



Century 21 Mario Real Estate

is pleased to welcome *Juan Jaramillo*. If you are looking for great service on your purchase or sale please contact Juan at 857-991-6387

21

REVERE JOURNAL

YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER SINCE 1881

INDEPENDENT
NEWSPAPER GROUP



50 CENTS
VOLUME 21, NO. 80
WEDNESDAY
February 22, 2023

INDEX

Editorial	6
Sports	9
Real Estate Transfers	10
Classifieds	15

DEATHS

Donna Jeanne Menard

Charlotte O'Hearn

Patricia Helen Roy

Obituaries Pg. 11

NEWS BRIEFS

MWRA TO TEMPORARILY SHUT DOWN FLUORIDE SYSTEM

Starting in late February, the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority will be replacing portions of the equipment that feeds fluoride into its drinking water. During this period, MWRA will not be adding fluoride to the water. This work is expected to take about three months to complete.

MWRA has worked closely with the Massachusetts Department of Public Health on this issue. While fluoride is important for dental health, health officials believe that this short-term shutdown will not pose any risk to dental health and will not require any special action by consumers.

Fluoride has been added to the region's water since the 1970s. The US Centers for Disease Control recommends its usage for reducing tooth decay and promoting community public health. MWRA also consulted with the Department of Public Health Oral Health Office and the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, both of which approved this temporary fluoride shutdown.

MWRA treats drinking water from the Quabbin and Wachusett Reservoirs at the John J. Carroll Treatment Plant in Marlborough. In addition to

See NEWS BRIEFS Page 2



NORTHEAST OIL DELIVERY

781-286-2602

\$3.48

Per Gallon

Price subject to change without notice

• 100 Gal. Minimum • 24 Hour Service
CALL FOR DAILY LOW PRICE

Visit us
online at
reverejournal.com

VALENTINE'S DAY PARTY AT THE ROSSETTI-COWAN SENIOR CENTER



PHOTOS BY MARIANNE SALZA

Shown above, Senior Center members singing, "Sweet Caroline" during the Rossetti-Cowan Senior Center Valentine's Day Party held on Feb. 15

Shown left, DJ Alan LaBella handing a rose to Marie Voto during "Roses are Red (My Love)."

See more photos on Page 4.

Licensing Comm. okays Quality Inn to reopen

By Journal Staff

The long journey of the Quality Inn at 100 Morris St. in its effort to resume operations appears to have reached its conclusion after the members of the Revere License Commission, chairperson Robert Selevitch and fellow members Daniel Occena and Linda Guinasso, gave their conditional approval for the hotel to reopen at their

meeting last Wednesday, February 15, in the City Council Chamber.

The hotel's owner, Sudguru Hotel, LLC, closed the hotel at the start of the pandemic, but has faced a number of obstacles in its attempt to reopen, most notably burst pipes that required extensive repairs and reinspections from city departments and an inability to find qualified employees to operate and

manage the hotel.

In addition, the hotel drew unexpected criticism from city officials in the fall of 2021 when former Boston Acting Mayor Kim Janney suggested that the hotel could serve as a temporary shelter for Boston's homeless population from the Mass. and Cass intersection.

However, after three

See QUALITY INN Page 7

No relief in sight for residents of Squire Road-Malden Street

By Journal Staff

The Revere Traffic Commission held a meeting last Thursday, February 16, in the City Council Chamber.

Chairperson Paul Argenzio, who is the Supt. of the Revere DPW, and fellow commissioners Police Chief David Callahan, City Planner Frank Stringi, City Engineer Nick Restroom, and Fire Chief Chris Bright were in atten-

dance.

The principal business before the commission involved hearing the recommendations from HNTB, the traffic consultant firm hired by the city, regarding the problem of excessive traffic in the neighborhood of the streets that form the grid between Malden St. and Squire Rd.

Last summer, the Traffic Commission, after hearing a petition from

residents of some of the streets in the grid, principally Sigourney and Derby Sts., agreed to change the traffic flow on those streets in order to alleviate the oppressive traffic volume.

However, the changes predictably pushed the traffic flow onto adjacent streets in the neighborhood. Two months later, the residents of those

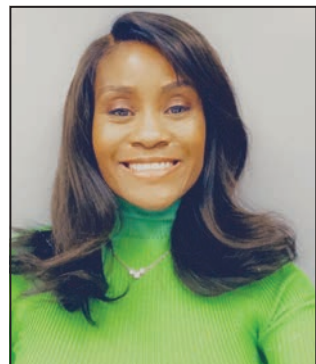
See TRAFFIC COMM. Page 13

PUBLIC SERVANT of the month

Dr. Stacey Mulligan is February 2023's Public Servant of the Month

Special to the Journal

Formally known as the SeaCoast Alternative High School in Beachmont, the CityLab Innovation High School is now booming more than ever before with innovative programs, community projects, and student involvement. Dr. Stacey Mulligan, Principal of CityLab Innovation High School, has worked



Principal of CityLab Innovation High School, Dr. Stacey Mulligan.

tirelessly over the last few years to adapt the school into what it is today. Her innovative ideas and dedication to the future of Revere make Dr. Stacey Mulligan a clear choice for February's Public Servant of the Month.

Q: What do you do in the city?

See PUBLIC SERVANT Page 16

Wonderland owners file suit over eminent domain taking

By Adam Swift

The owners of the Wonderland property have filed a lawsuit against the city over the taking of the 33-plus acre property by eminent domain.

CBW Lending, LLC vs. City of Revere was filed in Suffolk Superior Court on Friday, Feb. 17.

CBW Lending, a group that includes local businessman Joe O'Donnell and Vornado Realty Trust, is being represented by attorneys Peter Flynn and Jason Scopa of the Sausage-based Law Offices of Peter Flynn, which specializes in eminent domain cases.

Last November, the City Council approved a \$29.5 million bond to purchase the property, which consists of 12 individual lots, for use as the home of the new Revere High School.

Flynn said the current landowners are not con-

testing the validity of the taking itself, but the price that was approved to pay for the property.

"Our complaint against the city of Revere so far is just a complaint seeking additional damages over the original award," said Flynn. "We feel that we have been grossly underpaid."

The official date listed for damages in the case is Nov. 18, which Flynn said is the date for which everyone involved in the case has to value the property.

"That's the date the city recorded the order of taking, because they voted it on (Nov. 17)," said Flynn.

While Flynn's firm has handled a number of high-profile eminent domain cases in the region and throughout the state, Flynn said the Wonderland case could be the biggest one yet.

See WONDERLAND SUIT Page 5

Developers say they will not build homeless facility on Arcadia Street

By Adam Swift

Plans for a homeless facility on Arcadia Street have been withdrawn by the local developers.

For the past several weeks, neighborhood residents have been vocal in their opposition to the plan presented by local business owners John and Robert Nakashian to build a 24-bed facility at 84 Arcadia St.

But behind the scenes, the neighbors, developers, attorneys, and city officials were working to come to a suitable agreement on the project.

At a neighborhood meeting at Santorinis on Monday night, the Nakashian brothers and attorney Gerry D'Ambrosio said they would no longer build the facility on Arcadia Street. In its place, the Nakashians are looking to return to the city with a

plan for five townhouses on the 17,000-square-foot lot.

"These are complicated problems that we face, and the key is to be collaborative and try to work through them, which is what I think we did here, while at the same time, not digging our head in the sand and ignoring the homelessness crisis," said D'Ambrosio.

Because the use of the facility that was proposed was defined as a restorative/educational facility under Revere zoning and the state's Dover amendment, it did not need approval for the use by the Zoning Board of Appeals or the City Council.

However, the City Council did draft a letter voicing its opposition to the project. Neighbors, meanwhile, collected sig-

See ARCADIA ST. Page 5



License Comm. approves Wingstop for Bell Circle

By Journal Staff

In addition to the main matters that came before the License Commission at its meeting last week (see accompanying story), the commissioners took up several other applications to which they gave their approval.

The first matter to come before the board was a request by Blessed Mother of the Morning Star Parish at St. Mary's Church, 670 Washington Avenue, for a one-day license for a Malt/Wine, Common Victualer, and Entertainment License to be exercised on Saturday, March 18, from 5 p.m.–10 p.m. for a Saint Patrick's Day Dinner Dance for parishioners. The expected attendance is 80 with entertainment to be provided by a DJ.

Anthony Carbone, representing Ralph DeCicco, the event manager, presented the application to the commission.

"This is the same dinner dance you have every year," noted commissioner Linda Guinasso.

There were no opponents and commissioners Robert Selevitch, Daniel Occena, and Guinasso unanimously approved the application.

The commission next took up the application to amend the Entertainment License of Lupita Revere, LLC d/b/a Lupita Restaurant, at 111 Shirley Ave., Erasmo A. Guevara, Manager, to add DJ, Karaoke, and Dancing by Patrons. The current license includes Widescreen Cable TV, Radio, Jukebox, and Vocal/Instrumental Music.

Mr. Guevara presented the application to the commissioners. He told the commission that the business has been open for a month and that expanding the license always had been part of his business plan.

Guinasso asked about where patrons will be dancing in the establishment and Guevara noted that there will not be a separate dancing area added to the floor space. He said that he has complied with all of the city's reg-

ulations for the entertainment license.

"We're just looking to have the patrons entertained a little bit later because we have a license until 2:00 AM," Guevara said.

"I want to make sure that this is not a backdoor way to turn this into a nightclub," said Occena. "I want to make sure that your primary focus is as a restaurant."

Guevara said that was not the case and, when asked by the commissioners about the possible impact on residential buildings in the area, added that he has reached out to the police department with regard to obtaining police details.

There were no opponents to the application and the commissioners unanimously approved it.

The commission next took up the application of Los Compadres Oaxaqueños, LLC d/b/a B & M Grill, 843 Broadway, Cristian Mancia, manager, for a change of license category to All Alcohol from Malt/

Wine from Sunday-Saturday from 10 a.m.– 10 p.m. The hours previously were 12 p.m.-10 p.m.

Atty. Richard Mestone presented the application to the commission. He said the restaurant has been in existence for many years and his clients have had the restaurant for about a year.

"This is a family restaurant serving breakfast, lunch, and dinner," said Mestone, who added that patrons have been asking for the change and noted that the restaurant wants to be able to serve breakfast drinks such as mimosas. He also added that patrons will only be served alcohol with meals.

Guinasso said that she had, "received calls this week from eight families who are neighbors who have said what a wonderful business they run, so keep up the good work."

Occena also said he had received emails in support of the application. "I think you are doing a great job and I have no reservations about this whatsoever," he said.

However, a resident who said he lived in the

area since 1970, while not specifically opposing the application, addressed the commission about the parking situation.

"We have a horror show with parking in this neighborhood," he said. "It's been a horror-show for years. There are five businesses in this area."

Guinasso responded that the problem is that the city does not require parking for a commercial use and that the parking problem stems from other businesses in the area.

The commissioners unanimously approved the application.

The commission next addressed the application of Revere Minute-man Wings, LLC d/b/a Wingstop, 5 Everett Street, Unit B, Mark Justice, LLC Manager, for a Common Victualer License with hours from Sunday-Saturday, 11 a.m –12 a.m., and seating for 10.

The commission heard from a representative of the company, who is a Rhode Island resident, who said that he operates three other Wingstops in this area. He noted that a

shortage of electric panels had held back the opening, but now they are ready to open their location at Bell Circle.

There were no opponents and the commission unanimously approved the application.

The commission also approved the following license renewals:

Common Victualer:
The Good Diner, LLC,
361 Broadway
Entertainment:
The Good Diner, LLC
361 Broadway
Class 2 Motor Vehicle Dealer:
Metropolitan Acceptance Corp., 1605 North Shore Road
Christopher Viarella, Jr., Millennium Motors, 190 American Legion Highway
Louis Taglieri, Jr. d/b/a Lee's Towing & Auto Salvage, 1089R Broadway
Avetis John Nakashian DBA European Exotics Auto Sales, 787 North Shore Road
Serop Rob Nakashian DBA Beach Motors Auto Sales, 787B North Shore Road

Council subcommittee recommends board appointments

By Adam Swift

The City Council's appointments subcommittee recommended approval of residents for a number of city boards at its regular meeting last week.

The nominees will be before the full City Council for final approval at its meeting on Monday, Feb. 27.

Mayor Brian Arrigo nominated Dean Harris and Claire Inzerillo to the Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees.

Harris is the Executive Director of the Revere Housing Authority, overseeing all aspects of the housing authority, from future development to voucher programs.

"Every time I have gone to Dean in the past, he's been very responsive and he's a fountain of in-

formation when it comes to housing," said Councilor-at-Large Steven Morabito.

Inzerillo works for the city, but said her interest in serving on the Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees is personal. Inzerillo will serve on the board as the required market-rate tenant.

"I'm interested in seeing the city stay as a place that is liveable and affordable," said Inzerillo.

lo. "I want to make sure people who grew up here and graduated school here and stayed in the area are able to live here and work here."

The subcommittee also recommended the approval of Seth Rhoades to the Planning Board, Samantha Woodman to the Conservation Commission, and Asha Waterhouse to the Public Art Commission.

Woodman is a life-

long Revere resident who works as a corporate sustainability specialist focusing on environmental regulatory compliance.

Ward 3 Councilor and ways and means chair Anthony Cogliandro said he spoke to the Conservation Commission chair and vice chair and that they were both looking forward to having someone with Woodman's experience on the commission.

Waterhouse is an artist

and creator living in Revere who specializes in photography and digital media and video production. He said he also has experience helping nonprofits with content creation and fundraising.

"I had the opportunity to meet Asha ... and we had a good conversation," said Morabito. "He went over his business and what he does, and I think he will be a perfect fit for the Public Art Commission."

RON'S OIL

Call For Current Daily Price
Accepting new customers

781-397-1930
781-662-8884

Credit Cards Accepted

RevereTV

Your Community Source

SPOTLIGHT

If you're looking for some comfort food to get you through this February vacation, watch Senator Lydia Edwards on "What's Cooking, Revere?" She uses her grandmother's recipe to make baked macaroni and cheese and discusses her family history. Senator Edwards represents all of Revere, Winthrop, and parts of Boston as state senator. It is available to watch on RevereTV's Facebook and YouTube pages, but will be premiering tonight on the Community Channel at 7pm! The episode will replay at least once per day through the end of this month. All episodes of RevereTV's cooking programs to be found on YouTube in playlists to be viewed at your convenience.

Victoria Fabbo was at RevereTV last week to record another episode of "Fabulous Foods." Victoria always makes a full and healthy dinner recipe for anyone to follow along to. All episodes of "Fabulous Foods with Victoria Fabbo" can be found on RevereTV's YouTube page to watch at your own pace. Victoria is a prime example of someone who loved their time on "What's Cooking, Revere?" so much that it led to a decision to create an original program. This newest episode will premiere next Wednesday at 7pm on the Community Channel.

The Revere High School Filmic Society is collaborating with RevereTV to record scenes for their latest production. The group will be back over the next few weeks and is just using the space as a film set. RHS A/V Media Tech, Paul Amato, helped put this together for the students. The RHS Filmic Society will be premiering their production sometime toward the end of the school year.

RevereTV is a frequent visitor of the Rossetti-Cowan Senior Center to record all the fun things going on there for the city's seniors. Last week, Elder Affairs held a Valentine's Day lunch that included donated raviolis and meatballs from Demaino's. The concert included a playlist of Italian music. Watch the Valentine's Day concert playing on the RevereTV Community Channel on weekdays around noon. This recording is also posted to YouTube.

RTV GOV is the channel to watch for all local government meetings. This is channel 9 on Comcast and 13/613 on RCN. The meetings also air live on YouTube and Facebook. This past week's meetings include Ways and Means, Commission on Disabilities, License Commission, Traffic Commission, the Zoning Board of Appeals tonight, and Board of Health meeting tomorrow. All meetings replay on RTV GOV in the weeks following the first airing.

News Briefs //

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

fluoride, water is treated with both ozone and ultraviolet light for disinfection, and the pH is adjusted to make the water less corrosive and less likely to leach lead from home plumbing.

If you have any concerns, check with your dental care provider. For more information on your drinking water, please visit www.mwra.com or call MWRA at 617-242-7283.

PATRIOT CLUB MEETING 2023

The first meeting of 2023 for the Patriot Senior Club will be held on Tuesday March 14 at 12:00 noon. If you have any questions, please call President Nina DeFreitas at 857-318-2375 or Vice President Marilyn Tobey at 617-846-4249.

worked with Mayor Arrigo and our community partners to secure these investments and build a more sustainable, more equitable tomorrow."

"As the mayor of a rapidly growing coastal city, investments in climate resiliency and food security are vital to improve the livelihood of our residents," said Mayor Brian Arrigo. "\$4 million is transformative for the Revere Food Hub and the Riverside Climate Resiliency Project. I am thankful for Democratic Whip Katherine Clark's advocacy for this funding and am hopeful this will have a lasting impact on Revere and the surrounding communities."

In total, Clark secured over \$20 million for local community projects in the Fifth District, including nearly \$11 million specifically to improve climate resiliency.

WHIP CLARK ANNOUNCES NEARLY \$4 MILLION FOR CLIMATE, FOOD SECURITY IN REVERE

Democratic Whip Katherine Clark (MA-5) has announced that she has secured nearly \$4 million in the Fiscal Year 2023 federal budget for two community projects in Revere, MA. The funding will improve the City's climate resiliency and help families struggling with food insecurity.

"Nearly \$4 million is coming to Revere to improve our climate readiness and fight hunger," said Democratic Whip Katherine Clark. "This is a win for the people of Revere and a win for our planet. I'm proud to have

The projects include:

Grow in Revere Food Hub Project – Revere, MA: \$2,000,000

This funding will increase the Hub's capacity to meet demand and improve access for people with disabilities, ensuring that some of Revere's most vulnerable residents are able to find healthy food options. Additionally, it will allow the Hub to fix essential HVAC and electrical systems. Together, all of these improvements will help bolster food security throughout the City.

Riverside Climate Resiliency Project – Revere, MA: \$1,977,220

As a seaside community in MA-5, Revere is especially vulnerable to

the impacts of climate change-induced flooding, storms, and sea-level changes. This funding will mitigate current climate change stressors on the RiverFront Area in Revere, and prepare for the ongoing impact of worsening climate change, sea-level rise and extreme weather events.

WALK FOR HUNGER RETURNS

One of Massachusetts' most iconic events is back! Project Bread's The Walk for Hunger, the Commonwealth's largest and oldest day of community action against hunger, is seeking walkers for a new 3-mile route. Back in-person for the first time since 2019, the one-day fundraising event is set for Sunday, May 7 at the Boston Common, featuring plenty of family-friend-

ly activations along the 3-mile loop. The Walk for Hunger is a fundraiser that supports Project Bread's work to raise awareness for food insecurity and increase food access for people of all ages in Massachusetts. In its 55th year, Project Bread invites you to help us raise more than \$1 million to support food assistance resources and sustainable policy solutions to end hunger. Likeminded anti-hunger organizations can enroll in our co-fundraising program, The Commonwealth, forming teams to raise money to support their own work, while also furthering the statewide effort. To register for the event and create a personal or team fundraising page for the Walk for Hunger or to make a donation, visit projectbread.org/walk or call (617) 723-5000.

Machinist Training

Need a career change?
Want a great trade?
Like to use your mind instead of your back?

Sign up for the ETeam Machinist Training Program

Apply at: www.eteamhome.net

Classes begin in March

A STROLL THROUGH TIME

THE REVERE JOURNAL

VOLUME FIFTY-ONE, NO. 8 REVERE, MASS., FEBRUARY 20, 1932 SINGLE COPIES, FIVE CENTS

European Affairs

By Gilbert Sayward

Mr. Gilbert Sayward, for many years a personal friend of the editor of the Journal, is now traveling in Europe. He has kindly consented to write of his travels and experiences for the Journal. His writings will deal with the people and their customs, with world affairs as seen by Europe, with America as seen by the Europeans.

When in Harvard College, Mr. Sayward was considered the most promising writer in the student body. His writings have appeared in several nationally known publications.

This feature can be had in no other paper in New England. It will appear in the Journal from time to time, possibly weekly, depending on the mails.

The first communication from Mr. Sayward is brief because he has not, as yet, had time to really get started on his writing. He has been busy writing home to friends and looking up old friends in Germany where he is now staying.

His communication this week deals with his journey through France and into Germany in his own automobile that he took with him to Europe.—Editor.

War Preparations?

Even the lines of tall, old trees that followed the highway across the rolling farmlands of Northeastern France looked militant rather than rural. One's thoughts ran not to the quiet peasantry who followed their plows in heavy wooden sabots, but to the swathe Roman legionnaires who had built their military roads and planted trees along them over half of Europe.

And then, driving slowly through the minute main street of a French country town, towns whose houses and shops looked like stage sets of beaver-board and plaster of paris, the automobile would be forced to the wall as a troop of light blue uniformed soldiers, tin-helmeted and with heavy rifles slung on their backs, rode by on bicycles.

In the larger cities, such as Strasbourg, and as the road drew near the German border, there were increasing signs of military operations. Forts were being constructed, extensive training camps in full operation, soldiers everywhere. Officers in blue and black uniforms and gold faced caps, dark skinned men in red breeches and red trimmed uniforms, all on machine-gun unit of ten men, all on motor-cycles, roaring up the road at top speed. All young, experienced, and, an unavoidable impression, ready to fight at the drop of a hat.

Near the border there is a certain tenseness, even in the bearing of shopkeepers and towns folk. They all seem waiting, waiting. There is little to occasion definite comment as to armed hostilities between France and Germany except the realization that France's preparedness is something more than a show of strength along her borders, something more definite than mere winter maneuvers.

Something lighter and slightly amusing in the French customs attention to baggage passing over the borders into Germany. Packages of food and clothing are carefully wrapped and examined if their bearers be foot travelers, but if the examined be driving an automobile and be loaded with suitcases the officer only gives it a cursory glance, after inquiring after tobacco and matches, both of which are "defendu."

Mrs. Violet Le Brun, an active member of the Young Woman's Congregational Club, has been confined to her home for a few days with a severe cold.

BUY A BOND

Men's Furnishings ---

Ties, Shirts, Socks, Bathrobes, Hats

CHARLES DREYER

310 BROADWAY, CHELSEA TEL. 1589-M

Lincoln School Is Dedicated

A large gathering attended the dedication of the Abraham Lincoln School, Feb. 12. Thirteen rooms and a combination gymnasium and auditorium have been added to the school building.

Among those present were: Hon. Andrew A. Casassa, mayor; Dr. Frank E. Rowe, chairman of the building committee; Parker J. Brown, architect; Mrs. Elma A. Burns, chairman of Revere School Committee, and Carl F. Lindstol, superintendent of schools.

An extraordinary display of school work was exhibited in each classroom. The Revere High School band played several selections, directed by Miss H. N. O'Connor.

The play, "The Shadow of a Great Man," was presented by the students of the Abraham Lincoln School. Each member of the cast should be congratulated upon his fine work. The play revealed not only their dramatic ability but also their co-operation as a group.

The cast included, Marian Salvatore, Florence Mordegia, Jerry Olivolo, Arthur Lionette, Anthony Moscia, Jennie Favara, Agnes Andreotola, William Orlandello, Thomas Prizio, Hugh Dawson and Franklin Brown.

PAST GRAND KNIGHT OF REVERE K. C. LEAVES FOR N. Y.

Patrick A. Collins of 10 Sprague st. paid his farewell visit to the Revere Council, K. of C. building, from his Revere home, last Saturday evening. While in the building he was pleasantly surprised when Grand Knight Fred J. McDonough, on behalf of the brother members of the Council, presented him with a beautiful traveling bag as a token of esteem and as a pleasant and constant reminder of the Revere Council, 179.

Mr. Collins responded with a fine speech of thanks and assured the members present that he would remain a member of the Revere Council as long as he lived. Mr. Collins and family will take up a permanent residence in New York, as he has been promoted to a high and responsible position with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

Mr. Collins has labored long and faithfully for the local Council, being a Past Grand Knight, and his work is well known throughout the state. It will be a long time before the members of Revere Council even begin to forget Mr. Collins and every member of the Council will always have a warm spot in their heart for him. The best wishes of his friends follow Mr. Collins and his family, and his visits back to his home town will be eagerly looked forward to.

ALPHA PHI THETA NOTES

(By Louis Sacks)

The newly-elected officers went into office at the regular Tuesday meeting held at the Frat House. The new officers are:

Chancellor, Robert Seigal; vice chancellor, Harold Yampolsky; scribe, Joseph Price; treasurer, William Livingston.

The social committee has full charge of a bridge and whist party which is to be held at a later date. Mr. Yampolsky, chairman of the committee, is devoting much of his time to make it a great success. Mr. Johnson, director, who has already rendered great service to the Fraternity, has supplied all members with membership cards. The members are looking forward to the next meeting in which entertainment will be supplied by the entertainment committee.

BICENTENNIAL EXERCISES AT JULIA WARD HOWE SCHOOL

The dedication of a tree planted in memory of George Washington took place at the Julia Ward Howe School on Thursday afternoon. Senator C. J. Brodbine gave a very impressive address to the pupils and parents on the influence of the character of Washington.

Mothers' Club Valentine Party

The Immaculate Conception School Mothers' Club held a very successful Valentine Party Tuesday evening in K. of C. Hall. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and a catered supper was served by the girls of the Immaculate Conception School Alumni. The distinguished guest of the evening was Mr. J. Mulvey, ex-Congressman, of Roxbury, and present registrar of births, marriages and deaths for the city of Boston.

Mr. Mulvey gave a very interesting talk on the social problems of the youth of today and cited cases that are called to his attention through the births and marriage registry.

Rep. Thomas Carroll was toastmaster and gave a recitation. Miss Mary Duffy entertained with a solo, accompanied on the piano by Miss Kathryn Floor. Miss Marie Kelley, soloist, accompanied on the piano by her mother, Mrs. Stephen Kelley; Mrs. Mary Andrews, solo, and she accompanied herself on the piano; Mr. Franklin Flahive, solo, accompanied by Miss Lauretta Andrews, a student at Regis College; Miss Marjorie Cowhig gave a recitation. Music was furnished by boys of the Immaculate Conception School, led by Francis Cahill.

When midnight was drawing near, everyone was satisfied with an evening of fun and pleasure to be remembered for many days.

The success of the party was due to the untiring effort of the President Mrs. Matilda Geary assisted by Mrs. Cecilia Cunningham, chairman, and Mrs. Madolyn V. Lundberg, secretary.

Congressman Connery Wants Beach Improved

Congressman William P. Connery is promoting a plan for the development of Revere Beach. The whole plan is explained in a communication received by the Journal from him and published below.

"The enclosed (see below) is a copy of a telegram forwarded by Congressman William P. Connery in furtherance of the resolve which was heard recently before Metropolitan Affairs. The resolve referred to is the same as filed a year ago by Ex-Representative Michael F. Shaw and others calling for the appointment of a joint commission of three men, one each from the Metropolitan District Commission, Department of Public Works and the Metropolitan Planning Division. It provides for a study of the feasibility and cost of development of Revere Beach as a recreational center.

"A plan of development proposed by Gordon F. Holland providing for hydrolic removal of sand from the numerous bars one mile or more off the beach to expand the shore line outward into the water. This operation is exactly the same as has been done on a number of New York and New Jersey beaches with extraordinary success. In addition to enlarging the bathing and play area of the beach, it also provides additional road for vehicular traffic through the new East Boston tunnel and parking facilities for many thousands of cars.

"The experience of other communities where this form of development has been completed more than justifies the expense involved. The increased values based on revenue possibilities of the property abutting the proposed changes has invariably amounted to at least ten times the cost of the project. In view of the removal of sand from navigable waters of Broad Sound which are under Federal control, Congressman Connery believes he can secure favorable action at Washington providing for part of the cost of the work.

"Congressman Connery's ambitious plans for Lynn harbor would be greatly benefited by a development of this kind at Revere Beach. He has had signal success to date with federal appropriations for Lynn harbor. The Rivers and Harbors Committee has indicated a willingness to spend money to improve navigable waters where the States whose property will be increased in value show a disposition to spend money for improvement also. At a hearing before the joint Metropolitan Affairs Committee Senator Brodbine and Representatives Airola and Carroll spoke in favor of the investigation as did Mayor Casassa, Ex-Representative Shaw and Gordon F. Holland. There was no opposition.

"With the approval of the Metropolitan Affairs Committee this resolve will next be referred to Committee on Ways and Means. From that committee it then proceeds to the floor of the House for action. This measure, having passed the Senate a year ago without a dissenting vote and now going before the House with the united front of the Revere Legislators, would seem to have reasonable hope for passage."

Congressman Connery's telegram to the Massachusetts Metropolitan Affairs Committee, follows:

"May I request that your committee favor resolution for investigation of feasibility of developing Revere Beach as recreational center. Believe this matter is of tremendous importance to all people of state to prevent fire menace, overcrowding, and clean enjoyment of the beach. Revere Beach will be in my district after coming election and I am intensely interested in this matter. If report on resolution is favorable, have hopes of securing Federal Aid on project in future."

"(Cong.) William P. Connery, Jr."

Council Makes Several Slashes In 1932 Budget

Fred Pizzano Is Honored

On Thursday evening, Revere Lodge of Moose are tendering a testimonial banquet and dance to their treasurer, Mr. Fred Pizzano, who has been one of their most valued members for years.

The live and energetic committee in charge of this affair is headed by Chairman Carl Fabian, and he is ably assisted by Messrs. Albert Cortese, Martin Davy, James Ryan, the Dictator of the lodge, James Cowhig and Daniel Green. This committee is being aided by the Ladies Chapter of the Lodge.

Many prominent men of the city are to attend. Mayor Casassa will be present and address the gathering.

GARFIELD ALUMNI TO PRESENT PLAY FRIDAY

On Friday evening, Feb. 26, the Garfield Alumni Association will present its first annual play, "Her Part-Time Husband." The production is under the direction of Miss Nellie Levine.

The cast includes Jack Sandler, Miss Alice Olitsky, Saul Adelstein, Miss Helen Walker, the Misses Ethel and Frances Cohen, Miss Dorothy Hamel, Eli Werman, and Sam Strasnick.

Civilian Police Drivers Are Cut From Budget

The City Council met Wednesday evening to consider the budget for 1932. The meeting was called at 8:30 and a small amount of routine business was transacted before a recess was called.

During the recess the Council met in secret session in the Mayor's office. City Treasurer James M. O'Brien was present and "talked turkey" to the Councilmen. It is understood that he told them of his efforts to raise a loan. He told the Councilmen that the budget must be cut to the bone. The private session lasted about two hours.

When the Council was called to order and had gone into Committee of the Whole, Councilman Robertson made a fiery charge that the general desire of the Council was to "railroad" the budget through. Councilman Gilfix said that there was no "railroading," citing last year's action on the budget, and saying that more time had been given to the matter this year than was given last year.

The individual items in the budget were taken up. Several slashes were made.

The general feeling of the Council is that home telephones of public officials should no longer be paid for by the city. It is understood that all residence phones with the exception of fire and police will be cut from the budget.

Councilmen cut out their own telephones and voted to make a 10 per cent donation from their salaries to the public welfare department.

Assessors' budget approved, also the Auditor's Department, Board of Registrars, Building Inspectors, City Clerk, Collector's, Treasurer's Department and Interest and Election Department.

In the Engineering department, \$285 for transportation and five employees were eliminated.

The allowances for the Fire Department were approved as presented as were those for the Health Department.

The Council voted to approve all items in the Mayor's budget.

Allowances for civilian chauffeurs in the Police Department were stricken out on motion of Councilman Gallagher. All other items in the police budget approved.

Under Public Works, the Administrative Department, Ash, City Hall, Sewer and Street Cleaning Departments were approved. In the Street Department it was voted to cut the item street materials from \$5,632.50 to \$4,652.

All items in Water Division approved.

Councilman Armstrong went home at 3 a. m.

All items in Welfare Department approved on motion of Councilman Bodner.

Meeting adjourned at 3:35 a. m. (City Council on Page Four)

Chamber of Commerce

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Board of Directors of the Revere Chamber of Commerce was held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 16, in the offices of the Suburban Gas & Electric Company. Almost 100 percent of the members were in attendance, the largest since the inception of the Board.

Mr. H. H. Goodwin and Mr. Colin F. Chisholm, were unanimously re-elected Treasurer and Secretary, respectively, for the year 1932.

House Bill 978, by Mr. Airola of Revere, petition of Charles Gilfix for legislation to provide retirement allowances based on annuity and pension contributions for employees of the city of Revere was presented for examination and after it was thoroughly discussed, it was unanimously voted that the Chamber of Commerce endorse the bill.

Another important matter to come before the Board, was the proposed purchase of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway by the Metropolitan Transit District. Upon motion of Mayor Casassa, the members unanimously voted to go on record as favoring the purchase of this railway.

Mayor Casassa called the members' attention to the Unemployment Bonds now on sale and urged the Chamber to lend their support to the movement. In order to aid the good work, President Frank L. Sullivan appointed five members to interview all the members of the Chamber of Commerce and induce them to buy a bond. The committee appointed is as follows: Ward 1, H. King Hallikman; Ward 2, Benjamin Lazarus; Ward 3, Manuel Kirstein; Ward 4, Fred C. Miskelly; Ward 5, Herbert H. Goodwin. Within a very short time these men will commence their canvassing of the different wards.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p. m.

LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Auxiliary, Unit No. 61, of Revere, are doing a great work in connection with the hospitals. The welfare committee made their usual visit to the hospitals last week, taking with them an abundant supply of "goodies" and other things for the men. This is a most worthy work and in order that we keep this up, we want to again remind you of our whist and bridge to be held on Friday evening, March 4 in the new Legion Building, as the proceeds are to be used for our welfare work. Tickets are in great demand and many valuable prizes have been received up to date. Mrs. Chas. H. Lord is chairman of this affair, assisted by the members of the Auxiliary. Don't forget the date, March 4th.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF REVERE

Broadway—Near City Hall

Start the new year right by opening a savings account with us. Acquire the habit of thrift by putting aside a few dollars each week. We are prepared to serve you.

Member of Federal Reserve System

ANDREW A. CASASSA President

ELDON F. EVERETT Cashier

VALENTINES DAY CELEBRATION AT THE SENIOR CENTER

Photos by Marianne Salza

Rosetti-Cowan Senior Center members enjoyed a Valentine's Day Celebration on February 15, with ravioli and meatball

lunches from DeMaino's Restaurant. Couples slow-danced to "The Lady in Red," and friends swayed hand-in-hand to "That's Amore." DJ Alan LaBel-

la provided musical entertainment, presenting a few ladies with bouquets of roses during the song, "Roses are Red (My Love)."



Councilor Steve Morabito, Sandi Lozier, Kathleen Brennan, Mary Vigliotta, and Denise Rampelberg.



Administrative Clerk Joy Granata, Director of Elder Services Deb Peczka, Carol Kerns, Enrique and Olga Peña, Carmella Giangregorio, Irene Lanza, Jeannette Trionfi, and Rosemarie Hudson.



Marie Voto and DJ Alan LaBella.



DJ Alan LaBella, Councilor Anthony Zambuto with Nancy Monkiewicz, winner of a \$50 scratch ticket that was donated by Councilor Zambuto.



Irma Accettullo, singing "That's Amore" with Lois and Tony Dambrosio.



DJ Alan LaBella, city and state officials, and members of the Rosetti-Cowan Senior Center, enjoying the Valentine's Day Celebration on February 15.



Sandi Lozier, holding an "O," performing "L.O.V.E" with friends.

Our Senior Life

DURING THE MONTHS OF MARCH + APRIL THE REVERE JOURNAL WILL BE RUNNING A SERIES OF INFORMATIVE ARTICLES AND SERVICE SPOTLIGHTS OF IMPORTANCE TO OUR SENIORS, AS WELL MEMORIES OF DAYS GONE BY.

Let's help your local business make the most of your ad dollars in both print AND online!

Showcase your business card or offerings!
Call the office 781-485-0588 to get started or email
deb@reverejournal.com · maureen@winthroptranscript.com
sioux@charlestownbridge.com

FULL PAGE IMPACT • FULL PAGE IMPACT

AD SIZES
3.17"w-by-2"h

COLOR DIRECTORY BLOCKS
4-WEEK COMMITMENT
ONLY \$200

ONLY

\$50.00

PER
WEEK

AGING IS AN EXTRAORDINARY PROCESS WHERE YOU BECOME THE PERSON YOU ALWAYS SHOULD HAVE BEEN - DAVID BOWIE



Councilor Ira Novoselsky dancing with Barbara Stoddard to "Roses are Red (My Love)."



Senator Lydia Edwards, Councilor-at-Large Gerry Visconti, and Pat Mando.



DJ Alan LaBella with Jackie Luti, Joanne Monteforte, Rita Krassnoff, Ann Gorrell, Lucretia Deeran, Barbara Stoddard, and Francine Cataldo.



Representative Jeff Turco, Irma Accettullo, Senator Lydia Edwards, Lorraine Repoli, and Councilor-at-Large Gerry Visconti.



February birthdays: Carmella, Alberto, Cheryl, Maureen, Emily, Karen, Rita, and John F. Kingston, School Committee member.

Starting April 5, Revere Food Pantry will return to original location at First Congregational Church

Effective Wednesday April 5th, 2023, the First Congregational Church of Revere's weekly Food Pantry Distribution will be relocating back to its original location at the First Congregational Church at 230 Beach Street. Both city and church staff are seeking dedicated volunteers to assist with food pantry operations during the transition and those interested in volunteering can sign up at www.revere.org/volunteer or call First Congregational Church at 781-284-4158. In efforts to gain interest for volunteers, the Revere Health and Human Services department is hosting a Day

of Service for city employees to help make the transition from the Food Hub to the Church the last week of March 2023. "When COVID-19 first broke out, our church was overwhelmed with the needs of the food insecure," said Pastor Tim Bogertman. "The lines stretched from our church's front door all the way down to the Revere High School parking lot! On top of that, we were concerned about the safety of our volunteers and their exposure to the virus. At that time, the City of Revere stepped in to help us. They relocated us to the temporary location of the Rumney Marsh Academy, and eventually we were moved to our current

location at 200 Winthrop Ave. The Mayor's staff and the City of Revere's Community Health and Engagement Department partnered with us and provided staff support, financial aid, and other areas of need." While the Food Pantry has been operating out of 200 Winthrop Ave, a larger vision for the Food Hub and subsequent construction on the building has initiated the need to bring the Food Pantry Distribution back to its original location at the First Congregational Church. The distribution will continue to occur on Wednesdays from 6:15 – 8:00pm. However, instead of a drive-thru operation, starting April 5th

the Food Pantry will move to a walk-up distribution service. Clients of the Food pantry will be able to park in two parking lots close to First Congregational Church:

- Immaculate Conception's parking lot (133 Beach Street)
- Central Avenue Municipal parking lot

It is very important for clients to park only in these two designated locations to ensure the safety of residents and volunteers and the continued ability for the Church to operate. It is also very important for clients to remember to only come during their assigned week that corresponds to the first letter of their last name. This system will continue to be in

place after the change of location. If a client has any questions about what week they can attend, please contact the church office at 781-284-4158. "As a church, we are grateful for the support that Mayor Arrigo and the city has shown us during the unprecedented times we faced during the heights of COVID," said Pastor Tim Bogertman. "As the Food Pantry now returns to our church building, we are thankful that the city will continue to assist us. However, we are asking for your help. Volunteers are the backbone of our pantry, so we will need as much help as possible to make this transition a success. The number of clients that still need our help

is very high. We will need help with loading and unloading pallets of food during the day, bagging food in the evening hours, and having assistance with the distribution and traffic control on Wednesday evenings. Please call our church office at 781-284-4158 if you can help, or if you need assistance. As always, we are deeply invested in the community, and look forward to helping Revere thrive." The City of Revere and the First Congregational Church are asking residents to sign-up to volunteer at www.revere.org/volunteer.

Arcadia St. // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

natures in opposition to the project and held several protests, both at City Hall and in front of several businesses owned by the Nakashian brothers on North Shore Road. One of those neighbors, Anthony Parziale, said it was an overall effort by all the neighbors working to resolve the problem. "Everybody in the neighborhood stepped up, every single person," said Parziale. While Parziale was vocal about his discontent with the project in public, he said ultimately he wanted to thank the Nakashians, D'Ambrosio, city councillors, local legislators, and the mayor for working together to come up with a better plan for the neighborhood. "I want to thank the

attorney for helping our community, for the Nakashian family, because they are a big part of this, they are family people that listened to us when we said this needs to be in a different location," said Parziale. "I want to thank and apologize to the mayor, because the mayor had a big hand in having this go in a different place, and I was out in front of his office for 10 days, every day with a megaphone calling him out. I apologize to and thank the City Council, because I did the same thing to them." While Parziale said the neighbors are largely in support of having the five townhouses on the 84 Arcadia St. property, that plan will have to be submitted to the city and needs a special permit

from the City Council. Ward 5 Councillor John Powers noted that a similar townhouse proposal was defeated about a year ago because of flooding concerns. However, Powers said he was against the homeless facility being located on Arcadia Street, and would support the new townhouse proposal. "I don't think a project like (the homeless facility) should have ever been presented to the city of Revere," said Powers. He added that he introduced a special motion at a recent council meeting to bring more information about the project to light, and urged D'Ambrosio to relocate the proposal. While he said homeless services are needed in the city, Powers said a dead end street with many families was not the right place for it. Powers said he will support the special permit for the town houses, based on the fact that he would rather see that than a homeless facility. However, Powers said he was not thrilled that it seemed like the city was being forced to make a choice between two less than ideal proposals. He added that he trusts the Conservation Commission to do its due diligence to address any flooding concerns the townhouse proposal might present. As for a facility providing services for the homeless population in the city, D'Ambrosio said he is working with a private sector client to find a more suitable location in Revere. "Hopefully, it will be in an area of the city where there will be less community pushback and we can



Arcadia Street residents attended a Monday night meeting at Santorini where the developers of a planned homeless facility on their street announced they would withdraw their plans. Shown with residents above are the property developers, along with their Attorney, Gerry D'Ambrosio.w

still provide services that we need," said D'Ambrosio. "This is a small program for Revere's homeless people, it's not for homeless people that are being brought in here." D'Ambrosio said there is a need to push the issue

forward in the city. "We need to keep the community happy, but at the same time trying to solve a compelling community problem," he said. "People need to acknowledge that it is a problem, because if we don't, it's

only going to get worse. We're going to have homeless people at every set of lights, we're going to have them on Broadway, and we need to find a way to get them help, back on their feet, and off the streets."



Arcadia Street residents Anthony Parziale and Lorena Lanza from last Friday's protest against the Arcadia Street homeless facility in front of the Nakashian brothers businesses on North Shore Road.



ADAM SWIFT PHOTOS

Wonderland Suit // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

"This case represents potentially the largest eminent domain case in the history of the state," said Flynn. The taking price is well below what other market indicators have indicated the property could be worth, Flynn said. "If you were to say to me, what's the low, what's the high?, it would run anywhere from \$50, \$60 (million) to \$120 million," said Flynn. The potential for a lawsuit and for the city's cost of the land taking going past the initial \$29.5 million that was approved for bonding has been a concern raised by several city councillors. In the recent debate over the price tag of the project itself, several councillors have requested that the city look at the costs for building on the current high school site. Councilors Anthony Zambuto and Dan Rizzo have been among those who have cautioned on taking the property off the table for future private development, while Mayor Brian Arrigo has noted

that the land has sat empty with no viable development offers for the land. At a ways and means subcommittee meeting on Feb. 13, Brian Dakin of project manager LeftField estimated that going back to the current site would have a price tag of \$525 million. On Monday, Feb. 27, the council is being asked to forward a schematic plan to the Massachusetts School Building Authority with an estimated cost of \$470 million, with a cost to the city of \$290 million after the MSBA loan. That estimate does not include the acquisition costs for the Wonderland site. "I think we were all prepared for some form of legal posturing during this land taking," said Council President Patrick Keefe. "It's not uncommon (and) not unexpected." Flynn said he has a good relationship with the legal counsel representing the city, and said everyone will be wondering if there is some imaginative way the city and the landowners can resolve the issue.

Congratulations to the staff of the East Boston Neighborhood Health Center

for helping us win The Boston Globe's *Top Places to Work* for an eighth time. We are proud to be a team that delivers compassionate, high-quality care to our community.

EAST BOSTON NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTER

The Boston Globe
TOP PLACES TO WORK
EIGHT-TIME AWARDEE
2022 2021 2020 2019 2017 2016 2015 2014

Ready to make a difference? Start at the top: careers.ebnhc.org

AD SPECIAL

MARCH MADNESS

BUY ONE GET ONE 1/2 OFF

CALL THE OFFICE AT (781) 485-0588 OR EMAIL YOUR REP
DEB@REVEREJOURNAL.COM
MDIBELLA@WINTHROPTRANSCRIPT.COM CHARLESTOWNADS@HOTMAIL.COM

THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER GROUP

Minimum 8-inch ad. Not to be combined with any other promo or discounted rate.



Revere Journal



Forum

PRESIDENT: Stephen Quigley - stephen.quigley@reverejournal.com
MARKETING DIRECTOR: Deb DiGregorio - deb@reverejournal.com

JIMMY CARTER: A WONDERFUL, AMAZING MAN

The reports that former President Jimmy Carter has returned home for hospice care came as sad news for all Americans this week.

Ever since the self-described peanut farmer burst onto the national scene shortly after he was elected governor of Georgia, it is not an overstatement to say that Jimmy Carter served as the conscience of America for the past half century.

Jimmy Carter served four years as president from 1977-81. But that term of office was just a small mark left by this wonderful man during his decades of service to our country and the world.

He became the face of Habitat for Humanity, the organization that builds housing for low-income persons. He served as an official who oversaw numerous elections in foreign countries to ensure that they were run honestly and above-board. He also undertook a campaign to eradicate the Guinea worm, a human parasitic infection that plagued 3.5 million people across the globe annually 40 years ago, but thanks to the efforts of the Jimmy Carter Center, there were just 13 reported cases world-wide in 2022.

For his many years of service to the world, Carter was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 2002 "for his decades of untiring effort to find peaceful solutions to international conflicts, to advance democracy and human rights, and to promote economic and social development."

It is fair to say that no former American president had as great an impact on the world after he left office than Jimmy Carter -- it's not even close.

But the most remarkable aspect of Jimmy Carter's life has been his incredible humility, which no doubt was informed by his faith as a Christian minister in his small hometown church in Plains, Georgia, where he gave a sermon every Sunday.

It often is a cliché to say that someone will be missed. But in the case of our former President, Jimmy Carter, a man who spoke the truth -- even if America did not want to hear it (such as when he said in 1979 that America must end its dependence on fossil fuels) -- his absence truly will be a great loss for all of us.

OUR SUPPORT FOR UKRAINE MUST NOT WAVER: WE MUST REMAIN THE ARSENAL OF DEMOCRACY

This week marks the first anniversary of the unprovoked invasion of Ukraine by the government of Russia and its sociopathic leader, Vladimir Putin.

The Ukrainians people have demonstrated to the world that freedom isn't free. The enormous sacrifices they are making in order to fight off the Russian war machine have served as an inspiration to freedom-loving peoples around the world.

Russian atrocities against Ukrainian civilians -- the rapes, executions, forced deportation of children, and the attacks on civilian infrastructure -- have risen to the level of genocide and crimes against humanity.

Those in our country who question our commitment to help the Ukrainians resist the Russian invaders suffer from a combination of being incredibly naive, selfish, and shortsighted.

The Ukrainians, not Americans or anyone else, are the ones on the front lines. They are making the ultimate sacrifices in defense of both their country and the free world. Our allies in Europe, especially in Poland and the Baltic countries of Latvia, Estonia, and Lithuania, know all too well that Russia, if left unchecked in Ukraine, will focus on them and that they will be next in line to feel the weight of the Russian oppressors, who will seek to undermine their democratic governments.

Vladimir Putin has gone on record as lamenting the dissolution of the former Soviet Union empire, for which he served as a KGB agent, and his invasion of Ukraine, in his eyes, is the first step in restoring the U.S.S.R. to what he perceives as its former glory.

We would note that the war in Ukraine is fundamentally different from that of every other conflict since WWII. This is the first time that an independent, democratic nation has been invaded by a foreign power since Hitler invaded European countries in the late 1930s starting with Czechoslovakia, then Poland, and then the rest of Europe.

With England remaining as the lone bulwark against the Nazis, President Franklin D. Roosevelt gave a fire-side chat in late 1940 in which he spoke to the American people these words.

"The people of Europe who are defending themselves do not ask us to do their fighting. They ask us for the implements of war, the planes, the tanks, the guns, the freighters which will enable them to fight for their liberty and for our security. Emphatically, we must get these weapons to them, get them to them in sufficient volume and quickly enough so that we and our children will be saved the agony and suffering of war which others have had to endure."

Later in his talk he coined a phrase that has remained true ever since:

"America must be the great arsenal of democracy."

President Roosevelt's words are as true today as they were then. We urge all of our elected leaders to ensure that American support for Ukraine continues to be strong and unquestioned.

REGARDING WHEELABRATOR

Dear Editor,

As a resident of the Riverside neighborhood, I have watched with grave concern the latest proposal by Saugus Wheelabrator/WIN Waste to once again request the expansion of their unlined ash dump in the middle of the Rumney Marsh for another 25 years. Although scheduled to close in 1996, eleven consent orders have allowed them to remain open. It is time to put neighbors' health concerns and the environment first. Both the trash incinerator and the ash dump are located less than a half mile from the Point of Pines, Riverside, and Oak Island neighborhoods.

In a November 2021 letter from Commissioner Suuberg of the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection firmly stated there would be no further expansions allowed, yet Wheelabrator persists.

For those who haven't read the Feb. 16 Boston Globe article, the Chairman of the Saugus Board of Selectmen, Anthony Cogliano, admitted in a legal deposition that he allegedly forged Saugus residents' signatures on forms that would benefit Wheelabrator.

He did this allegedly at Wheelabrator's request

LETTER to the Editor

while he was attempting to enter into an agreement that would buy off the Town of Saugus for their blessing of the ash dump expansion. What was the class action lawsuit about? It would compensate Revere and Saugus residents who have been plagued for decades by Wheelabrator smells, noise, and toxic ash blowing into their neighborhoods.

Unfortunately, our own City Councillor, Anthony Zambuto, also allegedly went around getting Revere residents to sign these forms. In addition, a Revere PTA Chair was also mentioned in legal documents as allegedly having done the same thing. Although our elected officials should be working on behalf of all residents, Councillor Zambuto has consistently supported Wheelabrator. He has appeared in their commercials and spoken in favor of them at various Revere and Saugus town meetings even though their facility consistently spews pollutants, fouls the air we breath, and poisons the Rumney Marsh. What surprised me was that they were able to infiltrate our school system and ask for favors from a PTA chairperson.

This is outrageous. Currently, they are buying emission reduction credits that make them compliant

on paper only. The air all Revere residents breathe is allegedly dirtier and more dangerous because of Wheelabrator.

We have received two years of data from an air quality monitor operating at Gibson Park. The numbers are staggering. Pollutants are 8-16 times higher when winds are blowing from the direction of the incinerator and the ash dump. That means we are not only receiving pollutants from the incinerator stack but from the 50 foot pile of toxic ash that blows into neighborhoods. That's the same pile they would like to keep adding to for another 25 years.

All Revere residents should be up in arms. We have higher rates of cancer, asthma, and respiratory issues than the rest of the state. We have seen what Wheelabrator's influence has accomplished in Saugus, we can no longer accept Wheelabrator's payoffs and influence in the City of Revere. Enough is enough.

Loretta LaCentra

THINKING ABOUT JUDGEMENT DAY

Dear Editor,

Sin is so prevalent and open today that one may think that evil is winning over good. Good will prevail. God will have the last word. He will return

to judge the living and the dead. His believers, speaking in love, must stand against evil and call it out, to bring light into the darkness, to illuminate minds unaware of what is happening, to sound an alarm to those going astray with this culture of death, to preserve what is good and to denounce evil.

Our Western culture has been enticed by a lie called "progressivism", but it is a cancerous misnomer. It should be called "debasementism" because that is what results from this ideology; all forms of ungodliness, attacking all that God has established regarding Life, Marriage, Human Sexuality, Truth and Reality itself. We were made to live with God to guide us and empower us to discern what is good and nobel. Without God, we fall into all sorts of evil and violence. We see it in the news everyday!

Let us repent this Lenten season and seek God's wisdom and His guidance for our lives. He can enable us to root out this evil that has taken over our culture and world view. He assuredly will return to judge us! And we will face Him as Holy Judge or Merciful Savior. May we be found living lives that bring honor and glory to Him when He returns.

Lucia Hunter

GUEST OP-ED

Police officers and citizens must have mutual respect

By Dr. Glenn Mollette

American citizens need police officers. Our state police, county sheriff's department and city police all deserve our help, respect and decent pay. None of us like being recipients of speeding or other motor vehicle violations. However, often a warning or a ticket may be what it takes to get our attention and might even save our lives.

When someone is threatening us we want the police. We expect them to come and help us. These are the men and women who often risk their lives to protect us. So, praise the good ones because they are deserving of honor.

The defund the police movement has been fueled by horrific incidents such as when Minneapolis police murdered George Floyd on May 25, 2020. This cruel and disturbing murder has been replayed over and over on national television. Most recently the horrific killing of Tyre Nichols in Memphis, Tennessee has fanned the flames of police hatred. These and other police brutality events continue to severely damage the image of America's police forces.

The behavior of five Memphis police officers toward Mr. Nichols was beyond criminal. This does not justify defunding the police. Such behavior reinforces the need that all those in law enforcement must have routine

mental health tests. Only qualified people who have been thoroughly examined and trained should ever be allowed to wear a badge. Training and mental health evaluations must be ongoing.

The Five former Memphis police officers were charged with murder over the death of Tyre Nichols but pled not guilty in their first court appearance.

The arrest of Mr. Nichols on January 7 has been reported throughout the national media.

They were fired after an internal investigation by the Memphis Police Department.

"Memphis and the whole world need to see that what's right is done in this case, and it needs to happen sooner rather than later," lead prosecutor Paul Hagerman told reporters.

The officers were arrested and taken into custody on January 26, after the Memphis police reviewed bodycam footage of the violent arrest.

In the footage, 29-year-old Mr. Nichols can be heard calling for his mother as he is beaten by police after being pulled over for alleged reckless driving. He was pepper-sprayed, kicked and punched by the officers and died in hospital three days later.

Memphis Police Chief Cerelyn Davis said the incident was "not just a professional failing", but "a failing of basic humanity toward another individual". (Source BBC news)

I believe that 99 percent of the men and women wearing badges are good people who are looking out for our welfare and safety. The actions of a few should not discredit all law enforcement. Whether it's politics, medical doctors, attorneys, business persons and more there are always a few bad apples that make others look bad.

Police officers have the upper hand. They have a badge and a gun. We should give them respect and they should respect all citizens. Having a badge never gives any law enforcement officer

the right to pour out their frustrations, racial hatreds or their own personal demons on another citizen. No one is ever in a position to put up a defense as sadly shown by Tyre Nichols, George Floyd and too many others.

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.

REVERE JOURNAL

385 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151
781-485-0588



DIRECTORY

Advertising and Marketing

Marketing Director

Deb DiGregorio - deb@reverejournal.com

Assistant Marketing Directors

Maureen DiBella - mdibella@winthroptranscript.com

Senior Sales Associate

Sioux Gerow - charlestownads@hotmail.com

Legal Advertising

Ellen Bertino - ebertino@eastietimes.com

Ad Design

Kane DiMasso-Scott

Editorial

Senior Reporters

Cary Shuman - cary@lynnjournal.com

Regular Contributors

Copy Editing, Layout

Scott Yates - scott@chelsearecord.com

Kane DiMasso-Scott - kdscott@thebostonson.com

Business Accounts Executive

Judy Russi - judy.russi@eastietimes.com

Printer

Gannett Publishing

The Revere Journal reserves the right to edit letters for space and clarity. We regret that we cannot publish unsigned letters. Please include your street and telephone number with your submission. The Revere Journal publishes columns, viewpoints and letters to the editor as a forum for readers to express their opinions and to encourage debate. Please note that the opinions expressed are not necessarily those of The Revere Journal. Text or attachments emailed to editor@reverejournal.com are preferred.

Disabilities Commission hears of new on-line portal for voting; urges increase in parking fines

By Journal Staff

The Revere Commission on Disabilities held its regular monthly meeting last Tuesday, February 14, via Zoom.

Chairperson Ralph DeCicco and fellow members Pauline Perno, Asmaa Abou-Fouda, Maria Grimanis, Jason Barone, Ellie Pagan-Vargas, and Robert Brown were on hand for the meeting.

Paul Fahey, a City of Revere Election Commissioner, was the guest speaker. Fahey told the group he has been with the Revere Election Commission since December, 2021.

Fahey spoke about the new, on-line portal available through the Mass. Secretary of State's office that allows persons who are unable to mark a paper ballot because of their disability to be able to vote on-line. Fahey said this service will be available for the upcoming city election in the fall.

Perno asked whether the portal is available to those who have a temporary disability, such as someone who has had a recent surgery. Fahey said that anyone who attests that he or she is unable to mark a ballot independently can apply to use the new portal.

In addition, Fahey reminded the group that there are many other means by which persons, whether with temporary or permanent disabilities, are able to vote, including by mail, by absentee ballot, or even to have election workers come to their place of residence, such as a nursing home.

Fahey said the city's general election this year is scheduled for November 7. The primary election date, if needed, will be September 19.

Fahey also told the group that Mayor Brian Arrigo and he are committed to employing poll workers who are representative of the entire community, including persons with disabilities. He

asked the commissioners to reach out to persons in the disabilities community who might wish to be part of the election process as poll workers.

"We want persons who are respectful of the entire Revere community," Fahey said.

Grimanis, who is visually-impaired, said there are many issues confronting persons with disabilities if they go to the polls, including the inability of poll workers to operate the specialized equipment for persons with visual impairments.

Grimanis also asserted that persons with disabilities often are discouraged from voting, which he attributed to "a lack of respect" from poll workers.

Fahey said that every poll worker will be refreshed with the auto-mark equipment in anticipation of the upcoming city election and acknowledged "the need for a broader sensitivity" by those who work at the city's polls.

After Fahey concluded his presentation, the commission moved on to other business.

Brown, who is the president of the Special Education Parents Advisory Council (SEPAC), spoke briefly about the monthly Open Forum Meeting that was held on Thursday, February 9, and noted that SEPAC's officers were set to meet on Thursday, February 15.

Brown also noted the upcoming April Autism Walk and will provide more details at a future meeting.

DeCicco discussed the highlights of the monthly Zoom meeting of CODA (the Commissions on Disabilities Alliance) that was held on February 1.

He said that it was noted at the meeting that there are no violations of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) at the proposed new Northeast Regional Vocational High School to which Revere belongs.

The commissioners

then held a brief discussion regarding the fine for parking in a handicapped spot in Revere, which presently stands at \$100, and the need to raise the fine amount to the state limit of \$300.

DeCicco noted that the City Council has the jurisdiction to change the ordinance to increase the fine for handicapped parking violations.

"We should have a high fee for someone illegally parking in a handicapped spot -- it should be an astronomical fee," DeCicco emphasized.

The commission agreed to send a letter to the City Council requesting that the fine be increased to the \$300 limit, adding DeCicco's suggestion that the revenue raised from fines be utilized by the Disabilities Commission for programs for persons with disabilities.

Perno concluded the meeting by reading the commission's monthly reminder for all residents:

"The Commission on Disabilities Office works remotely. Residents can speak to staff from our 311 Constituent Service Center Monday through Friday when you call our office at 781-286- 8267. They will be able to answer most questions, but if they are unable to or if you would like a call back from our department, please ask to be transferred to the Disability office's voicemail and someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

"As always, please let us know if you would like something discussed or brought up and added to our monthly meeting agenda. You can let us know if you would like to speak on any issue or concern. The Commission is here to help and assist all the disabled residents and families of Revere."

The commission's next meeting (via Zoom) is set for Tuesday, March 14, at 6:00 PM.

Revere among communities selected for NEFA's 'Making it Public'

Special to the Journal

The New England Foundation for the Arts (NEFA) selected 11 communities including Revere for "Making it Public" 2023, a training developed by Forecast Public Art (FPA) and offered in partnership with the Metropolitan Area Planning Council (MAPC) Arts and Culture Department. Next

month, the municipalities will begin their free, five-week virtual training that is designed and facilitated by FPA to equip administrators in strengthening local capacity to support, create, and promote more vibrant and just public art making. The competitive public art training and facilitation program, will include a \$15,000 grant to fund local artists.

At the conclusion of the training, municipal administrators will have the tools needed to create their own call for temporary public art and, with guidance from MAPC, an understanding of how to apply those tools within the context of Massachusetts. Participating municipalities also receive a \$15,000 grant from NEFA to fund artists selected through a

call for temporary public art in 2023.

"Making it Public" empowers municipalities to foster vibrant and engaging places, and the focus on temporary public art -- which is installed/exhibited for up to eighteen months -- creates more equitable access to the program," said Director of Arts and Culture at MAPC Annis Sengupta.

"Making it Public" covers practical and tactical subject matters for administrators at all stages of their career facilitating public art, such as stakeholder considerations, community engagement, preparing a call-for-artists, equitable selection processes, contracting, and more.

A parallel track of the program, "Making it Pub-

lic for MA Artists," will take place concurrently during the five-week workshop series from March 14 through April 11. Artists in Massachusetts of all disciplines interested in exploring and expanding their public art making practice can register for this free program on NEFA's website: <https://www.nefa.org/MakingIt-Public>.

Quality Inn // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

years of travails, the hotel, which had operated uneventfully for many years prior to the pandemic, is ready to resume its normal operations.

Last week's meeting had been scheduled as a status update from the hotel's management -- and the commissioners were told that the hotel is awaiting the final sign-offs from various city departments.

"We have made lots of progress," said Beth Scherer of Sudguru, who previously has appeared before the commission. "There is nothing left to do other than to have the electrical inspector come back out in order to ensure that we have replaced the wiring as requested by the inspector."

"We've received a lot of correspondence from city officials acknowledging that you have been cooperative and have been moving the process along," said Selevitch.

Guinasso said she had received a letter from Ward 6 Councillor Richard Serino, who previously had gone on record as opposing the hotel's re-opening in light of the issues pertaining to the City of Boston, but who now said that everything has been moving along well. Serino requested that the application for a license renewal be approved, pending the final sign-offs by city code officials.

The commissioners had no questions for Scherer and there were no opponents. The commissioners unanimously approved the application for the license renewal, pending receipt of approval for the remaining sign-offs from city departments.

The commission held a lengthy status hearing pertaining to a request by Kenneth G. LaFauci, d/b/a Brothers Auto Body, 16 Naples Road, for approval of a Class 2 Motor Vehicle

Dealer license.

LaFauci and his attorney, Atty. Edward Loneragan of Nahant, have appeared numerous times before the commission in recent months seeking the license renewal. The sticking point has been the failure by LaFauci to pay outstanding fines of \$24,500 (which now exceed \$31,000 with interest) stemming from 49 tickets for code violations dating back to 2016 that were issued by city departments.

Loneragan told the commission at last week's meeting, as he had at prior meetings, that LaFauci is contesting the validity of the violations and has brought the matter to court. He noted that about \$10,000 of other tickets for code violations had been dismissed by the city in the Chelsea District Court and suggested that the \$31,000 that is outstanding also will be resolved in LaFauci's favor.

However, Loneragan noted that the judicial process will take time. The matter already has had a tortuous litigation route, having started in the district court, proceeded to Superior Court, then making its way to federal court, and now has been remanded back to Superior Court. In addition, there is a companion case that has been filed by the city in the Land Court for tax title because the outstanding fines have been levied on the property tax bill.

Loneragan asked the commission to grant LaFauci the license pending the outcome of the litigation.

"This is a small businessman on a small street in a small building," said Loneragan, who noted that the city's interest is fully-protected because it has imposed a tax lien on the property. "He is being per-

secuted and there is no basis for this level of intensity. The matter of the fines is being litigated in the courts. This is a terrible ordeal and there is no purpose being served. We've been trying to work this out with the city, but have not been able to do so. We are litigating this in good faith and I would ask that the license be approved."

However, Atty. Anthony Brunco from the firm of D'Ambrosio, LLP, the outside counsel representing the city in this matter, clarified the city's position.

"The code enforcement tickets issued against the property were not appealed properly and have been applied to the property tax bills," said Brunco, who noted that the unpaid tickets now have become liens on the property.

"The city's position at this point is that there are no mitigating factors and there is an obligation to pay this tax," Brunco added. Brunco also noted that the present action in Superior Court is the wrong venue because the matter belongs in Land Court. He further stated that the city had agreed to dismiss the \$10,000 of other tickets in an effort to resolve the issue.

However, he said that because the tickets that are the subject of the lien were not appealed properly, the city has no ability to dismiss the tickets at this time.

"So the bottom line is that it is the city's position that they have not complied with the terms we requested in November," Selevitch said to Brunco, referring to the commission's position that the matter had to be resolved one way or another before the commission would take any action to grant the license.

However, Loneragan

interjected, "There is no public purpose being served to penalize Mr. LaFauci more than he has been to date." Loneragan then charged that Selevitch has had "an attitude that I find difficult to comprehend and an animosity toward Mr. LaFauci. If we are wrong, there is no downside to the city because the city will be totally compensated," continued Loneragan, who also asserted that the reason the city dropped the tickets in Chelsea District Court is because the city was wrong to have issued the tickets in the first place.

Selevitch denied that he has any animosity toward LaFauci and then noted, "I've been on this board for a few years and never have seen the State Police ask the commission not to issue a license and that happened in this case because of the conduct of the business and the way they were conducting it. I take that very seriously and it is part of my reasoning for why I am opposed. I believe that this license should cease today. I have heard all of the excuses and all of the reasons, and if subsequently it comes out that you prevail in court and don't owe this money, you are more than welcome to come back and ask for a license from this body."

Occena questioned Brunco about Loneragan's point that the city's interests are fully-protected. Selevitch also questioned Brunco whether the city would pay back the \$31,000 if Brothers paid it and the court subsequently found in Brothers' favor. However, there were no definitive answers to either question.

The attorneys then went back and forth with the commission about the status of the matters in the Land Court and Superior Court.

Occena then offered his view of the situation.

"As one of the newer members, I tried to afford Mr. LaFauci the opportunity to operate his license in the City of Revere," said Occena. "As I sit today, as we know it right now, the tax debt is valid until we are told otherwise, and he needs to be in good standing, with all taxes and liens paid up."

"But one thing that stands out to me," Occena continued, "is that he is going forward in good faith and this is not a frivolous lawsuit. I can't ignore that. But there is a conflicting interest, giving equal weight to the city, because as it stands now, there is a valid tax title by the city."

Occena then said, "I cannot decide and will abstain from voting."

Guinasso then added her views.

"I agree with both of my colleagues," she said. "We are not allowed to renew licenses if you owe taxes."

LaFauci himself then addressed the commission.

"I don't know what you have against me," to which Guinasso said she was offended by that accusation. However, Guinasso offered a compromise solution.

"I would move that we not renew the license at this time and you can come back in six months in order to get this matter settled in court," Guinasso said.

Loneragan then spoke up, "We'll pay the money in 60 days."

The commission then approved the license for 60 days, with the understanding that all money owed to the city is to be paid by that time, and if so, the matter will be deemed closed.

1973 Revere High School 50th Class Reunion

**The Revere High School Class of 1973,
is having their 50th Class Reunion
this year, on Sept.16th at
Four Points by Sherida in Wakefield.**

**We are looking for 25 classmates from 1973, who
we cannot locate. If you have any information in
knowing their whereabouts, please contact Paul
Greene at rgreenroc@aol.com or 978-758-7739.**

Here are the 25 classmates we are looking for:

Susan Fleury · Linda Butze · Joseph Mccarthy Judith Graceffa ·
Marie Carbone/Gibson · Joyce Grieco · Joyce Picardo
William Dawley · Janet Ryder · Laura Demasi Deborah Depietro
Rhonda Herman · Karen Diaz · Katherine Nutile · Faith Clapp
Stephanie O'Neil · Deborah Patetta · Patricia Pineau
Susanne Pineau · Donna Saltman · Mary Silva · Jane Toomey
Berardino Desisto · David Devincentis · Elaine Holmes

EDUCATING
OUR YOUTH



MICHAEL
FERRANTE
SCHOOL
COMMITTEEMAN

TLC Pediatrics

Revere-Winthrop Pediatrics, Inc.



Janet Chua, M.D., FAAP
Leonard F. Firer, M.D.
Yelizaveta Vaynshteyn, M.D.
Marissa Leaversuch, CPNP


Specializing in
Infants - Children - Adolescents

280 Beach Street,
Revere, MA 02151
781-289-5057

Proud of
Our City



Susan
Gravellese
School
Committee



IRA NOVOSELSKY

Ward 2 Councillor

PROUD OF
OUR CITY

Proud of our
Schools
& Our City



John
Kingston
School Committee

THIS
SPACE IS
YOURS

Call
781 485
0588

SUPPORTING OUR YOUTH
AND COMMUNITY

JEFFREY R.
TURCO

STATE REPRESENTATIVE



STEVEN MORABITO
COUNCILLOR-AT-LARGE

Caring about our
community &
supporting our Youth





Proud of Our Community

- MAYOR -
BRIAN ARRIGO
& FAMILY

SUPPORTING
OUR YOUTH



CAROL
TYE

SCHOOL
COMMITTEE

THIS
SPACE IS
YOURS

Call
781 485
0588

Working for You
& Our Youth



Anthony
Caggiano

Northeast Regional Vocational
High School School Committee

Proud of our City
and its residents



John
Powers

Ward 5
City Councillor

THIS
SPACE IS
YOURS

Call
781 485
0588

REVERE CARES

2022 Community Champions



Last month Revere CARES celebrated its 25th year anniversary and community champions! We recognized the following community members for their outstanding efforts, contributions to the wellbeing of Revere residents, and support of the Revere CARES mission.



Briana Vilme (second from left),
Young Adult Perseverance Award
- For demonstrating personal
growth and development.



Elni Lopez De Jesus (second
from left), Youth Health Leader
Award- For her commitment
to elevating the voice of
Revere youth.



Jeanette DiMasso (left), Revere
on the Move Award- For her
outstanding leadership and
support at the RHS community
garden.



Heidi Jimenez (left),
Community Champion Award-
For her caring commitment to
the growth and support of
Revere students.

THIS SPACE CAN
BE YOURS

Call 781 485 0588

THIS SPACE CAN
BE YOURS

Call 781 485 0588

Gerry
Visconti

Councillor
At-Large
and Family



Sports

RHS SPORTS Roundup

RHS BOYS BEAT EVERETT TO KEEP TOURNEY HOPE ALIVE

The resurgent Revere High boys basketball team kept its hopes alive for securing a berth in the post-season state tourney with a scintillating 56-49 victory at Greater Boston League (GBL) rival Everett last Tuesday night.

The Patriots' victory over the Crimson, a perennial power in the GBL, marked the first victory on the hardwood for the Revere boys over Everett in more than 20 years. The Patriots' win also ruined their host's Senior Night festivities honoring the Crimson Tide's seven seniors before a packed house in the EHS gym.

The first quarter saw the teams engage in the basketball version of Fast and Furious. Revere senior captains Domenic Boudreau and Vincent Nichols (8 points, 6 rebounds) both knocked down three-pointers in the first two minutes.

Senior captain Alejandro Hincapie (15 points, 3 steals) got to the basket and scored, plus the foul, and then made another layup off a steal to give the Patriots a 13-12 edge at the first buzzer.

Everett extended its defensive pressure to start the second period and it helped the Tide build a lead early in the frame. However, Revere sophomore guard Ethan Day (4 points, 2 assists) got fouled on a hard drive to the basket and sank both free throws to stem the Tide.

Hincapie (who was 9-of-10 at the free throw line in the game) knocked down two more from the stripe and then Boudreau did his Jayson Tatum imitation by draining back-to-back treys, including one from the corner on which he was fouled and then made the free throw to complete a four-point play.

Despite being undersized, Revere competed hard on the defensive boards, with junior forwards Andrew Leone and Luke Ellis coming in off the bench to help secure a 28-26 lead at halftime for the Patriots.

The third quarter was a different story to start off for Revere, as Everett

went on a 12-2 run in the first five minutes of the period to move out to an eight point lead, 38-30. However, the Patriots' senior captains were not going to allow this one to slip away.

Boudreau made a bucket plus the foul, Nichols drained a deep three from the wing, and Hincapie threw in a nice floater to pull Revere ahead, 39-38, heading into the final eight minutes.

The fourth quarter went back-and-forth with both teams scoring on their first few possessions, accounting for five lead changes. The Patriots were doing a nice job getting to the basket, getting fouled, and making their free throws. Leone then made one of two free throws and had an excellent bounce pass on the press break for a Nichols layup to extend Revere's lead to 50-47 with less than two minutes remaining.

The Patriots did a great job defensively of forcing Everett into tough shots and then securing the rebounds, especially by Boudreau, down the stretch. In addition, this kept the ball in Dom's hands, forcing Everett to foul him to stop the clock.

However, the Patriots' senior captain, who finished with 28 points, 8 rebounds, 6 blocks, and a perfect 10-for-10 from the free throw line, calmly sank four free throws in a row. Fellow captain Hincapie then sank two more free throws to close out the game for Revere's 56-49 win.

"We are so proud of these guys," said Revere head coach David Leary. "We have been talking about mental toughness and shooting free throws in big spots all year, especially on the road.

"We didn't panic when we fell behind in the third quarter," Leary added, "and shooting 21-of-23 free throws on the road is what won us the game. This was a big win for these kids and our program. It's been quite a while since we beat those guys."

Last Friday night Revere traveled up to Peabody to take on the Tanners, who are 14-5 on the season and are one of the

See ROUNDUP Page 10

NICK OF TIME

Martinez named Spartan Classic MVP as Malden Catholic beats St. Mary's in OT

By Cary Shuman

In a tournament featuring four of the best high school basketball teams in Massachusetts and a cast of elite players, Revere's Nick Martinez and Malden Catholic High School were the best of the best.

A 6-foot-2-inch senior guard and captain for the defending Division 2 state champion MC contingent, Martinez scored 22 points as the Lancers defeated St. Mary's, 71-64, in overtime to claim the championship in the Spartan Classic.

St. Mary's All-Scholastic guard David Brown Jr. had connected on a double-pump, three-pointer off the glass at the buzzer to send the game into overtime.

But Martinez and his teammates regrouped and prevailed by outscoring St. Mary's by a 13-6 margin in the four-minute extra session.

"They [St. Mary's] had some momentum, but we have a bunch of great players on our team, and we kept our cool, and we scored the first bucket in overtime, and I feel that gave us the momentum back," said Martinez.

Martinez was selected the tournament's Most Valuable Player following the championship game that was played before a capacity crowd at the Tony Conigliaro Gymnasium in Lynn.

Martinez was also sensational in the semifinals, leading all scorers with 21

points as Malden Catholic defeated Lynn English, 57-50, dealing the GBL champion Bulldogs their

first loss of the season. Malden Catholic (17-2

See MARTINEZ Page 10



Malden Catholic senior captain Nicholas Martinez and head coach John Walsh are pictured after the Lancers' victory over St. Mary's High School in the championship game of the Spartan Classic.



Spartan Classic MVP Nick Martinez is pictured with his proud family after Monday's championship game, back row, from left, grandmother Marie Palumbo, grandfather Nick Palumbo, sister Maria Martinez, mother Elena Martinez, father Wilfredo Martinez, and sister, Lily Martinez. In the front row are brothers Vinny Martinez, Joseph Martinez, and Franco Martinez.

WINTHROP MARKETPLACE

Your Independent Grocer, Where Old Friends Meet And New Ones Are Made
SALE DAYS THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD THROUGH WEDNESDAY MARCH 1ST, 2023

Grocery

Great grocery specials

Chicken of the Sea Chunk Light	
Canned Tuna	10/\$10.00
Green Mountain K-Cups	\$7.99
Hunts Pasta Sauce 24 oz	88¢
Best Yet Peanut Butter	2/\$4.00
Dole Fruit Bowls	2/\$6.00
Best Yet Cranberry Juice 64 oz	2/\$5.00
General Mills Lucky Charms Cereal	2/\$7.00
Tide Liquid Pods	\$6.99
Best Yet Macaroni & Cheese	4/\$3.00
Pillsbury Toaster Strudels	2/\$5.00
Cape Cod Pizza	\$5.99
McCain's French Fries	2/\$7.00
Cracker Barrel Cheese & Cracker Cuts	2/\$6.00
Hood Cottage Cheese 16 oz	2/\$5.00
Dannon Light & Fit Yogurt	10/\$7.00

Deli

Great Lakes Mozzarella Cheese	\$4.99/lb
Margherita Genoa Salami	\$7.99/lb
Russer Canadian Maple Ham	\$6.99/lb
Swiss Lorraine Cheese	\$9.99/lb

Produce

Imported Sweet & Juicy Clementine's	\$3.99
3 lb bag	
California Large Celery Bunch	\$1.99
Fresh & Tasty on the Vine Cluster Tomatoes	\$1.99/lb
Hot House Hydro Cucumbers	2/\$4.00
Fresh Sweet Blueberries	2/\$7.00
"The Anti-Oxidant Fruit"	

Bakery

8" Apple Pie	\$5.99
Our Own Oatmeal Raisin Cookies 10 pk	\$2.99
Olive Oil & Herb Focaccia Bread	\$3.99

Meat

"Meat Cut Fresh Every Day"

Family Pack Specials

Top Sirloin Steak	\$5.99/lb
Boneless Skinless Chicken Thighs	\$2.99/lb
Boneless Pork Sirloin Roast	\$2.99/lb
Hormel Black Label Bacon	\$5.99
Mrs. Budds All White Meat	
Chicken Pot Pie 12 oz	\$3.99

Weekend Specials

Friday, February 24th through Sunday February 26th

"while supplies last"

BAKERY

Our Own Blueberry Muffins 4pk	\$4.99
5" Carrot Cake	\$6.99

DELI

Our Own In Store Antipasto Salad	\$7.99/lb
Best Yet Roast Beef	\$11.99/lb

PRODUCE

Nature's Finest Red Bliss Potatoes	\$2.99
5lb Bag	
Nature's Finest Yukon Gold Potatoes	\$2.99
5lb Bag	

MEAT

Family Pack London Broil Steaks	\$3.99/lb
Family Pack Chicken Leg Quarters	99¢/lb

GROCERY

Talenti Gelato	\$3.99
Pepsi 2 Liter	2/\$4.00 + deposit

35 REVERE ST., WINTHROP • (617) 846-6880
WWW.WINTHROPKTPACE.COM

New Store Hours starting June 22: Mon-Sat 7:30 am-8pm;
Sun: 7:30am-7pm

Not responsible for typographical errors.
We have the right to limit quantities.

Healing
NIGHT

Friday, February 24th
6:30PM \$10
Yoga, Aromatherapy and Meditation

Learn about the healing properties of oils with a gentle vinyasa flow
Class concludes with meditation and aromatherapy

781-286-8190
150 Beach ST Revere, MA

@revererecreation
https://www.facebook.com/RevereRecreation/

Roundup // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 9

top teams in the Northeastern Conference.

The first quarter was very competitive as both teams showed their shooting acumen. Revere senior captains Sal DeAngelis (11 points) and Vinny Vu (11 points) both drained three pointers, while Nichols had a nice move to the basket to leave Revere down, 15-13, with just seconds remaining in the quarter.

The Patriots grabbed a defensive rebound and pushed the ball up court to sophomore guard Day (13 points) and Ethan's three-pointer at the buzzer bounced in to give Revere a 16-15 advantage after the first eight minutes.

The second quarter started off similarly, with the teams exchanging baskets early as Day and DeAngelis both got to the hoop, sophomore guard Josh Mercado drained a wing trey, and Leone had a nice layup plus the foul

to give the Patriots a 29-27 lead.

However, the Tanners closed out the half strongly, sinking a trio of three-pointers and a free throw to close the half on a 10-0 run and take a 37-29 into halftime.

Revere tried to make a few changes on defense after the intermission to try to slow down the Peabody attack. Boudreau (7 points, 14 rebounds, 5 assists) got to the basket for a layup, Vu drained another corner three-pointer, and Day and DeAngelis each made a floater in the lane, but the Tanners' offense again had a big quarter to move out to a 58-40 to end the third.

Revere fought hard and tried to come back, with senior captains Vu, Boudreau, and DeAngelis all hitting three-pointers and Day chipping in another two hoops, but it was not enough to turn the game around and Peabody

closed it out with a 69-53 victory.

"We just couldn't keep up with their firepower offensively," said Leary. "It was a competitive first half, but once they got going, we were playing uphill all night. We can't hang our heads. We just have to keep working in practice to improve."

The loss left Revere at 9-10 on the season, setting the stage for the Patriots to punch their ticket for a Journey to the Tourney in their final game of the season yesterday (Tuesday) against non-league rival Hamilton-Wenham. A victory will give Revere the .500 record that automatically qualifies a team for the post-season.

"We still have one more chance at reaching our goal of being a tournament team," Leary said. "We won four of our last five games to give ourselves a chance, and that's all you can ask."

RHS SPORTS Through the Years

10 years ago February 20, 2013

The Revere High hockey team celebrated Senior Night in fine fashion with a well-played 2-0 victory over Lynn Saturday evening at Cronin Rink. Shayne Cambria gave the Patriots a 1-0 lead in the opening period and Cam Whalen provided an insurance marker with about 10 minutes left to play in the third frame. Jon Papasodora was unbeatable between the pipes, turning aside 26 Lynn shots on goal. The RHS seniors who were honored before the game were captains John Papasodora, Shayne Cambria, Chris Curtis, Nick Piabella, Gerard Sorechetti, and Nico Luisi. The triumph was the Pats' second of the season, the other having come the previous week with a 3-1 victory over Salem. Junior Marco Mazzarelli lit the lamp twice for the Pats and Cambria potted the third marker in that con-

test.

The Revere High boys basketball team concluded their season with an 8-12 mark, but it just as easily could have been 12-8, had a bounce here, or a ref's call there, gone their way.

A 63-62 loss to Beverly last Tuesday, a contest that could have brought the Pats within one game of qualifying for the Holy Grail of a post-season state tournament berth, typified the tough luck Coach Rick Hayes and his squad suffered in a number of close encounters this season. A ref called a foul on a Revere player with 1.6 seconds to play with the score tied and the ensuing free throw proved to be the difference. Clutch free throw shooting down the stretch (the Pats were 12-for-12 with Dom Boyce, Geo Gomez, and Tommy Sor all hitting four free throws each) pulled Revere into the 62-62 deadlock, but it proved to be just short of earning the "W." Sor

topped a balanced Revere scoring attack with 16 points. He was joined in double figures by Gomez with 15 and Boyce with 10.

Four members of the Revere High boys track team took home medals and the Patriots scored 11 points at the MIAA Division 1 track meet held Saturday at the Reggie Lewis Track and Athletic Center. Tarik Maddrey jumped 6'-2" to place fifth in the high jump and earn an automatic berth in the upcoming All-State meet. Johnny Lopes set a new Revere High record in the long jump with a leap of 20'-8.25" to place sixth and also grab an automatic berth in the All-State meet. Karim Sahila placed seventh in the 55 meter high hurdles with a time of 8.18. Bobby Rose, who was named the Most Valuable Performer in the Northeastern Conference

See SPORTS YEARS Page 13

Martinez // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 9

enters the MIAA Tournament next week as the No. 1 seed in Division 2.

Credits his mother, Elena, for her childhood basketball instruction

Nick Martinez said he remembers playing basketball in the driveway across the street from the Paul Revere School on Revere Street and later Butler Street under the watchful eye of his mother, Elena Palumbo Martinez.

Elena Palumbo is one of the greatest athletes in the history of Stoneham High School. She was a seven-time Middlesex League All-Star in field hockey, basketball, and softball. She scored 970 career points in basketball and is an inductee in the Stoneham High Hall of Fame.

"My mom taught me how to play basketball," recalled Nick, who began playing hoops when he

was three years old. "She's been a great inspiration in my life and is at all of my games. Every chance I got to play basketball as a kid, I played - at Hill Park, the Rec leagues, Revere travel teams, and the Revere Police Activities League.

Nick's father, Wilfredo Martinez, was also an athlete of note, having competed in soccer at a high level in El Salvador.

Excelling for Revere travel and at Immaculate Conception

Nick Martinez first gained notice for his basketball talents at Immaculate Conception School, helping to lead his team to a state championship.

Martinez also showed his rising basketball potential on the Revere travel team coached by Mike D'Itria. Interestingly, one of Nick's teammates was Anthony D'Itria, now a 6-foot senior guard at St. Mary's



Dylan Driscoll of the St. Mary's High School athletic program presents the Spartan Classic MVP Award to Malden Catholic High School senior Nick Martinez of Revere following the championship game.

High School. Martinez and D'Itria matched up in Monday's Spartan Classic final. "Anthony's a really good shooter and really athletic - he's really good at track, too," said Martinez.

Nick also enjoyed playing basketball with another of his Revere travel teammates, Domenic

Boudreau, who is now a three-sport standout at Revere High School

"That was our trio - Anthony, Dom and I," recalled Nick. "We had a lot of fun playing basketball together, and I learned so much about teamwork and sportsmanship from Mr. D'Itria (Anthony's father, Mike, who is currently an assistant basketball coach at St. Mary's)."

A breakout senior season at MC

After being a reserve on the varsity as a sophomore, Nick Martinez became a starter and major contributor to Malden Catholic's state championship in the 2021-22 season.

"From sophomore to junior year, I went from not playing many minutes to becoming a two-year starter," said Nick proudly.

This season, Martinez has emerged as one of the most dynamic players in the highly competitive Catholic Conference. Known as a prolific catch-and-shooter 3-point artist who can attack the basket as well, Martinez is averaging 21 points per game.

MC head coach John Walsh, a 1997 graduate of the school, said Martinez will be a strong candidate for Catholic Conference MVP honors.

"Nick is obviously a great player and comes from a great family," said Walsh. "He's such a good kid and his parents have

done a terrific job raising their children. He's also an excellent student and a terrific leader. We're proud to have him as a student at Malden Catholic."

Also a top-15-in-the-state 400-meter hurdler and high jumper, Martinez is hoping to use those leaping skills to record his first official dunk.

"I've dunked in practice and in the warm-up lines, but not in a game yet," said Martinez.

Nick said he is excited about the opportunity to lead Malden Catholic to a back-to-back state championship.

"I'm super excited about the State Tournament," said Nick. "We want to win another title for our school. I think we have the best coach in the state."

An honor roll student, Nick said he has been in correspondence with Assumption College, Endicott College, and Salem State University, with a goal of continuing his basketball career.

Real Estate Transfers

BUYER 1	SELLER 1	ADDRESS	PRICE
Giraldo, Sergio S	Bonetti, Paul	25 Crest Ave	\$610,000
Mag Chester LLC	Mouhieddine, Mostafa	65 Kimball Ave	\$780,000
Dacey Realty LLC	Chaabouni Ft	119 Winthrop Pkwy	\$510,000
Wilson, Christina	Turner, Dustin L	145 Bennington St #210	\$310,000
Moutinho, Steven D	Votto, Matthew	278 Endicott Ave #1	\$755,000
Denise E Cantin 2022 T	Joyce M Kelly Lt Of 2020	474 Revere Beach Blvd #401	\$402,000

THINKING OF SELLING?
NICK DAHER BROKER/OWNER
A **Proud** Revere Resident and Your **Trusted** Realtor
11 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE | 978.423.7782 | NICK@BROADSOUNDRE.COM

Give the Gift of

Hometown News

REVERE JOURNAL
YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER SINCE 1881 30 CENTS

CHELSEA RECORD
YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER SINCE 1890

WINTHROP
SUN-TRANSCRIPT

A year's subscription to
The Revere Journal,
The Chelsea Record or
The Winthrop Sun-Transcript.
\$30 in town or \$60 for out of town.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Clip this and mail in or stop by the office 8:30AM - 5PM
The Independent Newspapers
385 Broadway, Suite 105
Revere, MA 02151

For more information call us at 781-485-0588

STICK TO IT!

Share your message in our paper with a **STICKY NOTE**

OPEN HOUSE? STICK IT!

FUNDRAISER? STICK IT!

NEED-TO-KNOW INFO? STICK IT!

Keep your name in the eyes of our thousands of readers!

Sticky size: 3 in. x3 in.
Shown sized to scale above covers approx. 2 columns

Copy for a Sticky due 3 weeks prior to run date

Four Options to Choose From

7,000 COPIES 2-COLOR \$600	7,000 COPIES 4-COLOR \$700	12,000 COPIES 2-COLOR \$800
12,000 COPIES 4-COLOR \$900	4-COLOR STICKIES CAN BE A COMBINATION OF COLORS. 2-COLOR STICKIES CAN BE MADE WITH ANY 2 COLORS	

Call or Email Your Rep Today!

781-485-0588 ext. 103:Maureen 101:Deb 110:Kathy 125:Sioux

Reading on a Screen??
Click on Your Rep's name to start sending them an email!

\$122,000 in funding secured for Shared Space pilot program in the Shirley Ave neighborhood

Special to the Journal

The City of Revere's Transformative Development Initiative (TDI) Partners are announcing up to \$122,000 available in local block grant funding for the Shirley Ave Shared Space Pilot Program. The funding is available for lease subsidies, construction or renovation, operations seed costs, and supportive design or consultant activities necessary to launch or significantly enhance the performance of approximately two to four pilot shared spaces in the Shirley Ave neighborhood. When it comes to shared spaces, eligible projects could include anything from an emerging food business using a restaurant's commercial kitchen in its off hours to a gallery curated on the walls of an existing business to daytime office space "popping up" in a nightclub or restaurant space that sits largely empty during the day. The program's intent is to stabilize, retain, and grow local small businesses while cultivating new entrepreneurs. Average grant awards are expected to range from \$20,000-\$60,000.

"The Shirley Ave neighborhood is a business district in Revere that is constantly growing, changing, and adapting," said Mayor Brian Arrigo. "I am grateful to have the support of the TDI Partnership and Women Encouraging Empowerment, who are working to adopt innovative solutions for the space limitations faced by the Shirley Ave neighborhood. Revere should always be a place for entrepreneurs and small businesses to thrive and expand, and I hope to see this funding used to further support this distinctive business community."

Revere's Shirley Ave neighborhood is brimming with diverse talent, engaged community members, and collaborative business and property owners. However, one common limitation faced by many of the individuals and groups is space. The competitive commercial property market puts pressure on small businesses, therefore making it difficult to expand and grow within the Shirley Ave neighborhood. Shared commercial space is accomplished by pairing businesses or community

groups with similar customer bases, complementary space requirements, or alternating hours of operating.

Interested parties may review the Shirley Ave Shared Space Pilot Program guidelines and begin their application here: ShirleyAve.com/Shared-Spaces

"This tool is a great opportunity for the community and the entrepreneurs that Women Encouraging Empowerment works with and it is a good fit for the Shirley Ave neighborhood where WEE is located," shared Olga Tacure Executive Director of Women Encouraging Empowerment. "WEE is excited to serve as the fiscal agent and support the hand-on approach to small business assistance that it will offer. We are glad to work as part of the TDI Partnership to bring more opportunities and enhance collaboration among the business community."

The Shirley Ave Shared Space Pilot Program is being offered as a complement to ongoing planning and analysis. Shirley Ave's Shared Space Strategy will explore the neighborhood-wide inventory of spaces, recommend complementary uses, and identify regulatory and/or standard operating considerations that may allow for increased use of shared spaces as a tool to help prevent commercial displacement. The study is being prepared by Studio Luz Architects.

Local and regional community members can participate in the development of Shirley Ave's Shared Space Strategy by attending one of the following engagement events. Whether you are a business looking to share your space to reduce your overhead costs, an entrepreneur looking for your first physical location, a community group looking for a spot to serve your mission, or a property owner looking to bring a creative use to your space, the project team wants to hear from you.

Prospective Shirley Ave Shared Space Pilot Program applicants and community members interested in weighing in on Shared Space Strategy may also reach out to Revere TDI Fellow Laura Christopher (lchristopher@massdevelopment.com) for more information or to set a time to speak about the opportunities.

LOCAL STUDENTS EARN Academic Honors

POCIUS AWARDED DEGREE FROM MIAMI UNIVERSITY

Nicolette Pocius of Revere was among students from Miami University who received degrees during the fall commencement Dec 9, 2022

Pocius graduated with a Master of Arts degree, majoring in Biology.

The most recent complete candidates for graduation lists are always available for downloading at commencement, dean's and president's lists.

Nationally recognized as one of the most outstanding undergraduate institutions, Miami University is a public university located in Oxford, Ohio. With a student body of nearly 19,000, Miami effectively combines a wide range of strong academic programs with faculty who love to teach and the personal attention ordinarily found only at much

smaller institutions.

CURRY COLLEGE FALL 2022 DEAN'S LIST

Curry College congratulates Angie Pepe of Revere, who was named to the Fall 2022 Dean's List.

Curry College congratulates Alex Vitzthum of Revere, who was named to the Fall 2022 Dean's List.

ERIN LEWIS ON DEAN'S LIST

Lesley University has announced those who have been named to the universities Dean's list for the Fall 2022 semester. Students who are named on the Dean's list must achieve a grade point average of 3.6 overall, which is announced at the completion of the spring semester. Revere student includes Erin Lewis, Class of 2024. Erin finished the semester with a 4.0 GPA overall."

Donna Jeanne Menard Of Saugus, formerly of Revere

Donna Jeanne Menard of Saugus, formerly of Revere, passed away on February 14 at Brigham and Women's Hospital after a three year battle with Multiple Myeloma.

Donna was a long time resident of Revere. Born at Revere Memorial Hospital to the late Kenneth Menard and Dorothy O'Brien, she was the dear sister of retired Revere Fire Deputy Chief Gregory Menard of Sanford, ME and Mary O'Brien of Winthrop. Donna proudly co-parented with the late Joseph Griffin of Revere. Donna leaves behind her two sons; Joseph Menard of Saugus and Revere Fire Captain Sean Griffin of Danvers and his wife, Casey with their daughter Isla Rae, who she was most proud of. She also leaves behind her nieces, Dorothy and Lexi Forristall and Lexi's fiancé, Alex Maghsoudi, along with many cousins, extended family and friends with whom she remained very close.



Donna had many trades over the years. She was a hairdresser, florist, and at one time she owned her own cleaning business. Her true passion was cooking, planting and crafts. She was also mostly driven by her love for family and friends. She will be dearly missed.

Her Funeral was held from the Paul Buonfiglio & Sons-Bruno Funeral Home, 128 Revere Street, Revere on Saturday, February 18 followed by a Funeral Mass in St. Anthony's Church and interment in Woodlawn Cemetery. For guest book, please visit www.buonfiglio.com.

Patricia Helen Roy Of Maine, formerly of Revere

Patricia Helen (Hurd) Roy, 84, passed away on Tuesday, December 27 at home in Waterville, ME surrounded by family.

Patricia was born in Waterville, ME on December 22, 1938 to the late Vern and Evelyn (Fitzmaurice) Hurd. She later moved with her young family to Revere where she lived until moving back to Waterville last year.

Patricia worked for many years for York Steak House in Revere and later for Building 19 in Lynn. After retiring, she worked part-time for Meals on Wheels in Revere. Patricia enjoyed spending time with family, especially baby-sitting for her grandchildren, who adored and will greatly miss her. She also enjoyed word puzzles and watching wrestling.

Patricia was the beloved mother of Sherill Santos and her husband, Luis, David L. Roy III and his wife, Valerie, Pamela Roy and her partner, Ron Torres, Wilfred (Jamie) Roy and his late partner, Loriea Rodrigues and Jennifer Couch. She was also the loving grandmother of Tyler Roy and his wife, Renee, Michelina Roy, David Roy, Brittany Couch and



Tiffany Barbosa and her husband, Louis and the great grandmother of Nicholas, Layla and Maya.

Patricia is survived by two siblings, Rachel Raven and Lawrence Hurd. She was predeceased by her siblings: Margaret Fortin, Arlene Hurd, Kathleen Michaud, Shirley Sawlich, Rebecca Hurd, Merle Hurd, Bernard Pinnette and Verne Hurd Jr.

A graveside service will be held at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Freedom, ME in the spring of 2023.

Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.Veil-leuxFuneralHome.com for the Roy family.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Veilleux and Redington Funeral Home 8 Elm St. Waterville Maine 04901.

OBITUARIES Charlotte O'Hearn Retired Finance Analyst

Family and friends are invited to attend Visiting Hours today, Wednesday, February 22 from 10 a.m. to 12 Noon in the Vertuccio Smith & Vazza, Beechwood Home for Funerals, 262 Beach St., Revere for Charlotte (Daurie) O'Hearn who passed away on February 13 following a long illness. She was 67 years of age. A Funeral Service will be conducted in the Funeral Home at 12 p.m., followed by interment in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody.

Born and raised in Somerville, the daughter of Paul L. and Joan T. (Quinlan) Daurie, she attended Somerville schools and graduated from Somerville High School. Following high school, she continued her education by attending Boston University and Salem State University, studying to become a dental assistant and soon began working in that field. She married Stephen B. O'Hearn and the couple settled in Revere.



Charlotte eventually began working for Fidelity Investments in customer service and worked her up to the Finance Department. After gaining expertise in that division, she would find a career working as a Finance Analyst for the Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency, retiring in 2019.

Charlotte was an avid reader and was a member of several book clubs throughout the years. She also loved arts and crafts and crocheting. She was a longtime resident of Revere and took residence in Chelsea in 2012.

The beloved wife of the late Stephen B. O'Hearn, she was the devoted mother of Shannon M. O'Hearn of Chelsea; dear sister of Susan A. Daurie and her wife, Krone Weidler of Daytona Beach, FL, Terrence Daurie of Billerica and the late Michael P. Daurie of Londonderry, NH; loving sister-in-law of the late Thomas J. O'Hearn and his surviving wife, Barbara of Salisbury. She is also lovingly survived by several cousins.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to Care Dimensions, 75 Sylvan St., Suite B-102, Danvers, MA 01923 or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis TN 38105.

To send online condolences, please visit www.vsvfunerals.com.

Funeral arrangements entrusted to the care & direction of the Vertuccio Smith & Vazza, Beechwood Home for Funerals.

Prayer To The Holy Spirit

Holy spirit, you who gives meaning to and shines the light on my path so that I may reach my goals. You who gives me the divine grace to forgive and forget the evil done unto me and which is with me at every moment in my life. I want in this short dialogue to reassure you one more time I do not ever want to be separated from you, no matter how grand the worldly possessions may be, my desire to be with you and my brothers in perpetual glory will not be lessened. (One should say this prayer 3 days the divine shall be granted no matter how unattainable it may be.) Publications must be promised.

Favor Received.

C.G.

TORF FUNERAL SERVICE

Pre-need planning with our price protection guarantee. Arrangements made at our facility or in the comfort of your own home

4 generations of the Torf Tradition:
Deborah Torf Golden Amy Torf Golden
Hyman J. Torf (1903-2000)
M.L. Torf (1867-1940)
Richard A. Pruneau

(617) 889-2900
(800)428-7161
www.torffuneralservice.com

OBITUARIES

All obituaries and death notices will be at a cost of \$150.00 per paper.

Includes photo.No word Limit.

Please send to

obits@reverejournal.com

or call 781-485-0588

To place a memoriam in the Revere Journal, please call 781-485-0588

In Loving Memory

TODDY NUGENT

1993 February 24th 2023 - 30th Anniversary

"Tribute To Toddy"

There is a new star shining above the earth tonight
A star that warms the heavens and bathes us in its light

The light of a special woman who lived a happy life
She was the greatest mother and a very special wife

She was a caring person and a very special friend
Her attitude was positive until the very end

The time that we are given here on earth is very short
The ones who leave the quickest are the ones who mean a lot.

We'll miss her friendship dearly
we'll remember her sweet face
Her time on earth is over now she's in a better place

There is a new star shining above the earth tonight
May the spirit of our Toddy remain forever bright

Lovingly Remembered and Sadly Missed By
Her Family and Friends

REVERE Through the Years

10 years ago
February 20, 2013
A bond authorization for the full cost of the new McKinley School – now officially dubbed the Staff Sgt. James J. Hill School – has City Councillors infuriated and doing a double take this week after those costs now appear to be far more than ever publicly disclosed. Upon reviewing the documents, submitted by Mayor Dan Rizzo to the Council last Monday, many just shook their heads in amazement. The five bond requests came out to a total of \$55.5 million, some \$10 million greater than the most recent estimates that came out during the Christmas

holidays. Those costs came out to \$44.385 million and were supposed to have included everything, including relocation costs and land takings. The actual construction costs within the requests are \$42.402 million, of which 80 percent will be picked up by the state. Revere taxpayers will only be responsible for about \$8.4 million of the actual construction costs. However, it is the extras that gobble up the taxpayer dime rather quickly as they are not reimbursed at all by the state – leaving them fully on the backs of the taxpayers. One of the extras includes land takings in the amount of \$3 million.

Speaker of the House Robert A. DeLeo has obtained a \$25,000 grant from the Massachusetts Office of Business Development to launch a pilot business development and education program for the Revere Chamber of Commerce.

Escape from Planet Earth, The Croods, and Oz: The Great and Powerful are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

20 years ago
February 26, 2003
Mayor Thomas Ambrosino, responding to City Council President John Jordan's comment that, "Revere was a better city 30 years ago than it is today," said he is not interested in taking Revere backwards, but is intent on moving the city forward into the future. Jordan has announced he will be challenging Ambrosino in the city election this fall.

Ward 3 City Councillor Brian Vesce and an 18 year old Wolcott Street resident, John D'Olimpio Jr., will be appearing in Chelsea District Court before a magistrate to determine whether Vesce allegedly assaulted D'Olimpio following a car accident at Marshall and Pemberton Streets in which the 18 year old is alleging that Vesce ran a stop sign. Vesce says that he stopped at the stop sign and that the entire incident is being fabricated by D'Olimpio.

The cuts in local aid imposed by Gov. Mitt Romney are having a devastating impact on the ability



DO YOU REMEMBER? The year was 1988 when Hall of Fame Sports held their grand opening on Washington Avenue.

of area fire departments to respond to multiple fires under the mutual aid agreement.

A joint task force of federal, state, and local law enforcement arrested three Revere men and three Malden men on charges of operating a cocaine ring for the past two years in this area.

Cradle 2 the Grave, The Life of David Gale, and Gods and Generals are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

30 years ago
Feb. 24, 1993

A survey of 40 cities and towns by the Mass. Municipal Association ranks Revere last in public safety staffing. The police department has seen its ranks shrink from 130 officers in 1990 to the present number of 89, a reduction attributable to the cuts in local aid from the state over the past three years by the Weld administration.

Mayor Robert Haas reports that there have been no takers for his offer to build a new Boston Garden at Suffolk Downs.

The snow removal costs for the last storm have exhausted the city's entire snow removal budget for this season.

Redevelopment for the Saugus mall on Route 1 finally has been given the green light by Saugus officials.

Sommersby, Groundhog Day, and Scent of a Woman are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

40 years ago
February 23, 1983

Law enforcement agencies are investigating the mysterious death of a Revere police officer who was struck and killed by two MBTA trains early Monday evening. His body was found next to the tracks between the Wood Island and Orient Heights stations. The officer, 38, is survived by his wife and 14 year old son.

Mayor George V. Colella, the City Council, and the Revere Beach Citizens Advisory Committee will meet to discuss the future of the Revere Beach redevelopment project.

Ghandi, Tootsie, and Sophie's Choice are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

50 years ago
Feb. 22, 1973

Mayor William G. Reinstein has submitted a budget to the City Council of \$30,632,289 to cover the next 18 months in compliance with the new state fiscal year budget cycle law.

Gov. Francis Sargent administered the oath of office to Judge Salvatore Aloisi as the new Presid-

ing Justice of the Chelsea District Court. More than 500 persons were on hand for the ceremony for Aloisi, who was a prominent local attorney and city official before becoming judge.

Building Inspector Stanley Ferragamo reports that he issued building permits totaling \$1,013,055 in January, most of that total being attributable to a permit for a 144-unit apartment complex at 48 Fenno St. for \$795,000.

The State Department of Public Safety has found that work at the new, \$12 million Revere High School does not meet specifications and has ordered these construction errors to be corrected immediately.

Revere Police Det. Joseph Moretti, who took a shotgun blast to the face when he arrived on the scene of an armed robbery at a local nightclub two weeks ago, has been placed on the critical list at Mass. General Hospital. Moretti, who already has lost an eye, had been recovering, but his condition has taken a turn for the worse.

Barbra Streisand stars in Up the Sandbox at the Winthrop Cinema.

60 years ago
February 21, 1963

Mayor Frank G. Fiore bitterly criticized City Manager Edward P. O'Toole for granting what Fiore contended were illegal pay raises to seven city employees without first seeking approval from the City Council. Fiore called upon O'Toole to resign for breaking the public trust and charged O'Toole with conducting government by favoritism. Fiore and three other councillors voted to remove the \$1800 for the raises from the city budget.

The Suffolk County District Attorney's office has undertaken an investigation under a little-known state law pursuant to a petition brought by seven residents alleging the mismanagement of \$1.5 million city funds for the period 1959-61.

Six local high school students walked 50 miles from Hampton Beach, N.H., along Route 1 to Revere on a pre-planned expedition. The six started their trek at 2 a.m. and arrived home 14 hours later when they trudged into the Revere Journal office. They were fortified with candy, oranges, honey, and extra shoes and socks, stopping every 10 miles along the way for a 10 minute break.

Bernard Sochat is the new President of the Temple Israel Brotherhood.

Natalie Wood, Karl Malden, and Rosalind Russell star in Gypsy at

the Revere Drive In. Henry Fonda stars in Advise and Consent at the Revere Theatre.

70 years ago
Feb. 19, 1953

New City Manager Edward P. O'Toole has submitted a budget of \$4,327,619 to the City Council after O'Toole trimmed \$763,103 from the budget requests of the various city departments. O'Toole's budget ignores all budget items submitted by the School Committee after December 1. O'Toole recently was tendered a reception in his honor at the Hawthorne in Lynn. Among those in attendance were Anthony Athanas, the Hawthorne owner, and Detroit Tigers and former Red Sox baseball players Walt Dropo and Johnny Pesky.

Fire Chief Thoms McCarrick announces that Revere is one of the first cities in the country to install the new Scott Demand Type Inhalator, a lifesaving device that can administer 95 percent oxygen and five percent carbon dioxide to victims of respiratory and heart failure as they are being transported to the hospital.

Doris Day and Ray Bolger star in April in Paris at the Revere Theatre.

80 years ago
Feb. 25, 1943

The City Council has given its approval to the budget of \$2,034,321 that had been submitted by Mayor Ray Carey. It is thought to have been the quickest passage of a budget in city history. The budget is \$300,000 less than last year's and \$344,000 less than what the city's department heads had requested.

Thomas John McCarthy, 42, of 394 Mountain Ave., the father of two children and a member of the Merchant Marines, was among the 850 American soldiers and sailors who lost their lives when their two ships were torpedoed by German subs in the No. Atlantic in early February. The sinkings represent the worst disaster faced by American ships in the No. Atlantic since the war began. McCarthy's death brings to 10 the number of Revere men who already have given their lives or are missing in action since the war began.

Revere Salvage Committee Chairman John P. Hennessey reports that during the recent scrap drive, local housewives contributed 21,295 pounds of tin cans.

Jack Benny and Ann Sheridan star in George Washington Slept Here at the Revere Theatre.

What a fantastic pair you are!

Born together. Friends forever.

Happy 60th
John & Annemarie

BROADWAY MOTORS

WINTER READY

Now Offering
PARK, FIX & FLY SERVICES

Free Estimates and Quotes Online!
john@broadway-motors.com

Call to schedule service
781-284-4675

WINTER IS HERE IS YOUR CAR READY?

WINTERIZE TODAY
Tire Service • Fluid Check
ALL Auto repairs on site for your convenience
Get Your Inspection Here!!

DIGREGORIO FAMILY OWNED + OPERATED

TOM DIGREGORIO • JOHN DIGREGORIO HEAD MECHANIC PAUL FLORIO

OPEN MON - FRI \ 88 BROADWAY REVERE \ BROADWAYMOTORSREVERE.COM

The RMBGRC Presents

Bocce on the Beach 2023

Save the date!!

Contact: rmbgcommittee@gmail.com

Saturday July 8th

All proceeds benefit the
Rumney Marsh Burial Ground Committee

rmbgrc.org

Sports Years // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 10

Large School Division, took seventh in the 300 meter dash with a personal record (PR) time of 36.64.

On the girls' side, Comfort Toglan competed in the 300 meter dash and finished in 45.10; Janice DeStefano tossed the shotput a distance of 27-8.5; and the 4 x 200 team of Toglan, Raychel Adreani, Brenda Rudecindo, and Angeli Buenaventura crossed the line in 1:57.43.

The Revere High indoor track teams received significant honors in the Northeastern Conference Large Division for their stellar efforts this season. Senior Bobby Rose was named the loop's Most Valuable Performer and his veteran coach, Jack Mosko, was named the Coach of the Year. RHS girls' coach Sam Ros, who guided his team to its first winning record in three years, was named the girls' co-Coach of the Year. Patriots who were named to the first team all-star squad were Rose in the 300 meter dash; Omar Morales in the shot-put; and the 4 x 400 relay team of Joe Ritchie, Johnny Lopes, Zack Primo, and Rose.

**20 years ago
February 26, 2003**

Brad Evans, the holder of the Revere High shotput record, finished in fifth place at Saturday's All-State Meet at the Reggie Lewis Center with a toss of 50'-10.5." Evans now will move on to the New England championships, the first RHS trackster to do so in five years.

The RHS hockey team played an RHS alumni team Saturday at Cronin Rink.

**30 years ago
Feb. 24, 1993**

The RHS girls basketball team finished its first winning season in four years with a pair of victories in the Reading holi-

day week tournament. The Lady Patriots were led by Karen Jouve, who finished the season with a 17 ppg. scoring average, and Amy Chamberlin. Revere finished the season with an 8-8 record in the GBL.

The RHS boys basketball team concluded an 0-19 season with a pair of losses in the Dom Savio holiday week tourney.

Brian Roach finished in fifth place in the 100 yard event in the Class C meet held at Harvard to qualify for the all-state meet next week. Roach ran a personal best of 2:22.

Rhoda Nunez in the 300 dash and Dana Megna in the 50 yard hurdles have been named to the GBL all star indoor track team.

**40 years ago
February 23, 1983**

The McKinley Junior high basketball team defeated the Lincoln Jr. High team to capture the city's junior high basketball

championship.

The RHS girls gymnastics team dropped a heartbreaking 107.4-105.5 decision to Arlington this week to give Arlington the GBL title. Lady Patriot sophomore standout Maura Driscoll took first place in all four events.

**50 years ago
Feb. 22, 1973**

RHS track standout Kerry Leppo was the only track and field performer in the state to win two titles, as he captured the 45 yard hurdles in a time of 6.0 and the high jump with a leap of 6'-5" in the Class B Meet Saturday at Northeastern.

A loss and a tie in the final two games of the season dropped the 13-4-3 RHS hockey team into second place in the GBL, four points behind league champ Malden. The Patriots now await the word of their opening opponent in the upcoming state hockey tourney.

**60 years ago
February 21, 1963**

The undefeated RHS hockey team, which has captured its first Metropolitan League title in the six-year history of the league, ended the season with an 11-0-2 mark. Revere now will make its first-ever appearance in the state hockey tourney. The Revere squad is led by the high scoring trio of Jim Palumbo, the top scorer in the league, Harvey Terban, and John Mannone.

The Immaculate Conception High basketball team has advanced to the semifinals of the Bay State Basketball Tournament with a 52-47 win over Littleton. Immaculate's advance is surprising given that it was 1-19 this season and 0-16 in the Catholic Conference.

Ted Karonis scored 12 points for the RHS basketball team in a 77-44 loss to Medford in the season fi-

nale, who finished at 2-14 on the season.

**70 years ago
Feb. 19, 1953**

Archie Mellace scored 14 points, but the Revere High basketball team just fell short of turning in the upset of the season in the GBL with a 39-35 loss to league-leading Chelsea. Revere trailed 22-7 at the half, but roared back in the second half. In a 55-49 win over Lowell, Mellace pumped in 29 points and George Doucette added 17.

**80 years ago
Feb. 25, 1943**

McCarthy was the high scorer for the Immaculate Conception High basketball team in two victories this week, scoring eight points in a 36-24 win over St. Clement's and 10 points in a 51-27 triumph over Malden Catholic.

Traffic Comm. // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

streets came before the commission to urge returning to the status quo. The commissioners voted to do so, but agreed to hire a traffic consultant to study the situation and make recommendations.

In January, HNTB presented its findings and returned last week to present its initial recommendations. Alex Steele from HNTB, who had appeared at the meeting in January, returned to make the firm's recommendations to the commission, along with colleague Paul Nelson.

Steele initially addressed the issues raised by residents at January's meeting -- the impending arrival of a Popeye's restaurant, speeding, stop sign violations, school traffic, lighting on the streets, and usage by buses and heavy trucks -- and said that the firm had compiled some additional data since the last meeting.

She noted that there are a number of vehicles -- about 15% -- that travel at speeds greater than the speed limit. As for truck and bus traffic, she said the percentage is small, but they do make an impact because of noise.

Steele presented a chart that showed the daily traffic volume on certain streets: Augustus St. carries 1327 vehicles per weekday; Sigourney St. has 2564; Derby Rd. has 1037; and Charger St. has 2081. She noted that weekend traffic overall is less, but the numbers of cars are evenly spaced throughout the day.

Nelson then presented the commission with a number of improvements that would help the situation, including "traffic calming" measures such as signage, the reconfiguration of intersections to encourage safer driving behavior, speed humps, speed cushions, adding raised crosswalks, street width reduction, speed feedback signs, and mini-roundabouts.

"These would turn the area into a place that slows cars down," Nelson said.

Nelson then got to the bottom line that had been awaited by the residents of the most heavily-traveled streets: "We do not recommend circulation from what is there currently, despite higher volume on Charger and Sigourney Sts., because they are not outside the range of what you would expect on a residential street," Nelson said.

pointed out that the volume issue only will be passed along to the adjacent streets.

"It is very difficult to make everybody happy," Argenzio said, while also noting that the state will need to approve any changes to traffic flow on these streets because they intersect with Squire Rd., a state highway.

"I don't see the state changing those intersections," Argenzio said.

Michele Kelley of Derby Rd. also spoke on the issue.

"I don't even know where to begin because I'm so disappointed," said Kelley. "We were very concerned about volume and now all I'm hearing about is signs and speed bumps."

Kelley also questioned the numbers from HNTB in comparison to a previous study that had been conducted by a firm hired by the Revere Police Dept. prior to the initial changes made by the Traffic Commission last August. She also took issue with HNTB's conclusions.

"This is not normal volume for a residential street," said Kelley. "Why can't Derby and Gore be made one-way like all of the other side streets off Squire Rd.? We were hoping for some big things and that was what we were led to believe. Signs and speed bumps fall far short."

"Nothing is off the table," Argenzio noted.

Steele said some of the initial recommendations could be put into place right away and that HNTB was waiting to see what the impact will be from Popeye's.

However, Kelley responded to that as well.

"A city councillor had promised that traffic changes would be made prior to the opening of Popeye's. We have a problem right now without Popeye's and we know it's going to exacerbate it and we don't have to wait to see what happens," Kelley said.

Ward 6 Councillor Richard Serino then stepped to the podium, stating that he agreed with Kelley's assessment and urged the commission to consider opening up the intersection at Patriot Parkway and Squire Rd. as a means of alleviating the traffic in the neighborhood. Serino also said that Lantern and Gore Rds. need relief.

"I hope we have an implementation of something in place before Popeye's opens," Serino added.

"It sounds like you don't have a good-enough plan to reduce the traffic," said Resendes, who retook the podium briefly.

Joanne Giannino of Sigourney St., addressing the HNTB team, suggested to them, "I would like to invite you to come to my house for a week and you'll see what is going on in my neighborhood."

Argenzio said he would ask HNTB to reconcile the numbers with the report done by the firm that had been hired by the police department last year.

"We're going to continue this process. We're not going to give up," said Argenzio, concluding the discussion until the commission's next meeting.

Prior to the HNTB presentation, the commission also took up three other matters at its meeting.

The commissioners heard a request for two, 15-minute designated parking spaces at 75 Shirley Ave. on Monday-Friday from 8AM-6PM.

Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky sent an email stating he is in favor of the

move in order to accommodate a new juice bar that will have a lot of in-and-out customers.

There were no opponents and the matter was approved unanimously.

Next, the commission took up a request for a handicapped parking spot at 33 Dehon St. Ralph DeCicco, the chair of the Disabilities Commission, told the members that there is no driveway for this residence. He said all of the proper documentation has been submitted and there are no outstanding parking tickets. He asked the commission to approve the matter and the members unanimously voted to do so.

There also was a request for a handicapped parking spot at 37 Barrett St. DeCicco said that he has been unable to get in touch

with the applicant. He said that the applicant's vehicle does not appear to be registered in Revere, which would preclude the commission from taking action.

He also said that there is a fire hydrant in front of the property and a curb cut for a nearby driveway.

"There is not enough space for a parking spot, so we cannot legally designate this as a handicapped parking spot," said DeCicco.

Strings requested that the matter be tabled until the next meeting to get specifics about the number of feet that are required to park from a hydrant and to obtain the measurements for this particular spot. The commissioners approved tabling the matter and will address it at its next meeting.

WE BUY GOLD

Lavilla Jewelers

396 Broadway, Revere
lebagnera@gmail.com
781-284-2798

Be You,
Be Vibrant!

PROSPECT HOUSE

Assisted Living & Memory Care

A HALLKEEN ASSISTED LIVING COMMUNITY

420 RESERVOIR AVE, REVERE, MA 02151

781.853.0005 | ProspectHouseAL.com

HOME SERVICES 2023

Now is the time to get your service in the eyes of thousands of readers in Print & Online

GET 6 MONTHS OF EYES ON YOUR AD ONLY \$175*

CHOOSE FROM 5 COMMUNITIES TO ADVERTISE IN!

2.19-BY-1-INCHES BLACK-AND-WHITE

Buy 4, Get the 5th Free!

REVERE JOURNAL

Everett Independent

CHELSEA RECORD

East Boston TIMES-FREE PRESS

WINTHROP SUN-TRANSCRIPT

Call [781] 485-0588 or email your advertising rep to get started

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.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 1

0441: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle from VFW Parkway.
0541: Motor vehicle accident at Brown Circle.
The officer a s -

sisted the parties with the exchange of papers.
0713: Unwanted person on Ocean Ave. The officer provided assistance.
0804: An officer provided assistance to another agency on Aucella Court.
0813: An officer stopped a motor vehicle for a civil moving infraction at E. Mountain Ave. and Oliver Terrace and gave a verbal warning to the operator.
0822: An officer served a warrant on Constitution Ave. and arrested a 28 year-old Revere man.
0923: Motor vehicle accident on VFW Parkway.

The officer will file a report.
1044: Disturbance on Dedham St. The officer provided assistance.
1046: Motor vehicle accident on Squire Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.
1156: Hit-and-run motor vehicle accident with property damage on Squire Rd. The officer filed a report.
1234: Breaking-and-entering into a motor vehicle on Fenno St. The officer filed a report.
1315: Disabled motor vehicle at Squire Rd. and Charger St. The officer

provided assistance.
1431: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Davis St. and Broadway and arrested the operator, Samuel Peter Spina, 59, of 56 Ambrose St., on an outstanding warrant and for the criminal offense of operating an MV with a suspended license (subsequent offense).
1522: An officer provided assistance to another agency on Overlook Ridge Terr. and restored the peace.
1610: A resident reported a case of identity theft. The officer filed a report.
1635: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle from Overlook Ridge Drive.
1647: A motor vehicle was reported stolen on Furlong Drive. The officer filed a report.

1800: Citizen complaint on Savage St. The officer provided assistance.
1839: Breaking and entering into a motor vehicle on Janvrin Ave. The officer filed a report.
1928: Parking complaint on Pitcairn St. The motor vehicle was towed.
1942: Parking complaint on Quincy St. The motor vehicle was towed.
2123: An officer ordered a tow-and-hold of a motor vehicle on Bradstreet Ave.
2139: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle on Ocean Ave.
2145: An officer stopped a motor vehicle for a civil moving infraction on the Revere Beach Parkway and gave a verbal warning to the operator.
2201: Animal complaint on Washington Ave.

The officer filed a report.
2343: Noise disturbance on Beach St. The officer restored the peace.
THURSDAY, FEB. 2
0427: Motor vehicle (MV) accident at Squire and Lantern Rds. The officer issued a citation to a 19 year-old Malden man for the criminal offense of negligent operation of an MV and for the civil moving infractions of speeding, a one-way violation and a marked lanes violation.
0804: An officer served a warrant on the Revere Beach Parkway and arrested a 43 year-old Revere man.
0847: An officer stopped a motor vehicle for a civil moving infraction on Squire Rd. and

See POLICE Page 16

Vin's
AUTO SERVICE

www.vinsauto.com

781-284-8073 | 195 American Legion Hwy

Patriots Oil Special \$19.95 (most cars)

\$99.95 Patriots Brake Special (most cars)

Patriot Depot

LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT

Suffolk Probate And Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617)788-8300
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Docket No. SU23P0346EA
Estate of: Elizabeth Gordon
Date of Death: 11/16/2022
A Petition for Formal Probate of Will has been filed by Mark S. Yanow of Marblehead, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.
The Petitioner requests that: Mark S. Yanow of Marblehead, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 03/29/2023.
This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty days (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.
UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)
A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.
WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: February 15, 2023

Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate
2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT

Suffolk Probate And Family Court
24 New Chardon St.
Boston, MA 02114
(617)788-8300
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Docket No. SU23P0302EA
Estate of: Gary G. Peluso, Sr.
Also Known As: Gary Peluso
Date of Death: 11/07/2022
To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Gary G. Peluso, Jr. of Revere, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.
The Petitioner requests that: Gary G. Peluso, Jr. of Revere, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 03/24/2023.
This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.
UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)
A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter

relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.
WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: February 10, 2023
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate
2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT

Suffolk Probate And Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617)788-8300
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Docket No. SU23P0179EA
Estate of: George A. Maglione, Jr.
Also Known As: George Maglione, Jr.
Date of Death: 01/16/2023
To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Daniel Clark of Londonderry, NH and Christopher Giannino of Revere, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.
The Petitioner requests that: Daniel Clark of Londonderry, NH and Christopher Giannino of Revere, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 03/13/2023.
This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty days (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.
UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS

UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)
A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.
WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: January 30, 2023
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate
2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Michael A. Giambrone and Valerie A. Giambrone to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Aegis Lending Corporation, dated November 3, 2006 and recorded in Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in Book 40744, Page 103 (the "Mortgage") of which mortgage U.S. Bank National Association, as Successor Trustee to Bank of America, National Association, as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank, N.A. as Trustee for the MLMI Trust Series 2007-HE3 is the present holder by Assignment from "MERS" Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Aegis Lending Corporation to Aegis Mortgage Corporation dated June 1, 2009 and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 48191, Page 146, and Assignment from Aegis Mortgage Corporation to Merrill Lynch Mortgage Lending, Inc. dated June 3, 2009 and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 48191, Page 147, and Assignment from Merrill Lynch Mortgage Lending, Inc. to U.S. Bank National Association, as Successor Trustee to Bank of America, National Association, as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank, N.A. as Trustee for the MLMI Trust Series 2007-HE3 dated June 1, 2009 and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 48191, Page 148, and Assignment from Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. to U.S. Bank National

Association, as Successor Trustee to Bank of America, N.A., as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank, N.A. as Trustee for the Certificateholders of the MLMI Trust, Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates Series 2007-HE3 dated February 2, 2012 and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 49077, Page 147, and Assignment from Bank of America, N.A. to Nationstar Mortgage, LLC dated July 30, 2013 and recorded at said Registry of Deeds in Book 51983, Page 347, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, the mortgaged premises located at 9 Haddon Street, Revere, MA 02151 will be sold at a Public Auction at 12:00 PM on March 14, 2023, at the mortgaged premises, more particularly described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: The land in said Revere, with the buildings thereon being lot numbered 63 as shown on a plan of land in Revere, belonging to Arthur H. Curtis, dated June 7, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4520, Page 392, bounded and described as follows: SOUTHEASTERLY: by Haddon Street, as shown on said plan, forty seven (47) feet; SOUTHWESTERLY: by Lot numbered 64 as shown on said plan, eighty six and 6/10 (86.6) feet; NORTHWESTERLY: by land of owners unknown, forty-seven (47) feet; and NORTHEASTERLY: by lots numbered 61 and 62 as shown on said plan, eighty six and 6/10 (86.6) feet; Containing 4070 square feet of land according to said plan.
For mortgagor's title see deed recorded with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in Book 18357, Page 261 and as later conveyed solely to Michael A. Giambrone in Book 41802, Page 72. The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens, and subject to prior liens or other enforceable encumbrances of record entitled to precedence over this mortgage, and subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions, reservations and conditions of record and subject to all tenancies and/or rights of parties in possession.
Terms of the Sale: Cashier's or certified check in the sum of \$5,000.00 as a deposit must be

shown at the time and place of the sale in order to qualify as a bidder (the mortgage holder and its designee(s) are exempt from this requirement); high bidder to sign written Memorandum of Sale upon acceptance of bid; balance of purchase price payable by certified check in thirty (30) days from the date of the sale at the offices of mortgagee's attorney, Korde & Associates, P.C., 900 Chelmsford Street, Suite 3102, Lowell, MA or such other time as may be designated by mortgagee. The description for the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.
Other terms to be announced at the sale.
U.S. Bank National Association, as Successor Trustee to Bank of America, National Association, as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank, N.A. as Trustee for the MLMI Trust Series 2007-HE3 Korde & Associates, P.C. 900 Chelmsford Street Suite 3102 Lowell, MA 01851 (978) 256-1500
Giambrone, Michael A. and Valerie A. Giambrone, 15-020879
2/15/23, 2/22/23, 3/01/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS SUFFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT Case No. 22E0097

To Lydia A. Paoletta And Lorraine S. Sarno
And to all other persons interested.
A petition has been presented to said Court. By: Joan Sinclair of Wakefield, MA, in the County of Middlesex, representing that she hold as tenant in common 1/3 undivided part or share of certain land lying in Revere, in said County Suffolk, and briefly described as follows: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Revere, Suffolk County, MA. Shown as lot 85 on a plan entitled "A Plan of Lots at Hillside Revere, Mass." Southerly: By Proctor Avenue, 50 Feet Westerly: By lot 84, on said Plan, 115 feet Northerly: By lot 132, as shown on said Plan 50 feet Easterly: By lot 86, as shown on said Plan, 115 feet
Sitting forth that she desire that all the following described

part of said land may be sold at private sale for not less than Four hundred thousand and eighty-eight dollars. And praying that partition may be made of all the land aforesaid according to law, and to that end that a commissioner be appointed to make such partition and be ordered to make sale and conveyance of all, or any part of said land which the Court finds cannot be advantageously divided either at private sale or public auction, and be ordered to distribute the net proceeds thereof. If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Boston before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 30th day of March 2023 the return date of this citation.
Witness, BRIAN J. DUNN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this 10th day of January 2023.
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate
2/15/23, 2/22/23, 3/1/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN FOR INCAPACITATED PERSON PURSUANT

TO G.L. c. 190B, Section 5-304
Docket No. SU23P0209GD
Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street Boston MA, 02114
In the matter of: Keenan Fredette of: Revere, MA
RESPONDENT Alleged Incapacitated Person
To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by Mass. Dept. Of Mental Health of Westborough, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Keenan Fredette is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Juliana Keenan of Revere, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve Without Surety on the bond.
The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority.
You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you

or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 AM on the return date of 03/16/2023. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.
WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: February 17, 2023
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate
2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF REVERE, MA INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS

Bid No: MUN-2023-1010
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 9, 2023 at which time they will be opened and publicly read. This bid is for Sidewalk Improvements in various materials and locations throughout the City of Revere.
Specifications and proposal forms may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151, beginning February 23, 2023 electronically from the Office of the City Purchasing Agent, Michael Piccardi at purchasing@reverecity.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 their 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 the first-year total of the bid. The selected contractor shall provide Performance and Payment Bonds for the faithful fulfillment of the contract. The dollar amount awarded a vendor for the first year of the contract shall be the dollar amount used to determine the amount of the performance and payment bonds. Bonds shall be renewed upon any and all expirations throughout the duration of the contract. 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.
Each prospective bidder must be MassDOT pre-qualified with the class of work as - Highway Sidewalk and Curbing or Highway Construction, for the project with an estimated value of \$8,862,600 will be required.
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 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 their 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).
Michael Piccardi
Purchasing Agent
2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Section 40 Chapter 131 of the Massachusetts General Laws (Wetlands Protection Act) that the City of Revere Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing, on Wednesday March 1, 2023 at 7:00 PM in the City Council Chamber of Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 upon the application of Zepaj Development to amend the order of conditions issued under DEP file no. 061-0791 to address DEP comments at 344 Salem Street (Tax Map 33 Block 481 Lot 8). A copy of the Applicant's "Amendment Request" application will be available at the Building Department in the Basement of the American Legion Building 249R Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 Monday through Thursday 8:15 AM to 5:00 PM Revere Conservation Commission

2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE
LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Section 40 Chapter 131 of the Massachusetts General Laws (Wetlands Protection Act) that the City of Revere Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing, on Wednesday March 1, 2023 at 7:00 PM in the City Council Chamber of Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 upon the application of Ramona Giuffre to construct an 11-unit multifamily development with bituminous concrete driveway porous pavement parking lot and incidental site work at 465 Revere Beach Boulevard (Tax Map 11 Block 192Q191 Lot 33). A copy of the Applicant's "Notice of Intent" application will be available at the Building Department in the Basement of the American Legion Building

2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE
Atlantis Towing
851 Broadway
P.O. Box 418
Revere, MA 02151
781-485-1800
ABANDON VEHICLE LIST
THE FOLLOWING
VEHICLES HAVE BEEN

249R Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 Monday through Thursday 8:15 AM to 5:00 PM Revere Conservation Commission

2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE
Legal Notice
Public Notice
Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Section 40 Chapter 131 of the Massachusetts General Laws (Wetlands Protection Act) that the City of Revere Conservation Commission will hold a Public

2012 FORD
#1FT7X2B61CEB12255
2/8/23, 2/15/23,
2/22/23
R

LEGAL NOTICE
Legal Notice
Public Notice
Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Section 40 Chapter 131 of the Massachusetts General Laws (Wetlands Protection Act) that the City of Revere Conservation Commission will hold a Public

Hearing on Wednesday, March 1, 2023 at 7:00 PM in the City Council Chamber of Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 upon the application of the City of Revere to renovate Leach Park: 1) remove approx. 50ft of fencing along back edge of park 2) Outer wood fence: replace rotten posts, install sections where missing, sand and paint entire fence 3) removal of tree stumps 4) pave in asphalt approx. 2,200 sq feet of gravel walkway to

make ADA accessible and reset cobblestone 5) add ADA accessible entrance 6) update and redesign mulch beds. A copy of the Applicant's "Notice of Intent" application will be available at the Building Department in the Basement of the American Legion Building 249R Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 Monday through Thursday 8:15 AM to 5:00 PM. Revere Conservation Commission

2/22/23
R




Charlestown Chelsea East Boston Everett Lynn Revere Winthrop

Independent Newspaper Group Weekly Classifieds Section


OFFICE SPACE	HELP WANTED - PCA	WANTED - TO BUY
REVERE - Broadway Office Space, 2nd floor. \$500 includes utilities and parking. 781-864-9958 2/22	NEED TO SELL Your House? Call to reach over 50,000 readers. Call 781-485-0588 or fax the ad to 781-485-1403	GREATER BOSTON - B.S.A City strips, all colors except red & white. Paying cash \$20-200 depending on condition. Contact: budfarns43@yahoo.com.
	EVERETT - Personal Care Attendant needed Sat & Sun 8am-2pm Please call Susan 617-389-6190 2/22	2/22 DEADLINES: For classified line ads, deadlines are Monday by 4 p.m. Call 781-485-0588 or fax the ad to 781-485-1403
	SELLING YOUR AUTO? Call for our 4 week	

Do You Want To Sell Your Home?



Our Advertisers have clients waiting to buy!

List your property with one of the fine realtors who advertise regularly in the...



Revere's Professional Service Directory

ASPHALT/PAVING	CLEANING	CONSTRUCTION	CONTRACTING	ELECTRICIAN	HANDYMAN AND HOME IMPROVEMENT
2 col. x 1 inch \$120.00 For 3 Months (\$10 Per Week)	SPARTAN CLEANING SERVICE Since 1978 COMMERCIAL RESIDENTIAL CARPET and UPHOLSTERY CLEANING Satisfaction Guaranteed Call 617-593-4532 617-567-2926 Removes Dirt • Cleans • Deodorizes Complete Office Cleaning	 CONSTRUCTION BY ANDERSON Roofing, Siding, Windows, Carpentry Free Estimates • Licensed & Insured Over 30 Years in Business Bob Anderson 781-289-9032 Do Business With The Owner & Save!	L. P. CONTRACTING Building & Remodeling Kitchen ♦ Bathroom Additions ♦ Porches Replacement windows Garages ♦ Decks Siding - All Types LUIGI: (617) 846-0142 FREE ESTIMATES ... LICENSED ... INSURED	 MOONEY ELECTRIC LLC Residential & Commercial Fully Licensed & Insured KEVIN MOONEY 781-799-1862	JOHN PINO INDOOR & OUTDOOR REPAIR 617-708-2150 NO JOB IS TOO SMALL HANDYMAN
JUNK REMOVAL SCOTTIE'S MULTISERVICES Clean-Outs Demo/Removal Inside & Out Residential • Business CALL 781-971-0719	JUNK REMOVAL 1 col. x 1 inch \$60.00	MASONRY MORELLI MASONRY & TILE All Types of Masonry Repair, Ceramic Tile, Concrete Pours, Chimneys, Stairs, Walls, Cutting & Pointing • Restoration Cleaning Fully Insured • No Job Too Small Dennis Morelli 781-632-8812	PAINTING JOHN J. RECCA PAINTING Interior/Exterior Commercial/Residential Fully Insured Quality Work Reasonable Rates Free Estimates 781-241-2454	HOME REPAIR? Call AL COY 617-539-0489 Masonry & Chimney Pointing, Carpentry & Odd Jobs We Clean & Repair Gutters	mr. fix it HANDY MAN SERVICES REPAIR MOST ANYTHING, DOORS, WINDOWS PORCHES, REPLACEMENT WINDOWS, FENCES, SIDING, FLOORS ETC. SNOW PLOWING LICENSED AND INSURED CALL AL 617-429-0606
PLUMBING PATRIOT Sewer & Drain Plumbing Services, LLC  24 HR. SERVICE CALL 781-656-4884	Impressive PLUMBING & HEATING SHOWROOM SALES & SERVICE 331 BROADWAY, REVERE, MA 02151 781-284-9555 LICENSED • INSURED, MASTER LIC NO 12945 24 HOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE DAREN DIBARTOLOMEO	PAINTING Bertino Painting Company Call For Free Estimates!  Joe Bertino Owner 978-376-6661 Interior and Exterior Painting BertinoPaintingCompany@gmail.com	PAINTING R&N Painting - Interior/ Exterior Painting - Drywall Installation/ Repair - Ceiling Repair - Fully Insured Call for Free Estimate! 6179573824	PAINTING Nick D'Agostino Professional Painter Cell: 617-270-3178 Fully Insured Free Estimates	DH HANDYMAN • Painting & Decor • Light Carpentry • Finish Carpentry More than 30 years experience Call Dennis 781-307-0947
SNOW REMOVAL SNOW PLOWING Licensed & Insured CALL AL (617) 429-0606	PLASTERING AUGUSTA PLASTERING Interior/Exterior • Blueboard • Plastering Jim 978-777-6611 Free Estimates 978-777-6611	REALTOR Gina S Soldano REALTOR® ABR®, AHWD, e-PRO®, GREEN, MRP®, PSA®, SFR®, SRES®, SRS® Broker/Associate (857) 272-4270 Gina.Soldano@era.com gsoldanorealtor.com	ROOFING REPAIRS BOSTON HOME SOLUTIONS MARCELO DE SOUZA HOME RENOVATION ROOFING-SIDING-PAINTING SERVING THE BOSTON AREA SINCE 2002 617-507-1703 LIC. & INSURED CSL 100141	TO ADVERTISE IN OUR SERVICE DIRECTORY PLEASE CALL 781-485-0588 OR EMAIL DEB@REVEREJOURNAL.COM	

THE DANDEE DONUT FACTORY HOLDS GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION



Participating in the ribbon-cutting ceremony for The Dandee Donut Factory Tuesday morning are, from left, Brand Manager Charles Crowley, Vice President of Operations Dave Pilarski, Regional School Committee member Anthony Caggiano, Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky, General Manager David Ferrara, Mayor Brian Arrigo, and Rep. Jessica Giannino.

Public Servant // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

A: I am the Principal of CityLab Innovation High School, formerly known as SeaCoast Alternative High School. Last year we participated in a school re-design to better serve students in the city who are looking for a nontraditional high school experience. We offer a multitude of different opportunities for our students like internships, dual enrollment, and exploratory courses in all different vocations. We purposefully named the school CityLab because we wanted the city, both Revere and Boston, to be our students' classrooms.

Q: What is your connection to Revere?

A: My first introduction to the city was actually from two proud Revere natives. In 2009 I started my doctoral degree at UMass Boston, and one of the first connections I made was with Dr. Christina Porter, the Director of Humanities of Revere Public Schools. She would often share all of the wonderful things that were happening in RPS. Years later, Dr. John Perella, Director of Youth Engagement & Success, hired me as his Assistant Principal in Medford. Soon after he returned to Revere, he thought I would be a good fit and recruited me to join the district as the Principal of SeaCoast, and the rest is history!

Q: What has been the highlight of your job so far?

A: The highlight of my job by far has been how easily the students have adapted to our new model

of the high school. I definitely had to take a leap of faith with all of the new programing and changes. With the reputations of alternative high schools, I wasn't sure if people would trust me with their children. I have been overwhelmed by all of the love and support from the families, city, and community in supporting our new school. The students have exceeded my expectations with their independence, willingness to try new things, and by putting themselves way out of their comfort zones.

Q: Tell us a little bit about what you're doing over at CityLab High School. What programming are you doing that is new that Revere residents may not know about?

A: At CityLab we put an emphasis on merging high school, college, and industry experiences together. On Wednesdays we offer exploratory courses that run for two periods and change each quarter so our students get to try out all different types of pathways. So far this year we've offered courses in Cosmetology, Tech Design, Architecture, Culinary, Robotics, Woodworking, and more. We currently have our second cohort of students dually enrolled in ELA courses with Benjamin Franklin Cummings Institute of Technology, who travel into Boston two days a week for their classes, as well as students who have received college credits from UMass Amherst for participating in an Architecture Pathway.

Students involved in coding and college-level math courses travel regularly to Cambridge to The Foundry through our partnership with Digital Ready and UMass. We even have students assisting with Revere High School's production of In the Heights, working on their set design one day a week. With the small size of our school, we are able to hone in on our ability to be flexible and hear from our students' about their interests and work on bringing those directly to them. For example, students shared their desire for a language course and we were able to hire a Japanese teacher and offer Japanese classes. We are in the process of creating a biotech pathway and are always looking for more opportunities to support our students.

Q: If you could give yourself a piece of advice when you were in high school, what would you give?

A: I went to a small private high school in Worcester. My school encouraged independent thinking and discovery, was very rigorous, and academic focused. I wasn't the strongest academic student, but I was always curious and wanted to learn. My advice to my high school self would be to always keep that curiosity even when things get challenging. And to not be afraid to put yourself out there in spaces where you don't think you belong. Everyone deserves a seat at the table.

Cary Shuman Photos

The Dandee Donut Factory held a ribbon-cutting ceremony to celebrate the new business located at 1141 Revere Beach Parkway.

The Dandee Donut Factory serves more than 50 varieties of delicious,

old-fashioned donuts. It also has a menu of homemade breakfasts, lunches, and dinners. There is a drive-thru window.

Mayor Brian Arrigo, Rep. Jessica Giannino, Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky, Regional School Committee member Anthony Caggiano, and Kaitlyn Carter, aide to Rep.

Jeff Turco, welcomed General Manager David Ferrara and his staff to the city.

This is The Dandee Donut Company's first store in Massachusetts. There are three locations in Florida.



Pictured at the grand opening and ribbon-cutting ceremony are, from left, Kaitlyn Carter, aide to Rep. Jeff Turco, Dandee Donut Factory General Manager David Ferrara, Mayor Brian Arrigo, Rep. Jessica Giannino, Regional School Committee member Anthony Caggiano, and Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky.



Pictured at the grand opening celebration for the Dandee Donut Factory in Revere are, from left, Courtney Solimini, Vanessa Page, Shelley Evirs, General Manager David Ferrara, Alex Guevara, and Caitlin Piskadlo.



State Rep. Jessica Giannino, daughter of retired Revere Police Sgt. Christopher Giannino, is pictured with Revere Police officers at the grand opening celebration, from left, Sgt. John Gibson and Police Officers Jagger DiCenso, Jorge Romero, and Bryan Brenes.

Police // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 14

gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0909: Lost/found property on Squire Rd. The officer filed a report.

0942: A resident reported a case of identity theft. The officer provided assistance.

1111: Blocked driveway on Fiske St. The motor vehicle was towed.

1148: Animal complaint on Asti Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1201: Landlord/tenant disturbance at Waitt Park. The officer restored the peace.

1254: An officer provided assistance to another agency on American Legion Highway and filed a report.

1332: Vandalism on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

1336: A repossession company reported the repo of a motor vehicle from Malden St.

1436: An officer stopped a motor vehicle for a civil moving infraction on Winthrop Ave. and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1446: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Dawes St.

1502: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway.

1526: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Squire Rd. and filed a report.

1537: Hit-and-run motor vehicle accident with property damage on No. Shore Rd. The officer filed a report.

1544: Motor vehicle accident at Brown Circle. The officer provided assistance.

1632: Motor vehicle (MV) accident on the VFW Parkway. The officer issued a citation to a 72 year-old Chelsea man for the criminal offense of operating an MV with a suspended license.

1633: Motor vehicle accident on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1653: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Alexandria Rd.

1717: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Lee Burbank Highway and filed a report.

1742: Suspicious activity on Gore Rd. The officer restored the peace.

1820: Unwanted person on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1827: Hit-and-run motor vehicle accident with property damage on

Broadway. The officer provided assistance.

1834: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway and filed a report.

1835: Suspicious activity on Keayne St. The officer spoke to the party.

1838: Suspicious activity on Stowers St. The officer provided assistance.

1858: An officer ordered a tow-and-hold for a motor vehicle on Bradstreet Ave.

1859: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle from Beach St.

1900: A tow company reported the trespass tow of a motor vehicle from Beach St.

2027: Disturbance on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer provided assistance.

2034: Motor vehicle accident at Butler Circle. The officer provided assistance.

2040: Vandalism on Washington Ave. The officer filed a report.

2139: Motor vehicle accident with injuries and fire at Centennial and Waverly Aves.

2140: Motor vehicle accident on No. Shore Rd. The officer will file a report.

The Year of the Rabbit

Your Year

Your Cost

2023

2023

1

Option

52 WEEKS

Business Card Size

3.37" by 2" high

2

Option

26 WEEKS

2col x 3 in.

3.37" by 3" high

COLOR

2 ADS/MONTH

3

Option

1 AD/MONTH

2col x 5 in.

3.37" by 5" high

COLOR

— broadsheet size —

3.99" by 5" high

— tab size —

JOIN THE INDEPENDENT 2023 AD CAMPAIGN

Jan. — Dec. 2023

ONE FULL YEAR of advertising for only \$2,023 per paper

THE REVERE JOURNAL | THE EVERETT INDEPENDENT

THE WINTHROP TRANSCRIPT | THE EAST BOSTON TIMES

THE LYNN JOURNAL | THE CHELSEA RECORD

THE BOSTON SUN | THE CHARLESTOWN PATRIOT BRIDGE

BEACON HILL TIMES | NORTH END REGIONAL REVIEW

JAMAICA PLAIN GAZETTE | MISSION HILL GAZETTE

Choose from any 4 Options for an insightful year of news, sports, and social gatherings from your Hometown Newspapers

2 Payments of \$1,011.50

1st due Jan. 31, 2023 2nd due June 31, 2023

We accept all major Credit Cards

With options to change Publications on each run

4

Option

5 per CALENDAR YEAR

3col x 10 in.

5.14" by 10" high

COLOR

— broadsheet size —

5 per CALENDAR YEAR

3col x 5 in.

6.0832" by 5" high

COLOR

— tab size —

Call your Ad Rep at (781) 485-0588

Or Reach them on Email! Tap on Your rep below to start sending an email!

Maureen DiBella | Sioux Gerow | Deb DiGregorio