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MASSPORT CELEBRATES WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION WEEK

The Massachusetts Port Authority (Massport) is celebrating Women in Construction Week and honoring the contributions of the women who have been involved in Massport's construction projects. This week, pictures of some of the women who work in the Capital Programs and Environmental Affairs (CPEA) Department, which manages all construction projects at Massport, are on display throughout the terminals at Boston Logan International Airport.

"We thank the women of Massport for their hard work and dedication in all of our initiatives," said Massport CEO Lisa Wieland. "Our goal at Massport is to embed diversity, equity, and inclusion into our organizational DNA. Celebrating Women in Construction Week is just one way we celebrate diversity and encourage more women to work in construction, architecture, engineering,

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STATE REP. GIANNINO HOSTS BREAKFAST



Shown above, Ward 6 Councillor Richard Serino, Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro, Ward 4 Councillor Patrick Keefe, Rep. Jessica Giannino, Councillor-at-Large Steven Morabito, and Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky at State Rep. Giannino's Breakfast fundraiser at DeMaino's.



Shown to the right, Sen. Lydia Edwards, Rep. Jessica Giannino, and Mayor Brian Arrigo. See more photos on Page 14.

Revere lifts public indoor mask order

Following guidance issued by Revere's Department of Public Health, Mayor Arrigo has announced that the City's indoor masking mandate is lifted, as of March 14. Since February 21st, the City of Revere has seen low transmission rates and a decrease in daily positivity rate to 3.2%.

Beginning Monday, March 14, 2022, masks will no longer be required

in indoor public spaces, such as Revere City Hall and the Revere Public Library. The mask requirement will be lifted in all City buildings and masks are optional for both visitors and employees. Individual businesses may still choose to require masking.

"Since the beginning of the pandemic, we have always relied on our public health team to guide us in the right direction to keep our residents safe," said Mayor Brian Arrigo. "We believe this is the appropriate next step for our city and for our schools."

"The past two years have been quite challenging on our community, and I hope the lifting of the mask mandate in our schools and our public buildings is the proverbial end of the tunnel" said Council President Gerry Visconti. "I want to commend our residents, business owners, healthcare

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Consumer Advocate Fitzmaurice excels as a regional problem-solver

From a second-floor location atop the Rossetti-Cowan Senior Center on Winthrop Avenue, Allan J. Fitzmaurice is helping hundreds of consumers find solutions to their complaints.

The Revere Consumer Affairs Office (CAO), where Fitzmaurice has

been director since April, 2020, has been very busy. Last year, the Revere CAO processed 367 complaints and returned \$257,000 to consumers.

The Consumer Affairs Office operates under a grant from State Attorney General Maura Healey's Office. The grant application was submitted by Mayor Brian Arrigo's Ad-

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Council voices support for donating directly to Ukrainian refugees

Acting on a motion by Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro, the City Council voted to request that Mayor Brian Arrigo set up a fundraiser through Revere's website to donate and show support for displaced Ukrainian refugees

due to the current crisis.

"It was brought to my attention that there is a link on the city's website to a foundation that we've partnered with, but personally I'd like to see just something from Revere set up on the site," said Cogliandro. "I'd like us to be able to control where we send the money."

Councillor-at-Large George Rotondo said he has donated to Ukraine through a Bed and Bath service that allows families to receive the funds directly for housing.

Ward 1 Councillor Jo-

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Local restaurants set to welcome guests for celebration of St. Patrick's Day

By Cary Shuman

Saint Patrick's Day, the Feast of Saint Patrick, is being celebrated in a big way at Revere dining establishments.

DeMaino's Restaurant, Companion's Restaurant, and Murray's Tavern are among the local restaurants that are rolling out the green carpet in honor of the festive Irish celebration.

Interestingly Lenny DeMaino of DeMaino's and Robert St. Jean of Companion's represent two of the longest-running family-owned restaurants owners in the city while John Murray of Murray's

Tavern at 118 Broadway will be holding his first St. Patrick's Day celebration after taking ownership of the tavern two years ago — four weeks before the pandemic hit the region.

"We have not celebrated St. Patrick's yet at Murray's Tavern," said Murray. "This is our first St. Patrick's Day celebration and we're going to be ready."

The entrance to Murray's Tavern has been exquisitely decorated, with "Meet Me at Murray's" and symbols of the Irish heritage adorning the windows.

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WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH Celebrating with profiles on local women

Sydney Ciano, 2021 RHS valedictorian, publishes a book of her poems

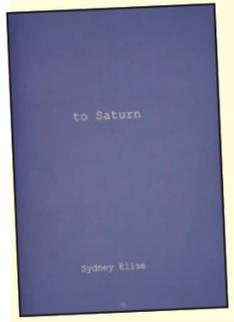
By Cary Shuman

Sydney Ciano is catching the literary scene by storm with the publishing of her first book, "To Saturn," a compilation of her poems that is available for purchase online at Amazon and Barnes and Noble.



Sydney Ciano, whose pen name is Sydney Elise, is a first-year student at UMass Amherst following a sterling academic career

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NSMHA's Director of Recovery Support Services Katie O'Leary

By John Lynds

Growing up in Charlestown Katie O'Leary never thought she'd one day struggle with addiction and later become an influential figure in the world of recovery services.

O'Leary graduated Maignon High School and after graduation went off to college at UMass Amherst.

However, from 1998 to 2001 something became apparent.

"In my very early years it was alcohol because it was so socially acceptable," said O'Leary. "At the time I minimized it. My parents obviously knew that I was struggling with alcohol, but they thought it was just a phase-like partying too much in college. I was a problematic drinker from the second I got to UMass until probably a couple of years after I got home and then obviously things just

got worse."

As the opioid crisis gripped America and O'Leary's hometown of Charlestown in the early 2000s she did not travel down the same road of many of her peers.

"The very early years were alcohol and that was it," said O'Leary. "Some of my friends were junkies and as long as I wasn't a junkie and just drinking I was okay but I was like a full blown alcoholic. I mean, I drank every day and every night. But they were the ones that were sick, not me."

Eventually O'Leary would try pharmaceutical opiates and once she was hooked she moved to heroin.

"Between alcohol and opiates my struggle with addiction was about 8 to 10 years," she said.

But in January 2011 O'Leary entered treatment for the last time and

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ABCD Calls for additional fuel aid funds

Staff Report

As home heating oil reaches an unprecedented high of \$6 per gallon, a whopping 120,000-plus Massachusetts households receiving fuel assistance have used up their benefits.

These tens of thousands of families with young children, seniors and others are scrambling to keep their homes warm as relentless March cold continues to hit Massachusetts.

One working single mother served by ABCD said she called home from the office to tell her son to turn off the heat. "He said 'You mean turn it down, mom?' and I replied 'NO, TURN IT OFF. We are out of benefits and can't afford an oil delivery.'"

At a cost of \$6 per gallon, it takes \$1,650 to fill an oil tank, a fill-up that lasts less than a month.

"America's low-income families are in full-blown economic crisis," said John J. Drew, President/

CEO, Action for Boston Community Development. "They are striving to fill their gas tanks to get to work and buy food and other necessities at soaring prices. These are our most vulnerable residents. They need and deserve help NOW. Here in the Northeast it stays cold through April."

Drew said he and all providers and recipients are grateful for the increased fuel assistance provided this year through the federal Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), but given the current worldwide economic crisis, immediate additional federal help is needed.

The spike in heating costs followed President Biden's March 7 banning of Russian oil imports.

Drew is also hopeful that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will provide heating assistance in the supplemental state budget now in process, thanking Representative Kevin Honan and House

Ways & Means Chair Aaron Michlewitz for supporting an amendment requesting \$50 million in fuel assistance. That amendment was reduced to \$5 million in the House and is now in the Senate with hopes of passage at the \$50 million level.

Immediate fuel assistance funding will be life-saving for oil and propane heat customers who are out of benefits as well as prevent shut off for electric and gas customers. The winter moratorium on shut offs for utility customers ends April 1.

Eligible households most in need currently receive \$1,650 in fuel assistance benefits through the Low-income Home Energy Assistance (LIHEAP) program, an increase from last year intended to help combat the rise in energy costs. But no one anticipated the current sky-rocketing costs that are putting our most vulnerable families at terrible risk.

APPLY NOW! There is funding for new appli-

cants. Boston-area residents can apply by calling ABCD Fuel Assistance at 617-357-6012. Those living in the Mystic Valley region can call 781-322-6284. Help with applications is also available at all ABCD neighborhood centers. A new online system for first-time fuel assistance applicants can be accessed at toapply.org/MassLIHEAP. Go to bostonabcd.org/heat for detailed information, including a listing of neighborhood centers with contact information.

The 2022 federal pov-

erty level for a family of four is \$26,500 in earnings annually or \$12,880 for a single person. To keep struggling families and elders from falling through the cracks, help with fuel costs is also available to those slightly above poverty level. For example, a family of four earning \$78,751 or a single person with an income of \$40,951 may currently qualify for \$989 in fuel assistance.

Donations gratefully accepted

ABCD is grateful for any private donations

to the ABCD WINTER FUND which will be used to help those in fuel assistance emergencies after using up their allocation. Your generous gift can save a household from hypothermia, stop a family from turning to dangerous heating substitutes, prevent sickness, and dramatically improve the quality of life. If you'd like to donate to the ABCD WINTER FUND, please call 617-348-6559, email give@bostonabcd.org or visit bostonabcd.org/give.

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and other related fields."

According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, women comprise only 11% of all the people working in construction and 27% of all people who provide architectural, engineering, and related services in 2021. By comparison, Massport's CPEA Department, which manages all Massport construction projects—from the planning phase and design, to construction and maintenance, is comprised of nearly 40% women.

"I'm proud to say that a diverse group of women are part of the decision-making process in every construction project at Massport," said Dr. Luciana Burdi, the first female Director of the CPEA Department. "A diversity of thought is important as we build world-class facilities that serve diverse people."

Women in Construction Week was started by the National Association of Women in Construction in 1998 to raise awareness and celebrate the work of women in the construction industry across the country.

BAKER ISSUES CITATION FOR GAMBLING DISORDER SCREENING DAY

Governor Charlie Baker issued a citation recognizing Tuesday, March 8, 2022, as Gambling Disorder Screening Day in Massachusetts, praising the Division on Addiction at Cambridge Health Alliance for its "tireless efforts to spread awareness about Gambling Disorder throughout the Commonwealth." Gambling Disorder leads to financial, emotional, social, occupational, and physical harms. It is a treatable mental health condition, yet many cases go undetected and untreated. Failure to detect gambling harm is due, in part, to limited screening for this problem. The Division on Addiction encourages all organizations and providers to partici-

pate in this annual event.

"We join Governor Baker in commending the Division on Addiction for establishing Gambling Disorder Screening Day," said Assaad Sayah, MD, CEO of Cambridge Health Alliance. "Like many other behavioral health conditions, Gambling Disorder disproportionately impacts minoritized communities. Bringing much-needed attention to the need for routine screening for Gambling Disorder, and improving access to treatment through statewide professional development activities, will help alleviate these disparities in line with CHA's mission to provide care to the people."

Gambling Disorder Screening Day is in its ninth year. This international event has grown to include screeners and supporters from Cambridge Health Alliance, Massachusetts and New England, the United States, and around the world. This year, Gambling Disorder Screening Day has over 50 confirmed supporters and event hosts. They range from college health centers, employee assistance and wellness programs, prevention-focused organizations, community-based mental health organizations, gambling operators, and academics and researchers. The Division on Addiction distributed 1,350 free pocket screening guides to 27 Screening Day hosts in 17 U.S. States.

Debi LaPlante, PhD, director of the Division on Addiction and associate professor of psychiatry at Harvard Medical School, said, "We're so proud that people have embraced Gambling Disorder Screening Day. What started as a small grassroots effort in 2014 has grown to an international event with more participants than we ever anticipated. We will continue to support this event for years to come and look forward to bringing more awareness to this issue. Our hope is that by helping people understand their own gambling, we'll connect people to needed help and the path to recovery."

Because of lack of awareness about the need for routine screening and persistent stigma against people experiencing Gambling Disorder and other expressions of addiction, rates of help seeking for Gambling Disorder are low. Routine gambling screening is especially helpful for individuals seeking treatment for substance use disorders and other mental health conditions, which commonly co-occur with Gambling Disorder.

SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAM CELEBRATES 50TH ANNIVERSARY

This March, Mystic Valley Elder Services (MVES) joins the Administration for Community Living and senior nutrition service providers across the country to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the national Senior Nutrition Program.

Since 1972, the Senior Nutrition Program has supported nutrition services for older adults. Funded by the Older Americans Act, local senior nutrition programs serve as hubs for older adults (60 and older) to access nutritious meals and other vital services that strengthen social connections and promote health and well-being.

"Senior nutrition is now more important than ever," says Angie Fitzgerald, Director of Nutrition Services at MVES. "Each year in the U.S., up to half of adults age 65 and older are at risk of malnutrition, and more than 10 million face hunger. In communities throughout the U.S. — including our communities — older adults sometimes lack access to the high-quality, nutritious food they need to remain healthy and independent."

As part of the Senior Nutrition Program network, MVES' Nutrition Services Program, including Meals on Wheels, helps older adults in our community by promoting healthy eating, decreasing social isolation, and improving health. "Our program also provides connections to home and community-based services that can support independence and overall well-being. We deliver 3,000 meals a day to our 11 communities and have 15 meal sites," says Fitzgerald.

"My favorite dish is the Boulet (Haitian Meatballs). It reminds me of my childhood and how my mom used to make them. I am excited whenever they are on the menu!" says Meals on Wheels consumer Marie Gabrielle Gattereau.

For 50 years, senior nutrition services have helped create healthy, strong communities where all members can flourish regardless of their age. That is why MVES proudly recognizes this milestone anniversary of the national Senior Nutrition Program and its tremendous impact on the health and well-being of older adults in our community. Together, we look forward to another 50 years and beyond!

Learn more about our nutrition program and services by contacting us at 781-324-7705 or visiting mves.org.

Council approves 33 appointments at meeting

Staff Report

The City Council Appointments Sub-Committee held a meeting on Monday evening, March 14 where they considered the following appointment(s):

NEW APPOINTMENTS

- Steven Betterman to the Affordable Housing Trust Fund.
- Brian Averback to the Conservation Commission.

- Denise Rampelberg to the Council on Elder Affairs

- Eleanor Vieira to the Council on Elder Affairs

- Linda Doherty to the Council on Elder Affairs.

- Paul Ring to the Library Board of Trustees.

- Robert P. Hanlon to the Council on Elder Affairs

- Sandi Lozier to the Council on Elder Affairs.

- James O'Brien as an associate member to the Zoning Board of Appeals.

RE-APPOINTMENTS

- Re-appointment of Joseph LaValle to the Conservation Commission.

Re-appointment of Heather Legere to the Conservation Commission.

Communication from the Mayor relative to re-appointments to various boards and commissions.

- Toby Cassidy, Conservation Commission

- Denise Sao Pedro, Cultural Council

- Ralph DeCicco, Commission on Disabilities

- Enza Goodwin Commission on Disabilities

- Pauline Perno, Commission on Disabilities

- Irma Accetullo, Council on Elder Affairs

- Vincent Cammarata, Council on Elder Affairs

- Ann Eagan, Council on Elder Affairs

- Agnes Ferrioli, Council on Elder Affairs

- Amedeo Iocco, Council on Elder Affairs

- Josephine Piccardi, Council on Elder Affairs

- Lorraine Repoli, Council on Elder Affairs

- Thelma Smith, Council on Elder Affairs

- Lynn Alexis, HRC

- Chaimaa Hossaini, HRC

- Robert Selevitch, License Commission

- Louis Ciarlone, Planning Board

- John DeSimone, Planning Board

- Sal Amico, Planning Board

- Michael Tucker, Zoning Board of Appeals

- Elizabeth Dixon, Election Commission

- John Cammarata, Election Commission

Communication from the Mayor relative to Special Municipal Employee Status for members of the Council on Elder Affairs.



Revere TV
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SPOTLIGHT

Although the Revere High School Basketball seasons have come to an end, you can still watch the teams in all their glory on RevereTV as each made it to tournament play this year. All games were covered by RTV, and the studio would like to thank the volunteer hosts that showed up so often, Patrick Keefe and Donny Boudreau. To anyone else who volunteered or stood in for the usual hosts every now and then, thank you. The studio's community sports coverage is amplified by the announcers that spend their time to provide play-by-play as the athletes play on screen. Congratulations to both basketball teams for making it as far as they did this season!

Chef Kelly Armetta was back in the studio this week to record another episode of "Cooking Made Simple." This will be Armetta's tenth episode! Any new cooking program episodes premiere at 7pm on Wednesdays after they are recorded and edited. All RevereTV produced shows like this one are also posted to the RTV YouTube page to be watched at any time. All cooking programs at RevereTV were created in partnership with the Rossetti-Cowan Senior Center to provide more television shows on local cable for seniors. However, since then, the studio has learned that many enjoy the cooking programs. In that spirit, coinciding with the month of March and St. Patrick's Day, you can watch a rerun of last year's "Cooking with the Keefe's" special episode where Patrick and Jennifer Keefe make a traditional Irish dinner.

This week's city public service announcement is about the child tax credit available to families with children who file their 2021 taxes. The link provided in the PSA video, findyourfunds.org, also has resources to help those who may not have received COVID-19 stimulus funds last year. For more thorough information, this PSA was recorded in three languages this week and can be found playing in between all programming on RevereTV. The videos are usually available on YouTube in English, Spanish, Portuguese, and Arabic. Check out the RevereTV YouTube page for this announcement and all past PSAs over the last year.

The latest city government meetings include the McKinley School Revisioning Meeting, Human Rights Commission, Public Works Sub-Committee, Appointments Sub-Committee, Revere City Council, Public Art Commission, and License Commission. All city meetings air live on RTV GOV which is channel 9 for Comcast subscribers, and 13 and 613 on RCN. The meetings also stream live on Facebook and YouTube. All meeting times are posted to the city's calendar on revere.org, which is the schedule RevereTV works off of to cover. Meetings replay on RevereTV in the weeks following each meeting.

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Supt. Kelly looks to expand successful Family Liaison program at RHS

By John Lynds

At a Revere School Committee subcommittee meeting Tuesday Superintendent Dr. Dianne Kelly proposed expanding Revere Public School's Family Liaison program at Revere High School.

"One of the things that we have found to be a huge success from our days dealing with COVID is the use of family liaisons

at each of our schools," said Kelly. "They've really done a great job connecting families to the school and we have found them to be quite invaluable. Dr. Lourenco Garcia did a great job hiring a bunch of really great parents to act in those roles. One of the requirements in serving in that role is that the person be a parent of a RPS student and that (program) has been hugely success-

ful." Kelly said one of the things administrators have seen from monitoring the new program is the need for more family liaisons at RHS.

"One of the things that we've seen from our experience is that it's a bit of a stretch at the high school where there are over 2000 students and a lot more families to try to reach out to and connect with," said

Kelly. "So reflecting on the information we have from families and from principals on how effective these roles are we wanted to propose a new position of a second family liaison at RHS and we would hope to find a parents who serve in that capacity who either speaks Portuguese or Arabic to complement the current high school family liaison who speaks Spanish."

Dr. Garcia said the Family Liaison program is one thing RPS put together in response to the pandemic that has really had an impact.

"This is really working successfully towards supporting our families," said Garcia. "All our family liaisons have received training through UMass Amherst. They all have become certified translators. So they have the knowledge, the know-how, the language skills and are a great group of people and I think RHS really deserves an additional one, because of the structure and some of the complexities at the school."

Committee member Car-

ol Tye said she agreed with Dr Kelly's proposal of adding a second family liaison and went as far to suggest there should be more at the high school.

"I wondered if we need more than one additional (family liaison)," said Tye. "When I think of how many kids are at the high school I think we could perhaps consider that maybe the Superintendent can do some sort of analysis and see whether it would make sense to have more than one additional (family liaison)."

Committee member Stacey Rizzo asked if the position would be filled this year or next. Kelly said it would be a short amount of money to fill the position for the remainder of the school year with reserved school budget funding and then try and make it permanent in the budget for the 2022/2023 school year.

"It's primarily for next year, but if we can get someone to start sooner, it would be short money to get us from now until

June," said Kelly. "As you know, we always have differences from what we budgeted to where we are now and there could be some funding there that we could use. So we don't have anybody in mind right now. We would need to do a search and post the position and see if we can find somebody. I would prefer it if we find somebody to bring them on immediately. But if we don't, or if it's June 2 by the time we get through this process, there's no point in bringing them on then. These are school year positions. So it really would depend on how long the process took but we would love to do it sooner rather than later."

Dr. Garcia added that he'd like to see a Portuguese-speaking liaison hired.

"The struggle that we've been having is finding someone that speaks Portuguese," he said. "But I think that with the current salary we'll be offering I think it's a little bit more appealing."

Ciano // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

at Revere High School where she was the Class of 2021 valedictorian and earned the title of poet laureate after being selected by a panel of judges in a writing contest.

An English major, Ciano, 18, has continued her academic excellence as a Dean's List student for the first semester.

"This is my first book, and my poems are about love and friendship, mostly, and most of them were written when I was in high school, so it's a collection over the four years I attended Revere High," said Ciano.

Ciano enjoyed her four years at the high school.

"Revere High was a very good experience," said Ciano. "I feel like I made the most of my time, especially where I really got into poetry and started the Poetry Out Loud Club when I was a freshman. I had a very positive experience with that club."

Ciano said she was inspired "to write and take writing seriously" by her eighth-grade English teacher, Mr. [Edmund] Nazzaro.

"In high school, Ms. [Sara] Colum was the director of the Poetry Out Loud Club, and she was very helpful to me," said Ciano.

What is the significance of the book's "Saturn" title?

"Saturn in astrology is ruled by Capricorn, and a main chunk of this book is about a certain Capricorn person," explained Sydney. "So that's why I used Saturn."

Dr. Kelly lauds former RHS student

Dr. Dianne Kelly, superintendent of Revere schools, said the school district was proud of Ciano's success with her first book.

Sydney has always been an amazing student and I'm not surprised at all by her early success," said Dr. Kelly. "I'm sure this is the first of many writings we will enjoy from Sydney. Not only her teachers, but also her parents and family are to be credited with fostering in her the kind of independent thought and creativity required to produce a book of poetry. And most of all, Sydney has to credit her own hard work and intellect. We are very proud of her."

Ciano also prospered in Revere High's excellent internship program which allows students to work during the school day in a field that they may be considering upon their gradu-

ation. Ciano was an intern for the Revere Journal where she wrote stories for the newspaper.

Ciano attended the Whelan Elementary School and Susan B. Anthony Middle School before entering ninth grade at Revere High.

Sydney is the daughter of Anthony Ciano, an airplane mechanic, and Corinne Ciano, a kindergarten teacher at the Hill School, Revere.

"My parents have been very supportive of my writing endeavors," said Sydney.

Also supportive has been her sister, Ally Ciano, who did the design for the book. Ally is a graphic design major at Endicott College where she will graduate in May.

Sydney is also a talented dancer, having studied dance and assisted at Nicole Zervas Dance Academy in Revere. She was the choreographer for the drama club at the Hill School.

But it's the book publishing world that is capturing Sydney's attention at this point and she has begun working on a second book.

"My goal is within the next two-and-half-year to have my second book published," related Sydney.

Ukraine // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

America is about democracy, and here in the City of Revere, we need to do what we can to help the Ukrainians."

Endicott Avenue resident Aleksandra Desmond stated she favored direct funding to the Ukrainian refugees' cause in Poland and other countries.

Desmond said she is an immigrant from the Soviet Union who came to the United States in 1994. "My grandmother is actually from Mariupol in Ukraine and my grandfather is from Donetsk in

Ukraine. During World War, my grandmother had to flee because we're Jewish and we ended up moving to Moscow. Unfortunately, it wasn't any better there. So, we had come here as refugees on political asylum and unfortunately it wasn't very easy as a refugee.

"If we could maybe create some sort of additional support from all types of organizations within, it would really be more beneficial than a UNICEF-type of funding, because it really is difficult to say

where people's money is going," added Desmond.

Councillor-at-Large Marc Silvestri, a highly decorated United States Army veteran, expressed his support for the motion. "I can only imagine what it would be like trying to be a resident of a neighborhood and having it bombed and tanks roll through it," said Silvestri. "So, anything that we can do here as a Council or I can do to help you facilitate, please don't hesitate to reach out."

WELCOME TO REVERE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ENROLLING YOUR KINDERGARTEN CHILD

If your child will be FIVE years old by August 31, 2022, she/he is eligible to attend all day kindergarten in the Revere Public Schools.

Where do I go to enroll my child?

- All registration takes place at the Parent Information Center, 56 Bennington Street at the Beachmont School (rear parking lot). Please call at 781-485-8453 for an appointment.

What are the days and times for registration?

- If your child will attend one of the following schools in August 2022, you will register at the Parent Information Center during one of the following days and times.

School	Time	Dates
Pre-school	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	Feb 22--Feb 25
Beachmont School	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	Feb 28 - March 4
Paul Revere School	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	March 7-- March 11
Garfield School	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	March 14 - March 18
Lincoln School	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	March 21 - March 25
Hill School	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	March 28 - April 1
Whelan School	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	April 4 - April 8
All schools	By appointment ONLY 9:00am-2:00 pm	April 11 - August

What do I need to bring?

You will need to complete a registration packet and bring the following information at time of enrollment.

- Child's birth certificate with an Official Seal
- Proof of residency: Lease or mortgage and one bill with your name and address such as a Utility Bill (Tax, Gas, Electric, Cable or Phone Bill **no Cell Phone Bill**)
- Medical records: Most recent physical including immunizations
- Valid Massachusetts Driver's license, or passport, or photo ID of parent/guardian is required at time of registration

What medical records and immunizations does my child need to enter kindergarten?

- 5 doses DTaP/DTP
- 4 doses Polio
- 2 doses MMR
- 3 doses Hepatitis B
- 2 doses Varicella or Physician documentation of disease
- Evidence of Lead Test
- Physical Exam that is current (must have been within the last 12 months)
- T.B. Screening or documentation of "Low Risk"

What other information must I provide the school?

- Contact information:** When a parent cannot be reached, the school must have emergency contact numbers of other family members, friends, or neighbors.
- Information Regarding Limitations on Parental Rights:** Any restraining orders/limits on access to student records must be presented at the time of registration.

Where can I get a registration packet?

- At any elementary school
- Parent Information Center
- Early Childhood Office



SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES 2022

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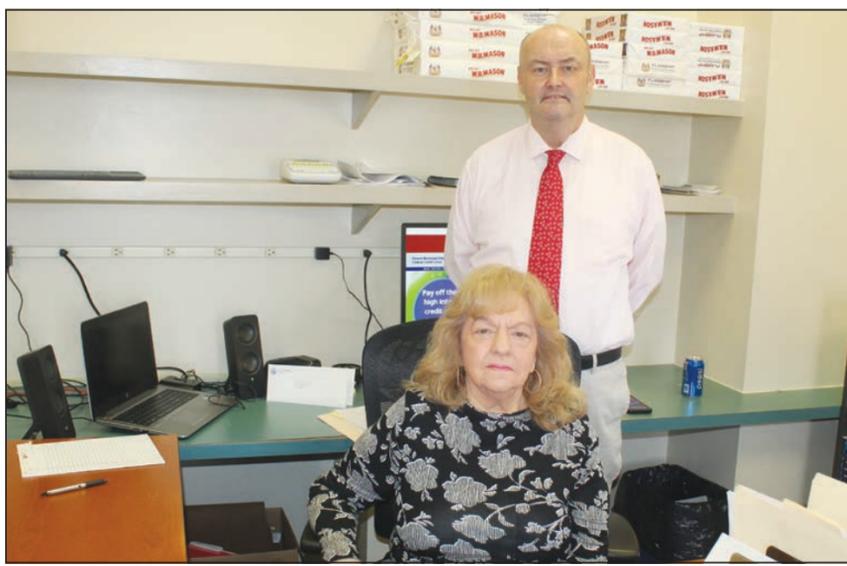


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Scholarship applications must be received by Massport no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 29, 2022.

For more information on these scholarships, including application checklist and criteria please visit

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Allan J. Fitzmaurice, director of the Revere Consumer Affairs Office, is pictured with assistant Marie Lepore, inside their office on Winthrop Avenue.

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lord, that complaint is sent to one of the local consumer protection offices.” Fitzmaurice said the highest number of referrals to his office in the past two years consisted of automobile and used car complaints, home improvement contractor complaints, online shopping complaints, travel-related complaints about trips that were booked and paid for in advance, and landlord-tenant complaints.

While based in Revere,

Fitzmaurice’s Winthrop Avenue office serves 14 municipalities, ranging from Revere, Malden, and Winthrop to Lynn, Swampscott, and Marblehead. Fitzmaurice worked previously as the senior constituent services representative for Revere 311, a successful initiative under the leadership of Mayor Brian Arrigo. It was Arrigo who appointed Fitzmaurice to his current position as director of the Consumer Affairs Office and provides the office

space. In Revere, Fitzmaurice works under the supervision of Mayor Arrigo and the city’s Department of Health and Human Services. “I’m proud to say we have had a successful record of helping consumers and our reach has expanded over the years,” said Fitzmaurice, who is assisted by Marie Lepore, a Revere resident who has worked in the Consumer Affairs Office for 13 years.

St. Patrick’s Day // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

“The restaurant’s been decorated, and everybody is in a festive mood,” said Murray. “We’re getting the corned beef and cabbage ready, the Shepherd’s Pie, Guinness beef stew – and we’ve got some beautiful

drinks, Proper Twelve and Jameson (Irish whiskey). We’re looking forward to a great evening.” Murray’s Tavern will feature Irish music tonight (Wednesday) and the St. Patrick’s Day celebration

will go through the weekend. DeMaino’s, with Lenny DeMaino on hand, welcomed in a large crowd Sunday for State Rep. Jessica Giannino’s breakfast fundraiser Sunday with



John Murray, owner of Murray’s Tavern, is pictured outside his establishment that has been decorated majestically for St. Patrick’s Day.



Lenny DeMaino (right), owner of DeMaino’s on Malden Street, with Kasey Cavallo, Mino Perreira, and Adele Aiello, as they prepare for the St. Patrick’s Day celebration at the landmark restaurant.

two popular mayors, Revere’s Brian Arrigo and Salem’s Kim Driscoll, among the dignitaries enjoying breakfast fare. Lenny DeMaino has now turned his attention to St. Patrick’s Day. The restaurant began serving corned beef and cabbage dinners Tuesday in advance of the March 17 celebration. “We have corned beef and cab-

bage all week and we’re looking forward to having a good time on St. Patrick’s Day and through the weekend,” said DeMaino. “There will be music as well.” Robert St. Jean recalled that two years ago he had just returned from Daytona Bike Week and was preparing corned beef dinners for the St. Patrick’s Day celebration at Companion’s. But the pandemic forced its cancellation. “And last year we were limited to takeout dinners,” said St. Jean.

At noon and continuing until 9 p.m. on Thursday, March 17, Companion’s will be serving corned beef dinners that will include cabbage, boiled potatoes, turnips, carrots, and traditional Irish soda bread. Guests will be treated to a selection of Irish songs. St. Jean has presided over Companion’s at the corner of Broadway and Mountain Avenue for 22 years, with the previous owner (the DeAngelis family) operating the restaurant for 10 years.



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Robert St. Jean (right), owner of Companion’s, is pictured with his restaurant’s favorite customer, Billy, who is holding his brand-new Irish walking stick.



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Happy St. Patrick’s Day
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All Our Love

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O'Leary // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

had been sober ever since.

It was two years into her recovery while she was receiving recovery services from North Suffolk Mental Health Association (NSMHA) when O'Leary met NSMHA Kim Hanton.

In 2013 Hanton suggested O'Leary should look at a career in helping others get and stay sober.

"At first I really wasn't interested to be honest," said O'Leary. "I was working at a rental car company at the airport. I was also bartending and working in the restaurant industry, and I knew that was something that I didn't want to continue to do."

Around this time one of O'Leary's friends asked her if she wanted to take a Recovery Coach class.

"He had a really difficult time writing and he thought he was going to have to do homework and stuff so he begged me to take this class with him," she said. "I thought I was just going to support a friend. I took this course and then a year later this same friend reached out to me and said Kim Hanton was looking for a female

Recovery Coach for NSMHA's East Boston clinic. O'Leary said she interviewed for the job and was hired by Hanton.

Still, she was skeptical of how far this career would go but almost a decade later O'Leary is thriving and now serves as NSMHA's Director of Recovery Support Services.

"NSMHA definitely provided me with a great deal of support, a great deal of training and education," she said. "They've really empowered me and pushed me to seek outside education and supported me in my process of managing up through the years."

O'Leary said as a woman in the field of recovery services she brings a slightly different approach to the job.

"I think there's a lot of empathy and compassion, and just kind of a maternal instinct that kind of comes into play where we (as women) want to nurture people and help them heal and make them whole again," said O'Leary. "I wouldn't say it's a different perspective from what a man would bring to the job,

I would just say it's a more empathetic perspective."

During her last decade of work in recovery services O'Leary said advocating and expanding the Drug Court system has been a legacy she feels most proud of.

"Expanding the Drug Court is the most important piece to me just because it really minimized the authoritative gap between the probation officer, the judge, and then the participant who was receiving services," she said. "We currently have six drug courts. We are in Chelsea, Lynn, Malden, Charlestown, Dorchester and I have Recovery Coaches in all of those courts. I also consult the Court Assisted Recovery Effort (CARE), which is the federal drug treatment court."

When we talked, O'Leary was preparing for her first meeting with the New England Regional Recovery Court Advisory Board, of which she is a member.

"I have my first meeting tomorrow," said O'Leary. "So it's a whole lot of judges and chiefs of police and just very powerful, intimidating people but I'm there to be the voice of the person in recovery to kind of bring a boots on the ground perspective. I think a lot of the time people like myself don't have a seat at the table and there's everybody at the top making decisions that have no idea what's going on on the ground level. So I think they were really methodical about next steps and they wanted somebody that could speak to what is actually happening with the participants in the court. It's pretty cool."

COUNCIL HONORS INDIVIDUALS FOR THEIR LIFE-SAVING EFFORTS AT RHS BASKETBALL GAME



On behalf of the Revere City Council, Ward 4 Councillor Patrick Keefe honored individuals for their life-saving efforts during a medical incident Feb. 7 at a Revere High School basketball game. Revere nurse Donald Boudreau and athletic trainer Keith Correia worked in coordination with Revere Fire Ladder 2, including Acting Capt. Kevin O'Hara, Firefighter Chuck DelGreco, and Firefighter Brian Ciampoli, and Revere Police Officers Bryan Brenes and Joseph Internicola to resuscitate the person who had been in cardiac arrest. Pictured at the ceremony are the heroic individuals, from left, Keith Correia, Chuck DelGreco, Brian Ciampoli, Kevin O'Hara, citation presenter Ward 4 Councillor Patrick Keefe, Joseph Internicola, Bryan Brenes, Council President Gerry Visconti, and Donald Boudreau.



NSMHA's Director of Recovery Support Services Katie O'Leary with her father, Bob, and mother, Donna, during the grand opening of Recovery on the Harbor in East Boston—a recovery support office O'Leary was instrumental in opening last year.



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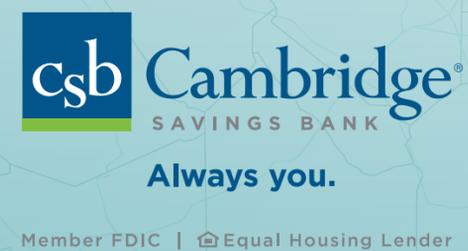
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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR REVERE HIGH STUDENT-ATHLETES

With the winter sports season recently having concluded, we'd like to offer our congratulations to the outstanding performances achieved by our Revere High athletes and their coaches.

The boys and girls indoor track and field teams both won the Greater Boston League championship meets; the boys and girls basketball teams both qualified for the state tournament, with the boys winning a tourney game for the first time in a generation and the girls compiling a superb 11-3 record in the Greater Boston League; and the RHS swim team compiled a sterling 7-3 record and earning many individual championships at the GBL Meet.

This was a trying season for our student-athletes. The GBL shut down athletic competition for a week in January and restricted attendance at games until the final week of the year because of the winter surge of the COVID pandemic

But despite the obstacles, our Patriots and their coaches persevered and excelled.

We know we join with all of our fellow residents both in congratulating our student-athletes upon their success and in thanking them for being a source of pride both for their school and our city.

FREEDOM ISN'T FREE

As the ongoing tragedy in Ukraine, fueled by the barbarism of the war criminal Vladimir Putin, continues to unfold, it is apparent that in addition to underestimating the fierce and brave resistance of the Ukrainian people, Putin also failed to anticipate the resolve of free people around the world to rally in support of the Ukrainians.

Putin clearly had little respect for the West prior to launching his invasion. He believed that we would care more about maintaining our creature comforts and cushy lifestyle than we would about the fate of Ukraine. He assumed that as we watched the carnage from the comfort of our living rooms, our materialistic instincts would trump any sense of sympathy that we might have with the Ukrainian people and that we would not be willing to make sacrifices of any kind in order to support the Ukrainians in their fight against tyranny.

In short, Putin believed us to be soft, weak, narcissistic, and lacking empathy.

However, the newfound solidarity of free people and our leaders (with a few exceptions) around the world in our support of the Ukrainians has proven Putin to be hugely wrong.

Western businesses willingly have sacrificed billions of dollars and Western consumers are paying more for their energy -- and just about everything else -- because of our decision to back the Ukrainians with both military aid and unprecedented economic sanctions that are taking a great toll on the Russia war machine.

With dictators on the rise in Russia, China, No. Korea, and Saudi Arabia (where 81 persons were executed this past weekend), we have re-learned the lesson that the freedoms we enjoy are something that we cannot take for granted.

Thanks to Putin, Americans have found a cause that we all can agree upon -- the right of every person to be free.

The months ahead will not be easy -- though nowhere near as difficult as they will be for the Ukrainian people -- but Putin's barbarism has illuminated a valuable truth that we had ignored for the better part of the past century: Freedom isn't free.

ENJOY A HAPPY (AND SAFE) ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Amidst all of the sadness and tragedy in the world today, the arrival of St. Patrick's Day this Thursday (March 17) will provide a brief and welcome respite from the terrible news that we see on our televisions every day.

Although St. Patrick's Day ostensibly is a holiday with religious (Catholic) and ethnic (Irish) connotations, St. Patrick's Day has become a holiday for people of all nationalities -- a day when "everybody is Irish" -- to share camaraderie and good cheer.

This will be the first St. Patrick's Day in three years that we'll be able to celebrate the holiday collectively now that COVID restrictions are easing.

We wish all of our readers a happy and safe St. Patrick's Day.

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GUEST OP-ED

Ukrainian and American Pain – We must unplug from Russia and China

By Dr. Glenn Mollette

America is no longer buying energy or vodka from Russia. Russians can no longer buy a McDonald's hamburger. They can't pay for their gasoline with a Visa, Mastercard or even an American Express card. One thousand Kentucky Fried Chicken restaurants have ceased operations in Russia. How tough can life become?

For a better picture of a tough life watch some of the news clips played daily on most television stations. See what the Russians are doing each day to Ukraine. Hospitals are bombed. Babies are murdered. Cities no longer exist. Tens of thousands have been killed by the Russian army.

Speculations continue to be expressed among politicians and journalists that Russia may be guilty of war crimes. This seems like a bad joke. Russia has been guilty of war crimes

from day one. They don't care who they kill or how they kill the innocent people of Ukraine. They will use any kind of bomb or chemical to accomplish President Vladimir Putin's evil whim to bring Ukraine under Russian rule. They will even accept weapons from China.

Hopefully we will never buy another thing from Russia. In the meantime, the remnant still battling the Russian Army needs the full support of NATO in weapons, money and humanitarian aid. Sadly, for the thousands who have already been killed it's too little too late.

While we are unplugging trade with Russia we must act accordingly toward China. China is not our friend. Just like Russia, we have made China rich with billions of dollars in trade each year. Plus, America is in debt, over a trillion dollars, to China. Stores across America must put Amer-

ican businesses back to work by buying as many American made products as possible. China has been eyeing Taiwan the same way Russia has been eyeing Ukraine. If Russia successfully takes Ukraine and can survive the aftermath look for China to invade Taiwan. China will then control most of the chips made that runs our cars, phones and computers.

The next scenario is what happens to us when Russia and China combine their efforts toward the United States? Are we able to withstand an attack from Russia and China? It's more than we want to comprehend today. This is why we must become energy independent. Why not use our gas, oil and coal until we have the infrastructure in place to run electric cars?

In my local community of 250,000 people, I do not know of one electric car charging station. Lo-

cal car dealers say it will be two to three years before they will have electric cars to sell. Most American communities are the same and we need time for the infrastructure to catch up. In the meantime, we should use the resources we have to run our country independently.

Gasoline prices and inflation are hurting America but consider what Russia is doing to Ukraine. Americans will survive the pain at the pump if America will go back to our own sources to supply our needs.

Glenn Mollette is the publisher of Newburgh Press, Liberty Torch and various other publishing imprints; a national columnist – American Issues and Common Sense opinions, analysis, stories and features appear each week in over 500 newspapers, websites and blogs across the United States.

Council observes moment of silence for Mrs. Donna Sherman

By Cary Shuman

Ward 6 Councillor Richard Serino led the City Council in a moment of silent tribute for Revere resident Donna Sherman, who passed away on March 1, 2022.

"Donna Sherman was

the Cubmaster of Cub Scout Pack 15 at St. Mary's Church and St. Anthony's Church and then at the American Legion," said Serino. "She was the beloved wife of Jim Sherman and the mom of Jimmy Sherman.

"What made Donna so special, in addition to being a nurse and just being a compassionate woman – she was the Cubmaster even after her son aged out of Cub Scouts. She remained so the kids of Revere could have a Cub

Scout pack until another family was able to take over years later," Serino told the Council.

Mrs. Sherman served as Cubmaster for close to 20 years. "She was such a force in our community for our youth," said Serino.

Council proclaims week of March 13 Jewish War Veterans Week

At the City Council meeting on Monday night, Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky put forward a resolution to honor and recognize Jewish war veterans in Revere. The following is the text of the resolution.

Proclamation

Whereas, the Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America (JWV) was established on March 15th, 1896 by Jewish

Civil War Veterans and now enjoys membership

ranging from World War II through all current conflicts and active-duty personnel; and

Whereas, the Jewish War Veterans is the oldest continuously active veterans' organization in the United States; and

Whereas, the Jewish War Veterans was chartered by Congress on August 21, 1984 under Public Law 98-391, as a patriotic, war-time veteran's organization; and

Whereas, records of Jewish Soldiers fought

bravely and died heroically in every war and conflict in which this nation has participated; and

Whereas, the Jewish War Veterans promotes the welfare and special need of all veterans, fostering Americanism and patriotism, combating anti-semitism, encourages the doctrine of universal liberty, equal rights and full justice to all races and genders; and

Whereas the Jewish War Veterans are celebrating their 126th Anniversary, on March 15, 2022; and

Whereas, today, we honor those of the Jewish faith who have served in wars of the United States of American and humbly risked their lives to protect us all.

Now, Therefore, we, the

members of the Revere City Council of the City of Revere do hereby proclaim the week of March 13, 2022 to March 19, 2022, as:

Jewish War Veterans Week in the City of Revere to honor the Jewish War Veterans in Revere and the Revere Jewish War Veterans in the PrinceStrauss/Groman Post 161 established in 1937 and recommend that the Citizens of Revere give their support and good wishes to this worthy organization. Given in the Legislative Chamber in Revere, this fourteenth day of March in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-two and the of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-fifth.

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workers, first responders, as well as our city's leadership for working together to get us to this point. There is more work to be done and we need to remain vigilant, but I am pleased with the progress we are making. Here's to hoping that the worst is behind us."

The Revere School Committee also amended the face-covering policy for Revere Public Schools. As of March 14, 2022, face coverings will be optional in school buildings. The exceptions to this policy, where school students and staff would be required to wear a face covering, are:

- Any person that is returning from a positive Covid-19 diagnosis after day 5 is required to wear a face covering (mask) for days 6-10
- Any person visiting school health offices (nurse's office)

"I want to thank all our residents and city staff for doing their part and wearing their masks throughout the pandemic and for getting vaccinated," said

Dr. Nathalee Kong, Revere's Chief of Health and Human Services. "Because of these preventive measures, we are seeing a downturn in cases. I hope this is the beginning of a new normal where we learn to live with the virus while still respective the science that will continue to guide us towards a healthier future."

Ward 4 Councillor Patrick Keefe said, "For the last two years, Revere has been in the center of the devastation created by the COVID-19 pandemic. With more date, vaccinations, and natural immunity, I am happy to see the smiling faces of our friends, family neighbors, and loved ones. Let's start living again."

While masks are no longer mandated in certain indoor settings, you may choose to wear a mask or respirator that offers greater protection in certain situations, such as when you are with people at higher risk for severe illness, or if you are at higher risk for severe illness.

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REVERE THROUGH THE YEARS

**10 years ago
March 14, 2012**

City Councillor Bob Haas jumped to the front of the overall billboard issue and did so by taking a page from the playbook of former Councillor George V. Colella – a staunch opponent of billboards during his tenure. Haas led off his charge with the raw numbers (something Colella used to frequently revert to) and those numbers don't look good in Revere. In calling for a one-year moratorium on all billboards, Haas told his colleagues that Revere has 84 billboards currently in place. That compares to 25 in Chelsea, 36 in Everett, 17 in Saugus, and 68 in Lynn.

Enrollment requirements for the new McKinley School will almost certainly force the school community to at least consider looking elsewhere to build its new building. State review teams from the Massachusetts School Building Authority (SBA) have set an enrollment figure for the new McKinley School and it's much larger than many expected. In a letter to the School Department late last week, the SBA wrote that it had determined the new McKinley School should seat 690 students – about 200 more students than the existing McKinley School. The news brings up the definite possibility of relocating the school from its current site.

Activists from Revere, East Boston, and Chelsea were out in full force at a hearing last Thursday to protest Global Oil's plan to bring large quantities of the hazardous material ethanol to its fuel terminal on the East Boston/Revere line. At the state Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) hearing at Revere City Hall, concerned citizens and activists showed up an hour early to the 6 p.m. meeting and held anti-Ethanol signs and chanted slogans that expressed their opposition to the plan.

The Hunger Games, 21 Jump Street, and Salmon Fishing in the Yemen are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

**20 years ago
March 20, 2002**

Two months after the tolls on the Tobin Bridge doubled from \$1.00 to \$2.00, Massport reports that revenues are up, but that vehicular traffic has decreased.

Two men died in a car accident on the Revere Beach Parkway at the entrance to the Parkway Plaza early Sunday morning.

Ray's Sunoco, is observing its 35th anniversary this week under the proprietorship of Ray Couillard, who pumped gas there for eight years before purchasing the business in 1967.

Superior Court Judge Janet Sanders has overturned a decision by the City Council and has ordered the city to allow Dunkin' Donuts to construct a drive thru window at 145 Broadway.

The annual Revere Carnival returns to the parking lot at the Showcase Cinema starting today through April 14.

We Were Soldiers, The Time Machine, and Queen of the Damned are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

**30 years ago
March 18, 1992**

City Treasurer and Tax Collector George Anzuoni said the city is ready to

move against tax delinquents who owe the city more than \$4 million. The city is facing a possible deficit for the coming fiscal year because of slow tax collections.

Eight educators from the former Soviet Union visited the Garfield School this week as part of their tour of schools along the East Coast.

Although Revere is not participating in the School Choice program that would allow students from other school districts to attend Revere schools, School Supt. Rocco Malfitano told the School Committee that six RHS students have chosen to go to other high schools, including two who are going as far away as Manchester.

Shadows and Fog, Noises Off, and Basic Instinct are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

**40 years ago
March 17, 1982**

With Mayor George V. Colella on his annual vacation to Winter Haven, Florida, where the Red Sox have their spring training camp, the City Council voted 6-5 to request the State Ethics Commission to investigate whether it was legal for Colella to name Peter Taber as Acting Superintendent of Public Works while Supt. Henry Trifone is in the hospital. Taber is neither a city resident nor a city employee.

Revere cable subscribers vented their wrath at Colonial Cablevision because of the recent blackout by the local cable operation of ESPN on the eve of the NCAA basketball tournament.

The state Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission has ordered the Revere Licensing Board to reinstate the liquor license of Charlie O's, thereby reversing the board's decision in November to revoke the license after area residents had complained about noise at the cafe.

The Atlantic Savings Bank formally merged into the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank effective March 1, bringing to an end a local banking institution that had served this area for decades.

State Senator Francis Doris has been named the chairman of the Special State Commission on the Concerns of Vietnam Veterans.

Fred Astaire, John Houseman, Melvyn Douglas, and Douglas Fairbanks Jr. star in Ghost Story at the Kincade Theatre in Winthrop.

**50 years ago
March 18, 1972**

Fire Chief Anthony Masfronardi was brought before the City Council for an hour of closed-door questioning regarding alleged conflict of interests matters that have been charged by City Councillor Edward O'Hara.

Revere has been informed that it will receive a \$400,000 federal grant to study the city's traffic light system.

City officials are gearing up their opposition to the proposed I-95 extension plan, which will bisect the city and result in the taking of homes and businesses.

State Atty. General Robert Quinn has ruled that the MDC has the authority to fluoridate the water of the 32 communities it serves.

A Saugus resident was arrested in a raid at a Re-



Mayor George Colella cuts the ribbon of Mystic Kitchens in Revere, along with the owners, Joe Testa (left) and George Menihtas in 1990.

vere apartment by local police where they discovered thousands of dollars of goods that had been stolen from area department stores.

The Small Business Administration reports a brisk business at Fr. Cronin Hall of Our Lady of Lourdes Church where the SBA has set up an office to accept applications for assistance from residents whose homes were flooded during the powerful nor'easter in February.

The Gang that Couldn't Shoot Straight is playing at the Winthrop Cinema.

**60 years ago
March 15, 1962**

City Manager Edward P. O'Toole defended his decision not to put 42 lots of city owned land out to auction, but which instead were sold to a local developer, Philip Barletta, for a total of \$4875. O'Toole said that the lots on Ridge Rd., Aldrich Ave., and Prospect Ave., will require the developer to install his own sidewalks, sewers, and water mains at a minimum cost of \$45,000.

The 91st annual Spring Flower Show of the New England Horticultural Society will be held this week at Wonderland Park.

More than 500 exhibits from RHS students will be on display this week at the annual Revere High Science Fair this week.

As a result of a protest meeting held at Our Lady of Lourdes Hall by angry homeowners whose homes were flooded by the recent overflow at Sales Creek, state officials have announced that dredging work will begin along the creek within 10 days. More than 200 homes at Roughan's Point were flooded by the high tide and waves because of poor drainage in the area which can be improved by channel excavation and widening of Sales Creek.

The Garfield School was forced to be closed last week by poor drainage which caused running sewage inside the school.

The City Council has approved by a 4-3 vote a budget of \$7,305,018 for this year, eliminating only \$49,450 in spending that had been submitted by City Manager Edward P. O'Toole.

Paul Newman and Jackie Gleason star in The Hustler at the Revere Theatre. Elizabeth Taylor stars in Love is Better Than Ever at the Revere Drive In.

**70 years ago
March 13, 1952**

The Executive Council unanimously approved the appointment by Gov. Paul Dever of local attorney and former School Committeeman Salvatore Aloisi to the State Emergency Finance Board. Aloisi has been a member of the board since 1946, making him its longest serving member.

The School Committee

has approved a pay raise of \$300 for all school employees effective July 1.

John E. Sullivan, a teacher of English at Revere High for 25 years, has been appointed an Asst. Professor of Education at the State Teachers College in Worcester.

Mrs. Mildred Armstrong is the new President of the local Emblem Club.

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The election of an acting City Clerk to replace Joseph McChristal, who has enlisted in the armed services, has resulted in an intense battle among City Council members. Some are supporting former mayor Laurence Gillis, while others are supporting the current Assistant City Clerk, Mrs. Reta Bishop.

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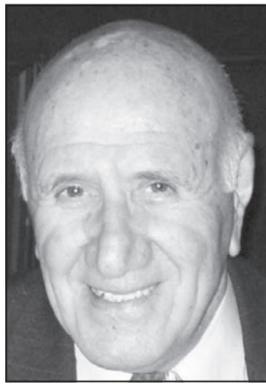
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OBITUARIES

Vincent Milano

US Army veteran of World War II

Vincent Milano, a lifelong resident of Revere, died on March 11 at the age of 94.



Vincent proudly served his country in the US Army during WWII and was awarded the Occupation Medal and the World War II Victory Medal. He retired from General Electric after many years as a machinist. Over the years, Vincent owned many Chevy Camaros, including the new SS he purchased on his 90th birthday. He enjoyed taking long rides with the love of his life, Louise by his side. Family was everything to him and he will be sorely missed by all who knew him.

Born on March 23, 1927 to the late Vincenzo and Angelina (Marotta) Milano, he was the beloved husband of 68 years to the late Louise (Festa) Milano, devoted father of Vincent J. Milano and his wife, Vivian of Georgetown, Robert Milano of Wakefield/Lynnfield, John Milano and his wife, Margaret of Salem, NH and daughters in law, Mary Jo Milano of Lynnfield and Donna Neligon of Salem; dear brother of Carmela Infante of Revere, Joseph Milano of California and the late Salvatore Milano, Josephine DeSisto, Phillip Milano and John Milano;

cherished grandfather of Heather Bisset and her husband, Jason, Stephanie Shepherd and her husband, Brad, Vincent Milano and his wife, Megan, Nicole Milano, Sophia Milano, Alyssa Milano, Bianca Milano and seven loving great grandchildren. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

His Funeral will be held at the Paul Buonfiglio & Sons-Bruno Funeral Home, 128 Revere St, Revere today, Wednesday, March 16 at 9 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Anthony's Church in Revere at 10 a.m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Interment will be at Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Vincent's name to the Alzheimer's Association at www.alz.org or at 225 N. Michigan Ave., FL. 17, Chicago, IL 60601. For guest book please visit www.buonfiglio.com.

Kerry Haughney

Revere School Teacher for 25 Years whose role as "educator" went far beyond the classroom

A Funeral Mass was celebrated on March 11 in Ave Maria Parish - Our Lady of the Assumption Church, Lynnfield for Kerry E. (Collins) Haughney who died on Monday, March 7 at the Glen Ridge Nursing Care Center in Medford following a long illness. She was 79 years old. Services concluded with interment in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Kerry was born at home in Revere to the late George T. Collins, Sr. and The Honorable Katherine E. (Kerrins) Collins. She was one of four children, she had three brothers.

She was educated in Revere and was a graduate of Revere High School, Class of 1961. Kerry had a deep passion for teaching and pursued a career in education. She graduated from Fitchburg State University, Class of 1967. She went on to receive two MBA's in education from Boston State College and Salem State College, now called Salem State University.

Kerry married Joseph F. Haughney on December 29, 1971.

Early in Kerry's career, she began as a teacher in Revere Public Schools. Due to her husband's active-duty military status, she and her family later moved to Oklahoma for several years and she taught there. In 1974, Kerry and her family returned home to Revere and Kerry began her 25-year teaching career with the City of Revere. Kerry loved teaching and molding young minds.

Kerry and her family enjoyed many summers at their Cape Cod home in East Sandwich. She was very proud of her long-time role as Trustee of the Lynnfield Public Library. She was also a member of the Retired Revere Teachers Association.

Kerry took a great deal of pride in her family and her home which she filled with love and happiness. She was most proud of her children and their



accomplishments.

Kerry also enjoyed hosting her annual "Tea Parties" with over 40 ladies at her home. She was a great collector of fine China and crystal. Her legacy is her children and grandchildren and her role as "educator" went far beyond the classroom.

The beloved wife of 50 years to Retired USAF Lt. Colonel Joseph F. Haughney of Lynnfield, she was the loving and proud mother of Christine E. Dare-Bryan and her husband, Thomas H. of Larchmont, NY, Jonathan J. Haughney of Seabrook, NH and Gretchen B. Haughney of Arlington; cherished grandmother of Henry J., Elisabeth A. and one more grandson on the way; devoted daughter of the late George T. Collins, Sr. and The Honorable Katherine E. "Kitty" (Kerrins) Collins; dear sister of the late Attorney Robert F. Collins, Stephen F. Collins and George T. Collins. She is also lovingly survived by several nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

The staff at Vertuccio & Smith Home for Funerals is most honored to have assisted the family in completing funeral arrangements. To send online condolences, please visit www.vertuccioand-smith.com.

Marie Matarese

Former Editor of the East Boston Times

Family and friends are respectfully invited to attend a Memorial Visitation in the Vertuccio & Smith, Home for Funerals, 773 Broadway (Rte. 107) Revere on Friday, March 18 from 3 to 5 p.m. for Marie (Marcella) Matarese, a longtime resident of Revere, formerly of East Boston, who died peacefully surrounded by the love and care of her family on February 24 in Orlando, Florida, following a long illness. Following the visitation, a Celebration of Life will be held at Spinelli's Function Facility, Route 1 South, Lynnfield from 6 to 9 p.m.

Marie, of Revere, was a native of East Boston. She was educated and raised in East Boston and was a proud graduate of East Boston High School. Marie furthered her education at Hitchcock School of Business in Copley Square and was a proud graduate of that school. She was a longtime employee at the East Boston Times, where she began with in-house publishing, and continued on to working in the News Department, as a reporter, a columnist, an ad illustrator and finally, the editor.

Marie's personality was unstoppable, there wasn't a thing that she couldn't accomplish. Following her long career at the East Boston Times, she later worked at the Post-Gazette. Marie's talents were endless. She was also the owner of her own decorating business in Winthrop, "Decorator's Delight," which she owned and operated for several years and she then worked as a private decorator on the North and South Shore. Marie also worked at Macy's in the Men's Fragrance department for 10 years. She also sold conversational pieces. She owned all sorts of fine things, especially jewelry. She owned and managed several multifamily buildings in East Boston and Revere as well as condominiums along Revere Beach.

Marie was always dressed for any occasion. She was a beautiful and intelligent woman who had a flair for fashion, design and business. She en-



joyed traveling throughout her life. She traveled to Italy several times, South America, The Islands, Disney and Ft. Lauderdale. She especially enjoyed spending her winters in Florida.

With all of her talents and skills, being a mother and grandmother was always most precious and sacred to Marie. She was most proud of her son and daughter, as well as their spouses, who she loved as if they were her own. Her grandchildren were on another level. She kept friendships that lasted a lifetime and had lots of them as they shared parties and life together.

She was the beloved wife of the late Joseph H. Matarese, devoted mother of Loren M. Russell and her husband, James of Salem, NH and Joseph Matarese and his wife, Tracy of Windham, NH; cherished grandmother of Derek Russell and his fiancé, Ashley Gaughran of N. Andover, Adriana Bolduc and her husband, Larry of Salem, NH, Isabella Matarese and Jake Matarese, both of Windham, NH, dear sister of John Marcella of Malden, Gerry Weinert of Revere and the late James Marcella; dear friend of the late Louis J. Torrone. She is also lovingly survived by several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22478, Oklahoma City, OK 73123.

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Mora Ann Ambrosino

Devout Catholic who loved God, family, friends and card games

Mora Ann (Bruno) Ambrosino, 81, of Winthrop, formerly of Revere, passed away peacefully on December 23, 2021 after a brief illness.

She was the beloved wife of the late Alphonse A. Ambrosino, loving mother of Kathy (Ambrosino) Balestrieri and her husband, Drew and grandmother to Drew Ryan Balestrieri.

Mora was born and raised in Revere to the late Joseph and Margaret (Castaldo) Bruno.

Mora, in her later years, moved to Winthrop and made it her new home. She was a loving, generous and kind wife, sister, mother, aunt and grandmother.

After a variety of secretarial jobs, she graciously settled in on being a housewife and mother after her daughter Kathy was born. She was a devout Catholic who loved God, family, friends and card games.

Mora was the sister of late Carmine Bruno (late Bella), and Marion Cozad (late Robert) of Revere. She was adored by nieces: Debra Scorzoni (late Bobby), Dorothy Ghisolfi and



her husband, Claudio and nephew, Donald Cozad. She is also survived and loved by many more nieces and nephews.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, March 19 at 10 a.m. in St. Michael the Archangel Parish, (formerly St. John's the Evangelist Church), 210 Winthrop St., Winthrop, followed by burial in Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett. Relatives and friends are invited.

Donations in her memory can be made to EWTN Global Catholic Television. Funeral arrangements are from the Maurice W. Kirby Funeral Home, 210 Winthrop St., Winthrop.

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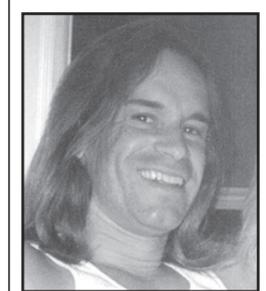
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OBITUARIES

Joseph "Pete" Labbe, Jr.

Member of America's Greatest Generation

Family and friends are invited to attend Visiting Hours on Thursday, March 17, from 10 a.m. to noon in the Vertuccio & Smith, Home for Funerals, 773 Broadway (Rt. 107) Revere for Joseph H. "Pete" Labbe, Jr. who died on Monday, March 14 at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston following a brief illness. He was 96 years old. A Funeral Service will be held in the Funeral Home at 12:15 p.m. followed by interment in Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett.



be an asset to the company. He was able to do the work of several men, and no one knew their craft like Pete.

During his years in retirement, he enjoyed spending time with his children and grandchildren, and in later years, his great grandchildren. He was a "puzzle enthusiast," who enjoyed assembling all types of puzzles, the most complicated puzzles were his favorite.

Pete left Chelsea in 1998, five years after losing his wife, Evelyn to make his home with his son, Ken and daughter-in-law, Susan in Revere. Pete's humble upbringing, his love for his country and his commitment to his family are an example of why he and so many other of his era were defined as America's "Greatest Generation."

The beloved husband of 34 years to the late Evelyn (Demers) Labbe, he was the loving father of Alfred J. Labbe and his wife, Mary of Stoughton, Kenneth H. Labbe and his wife, Susan of Revere and Theresa M. "Terri" Camley and her husband, Robert of Everett; cherished grandfather to Janeen Labbe and her husband, Matthew Enos of Stoughton, Jason K. Labbe and his wife, Rachel of Woburn, Joseph R. Camley of Everett, Janelle S. Labbe of Revere, Deanna M. Camley of Malden and Lisa Labbe of Stoughton; adored great grandfather of Camille, Flavia, Isabella, Dorian and Brandon; dear brother of the late Evelyn Longo, Alice Basile, Jeannette Richard, and Yvette DeStefano. He is also lovingly survived by many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

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Human Rights Commission meeting is disrupted again

By Journal Staff

For the second time in three months, a meeting of the Revere Human Rights Commission (HRC) was forced to adjourn when a small but vocal group of persons became disruptive at the tail end of the meeting.

HRC chairperson Janine Grillo Marra gavelled the meeting to an abrupt end when audience members refused to heed her request to speak only when recognized at the podium. Although the comments made by the audience members were inaudible on the livestream feed (the Journal's reporter was not in attendance), it was apparent that some of those in attendance were making comments out-loud.

The meeting began with a preview of what was to come later when an audience member stepped forward expressing a desire to recite the Pledge of Allegiance. However, Marra informed the woman that she would have an opportunity to speak during the public forum portion of the meeting.

Marra then gavelled the meeting to order.

"Well, that was an odd way to begin," noted Marra.

In addition to Marra, fellow commissioners Lynn Alexis, Fire Chief Chris Bright, Police Chief David Callahan, Chai Hossani, Rachid Moukhabir, Kourou Pich, Rev. Timothy Bogertman, and Dr. Lourenco Garcia were in attendance, as well as the HRC's Executive Director, Dr. Maritsa Barros, EdD, who is the city's recently-appointed Chief Officer of Talent and Culture.

After the roll call of commissioners, the commission held what it refers to on its agenda as a "Land Acknowledgment," which, Marra said, "helps us to remember the history of this land and pay honor to that."

Marra first presented a slide that stated, "We would like to acknowledge the traditional overseers of this land on which this meeting takes place as well as honor what this land means to the culture and traditions of those who originally occupied this space. In addition, we extend a welcome to any aboriginal, Native American, and/or First Nation people joining us today."

She then presented another slide of an historical map of southern New England which showed the various indigenous tribes who occupied the region prior to the arrival of European settlers.

Marra then rang a bell to signify the "Arrive and Settle" item on the evening's agenda. This part of the agenda is a meditative session led by Marra in lieu of the usual Pledge of Allegiance that precedes all other city boards and commissions.

Marra presented a photo of the sky with pinkish clouds during the exercise. "See if you can be like

the sky with your own experience, so whatever sensations, emotions, thoughts are here, see if you can be a welcoming host or hostess to that experience," said Marra.

"Now let's take a moment of silence to include what's happening in the world in Ukraine, those who are under attack, those who are fighting, the fear, the helplessness, the dominance," Marra continued. "Let's see if we can include all in our hearts because conflict, violence, and division is not how we're wired. Despite how things might appear, we're more fundamentally connected than we realize."

Marra then rang a bell to signal the next item on the agenda, in which the commissioners together recited the HRC's Mission Statement, which states as follows:

"The Mission of the Revere Human Rights Commission is to promote human and civil rights and empower all people of Revere by ensuring that everyone, especially the most vulnerable and marginalized, have equitable opportunities, equal access, and are treated with dignity, respect, fairness, and justice."

After Marra presented a slide to inform individuals how they can support the Ukrainian people, Barros then presented her Director's Report. The topics, and Barros's comments, were as follows:

a. March is Women's History Month:

"I want to remind us to celebrate women everyday," said Barros.

b. 21-day Racial Equity Challenge:

"This challenge calls for individuals to build a new habit of engaging in, and learning around, matters and conversations of race and anti-racism. We are going to jump into this challenge as city employees. There is information on our website," said Barros. "We are starting to do our work in the city. There are opportunities for daily engagement as we start to exercise this muscle of inclusive intelligence. This is self-development work."

"I want to thank you for the initiative and effort," said Garcia, commenting on Barros's presentation. "I think it comes at the right moment and time. When people work together in partnership, we can accomplish a lot. Revere needs us to work together with all people, with all races, identities, and cultures. The goal is to support all families across the board, especially those who have been marginalized."

"If we're going to abolish racism in our city, we all need to play a role," added Barros. "We need to educate ourselves in what it takes to be a racially-equitable city."

c. Mission and Vision (overview) for upcoming months:

Barros then explained what she sees as the vision for the city moving

forward. She highlighted portions of the Mission Statement and the need to align the work of the commission to identify the goals of the city's Racial Equity Municipal Action Plan (REMAP).

"Equity will not come without collective effort," she said. "We must cut across our differences."

"Thanks so much for leading us forward," said Bogertman.

"I'm excited for the work," added Alexis.

"As a white person, I am doing my best to look at what racism means, because I didn't really understand it," said Marra. "It's not about taking away from any group, but how we can have a better sense of belonging...and understanding how I, as a white person, may have contributed to systemic racism."

The meeting then moved on to its "Topics for Discussion:"

a. Reminders for the Public:

Marra informed members of the public that they are able to submit agenda items via the HRC's web site.

Under "Other Business," none of the members presented any new business.

The meeting then came to its last agenda item, "Open Forum."

Grillo began this part of the meeting by presenting the guidelines for the commission's public meetings, emphasizing that the public forum should be conducted in a respectful manner.

"We want to hear about what is working well in the city and what is not working well, what we're not doing," said Marra.

Gina Salamone Castiello, who said she is a lifelong Revere resident, was the first member of the audience to address the commission.

"You talked about conflict, fighting, and division. I think this particular group, the Human Rights Commission and the city of Revere, is causing this," she said.

"You walk into Revere High and there is a big Black Lives Matter banner," she continued. "Critical race theory is being pushed and inciting violence in our community... I am totally against this and so aren't a lot of other white people."

"My freedoms are being taken away here in the city of Revere," Castiello went on. "There is not systemic racism in the city of Revere.... Being of Italian descent, I am very personally affected by taking away some of our celebrations such as Christopher Columbus Day. I'm looking to be respected and heard in my community. I'm looking for the city in which I grew up to be normal, if you will. I welcome with an open arm anyone coming into our community. However, being a long-time taxpaying citizen, I'm not looking for special treatment, I'm looking for equal treatment. Too many are get-

ting special treatment and I think this commission is helping this along the way."

The next member of the audience to speak, who gave only her first name (Claudia), then stepped to the podium.

"I am a resident and city employee," she said. "I was not planning to speak. I think you're doing a great job. I've seen people wanting to participate more and apply for jobs in the city who previously may not have been comfortable doing that. I just want to say, 'Thank you.' It makes it easier for people to be a part of the city of Revere team."

Castiello then returned to the podium.

"People are in fear, they are afraid to speak, afraid of losing their jobs if they disagree with what this body represents in our city," she said. "This is pushing critical race theory and creating a lot of division in our city."

Castiello, who said she was in attendance at the commission's meeting in December, said she afterwards was called "garbage" by a member of the commission and that another attendee was called a "white supremacist."

Commissioners Bogertman, Pich, Alexis, and Moukhabir addressed the issues raised by Castiello and said they welcomed the conversation and her perspective. They also apologized for the negative comments that had been directed at her in December.

Marra pointed out that the city's demographics are changing and that 60% of the city's residents now are non-white.

Another audience member, Michael Sparks, a lifelong resident and veteran, then addressed the commission.

"To me, that is scary, a Black Lives Matter sign with a fist in the high school," he said. "Black Lives Matter is a terrorist organization. They were burning down most of the country over the past two years and then their leader was taking millions of dollars and building a mansion. I am scared that that kind of stuff is being promoted in the high school and is being allowed.... This is clearly from the United Nations...but this is the United States of America. We are not run by the United Nations. Their ideas do not have to envelop our ideas...I just want to say that all lives matter."

After Sparks's initial comments, there ensued a vitriolic exchange among Sparks, Barros, and Marra. When Sparks sat down, random outbursts from members of the audience (who were off-camera), similar to what occurred at the December 2 meeting, then took place.

Marra gavelled the meeting to what she termed a "suspension."

However, the meeting did not resume and was adjourned.

Senior Center to offer spring evening classes, events starting March 28

Staff Report

Senior Center Director, Deb Peczkka, announced that the Senior Center will be offering evening events at the Rosetti-Cowan Senior center this spring to provide activities for Revere Seniors who are unable to participate in daytime classes.

Two classes will be held

on Monday evenings.

Ceramics

Classes will be held from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM.

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Class size will be limited to 15 people

There will be a \$5 fee to attend.

Peczkka also announced that the Senior Center staff are planning to conduct a series of Friday Night dinner and entertainment events this spring.

"One of our major goals this year is to intro-

duce events and activities that meet the needs of all members of Revere's elder community including younger seniors and seniors from our diverse cultural communities."

To participate in all Senior Center Events, you must call the Senior Center At 781-286-8156 to pre-register.

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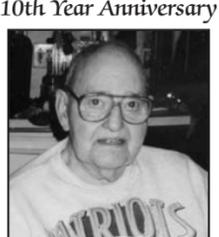
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East Boston's Constitution Beach hosted Save the Harbor/Save the Bay's annual polar plunge to raise money for summer beach programs.

sands of dollars each year for the Better Beaches grant program was held at Constitution Beach on Sunday, March 6, and included music, raffles, prizes, and a cold dip into the frigid waters off Eastie.

The annual Shamrock Splash raises tens of thou-



State Reps. Adrian Madaro and Jessica Giannino at Constitution Beach.



Teams that raised money for Save the Harbor/Save the Bay's Better Beaches Grant Program through Sunday's Shamrock Splash line up and get ready to take the plunge into the cold waters off Constitution Beach.



State Rep. Jessica Giannino with her aide, Christopher DeFilipis at the Shamrock Splash.



While some splashers wore costumes others went for the Shamrock Splash's Irish theme.



The shock on the splashers' faces was evident as they entered the 38.1 degree water in East Boston.

'Parent are blocking driveways'

Councillor Cogliandro wants parking enforcement on Tuckerman Street

By Cary Shuman

Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro said that parents are blocking driveways on Tuckerman Street as they wait in their vehicles to pick up their children after school at the Lincoln Elementary School.

the Revere Police Department have an officer present on school days to address the problem, and the City Council unanimously supported his request at its March 14 meeting.

"Myself and the Lincoln School staff have both received a lot of complaints about this issue," said Cogliandro. "There

is periodically an officer down at the intersection, with the crossing guard. I've seen them less over the last couple of months or so. I did see an officer there the other day, but the problem lies with Tuckerman Street. Residents are having their driveways blocked. The double parking makes it very diffi-

cult to travel through that street. It is a safety issue for the children, and I'm hoping that maybe sending an officer there even for just a little while is a deterrent for people to cause such congestion on Tuckerman Street."

Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky said he has witnessed similar dou-

ble-parking issues at the Garfield School.

"I've actually asked the Parking Department to send people down, and also the Police Department when they're blocking someone's driveway," said Novoselsky. "It's nice that parents want to pick up the kids up at school, but they don't have to be

rude and block people's driveways."

Cogliandro concluded the discussion by stating that his request for parking enforcement on Tuckerman Street has the support of Revere Parking Director Zachary Babo. "He was in favor of this motion," Cogliandro indicated.

CITY PAWS

Puppy Dog Tails

By Penny & Ed Cherubino

Dogs' tails are fascinating. You may think you know how they communicate with their tails, but subtle differences in tail position can make a difference. Here's more about these expressive and useful appendages.

Anatomy and Types of Tails

The Farmer's Dog website describes the anatomy of a dog's tail. "Canine tails are the last segment of the spine and are made up of as many as 23 vertebrae that get progressively smaller from base to

tip. The tail also includes muscles that enclose the bones, as well as tendons and nerves."

Breed standards for dogs have precise information about the characteristics required for a proper tail. Beagles always have a white tip on their tails to help spot them in high grass. Huskies should have lush tails they can use to wrap around their face for warmth and protection when resting. Retrievers' tails should be otter-like to serve as a rudder when swimming. Dogs also use their tails to help them balance.

There are also curly tails sported by breeds like the Shiba Inus and the variant found in Pugs and Frenchies, the corkscrew tail. Greyhounds have whip tails. While a few breeds like the Pembroke Welsh Corgi have a natural short stub of a tail, far too many dogs have had their tails docked purely for style. Fortunately, this practice is now illegal in many areas where it is considered animal cruelty.

Happy Tail Injuries

A dog's tail can also alert you to a medical problem. Anytime you

see your dog's tail carried in an unusual position, do a bit of checking. It can signal something simple like an itchy hot spot on the skin to a more severe problem like a happy tail injury.

Dr. Marty Becker writing for VetStreet explains, "This type of injury occurs when a dog with an outgoing personality and a long tail repeatedly thwacks the tail against a hard surface such as a crate or wall. Really happy dogs — think Golden Retrievers or Cavaliers — or dogs with thin, delicate skin, such as Greyhounds, wag so hard and fast that a bleeding ulcer can develop on the tip of the tail."

Talking Tails

A tail can say many things. To understand what the dog is communicating, you must look beyond the wag. Tail position, speed of the wag, and signals coming from elsewhere on the dog are all important.

For example, a tail held high and still or with stiff, small wags is a sign of a dog on alert and perhaps even threatening. A tail tucked between the legs can signify a fearful or submissive dog. Low, slow wags signal a dog questioning and unsure.

Feeling relaxed and secure, a dog holds their tail in its most natural position. Add a dose of happiness to that, and you'll see a gentle wag. The return of a favorite person could bring on a mighty circular



Maggie bows to her play partner while furling the lovely feathers on her tail. Hugo is using his curled tail to help balance on three feet.

wag.

There are exceptions to these rules. For some breeds, like Greyhounds, a tail tucked between the legs is a natural position. A shepherd will know that a herding dog, like a Border Collie, is concentrating on the job when the tail is tucked between the legs, and a wagging tail means the dog is goofing off.

The next time your dog

is busy having a good sniff of the surroundings, entertain yourself by spotting as many types of dog tails as you can and identifying what each is telling the people and other dogs in the area.

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Team Revere, Revere Police Lt. Rob Impemba, Sgt. Joe Internicola, Kevin Chiles jr. Kevin Chiles Sr. and Councillor Patrick Keefe.

PORRAZZO REFLECTS ON SUCCESSFUL SEASON

Revere High girls basketball head coach Chris

Porrazzo reflected on the recently-concluded season in which the Lady Patriots achieved a sterling 11-3 record (12-9 overall) in the Greater Boston League (GBL) and qual-

ified for the post-season state tournament.

In addition, the team earned a number of individual accolades, led by senior captain Carolina Bettero, who was named the GBL's Most Valuable Player.

Fellow senior captain Skyla DeSimone was named to the GBL All-Star, as was junior Elaysia Lung.

Porrazzo himself was

honored with the GBL's Coach of the Year accolades.

"From my experience as a player and coach, I knew that varsity basketball at Revere High School was a special and meaningful experience," said Porrazzo, who is in his first season at the helm of the girls' program. "But I had no idea we would reach the levels we reached as a team this season.

"This was a truly special bunch that I will never forget," Porrazzo continued. "I can honestly say if this was the only season I got to coach Revere High basketball, I would die happy.

"With that said, I hope to keep coaching here for a long time," Porrazzo added. "I got the job nine days before tryouts and never really looked back. With nine days to prepare

for this season we went 12-9 with an 11-3 record in the GBL. I can't wait to see what this program can do with nine months of preparation."

The 2022 season will come to a formal conclusion for Porrazzo and his crew with a team banquet on March 30 at the Prince House of Pizza at 6 PM.

BRUINS HOLD CLINIC FOR EAST COAST JUNIOR PATRIOTS



Revere City Engineer Nick Rystrom with son Domenic and Andrew Raycroft.



City Council President, Gerry Visconti with son Joseph Visconti and Andrew Raycroft. More photos on Page 12.

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BOSTON BRUINS HOLD CLINIC FOR EAST COAST JUNIOR PATRIOTS

Photos by Cary Shuman

The Boston Bruins came to Revere's Cronin Rink on March 3 and held a "Passing Clinic" for the East Coast Jr. Patriots (ECJP) Youth Hockey Organization. It was a packed crowd filled with Mites, Squirts and PeeWees that play for the organization.

Boston Bruins alumni Tommy Songin and Andrew Raycroft spearheaded the skills session.

Mike Dargin, Director of Youth Hockey, and Elizabeth Viola, Youth Hockey Coordinator for the Boston Bruins, also presented the ECJP organization with a donation check for \$1,000.

On behalf of the ECJP family we would like to say thank you to the Boston Bruins Organization for hosting the event. "It was an awesome event for

our players." said Gerry Visconti, Treasurer of the Youth Hockey program. "I

would like to give special thanks to Joe DeSantis, President of the ECJP, for

organizing this event with the Boston Bruins Organization. "These are the

things that make our hockey program so special." The ECJP program now

consists of neighboring towns Revere, Everett, Malden, and East Boston.



The East Coast Junior Patriots with Boston Bruins alumni Tommy Songin and Andrew Raycroft with their donation check.



Boston Bruins alumnus Andrew Raycroft practicing with the ECJP goaltenders.



Boston Bruins alumni Tommy Songin and Andrew Raycroft talking to the players at the ice hockey instructional clinic.



From left, Andrew Raycroft, Elizabeth Viola, Justin Sounders, Joe DeSantis, Lorenzo Lescano, Gerry Visconti, Jen Cochran, Tommy Songin, Mike Dargin, and Mark Woods.



The ECJP players lined up to do skills at the Boston Bruins Clinic.

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Boston Bruins alumnus Tommy Songin teaching proper ice hockey techniques at the clinic held at Cronin Rink.

MGC ponders whether lower Broadway project should be regulated

By Stephen Quigley

The Massachusetts Gaming Commission (MGC) met last Thursday to discuss, but did not formally decide, whether a parking garage, an entertainment center that seats up to 999 people, and a pedestrian bridge that would cross over the present six-lane highway and connect to the Encore casino hotel should be considered part of the gaming establishment and therefore be subject to the purview of the MGC.

These three structures would be the first phase of the overall project, with a second phase that could include up to three hotels with retail space and restaurants. The development is being planned across the lower Broadway roadway from the Encore Boston Harbor in Everett.

The commissioners during the course of the meeting also explored a third option, rather than a simple yes or no vote as to whether the development should be deemed part of the gaming establishment. MGC staff Joseph Delaney suggested that the MGC can place restrictions on the gaming license that would address

the concerns that were raised at the public hearing on Feb. 28. Under this third scenario, the new development would have to still deal with several federal, state and municipal agencies on a regular basis that would be able to regulate this new development without the MGC getting too involved in the details of a regulatory process, since the restrictions on the license would address the concerns.

Todd Grossman from the MGC then gave a detailed examination of both the four-way test that the MGC has used in previous cases to see whether the new Everett development should be considered part of the gaming establishment. In the deliberation, other precedents that the MGC has used on Massachusetts gaming entities were revisited.

Grossman noted that, "The law gives the MGC great discretionary latitude." He pointed out that in the election held in the City of Everett in June, 2013, voters approved a gaming facility only on the present Encore site, not any gaming-related facility across the street. He pointed out that in the past, the MGC did not seek to oversee the race

track at Plain Ridge Park, another gambling establishment, since the race-track is already under the purview of other governmental agencies.

He then outlined the four-way test that the MGC should use in approaching an answer as to whether the new development should be regulated by the MGC. Before the commissioners debated the four-way test, chairperson Cathy Judd-Stein noted, "This is a complex structure before us."

The four parts of the test are as follows:

- 1) Is what is proposed a non-gaming structure, specifically the bridge?
- 2) Is the project related to the gaming area? In other words, does it make the gaming area more inviting as a destination?
- 3) Is there common ownership?
- 4) Does the MGC want to have a regulatory interest on part or parts of the gaming structure?

For the first part of the test, all commissioners agreed that the bridge was not a gaming structure. Commissioner Gayle Cameron pointed out that she was "quite happy with the bridge for safety issues."

Judd-Stein said, "I wel-

come the bridge for safety and mitigation of traffic." She also noted that the new design of the bridge removed the gaming floor from bridge access that could allow minors to walk accidentally onto the gaming floor.

Regarding the second part of the test, commissioner Eileen Hill noted the new development "makes Encore more attractive" as a destination. She said that she struggled with this question, since she did not want to hinder the urban renewal area of Everett where the new development is proposed.

Commissioner Bradford Hill noted, "This is absolutely related to the gaming area." All commissioners did agree that the development would enhance the gaming area.

For the third question on common ownership, the commissioners concurred that even though the new hotel and restaurants will be operated by a third party, East Broadway LLC (the entity that is seeking to develop the

area in question), it still is under the Wynn ownership umbrella.

This brought the commissioners to Part 4 of the test, namely, whether they have a regulatory interest. Encore Attorney Samuel Tony Starr of the Boston firm Mintz Levin offered the view that there are already other agencies involved in regulating the proposed properties and that overview by the MGC could add a burden to those businesses, as well as to the MGC itself.

Judd-Stein seemed to agree with this path, noting that regulatory oversight "could place a burden on the commission," and "put a substantial burden on (third party) operators with hundreds of employees."

Cameron pointed out, "Wynn has always been willing to work collaboratively and to listen to the concerns of all parties."

O'Brien noted that she needed more information on the details, such as the final design of the pedestrian bridge and exactly

where people could exit as they approached the casino itself.

Commissioners also noted that the Wynn's gaming license currently has restrictions and could include additional restrictions.

At the end of the meeting, the commissioners seemed to be inclined toward not regulating the new development, but requiring that very specific steps and protocols be put into place with legally-binding documents going into the details of the buildings and their operation that would address the concerns of the commissioners and the members of the public who participated in the Feb. 28 meeting.

O'Brien pointed out, "We need to look at all the details."

The legal staff of the MGC will formulate documents that address the concerns that were brought up at the meetings and will get back to the MGC when it has completed its task.

MGC releases February 2022 gross gaming revenue

Staff Report

The Massachusetts Gaming Commission reported that the month of February 2022 at Plainridge Park Casino (PPC), MGM Springfield and Encore Boston Harbor generated approximately \$86 million in Gross Gaming Revenue (GGR).

PPC, a category 2 slots facility, is taxed on 49% of GGR. Of that total taxed amount, 82% is paid to Local Aid and 18% is allotted to the Race Horse Development Fund. MGM Springfield and Encore Boston Harbor, category 1 resort-casinos, are taxed on 25% of GGR; those monies are allocated to several specific state funds as determined by

the gaming statute.

To date, the Commonwealth has collected approximately \$1.018 billion in total taxes and assessments from PPC, MGM and Encore since the respective openings of each gaming facility.

"My colleagues at the MGC and I are pleased to highlight this milestone. When the legislature passed the expanded gaming act in 2011, they envisioned a regulated gaming industry in the Commonwealth that would serve as an economic driver while promoting responsible play," said MGC Chair Cathy Judd-Stein.

"Just over 11 years since this law was signed, the Commonwealth has collected over \$1 billion

in total taxes and assessments from casinos operating in Massachusetts. This revenue has and continues to benefit the Massachusetts economy by bolstering local aid, funding transportation and infrastructure projects, ensuring essential community mitigation initiatives are backed, and that the health and safety of the industry and those who engage with it are a top priority.

"This is a marker of the success of the law and the commitment of our licensees, my fellow commissioners past and present, the MGC staff, and residents of the Commonwealth to a safe and vibrant gaming industry in Massachusetts."

FEBRUARY 2022		GROSS GAMING REVENUE		TAXES
MGM SPRINGFIELD SUBJECT TO 25% TAXES	TABLE	\$4,220,007.75		
	SLOTS	\$15,711,906.08		
	TOTAL	\$19,931,913.83		\$4,982,978.46
ENCORE BOSTON HARBOR SUBJECT TO 25% TAXES	TABLE	\$23,688,641.56		
	SLOTS	\$31,054,019.69		
	TOTAL	\$54,742,661.25		\$13,685,665.31
PLAINRIDGE PARK CASINO SUBJECT TO 49% TAXES	SLOTS	\$10,950,511.23		
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BREAKFAST WITH STATE REPRESENTATIVE JESSICA GIANNINO AT DEMAINO'S

Photos by Cary Shuman

State Representative Jessica Giannino hosted a breakfast fundraiser Sunday at DeMaino's Restaurant.

A popular, five-term Revere councillor-at-large,

Giannino was elected to the state representative seat (Revere, Saugus, Chelsea) in November, 2020. Giannino has announced that she is a candidate for re-election.

In remarks to her supporters at the breakfast,

Giannino said, "I want to thank you all from the bottom heart for coming out here on this very cold Sunday morning. I'm honored to be here today. Back in October, we kicked off my re-election campaign and I'm here today to say thank you to you, my sup-

porters, so we can have breakfast, spend time with each other, and enjoy each other's company. That's what this is all about."

Giannino introduced the many elected officials in attendance at the breakfast.

The warmest ovation of

the day was accorded to Joann Giannino, Jessica's beloved grandmother, and campaign manager. Mrs. Giannino has been instrumental in guiding the Jessica Giannino campaign to several ticket-topping finishes in elections.

Other guests introduced

at the breakfast included Jessica's father, Police Sgt. Chris Giannino, Firefighters Local 926 President Kevin O'Hara, former Fire Chief Gene Doherty, and other members of the Giannino family.



Rep. Jessica Giannino, with her grandmother, Joann Giannino, and welcoming table friends, (front) Marie Fronduto and Virginia Hurley.



Lenny DeMaino, owner of DeMaino's, greets Rep. Jessica Giannino at the breakfast.



Rep. Jessica Giannino, with her father, Revere Police Sgt. Chris Giannino, and Revere Police Capt. Amy O'Hara.



Councillor-at-Large Steven Morabito and Rep. Jessica Giannino.



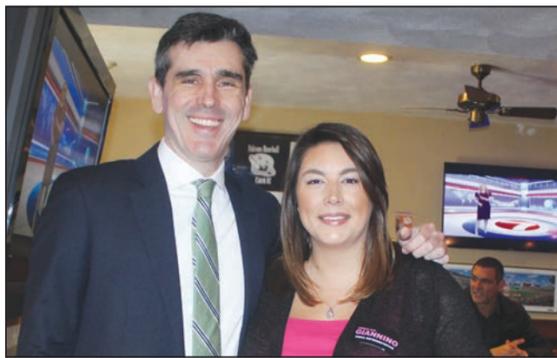
Front row, Debbie West and Lillian DeFilippo. Back row, Marianna Iantosca, Yvonne Taglieri, and Rep. Jessica Giannino.



Rep. Jessica Giannino, Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky, Rep. Jeffrey Turco, and Mayor Brian Arrigo.



Salem Mayor Kim Driscoll, who is a candidate for lieutenant governor, with Rep. Jessica Giannino.



Chris Dempsey, who is a candidate for state auditor, with Rep. Jessica Giannino.



Local and state officials in attendance at Rep. Jessica Giannino's Breakfast, from left, Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro, Salem Mayor Kim Driscoll, Revere Mayor Brian Arrigo, Saugus Selectwoman Debra Panetta, Chris Dempsey, Ward 4 Councillor Patrick Keefe, Rep. Sean Garballey, Rep. Jessica Giannino, Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky, Rep. Jeffrey Turco, Sen. Lydia Edwards, Rep. Thomas Stanley, Chelsea Councillor-at-Large Leo Robinson, Suffolk County Sheriff Steven Tompkins, and Rep. Dan Ryan.



Rep. Jessica Giannino (far right) and family, from right, cousin Nick Maglione, aunt Marie Giannino Patterson, aunt JoAnn Carabillo, Uncle Peter Carabillo, grandmother Joann Giannino, great-aunt Jean Kolinsky, great-uncle Richard Kolinsky, and father Christopher Giannino.



Revere Mayor Brian Arrigo and Salem Mayor Kim Driscoll.



Rep. Jessica Giannino and her former colleague on the Revere City Council, Anthony Zambuto.

THE BOSTON BRUINS ALUMNI AND THE NIFTY ALL STARS FACE-OFF AND RAISE MONEY FOR KIDNEY CANCER RESEARCH AT LARSEN RINK

The Boston Bruins Alumni Team headed by Captain Rick Middleton and the Nifty All Stars directed by Captain Kevin Chiles Sr. played their annual game at Larsen Rink in Winthrop last Saturday afternoon. A total

of \$15,000 was raised to help with kidney cancer research, in the name of Dr. Rachael Smith. Dr. Smith's family was on hand to accept the check and take part in the puck dropping ceremony.



State Rep. Jeff Turco and his son Matteo, Revere City Councillor Patrick Keefe, Winthrop Councillor Steven Ruggiero and RPD Lt. Rob Impemba.



Revere's own in net for the Bruins Alumni Keith Segee with his grandfather Rich Segee



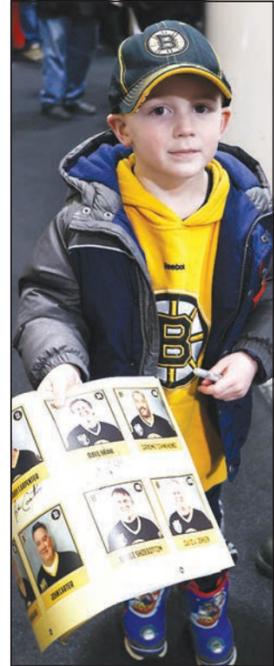
Bruins legend Todd Angilly at center ice for the National Anthem.



Bruins great Reggie Lemelin drew a big crowd of fans for autographs.



Ken Hodge Jr. from the Bruins Alumni signs autographs for one of the fans at the game last Saturday.



John Dunner III is a big hockey fan and proudly displays all his autographs from Saturday's game in Winthrop to help kidney cancer research.



The combined teams, the Boston Bruins Alumni and the Nifty All Stars with special guests, Daniel and Sidney Turk and referee Andy Garcia.



James O'Shea (left) candidate for Essex County District Attorney took off the tie and laced up his skates for a great cause, shown with Andrew Alberts, Bruins Great Rick Middleton, event organizer and Captain of the All Stars Kevin Chiles Sr. and from the Bruins Alumni Ken Hodge Jr.



James O'Shea shows some fancy stick handling against the Bruins Alumni last Saturday afternoon at Larsen Rink in Winthrop.



Dr. Rachael Smith's family, husband Dave and children Daniel and Sidney Turk accept the \$15,000 donation for kidney cancer research, joined by from left: Rick Middleton, Kevin Chiles Sr. and Bob Sweeney.



Dropping the puck, Daniel and Sidney Turk, with Boston Bruins legend Rick Middleton, and facing off is Bob Sweeney and Capt. Kevin Chiles Sr.

WEEKLY CRIME Report

The following incident reports are among the calls to which the Revere 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.

tance.

1638: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Lincoln St.

1658: Blocked driveway on Lambert St. The officer provided assistance.

1804: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Shirley Ave. and issued a citation to the operator, a 50 year-old Allston man, for the criminal offense of operating an MV with a suspended license.

1948: Disturbance on Bennington St. The officer provided assistance.

1951: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway.

SATURDAY FEB. 26

0005: Citizen complaint on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer filed a report.

0054: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer will file a report.

0127: Noise disturbance on Harrington Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0224: Noise disturbance on Alden Ave. The officer restored the peace.

0327: Noise disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer restored the peace.

0922: Blocked driveway on Vinal St. The officer issued a parking ticket.

0947: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Tedford Ave.

0951: Parking complaint on No. Shore Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1033: Blocked driveway on Haskell Ave. The MV was moved.

1054: Disturbance on Charger St. The officer restored the peace.

1125: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway and filed a report.

1209: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on East Mountain Ave. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1219: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle (MV) on Squire Rd.

1243: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle (MV) on No. Shore Rd.

1313: Abandoned motor vehicle (MV) on American Legion Highway. The MV was towed.

1354: Shoplifting on Squire Rd. The officer filed a report.

1452: Shoplifting on Squire Rd. The officer filed a report.

1459: Fraud on Beach St. The officer filed a report.

1503: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on No. Shore Rd. The officer will file an accident report.

1520: Disturbance on Crescent Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1533: Disturbance on Fenno St. The officer provided assistance.

1534: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway.

1601: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Winthrop Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

1602: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1646: Hit-and-run MVA

with property damage on Summit Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1652: Parking complaint on Pearl Ave. The MV was moved.

1703: Citizen complaint on Keayne St. The officer provided assistance.

1706: MVA at Mahoney Circle. The officer will file an accident report.

1708: Disturbance on Dolphin Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1712: Disturbance on Gage Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1722: Citizen complaint on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer filed a report.

1740: Shoplifting on Furlong Drive. The officer filed a report.

1745: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) at Mahoney Circle. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1800: Suspicious activity on Bradstreet Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1825: A motor vehicle was reported stolen on Revere St. The officer filed a report.

1922: Citizen complaint on Vane St. The officer provided assistance.

1944: Disturbance on VFW Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

2038: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway and restored the peace.

2131: Suspicious activity on McClure St. The officer provided assistance.

2137: Shoplifting on Squire Rd. The officer issued a summons for a court hearing to a 42 year old Revere man for the criminal offense of shoplifting by concealment of merchandise.

2232: Disturbance on Dehon St. The officer filed a report.

2243: Noise disturbance on Beach St. The officer provided assistance.

2255: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on the Revere Beach Parkway and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2303: Noise disturbance on Harris St. The officer provided assistance.

2332: Noise disturbance on Harris St. The officer provided assistance.

2342: Unwanted person on American Legion Highway. The officer provided assistance.

SUNDAY, FEB. 27

0049: A repossession company reported the repo of a motor vehicle (MV) on Bellingham Ave.

0118: Noise disturbance on Proctor Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0152: Noise disturbance on Walnut Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0156: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Squire Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

0208: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on No. Shore Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

0221: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on No. Shore Rd.

0229: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on American Legion Highway and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0239: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

0242: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway.

0303: Disturbance at Broadway and Folsom St. The officer provided assistance.

0815: Vandalism on Ward St. The officer provided assistance.

0959: Lost/found animal in Orr Sq. The officer provided assistance.

1134: Abandoned motor vehicle (MV) on Malden St. The officer provided assistance.

1218: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Augustus St. and restored the peace.

1236: Parking in a handicapped spot on Cummings Ave. The vehicle was moved.

1307: Larceny on Squire Rd. The officer filed a report.

1343: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle (MV) on No. Shore Rd.

1408: Unwanted person on American Legion Highway. The officer provided assistance.

1429: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Squire Rd. and issued a citation to the operator, a 23 year-old Revere man, for the criminal offense of unlicensed operation of an MV.

1451: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at the Revere Beach Parkway and Green St. and issued a citation to the operator, a 40 year-old East Boston man, for the criminal offense of unlicensed operation of an MV.

1510: Fraud on American Legion Highway. The officer filed a report.

1631: Unwanted person on American Legion Highway. The officer provided assistance.

1637: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Harris St. and issued a citation to the operator.

1829: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Harris St. and issued a citation to the operator.

1850: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction at No. Shore Rd. and Cove St. and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1911: Disturbance on Bennington St. The officer restored the peace.

2046: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction at Brown Circle and issued a citation to the operator.

2056: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Squire Rd. and issued a citation to the operator.

2204: Unwanted person on Squire Rd. The officer restored the peace.

MONDAY, FEB. 28

0031: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle (MV) on No. Shore Rd.

0120: Disturbance on Florence Ave. The officer restored the peace.

0130: Disturbance on Squire Rd. Officers arrested Salvatore Anthony Gray-Iovanna Jr., 21, of Dorchester, for the criminal offenses of disorderly conduct and failing to disperse at a riot or disturbance.

0158: Disturbance on

No. Shore Rd. The officer filed a report.

0232: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle (MV) on Highland St.

0900: Disabled motor vehicle (MV) at Mahoney Circle. The MV was towed.

0906: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on the Revere Beach Parkway and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0954: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction at Hutchinson and Abruzzi Sts. and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1128: Suspicious activity on School St. The officer filed a report.

1156: Disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer issued a summons for a court hearing to a Revere woman for the criminal offenses of making a threat to commit a crime and disturbing the peace.

1213: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1217: An officer provided assistance to another agency on Roland Rd.

1417: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Dolphin Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1500: Parking complaint at Malden and Conant Sts. The officer provided assistance.

1608: Breaking and entering into a building on Walnut Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1651: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Harris St. and issued a citation to the operator.

1702: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Harris St. and issued a citation to the operator.

1712: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Harris St. and issued a citation to the operator.

1723: Motor vehicle ac-

cident (MVA) on Broadway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1820: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Broadway and issued a citation to the operator.

1851: Threats to kill on Broadway. The officer filed a report.

1857: Disturbance on Gage Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1926: Disturbance on Dehon St. The officer restored the peace.

1950: A hit-and-run MVA with property damage was reported on Shirley Ave.

2004: Disturbance on Squire Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2031: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Squire Rd. and issued a citation to the operator.

2038: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) for a civil moving infraction on Squire Rd. and issued a citation to the operator.

2056: A repossession company reported the repo of a motor vehicle on Madison St.

2207: Abandoned motor vehicle (MV) on Rose St. The MV was towed.

2215: A repossession company reported the repo of a motor vehicle on Emanuel St.

2221: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle (MV) on the Revere Beach Parkway.

2227: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle (MV) on the Revere Beach Parkway.

2310: An officer provided assistance to another agency on Bennett Highway.

2328: Motor vehicle accident on Broadway. The officer will file a report.

2351: Suspicious activity on Park Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

Warmer Weather Warning

Be mindful of outdoor smoking hazards

Staff Report

With a week of warmer weather in the forecast, State Fire Marshal Peter J. Ostroskey is asking residents to be mindful of the fire hazards when smoking outdoors.

"We've got some nice weather in the forecast this week, and after a long winter everyone wants to spend a little more time outdoors," said State Fire Marshal Ostroskey. "If you still smoke, please be mindful of the fire hazards when you step out to smoke on a stairway, porch, or balcony."

Fires often start when smokers drop butts in planters or near the side of buildings, where dried vegetation, mulch, or debris can catch fire. They can also start when cigarettes are ground out on railings, steps, or floors, allowing embers to drift and ignite flammable materials. In a densely built neighborhood, that fire can quickly spread to other buildings and put many people at risk.

"There are no smoke

alarms on the outside of the house, so an exterior fire can grow to a dangerous size before anyone is aware of it," State Fire Marshal Ostroskey said. "There's no safe way to smoke, but if you must smoke then do it responsibly. Use a sturdy ashtray with water or sand and put it out, all the way, every time."

The Department of Fire Services created a series of video and audio clips to promote the proper disposal of smoking materials on porches and balconies. They are available in English and Spanish for fire departments, fire educators, social service providers, and state or municipal agencies to use free of charge. Visit the DFS YouTube channel at www.youtube.com/DFSOSFM and view the Smoking Fire Safety playlist.

"Of all the smoking safety steps you can take, the most effective one is to quit," said State Fire Marshal Ostroskey. "You'll enjoy many more years of fresh air."

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Last chance to experience the captivating immersive wonders of Van Gogh

Staff Report

Imagine Van Gogh the Original Immersive Exhibition in Image Totale© will be leaving Boston on Saturday, March 19, 2022 after mesmerizing thousands of audience members during its three-month residency at the SoWa Power Station. The exhibit, created in France by Artistic Directors Annabelle Mauger and Julien Baron, has captivated au-

diences and received rave reviews from critics. This stunning immersion into 200 of Van Gogh's paintings has travelled coast-to-coast and dazzled North American audiences. Statement from the team at Imagine Van Gogh: We are forever grateful to Boston for the incredible hospitality during our U.S. premiere of the original Imagine Van Gogh exhibition in Image Totale©. We would like to

thank the City of Boston and our partners at SoWa Art + Design District; if you haven't already, please come see us before we leave on March 19th. We hope to return to this great city with another exhibition soon! Filling 24,000 square feet of the SoWa Power Station, Imagine Van Gogh the Original Immersive Exhibition in Image Totale©, allows the viewer to enter and roam the luminous dreamscapes

conjured by Vincent Van Gogh, projected in infinitesimally fine detail and at the grandest scale, accompanied by the music of Prokofiev, Saint-Saëns, Schubert, Mozart, Satie, and more. Invented by Albert Plecy in 1977, Image Totale© has been adapted by Mauger and Baron to offer passage into the visionary works of a beloved genius, where we become engulfed by those famously tactile brushstrokes.

Annabelle Mauger is the original creator of the first immersive Van Gogh exhibition, presented in 2008 at Cathédrale d'Images in France and in 2011 at the ArtScience Museum in Singapore. Her creation inspired various digital Van Gogh exhibitions that toured around the world in the years since. In 2017, Mauger and Baron presented a new, elevated version of Imagine Van Gogh in Image Totale© at

Halle de La Villette in Paris. Imagine Van Gogh the Original Immersive Exhibition in Image Totale© is designed as a contactless experience and will have timed entries and will operate in full accordance with current safety guidelines established by the CDC and the Massachusetts government. Final tickets are on sale now at www.imagine-vangogh.com.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE
Premises: 379 Beach Street, Revere, Massachusetts
By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Anthony S. Gonzales and Alfredo T. Romero to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as Nominee for First Franklin Financial Corp., an operational sub. of ML&T Co., FSB and now held by U.S. Bank National Association, as successor trustee to Bank of America, N.A., as successor to LaSalle Bank, N.A., as Trustee for the holders of the Merrill Lynch First Franklin Mortgage Loan Trust, Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-1, said mortgage dated January 30, 2007, and recorded in the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds, in Book 41218 at Page 47, as affected by an Assignment of Mortgage dated March 25, 2009, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 44757 at Page 75, as affected by an Assignment of Mortgage dated February 26, 2013, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 51083 at Page 74, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on March 30, 2022 at 1:00 PM Local Time upon the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: A CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND SITUATE ON BEACH STREET, REVERE, SUFFOLK COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS, THE SAME BEING SHOWN AS LOTS 2A AND 2B ON A PLAN DULY RECORDED IN SUFFOLK REGISTRY OF DEEDS, BOOK 4209 END, AND SAID LOTS 2A AND 2B ARE TOGETHER BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS: NORTHERLY BY BEACH STREET, SIXTY (60.00) FEET; EASTERLY BY LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF BIRD ESTATE, AS SHOWN ON SAID PLAN, ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR AND 47/100 (144.47) FEET; SOUTHERLY BY LOT 10A AS SHOWN ON SAID PLAN, SIXTY-THREE AND 1/10 (63.10) FEET; AND WESTERLY BY LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF RONAN, AS SHOWN ON SAID PLAN, ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR AND 91/100 (124.91) FEET. SAID LOT 2B CONTAINS 4,188 SQUARE FEET AND SAID LOT 2A CONTAINS 3,893 SQUARE FEET. BE ANY OF SAID CONTENTS OR MEASUREMENTS MORE OR LESS ALL ACCORDING TO SAID PLAN. The description of the property contained in the mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication. For Mortgagor's Title see deed dated January 30, 2007, and recorded in Book 41218 at Page

45 with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds. TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all liens, encumbrances, unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described. TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price must be paid by a certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid by a certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within forty-five (45) days after the date of sale. Other terms to be announced at the sale. Marinosci Law Group, P.C. 275 West Natick Road, Suite 500 Warwick, RI 02886 Attorney for U.S. Bank National Association, as successor trustee to Bank of America, N.A., as successor to LaSalle Bank, N.A., as Trustee for the holders of the Merrill Lynch First Franklin Mortgage Loan Trust, Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-1 Present Holder of the Mortgage Telephone: (401) 234-9200 3/9/22, 3/16/22, 3/23/22 R

LEGAL NOTICE

A-22-07 Public Hearing Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere (RRO) that the City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday evening, March 23, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. in the City Councillor Joseph A. DelGrosso City Council Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 on the application of Mario Zepaj, 78 Mill St., Middleton, MA 01949 requesting a variance of RRO Section 17.16.040 with respect to minimum area requirement of 6,000 s.f. and frontage requirement of 60 feet for duplex dwellings in the RB District to enable the appellant to construct a new townhouse dwelling at 70 Bellingham Avenue, Revere, MA 02151. A copy of the aforementioned plan and application (A-22-07) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday through Thursday from 8:15 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and Friday from 8:15 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. Ashley E. Melnik, Clerk City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals 03/09/22, 03/16/22 R

LEGAL NOTICE

A-22-08 Public Hearing Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere (RRO) that the City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday evening, March 23, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. in the City Councillor Joseph A. DelGrosso City Council Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 on the application of Basilio DiFlumeri, 439 Proctor Ave., Revere, MA 02151 requesting the following variances of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere to enable the appellant to subdivide existing Lot 2 at 243 Malden Street, Revere, MA into new proposed lots Lot A Malden Street and Lot B Malden Street for the purpose of constructing a new two-family dwelling on proposed Lot B Malden Street, Revere, MA 02151: 1. Section 17.24.010 with respect to minimum area requirements of 8,000 s.f. within the RB District for the creation of proposed Lot A; 2. Section 17.24.010 with respect to minimum area requirements of 8,000 s.f. within the RB District for the creation of proposed Lot B; 3. Section 17.24.010 with respect to minimum frontage requirement of 80-ft within the RB District for the creation of proposed Lot B; 4. Section 17.24.010 with respect to minimum front yard setback requirement of 20-ft for the proposed two family dwelling on Lot B; 5. Section 17.24.010 with respect to the minimum rear yard setback requirement of 30-ft for the proposed two family dwelling on Lot B; 6. Section 17.24.010 (a) with respect to the minimum rear yard setback of 20-ft for all decks within the RB District for the proposed two family dwelling on Lot B; 7. Section 17.24.010 with respect to maximum principal building lot coverage of 30% for the proposed two family dwelling on Lot B within the RB District. A copy of the aforementioned plan and application (A-22-08) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday through Thursday from 8:15 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and Friday from 8:15 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. Ashley E. Melnik, Clerk City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals 03/09/22, 03/16/22 R

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE Notice is hereby given by G/J Towing Inc of 22 Whitin Ave Ext Revere, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L. c. 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicle on or after March 24, 2022 beginning at 10:00 am by private or public sale to satisfy their garage keepers' lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale. Vehicle is being stored at G/J Towing, Inc. 1. 2008 Volvo C70 VIN YV1MC67288J048462 2. Signed, Frank Russo G/J Towing Inc 3/9, 3/16, 3/23 R

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT SUFFOLK DIVISION INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE Docket No. SU21P2224EA Estate of: Leonora T. Schipani Date of Death: July 10, 2021 To all persons interested in the above captioned estate by Petition of Petitioner Marie A. Borowski of Pinellas Park, FL Marie A. Borowski of Pinellas Park, FL has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond. The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner. 3/16/22 R

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT 22 SM 000526 ORDER OF NOTICE To: Suzanne M. Liberatore AKA Suzanne M. Libertatore and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. c. 50 §3901 (et seq): PHH Mortgage Corporation, claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Revere, numbered 391 Rice Avenue, given by Suzanne M. Liberatore a/k/a Suzanne M. Libertatore to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Liberty Home Equity Solutions, Inc., its successors and assigns, dated December 23, 2014, and recorded in Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in Book 53931, Page 134, and now held by plaintiff by assignment, has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/Defendants' Servicemembers status. If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108 on or before April 18, 2022 or you may lose the opportunity to challenge the foreclosure on the ground of non-compliance with the Act. Witness, Gordon H. Piper, Chief Justice of this Court on March 4, 2022. Attest: Deborah J. Patterson Recorder 21-001872 3/16/22 R

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF REVERE, MA INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR CITY WIDE TREE PLANTING AND ASSOCIATED WORK Bid No: MUN-2022-1009 Separate sealed bids will be received by the City of Revere Purchasing Agent, Michael Piccardi, at his office, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, prior to 11:00 am, March 31, at which time they will be opened and publicly read. This bid is City Wide Tree Planting and Associated Work, which includes necessary sidewalk repairs / alterations. Specifications and proposal forms may be obtained beginning Thursday, March 17, 2022 electronically from the Office of the City Purchasing Agent, Michael Piccardi at purchasing@revere.org. Revere City Hall office hours are Monday thru Thursday, 8:15 AM to 5:00 PM and Friday, 8:15 AM to 12:15 PM. For additional information, please contact Michael Piccardi, Purchasing Agent. Each bidder must deposit with his bid, a Bid Bond or a Certified or Treasurer's check from a Bank or Trust Company or Money Order of not less than five percent (5%) of his bid. The selected contractor shall provide Performance and Payment Bonds in the full amount of contract price. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or any part of a bid, which in the opinion of the City Purchasing Agent is most advantageous to the City of Revere. Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract that the contractor must ensure the employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin under Executive Order 11246, as amended. The successful bidder shall be required to comply with Section 3 of HUD Regulations relative to the project area and local concern when applicable and all pertinent Federal and State Laws. The City of Revere is an Equal Opportunity Employer. It is the Policy of the City of Revere to take positive

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steps to maximize the utilization of Minority Business Enterprises. The City of Revere has established a goal of ten percent (10%) participation of Minority Business Enterprises in all construction projects. No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof. This invitation for bid is in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30 (39M). Please note, this contract will utilize federal funding, hence the Davis Bacon Act shall apply. Michael Piccardi Purchasing Agent 3/16/22 R

LEGAL NOTICE

A-22-06 Public Hearing Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere that the City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday evening, March 23, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. in the City Councillor Joseph A. DelGrosso City Council Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 on the application of Steven Ciambelli, 22 Clark Rd., Lynnfield, MA 01940 requesting the following variances of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere to enable the appellant to construct a new two-family dwelling on Lot 70 at 53 Tapley Ave., Revere, MA 02151: 1. Noncompliance with Section 17.28.020 with respect to the requirement of 4 off street parking spaces for a two family dwelling; 2. Noncompliance with Section 17.24.010 (a) with respect to minimum side yard setback requirement of 5 feet on one side; Noncompliance with Section 17.24.010 (y) with respect to maximum height requirement of 30 feet for lots under 5,000 s.f. A copy of the aforementioned plan and application (A-22-06) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday

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A-22-06 Public Hearing Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere that the City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday evening, March 23, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. in the City Councillor Joseph A. DelGrosso City Council Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 on the application of Steven Ciambelli, 22 Clark Rd., Lynnfield, MA 01940 requesting the following variances of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere to enable the appellant to construct a new two-family dwelling on Lot 70 at 53 Tapley Ave., Revere, MA 02151: 1. Noncompliance with Section 17.28.020 with respect to the requirement of 4 off street parking spaces for a two family dwelling; 2. Noncompliance with Section 17.24.010 (a) with respect to minimum side yard setback requirement of 5 feet on one side; Noncompliance with Section 17.24.010 (y) with respect to maximum height requirement of 30 feet for lots under 5,000 s.f. A copy of the aforementioned plan and application (A-22-06) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday

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A-22-06 Public Hearing Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere that the City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday evening, March 23, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. in the City Councillor Joseph A. DelGrosso City Council Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 on the application of Steven Ciambelli, 22 Clark Rd., Lynnfield, MA 01940 requesting the following variances of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere to enable the appellant to construct a new two-family dwelling on Lot 70 at 53 Tapley Ave., Revere, MA 02151: 1. Noncompliance with Section 17.28.020 with respect to the requirement of 4 off street parking spaces for a two family dwelling; 2. Noncompliance with Section 17.24.010 (a) with respect to minimum side yard setback requirement of 5 feet on one side; Noncompliance with Section 17.24.010 (y) with respect to maximum height requirement of 30 feet for lots under 5,000 s.f. A copy of the aforementioned plan and application (A-22-06) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT SUFFOLK DIVISION INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE Docket No. SU21P2224EA Estate of: Leonora T. Schipani Date of Death: July 10, 2021 To all persons interested in the above captioned estate by Petition of Petitioner Marie A. Borowski of Pinellas Park, FL Marie A. Borowski of Pinellas Park, FL has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond. The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT SUFFOLK DIVISION INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE Docket No. SU21P0402EA Estate of: Paul J. Ferraro Date of Death: November 01, 2021 To all persons interested in the above captioned estate by Petition of Petitioner Kathleen A. Cid of Revere, MA. Kathleen A. Cid of Revere, MA has been

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North Shore Music Theatre sets a full 2022 schedule

Staff Report

With a full schedule of musicals, concerts, and kids shows set for 2022, Bill Hanney's North Shore Music Theatre (NSMT) is set to return for a full season of great entertainment for North Shore audiences. This is the first full season since 2019. The box office is open, and all tickets are available to purchase online at www.nsmt.org, by phone (978) 232-7200 or at the Box Office located at 54 Dunham Road in Beverly, MA.

"With the pandemic keeping our stage dark for all of 2020 and most of 2021, it feels good to be looking ahead to getting back to keeping the vibrant and growing Arts scene alive on the North Shore by bringing a variety of great entertainment to audiences all year round," said Bill Hanney, NSMT's owner and producer. "We are extremely anxious to welcome back audiences once again and our talented staff is working hard to make sure every show is worth the wait."

MUSICAL SCHEDULE

June 7 – June 19 - Smokey Joe's Cafe: The

Songs of Leiber and Stoller

July 12 – July 24 - Rodgers + Hammerstein's Cinderella

August 16 – August 28 - Buddy - The Buddy Holly Story

September 20 - October 2 - Little Shop of Horrors

October 25 - November 6 - Kinky Boots

December 1 – December 23 - A Christmas Carol

May 13 - Adam Ezra Group

May 14 - Broadway The Calla-way! starring Ann Hampton Callaway & Liz Callaway

October 8 - Voices of Hope's Annual Fall Gala Concert

October 9 - Once In A Lifetime! Fats Domino Meets Liberace

KIDS SHOW SCHEDULE

March 26 - A Year With Frog & Toad

July 29 - Disney's The Little Mermaid, Jr.

August 26 - Disney's Frozen, Jr.

Patrons can visit online at www.nsmt.org for more information about show schedules as well as ticket pricing and additional show details including cast and creative teams, run times, content advisories, and any additional events that may be connected to each show.

All tickets, discount subscriptions, and gift certificates are available to purchase online (www.nsmt.org), by phone (978) 232-7200 or at the North Shore Music Theatre Box Office located at 54 Dunham Road (Route 128, exit 46) in Beverly, MA.

CONCERT SCHEDULE

April 1 - Motor Booty Affair

April 8 - Vyntye Skynyrd with Whammer Jammer

April 9 - Dark Desert Eagles

April 10 - The NSMT Orchestra featuring Jay Daly presents "From Stardust to Penny Lane; A Celebration of the Popular Trumpet"

April 20 - G420 Concert featuring We Are Hydrogen

April 23 - Voices of Hope presents A Grand Night for Singing

April 29 - Foreigners Journey featuring CON-Stantine Maroulis

April 30 - Leonid & Friends

May 7 - Back to Black starring Megan Wolf

BOOK REVIEW

'Breaking Rockefeller' The Incredible Story of the Ambitious Rivals Who Topped an Oil Empire by Peter B. Doran

Reviewed By Bernie Kelly

This book details the exploits of a pair of interlopers who muscled their way into John D. Rockefeller's oil empire. The two men, Marcus Samuel Jr. and Henri Detering were an unlikely pair. Marcus Samuel was the heir to his father's business as a seashell engraver. He and his brother rose from poor origins and relative obscurity to improve on the company's acumen. Eventually, Marcus made his way into the oil business.

Henri Detering, on the other hand, moved up from his position as a protégé to an executive at Royal Dutch, an oil drilling corporation. He eventually became the CEO of the company.

At first Samuel and Detering were rivals in the corporate oil wars. After a time, though, due to the efforts of one

Shady Lane, a professional trouble shooter, they coalesced. "Lane endeavored to bring an end to the intensive conflict between Standard's challengers and eventually forge a lasting union between them." The erstwhile rivals became partners and went on to form Royal Dutch Shell, a conglomerate that would challenge Rockefeller's Standard Oil.

John D. Rockefeller had established an oil monopoly with few contestants to his hegemony. His original find was an oil field in Pennsylvania, while his original office was in Cleveland Ohio. As the business proliferated, though, he moved his headquarters to a skyscraper in New York City.

His considerable fortune was the envy of the American public. But it was short lived as a woman named Ida Tarbell wrote a lengthy expose' of his financial shenanigans. The book heavily impaired Rockefeller's reputation and President Teddy Roosevelt as well as a number of congressional leaders conducted investigations into the tawdrier aspects of the Rockefeller empire.

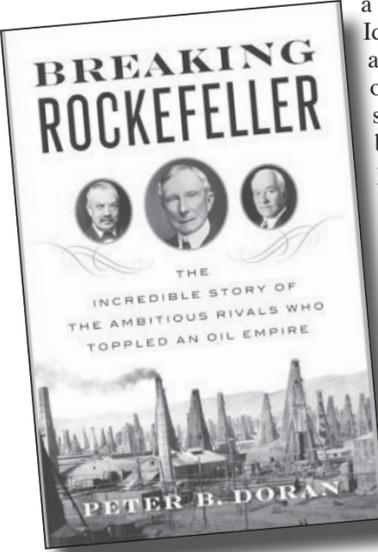
Meanwhile, on the other

side of the ocean, Marcus Samuel was making a name for himself in the political arena. After holding a number of posts, he was elected Lord Mayor of London. Samuel was an ambitious who never penury of his youth. He garnered great wealth, but he was never sated in his quest for respectability. Hence his desire to enter politics, a quest which took time away from his duties as an oil magnate.

Peter B Doran is the author of this book. He is a capable writer who delineated the nuances of his protagonists and the various scenarios that occur in the book. He is the Vice-President for Research at the Center for European Policy Analysis in Washington D.C. He is the author of the "History of Oil" podcast on iTunes. His articles have appeared in "Foreign Policy," "Defense News," "National Review," "The American Spectator" and the "Journal of Energy Security." His analysis has appeared in Fox News, Newsweek, and the Wall Street Journal. He holds a master's degree from Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service.

This book is a gem. You cannot go wrong by perusing this narrative. Doran is a craftsman who casts a spell on the reader. You will relish the opportunity of learning about the oil barons. Enjoy!

Bernie Kelly



Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 Kin partner
- 5 Was beholden to
- 9 Comic DeGeneres
- 14 Land east of the Urals
- 15 Game on horseback
- 16 Take off
- 17 Heston movie
- 20 Winter wear
- 21 S-W linkage
- 22 Draft letters
- 23 Pile up
- 24 Greek letters
- 27 Threesome
- 29 Wineglass shape
- 33 Being: Lat.
- 37 Tarzan on TV
- 38 Brilliantine
- 39 Dreyfuss movie
- 42 Seventh planet
- 43 Charleson or Carmichael
- 44 Welshman, e.g.
- 45 Wing support
- 46 Ran in place
- 48 Footnote reference
- 50 Correct text
- 55 Cinder
- 58 "A Chorus Line" number
- 59 Collectible baby?
- 60 Flynn movie
- 64 Horney of psychiatry
- 65 Maned cat
- 66 Squat down
- 67 In the future
- 68 E-mail button
- 69 Visualizes

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- 25 Fun trip in a wagon
- 26 Poisonous shrub
- 28 Guns it in neutral
- 30 Fill the hold
- 31 False god
- 32 Saucy
- 33 Ostrich cousins
- 34 Alphabetize
- 35 Emulate eagles
- 36 Tedium
- 38 Window element
- 40 Departing
- 41 Conceal in one's hand
- 46 Paragons
- 47 Bambi and Rudolph
- 49 "The ___ of the Sixth Happiness"
- 51 Sheet changers
- 52 Come next
- 53 Bridget to Jane Fonda
- 54 Secretaries
- 55 Aleutian Island
- 56 Pahlavi title
- 57 ___ and now (today)
- 59 007
- 61 Bering or Ross
- 62 Golf-ball position
- 63 Peter to Henry Fonda

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