been great for us

all year despite only being

a sophomore, started for

us and did a great job of

navigating in and out of

jams early. Jay was able

to hold a good hitting Ux-

bridge team to three runs

over four innings, only

two of which were earned.

a sharp curve, including

two hits from Zach Bo-

gusz, two hits from Colin

Kinsella, and a hit apiece

from Phil Boncore, Jay

Fotiades, Ryan Gagnon

"This was a game

"We knew they were a

with a 14-6 record.

However, thanks to Sat-

"It was a great team win

seasons

noted Degregorio.

"We always want to be

this season.

feller.

back-to-back

for us.'

this year. '

"We were able to get a

rest of the way.

WHS BOYS LAX WINSTOURNEY OPENER; PLAYS AT WESTON TODAY

Winthrop High lacrosse opened state tourney play with a 13-8 victory over the Tyngsborough Tigers Monday afternoon at Miller Field. The Vikings, who entered the tourney as the 13th seed in Division 4 with a 14-4 record, now will travel to Weston today (Thursday) for a Sweet 16 matchup with the fourth-ranked Wildcats, who compiled an 11-5 mark in the regular season and defeated Minuteman Regional, 15-4, in their tourney opener. The opening draw for this evening's matchup is set for 7:00.

"Tyngsborough was a tough squad," said WHS head coach Brian Donnelly. "We started a bit slowly offensively. Tyngsborough had a good game plan going in and was able to control the ball for most of the first half. We went into the half tied at 4-4, but in the second half our players turned on the jets and put some goals in the back of the net."

Ace Daigneault turned in one of his best games of the year, ringing in six goals. Michael Holgerson, Alex Daigneault, and Robert Rich also found the back of the Tiger net.

"Welvis Acosta played some solid defense against their best player and our defense in general played great," said Donnelly. "Hunter Fife played lights out in goal and kept us in the game. He has been fabulous for us all year and he stood on his head

"The playoffs are a different season and our players responded well," Donnelly added. been a great season and I just keep encouraging our guys to improve every day, tighten our systems up, and just continue to communicate well."

If the Vikings win, they will advance to the Elite 8 to face the victor of the contest between #21 St. Bernard's and #5 Abing-

WHS BASEBALL WINS STATE TOURNEY OPENER; **FALLS IN NEXT** ROUND

The Winthrop High baseball team earned a 5-2 victory over Bishop Connolly in a preliminary round contest of the MIAA Division 4 state baseball tournament Sunday evening at Fraser Field in Lynn.

The contest originally had been scheduled for the Vikings' home field because of their higher power ranking. Winthrop entered the tourney as the 27th seed with an 8-12 record, while the Cougars were ranked 38th with a 12-8 mark, but after Saturday's rain and a similar forecast for Sunday, the contest was moved to the turf surface at Fraser.

Zach Bogusz got the starting nod from WHS head coach Mark Degregorio and turned in a strong performance, tossing five innings and strik-

ing out seven opponents. "Zach has been our ace this year and we knew it was going to be him in

WHS VIKING VARSITY GIRL'S TENNIS HONORS THEIR SENIORS

Recently the WHS Girls' Tennis Program recognized their seniors for their dedication and hard work to the program. Head Coach jeff Beck said a few words, remembering each girl for their talents and contributions. One senior, Louise Faure was not able to make the final home match but was mentioned as part of the teams



Captain Casey Petersen is shown with her parents, Jill and Greg, brother Conlan and sister Caleigh.



Head Coach Jeff Beck is shown with Paola Ivanova and Lou Durant.

and Michael Donahue.

"Unfortunately for us, we stranded nine base runners," Degregorio added. "The game was tight all the way until the end as we had a lot of opportuni-

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ties. Uxbridge was able to break it open on an error in the sixth inning and it became too much to overcome.

"It is not easy to end a season with a special



Winthrop Police Officer Rob Carter was on hand at the WHS Tennis Senior Night, shown with Lady Viking Senior Captain Casey Petersen, and WHS athletes, Caitlin Fobert and Alesia Collaka.

group like this one," Deseason may have come to gregorio noted. "We truan end, we continue to be ly were led by some great excited about the future seniors. They helped pave with some key players rethe way for us this year turning, and some young and they are going to be

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that was similar to a few games we had earlier in the year when we were Deli. unable to capitalize with men on base," continued Degregorio. "Against Salem earlier this year we left 12 men on and against Sharon we left nine men on. This game followed suit. We were able to get eight hits off a very good pitcher who was throwing in the low 80's with

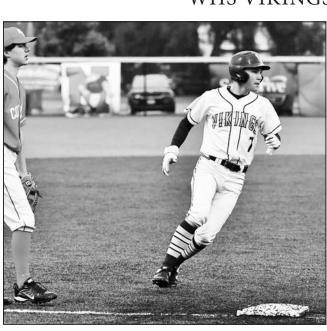
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WHS VIKINGS BASEBALL TRIUMPH OVER BISHOP CONNOLLY



TAKE ME HOME: Zach Bogusz (7), who doubled in the second inning, rounds third with an eye toward home after a wild pitch, but he ended up stranded at third.



LEAPING VIKING: Matthew DeCarney (10) takes to the air but his effort was not enough to beat a throw to first base.



ner reached first base on an errant throw, he almost was tagged out by Winthrop first baseman Phil Boncore (16) who took a throw from second baseman Nich Marchese who astutely backed up the play. The runner, ultimately, was safe.



SEE THAT? Michael Donahue signals to the Winthrop bench after smacking a double that keyed Winthrop's three-run third inning. Donahue later scored Winthrop's first run.

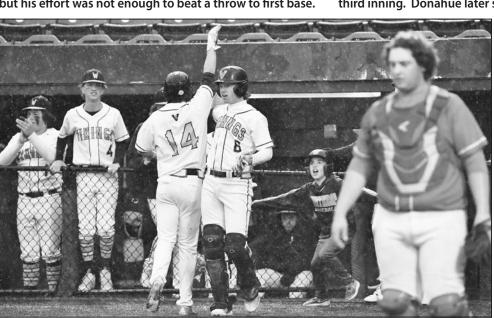
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Baseball in persistent rain and a chill factor in the low forties? No, this was not a pre-season game in mid-March, but a post-season game in June, and despite the elements, Winthrop warmed things up with a 5-2 win over Bishop Connolly in the preliminary round of the MIAA Division 4 baseball playoffs. After bad weather postponed the game from its initial Saturday date, worse weather

greeted the teams Sunday night at Lynn's Frasier Field, where the game was moved to make use of the artificial turf. Winthrop rallied for three runs in the third inning and relied on the solid pitching of lefthander Zach Bogusz, who kept the Bishop Connolly bats in control through 5 2/3 innings on the way to the win. The Vikings advanced to Round 1 on Monday but lost at Uxbridge, 9-0, to finish the season at 9-13.



NOT IN TIME: Shortstop Petey Silverman fields a throw but not in time to prevent a Bishop Connolly stolen base.



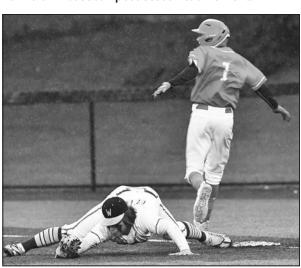
ONE FOR THE VIKINGS: Mike Donahue is greeted by teammates including catcher Colin Kinsella (8) after scoring Winthrop's first run as the Vikings beat Bishop Connolly 5-2 Sunday night at Frasier Field in the MIAA Division 4 baseball post-season tournament.



SWINGING IN THE RAIN: Petey Silverman follows through after making contact as the raindrops fall at Frasier Field Sunday night.



squirts water after a small turf pellet lodged in Pete Silverman's eye when he slid into second



SPLIT DECISION: First baseman Phil Boncore went into a full split to field a low throw for the out.



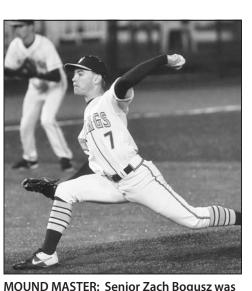
RAINDROPS KEEP FALLING...: Pitcher Zach Bogusz and catcher Colin Kinsella confer on the mound.



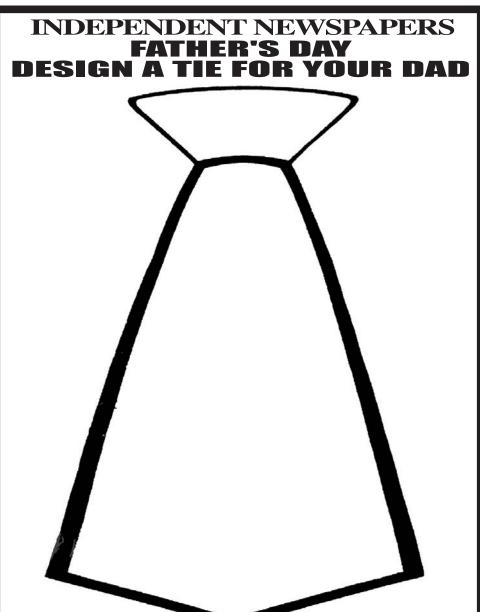
OUT?: Third baseman Jay Fotiades tries to influence the umpire with an "out" sign after putting the tag on a Bishop Connolly runner, but the umpire stuck to his opinion that the throw was late.



SLIPPERY TARGET: Second baseman Michael Donahue can't get the handle on a slow roller.



MOUND MASTER: Senior Zach Bogusz was on target all night as he led Winthrop to a 5-2 win over Bishop Connolly in the preliminary round of the MIAA Division 4 baseball playoffs Sunday night at Frasier Field.



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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND **FAMILY COURT** Suffolk Probate **And Family Court** 24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA 02114 (617)788-8300 CITATION ON PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Docket No. SU23C0259CA In the matter of: Salman Abbas Salman Husain Albanna

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Salman Abbas Salman Husain Albanna of Winthrop, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to: Salman Albana IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at:Suffolk **Probate and Family** Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 06/22/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding. WITNESS, Hon. Brian J.

Date: May 23, 2023 Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate 6/08/23

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LEGAL NOTICE



BOARD OF

APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING 6/22/2023: Case 020-2023

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Chapter 17 of the Code of the Town of Winthrop that the Winthrop Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday June 22, 2023, at or after 6:30 p.m. held in the Harvey Hearing Room upon the

Appointment of Personal Representative has been application of person filed by Mark S. Rush of requesting: Hope Mills, NC requesting Jacob K. Golic and Jenny that the Court enter A. Golic - 29 Winthrop a formal Decree and Shore Drive, Winthrop, Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The applicant seeks a special permit to tear down and rebuild the existing structure and construct a 2? story single family with attached garage.

The public is invited to attend, and interested parties shall have an opportunity to be heard. Copies of the application and plans are on file and available to review at the Town Hall Planning Office, Room 2A, Winthrop Town Hall. Darren Baird, Chairman

Winthrop Board of Appeals 6/8/23, 6/15/23

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Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Date: May 22, 2023 Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate 6/08/23

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PUBLIC HEARING

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2023, at or after 6:30

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Hearing Room upon the

application of person

requesting:

a public hearing on

Thursday June 22,

Samir Souri – 1039 Shirley Street, Winthrop,

LEGAL NOTICES

The applicant seeks to appeal an Order to Correct from Winthrop Inspectional Services for violation of the Town of Winthrop bylaw 145-23 (C).2 by placing a structure in a required side yard, as well as 145-23 (E).1 Traffic Visibility at Driveways.

The public is invited to

attend, and interested parties shall have an opportunity to be heard. Copies of the application and plans are on file and available to review at the Town Hall Planning Office, Room 2A, Winthrop Town Hall. Darren Baird, Chairman

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LEGAL NOTICE



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requesting:

Charles Quigley - 160

Winthrop Shore Drive,

Winthrop, MA The applicant seeks a permit to raze and replace a pre-existing non-conforming one-family home.

The public is invited to attend, and interested parties shall have an opportunity to be heard. Copies of the application and plans are on file and available to review at the Town Hall Planning Office, Room 2A, Winthrop Town Hall. Darren Baird, Chairman Denise Quest, Town Clerk

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The applicant seeks to renew a special permit to utilize the residence for the purpose of renting bedrooms and operating as a legal Bed & Breakfast/Transient Lodging Business. The public is invited to attend, and interested parties shall have an opportunity to be heard. Copies of the application and plans are on file and available to review at the Town Hall Planning Office, Room 2A, Winthrop

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fice, Room 2A, Winthrop Town Hall. Darren Baird, Chairman Denise Quest, Town Clerk Winthrop Board of Appeals

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PUBLIC HEARING

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and construct a 2?

attached garage.

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p.m. held in the Harvey Hearing Room upon the Atlantic Street Winthrop, application of person The applicant seeks requesting: Jacob K. Golic and Jenny a permit to construct A. Golic - 29 Winthrop a 2-story addition in Shore Drive, Winthrop, the rear of the house

> and master suite to an existing single-family structure. The public is invited to attend, and interested parties shall have an opportunity to be heard. Copies of the application and plans are on file and available to review at the Town Hall Planning Office, Room 2A, Winthrop Town Hall. Darren Baird, Chairman Denise Quest, Town Clerk

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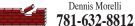
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players we are going to be expecting to contribute for us moving forward.

"I would like to give a special thanks to my coaches who put in so much time and energy this year," Degregorio concluded. "As a head coach, you are only as good as the people you surround yourself with and I could not have asked for a better group of assistants in Michael Vatalaro, Joe Murphy, Anthony Sorrentino, Jack Wallace, Neil Cacciola, and of course, the most important assistant, Frankie Fabiano."

KINSELLA IS ALL-CONFERENCE; SILVERMAN, **BOGUSZ ALL-STARS**

baseball team received a number of post-season accolades.

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The Winthrop High

Colin Kinsella, who hit .460 with nine doubles.

four triples, and three home runs, was named to

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Saturdays, June 10:30-11:30 am, June 24 10:00-11:00 am

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Ages: Kids 4+ with an adult chaperone.

Meet Short at: Beach, on the beach adjacent to the ramp at 1199 Winthrop Ave, Revere, MA on the border between the City of Revere and Town of Winthrop. Although we encourage you to arrive on time, if you arrive late look for us at the tidepools on the right.

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Saturdays, June 3 & 17, July 1 & 15, August 5 &

7:30 am - 8:30 am

We will search on foot up to one mile, on flat, easy terrain for birds at this birding hotspot and state park where about 271 species visit each year. Expect to move to different locations by car or bicycle. Prepare for mosquitoes and ticks. If it has been wet in recent days, boots are recommended. Co-sponsored by the Brookline Bird Club and the Friends of Belle Isle Marsh. Ages: Adults and kids

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Marsh Reservation, Main Entrance Parking Lot: 1399 Bennington Street, East Boston.

Note that this program meets every month of the year on the 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month except when the Saturday is a

state or national holiday

the All-Conference team of the Northeastern Conference. "Colin was also in the running for MVP of the league, as there were only a select few who were nominated for the award," noted WHS head coach Mark Degregorio.

Two Vikings

were

named to the all-star team: Zach Bogusz, who finished the season with a .354 average with six doubles and two triples, and who also led the team with a 2.51 ERA and 47 strikeouts; and Petey Silverman, Winthrop's lead-off hitter, who hit for a .271 average with 15 runs scored and 12 stolen bases. Silverman also committed only three errors on the year at shortstop, "which is unheard of for a high school shortstop," noted Degregorio.

Colin and Bogusz also have been selected to play in the Harry Agganis game, which pits the top high school players in the area in a North vs. South matchup. "It has been a long time since someone from Winthrop has played in the Agganis game and it is well-deserved," said Degregorio.

DESPITE BEST **EFFORTS, VIKINGS** HAD TO PLAY ON FRASER TURF

Although the staff and parents of the Winthrop High baseball team turned in a herculean effort to try to get Veterans Field ready for Saturday's scheduled state tournament game between the Vikings and Bishop Connolly, the contest eventually was moved to the turf at Lynn's Fraser Field on Sunday evening.

"The weather looked okay for Saturday according to the forecast, but we needed to get the field ready because of the heavy rainfall from Friday night," said WHS head coach Mark Degregorio. "We started working on the field at 6:30 a.m. We worked throughout the day, but unfortunately the forecast was not correct as it rained off-and-on, which caused us to not be able to play despite working on the field for a total of eight hours. I would like to thank Assistant Coach Michael Vatalaro, who put in a ton of time

on the field, parent Scott Kinsella, who came down to help, and the assistance of Colin Cash, who is an alumnus and owner of Atlantic Equipment. He brought down blowers and heaters to try and dry out the field. Despite the huge team effort from the coaches and community, we still couldn't get the game in. "Once we knew we

were cancelled, we had to make some calls to try and find a turf field for Sunday because the weather still did not look great," Degregorio continued. "After getting assistance from Sean Driscoll (St. Mary's football coach and Winthrop Parks and Rec Director), Dick Newton (Lynn English Athletic Director), and Rich Avery (Manager of Manning/ Fraser Fields), we were able to secure Fraser Field for Sunday night at 7 p.m. Also, the time and energy that our Athletic Director, Matt Serino, puts in is truly appreciated from everyone involved."

WHS BASEBALL HONORED SENIORS ON **SENIOR NIGHT**

The WHS baseball team observed Senior Night in fitting fashion with a victory over Ipswich two weeks ago.

"We celebrated our four seniors, Colin Kinsella, Zachary Bogusz, Nicholas Marchese, and Ryan Gagnon," said head coach Mark Degregorio. "All four of these individuals were big contributors to our season this past year."

Bogusz took the mound for Senior Night. Zach went the distance, only surrendering one run over seven innings, while fanning six opponents and needing only 89 pitches to get through the game. Zach also helped his own cause at the plate, going 2-for-3 with a triple and two RBI.

Kinsella also contributed to the offense in a big way with a home run and two RBI.

"It was a great team win for us on Senior Night," noted Degregorio. "It allowed these young men to finish on a high note on their home field for

the final time. I was really proud of these young men. The seniors have been as rock solid as it comes all year, whether it was Ryan Gagnon's defense, bunting abilities, and timely hitting, or Nicholas Marchese's stellar defense at second base, helping us turn 11 double plays this year. Colin and Zach are our senior captains and there isn't much they cannot do on the baseball field."

The Vikings then wrapped up their season with a contest against Sharon at Curry College thanks to the efforts of alumnus Vin Eruzione, who is the Athletic Director at Curry. "Vinny Eruzione gra-

ciously allowed us to play Sharon there, as they do not have a home field while they are building their new high school,' said Degregorio.

"We scheduled Sharon

this year knowing they would be a tough opponent because they have one of the better opponent ratings according to the MIAA. Coming from the Hockomock League, where they face some of the toughest teams in the state, including two of the best teams in the state in Franklin and Taunton, we knew they were going to be challenging for us. "We started sophomore

Matthew Reardon, who really came on late for us in the season," Degregorio continued. "Matthew has worked incredibly hard for us this year and throws a heavy fastball. He pitched very well over 3.1 innings. He did not allow any runs. We then turned the ball over to Jay Fotiades when Sharon started to get the timing of Matthew's fastball. Jay has been as solid as it comes for us pitching-wise this year. He mixes up his pitches between his fastball, changeup, and curveball, which makes it very hard on the other team's hitters. Unfortunately for us, an error led to Sharon's two runs.

"We got some excellent defense for Peter Silverman, who has been our captain of the infield," said Degregorio. "He started as a freshman and sophomore in the outfield and quickly became one of our

best outfielders, if not our best outfielder. However, going into the year we needed a shortstop and he has worked so hard and it has truly paid off. There is not a single play he is not capable of making on the field. Petey also went 3-for-4 at the plate with a stolen base. We also received some good hitting from Zach Bogusz, who drove in our only run with a triple, two hits from Philly Boncore, and two hits from Evan Rockefeller, who really turned it on for us toward the second

half of the season. Sharon "We outhit 9-to-5 on the day, but just couldn't get the timely hits we needed," Degregorio added. "We stranded nine runners on base."

WHS GIRLS LAX **FALLS IN TOURNEY**

The Winthrop High girls lacrosse team came up on the short end of a 16-6 decision to Nipmuc Regional High School Monday afternoon in an opening round contest of the Division 4 MIAA state lacrosse tournament.

The Lady Vikings entered the D-4 tourney as the 23rd seed with a 9-9 record, while the Lady Warriors were ranked 10th with a 16-4 mark.

"Although the final score was 16-6, it does not reflect the way the girls played," said WHS head coach Emma Marrs. "We were slow to start and had to adjust to being on grass, as well as the pressure that Nipmuc was putting on us. But as soon as we figured it out and played our game, we started to put the goals on the board.

"Every goal we had was a team goal," Marrs continued. "It was hard work. Nipmuc never let up and we definitely earned all six goals. Each player on the team brought their 'A' game. We played together throughout the entire game and left it all out there, but unfortunately, we were unable to pull off a win.

"It was an incredible season and we took time after the game to reflect on where we were at the start of the season and then where we ended," Marrs concluded.



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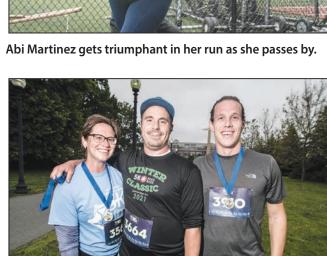
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