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POST OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED TO CELEBRATE LABOR DAY

Postal Service employees across the commonwealth will celebrate Labor Day as all Post Offices will be closed on Monday, September 4, 2023. There will be no delivery of mail on the Labor Day, with the exception of guaranteed overnight parcels. Full retail and delivery services will resume on Tuesday, September 5, 2023.

As we celebrate our nation's labor force, if you're considering a new career or looking for work visit www.usps.com/careers and you can search, by state, for available jobs near you. As the Postal Service's Delivering for America Plan transforms USPS into the premier shipping provider in the nation, we need your help moving the nations mail and are currently hiring for positions in your area.

SPECTACULAR BRIDGES TO GRACE STAMPS

The U.S. Postal Service issued four new Presorted

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Council challenges number of hirees by Acting Mayor

By Adam Swift

The City Council is challenging Acting Mayor Patrick Keefe's ability to hire and appoint new employees in the city.

Monday night, the council voted 8-0 for the acting mayor to immediately cease and desist taking actions admitting of delay resulting in permanent appointments or hires.

The action came following a legal opinion requested by the council

from the firm of Anderson and Kreiger, LLP relative to the power and authority of the acting mayor position. Keefe took over as acting mayor earlier this year when former mayor Brian Arrigo took a position as the head of DCR for the Healey administration.

Back in May, City Solicitor Paul Capizzi provided the council with a five page memo from outside legal counsel KP Law

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ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL

Herby Jean-Baptiste announces candidacy for Ward 4 Council

Special to the Journal

Herby Jean-Baptiste has announced that he is a candidate seeking the Ward 4 City Council seat in the upcoming election. The following is his announcement.

"Hello, Neighbor, Sisters, and Brothers

My name is Herby Jean-Baptiste and my family and I have lived on Proctor Ave for the past 21 years. My wife,



Herby-Jean Baptiste.

who works as a nurse, and I have been married for

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Brian Averbach announces candidacy for Ward 1 Council

Special to the Journal

Brian Averbach has announced that he is a candidate for Ward 1 City Council. The following is his statement:

"My name is Brian Averbach and I am running for Ward 1 City Councilor. I am currently a commissioner with the Revere Conservation Commission. I believe protecting our city and beaches from future flooding and environmental issues is very important. I



Brian and his son, Maximilian Averbach.

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FIRST DAY BACK TO SCHOOL



Joziah Bell, Gavelle and Promise Miller are all smiles during opening day at the Abraham Lincoln School. See more photos on Page 18.

Mayoral candidates square off in debate

By Adam Swift

Development, public safety, and education and the building of a new high school were the big topics covered during last week's debate among the four mayoral candidates.

The debate was sponsored by the Revere Chamber of Commerce

and the Revere Journal in the lead up to the Sept. 19 preliminary election, which will narrow the

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MAYOR



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Pictured at the dedication ceremony are the children of U.S. Army PFC Robert "Randy" Stott, are, Patricia Stott, Anthony Stott, John Stott, and Robert Stott. See more photos on Page 15.

SEE PAGE 17 FOR A STROLL THROUGH TIME

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Forum

ENJOY A GREAT -- AND SAFE -- LABOR DAY WEEKEND

With the weatherman predicting a superb Labor Day weekend (as we’re writing this), we hope that all of our readers will have a chance to make the most of the final weekend of the summer season.

Although the Summer of ‘23 overall has been a bit on the rainy side (which was great for our gardens and lawns), it nonetheless had plenty of perfect days that we hope created memories that will last a lifetime for our friends, families, and ourselves. The coming Labor Day weekend promises to give us one final opportunity to enjoy the outdoors in whatever way we choose.

However, as always, we urge our readers to do so safely, not only for ourselves, but also for our family members, friends, and loved ones, whether we are on land or on the water.

Just a few weeks ago we wrote about the spate of tragic accidents that befell the Boston area --- and sure enough, tragedies have continued in the weeks since.

None of us wants to be a tragic statistic, and that means making sure that both we ourselves and those around us do not overindulge in alcohol. Yes, accidents do happen, even under the best of circumstances, but generally speaking, no one ever gets hurt by being sober. It’s when two beers become four or more that the chances for a tragedy increase exponentially.

We wish all of our readers a happy -- and safe -- Labor Day weekend.

SCHOOL’S BACK — DRIVE WITH CAUTION

With schools going back in session this week and next after the summer vacation, morning rush-hour commuters need to readjust our driving habits to ensure that we take into account the thousands of children who will be filling our streets during our morning commute.

We’ll admit that school buses, school crossing guards, etc. are a pain in the neck, especially if we’re running a bit late on our way to work.

But that is no excuse for ANY sort of driving behavior that does not take into account the safety of the children in our communities.

Every morning commuter needs to be a patient and defensive driver, especially in the first few weeks of school, when youthful exuberance typically results in kids dashing out into the street to greet friends for the start of the new school year.

Each of us is responsible not only for our own safety, but also for the safety of others when we are behind the wheel of a motor vehicle -- and that is doubly true when school is back in session.

THIS WEEK’S SHOOTINGS SPREAD LIKE WILDFIRE ACROSS AMERICA

Mass shootings have become all-too commonplace in America. But even by our nation’s uniquely violent standards, the multiplicity of shootings that spread across the country like a tornado-driven wildfire this past weekend was mind-numbing.

First there was the shooting last Thursday night in a bar in California by a former police sergeant, who shot and killed his ex-wife and several others, in an apparent fit of domestic rage.

Then on Friday evening, there was the shooting at a high school football game in Oklahoma that claimed the life of a 16 year-old boy.

A few hours later, the rampage of shooting jumped east to Boston on Saturday morning, when gunfire among a group of young men left seven persons injured in the vicinity of the annual Caribbean Festival in Dorchester.

A few hours later, the inferno of tragedy veered south with the news from Maryland that a 34-year-old man shot his mother, cousin, and nephew before turning the gun on himself.

And then came the reports Saturday afternoon from Jacksonville, Florida, of the race-motivated shooting by a 20 year-old white supremacist (who espoused Nazi-style views) in which he targeted and killed three Black persons in a Dollar General store with an AR-15.

The spate of gun violence in a 48-hour period this past week demonstrated that no part of America is immune to the tragic consequences of our gun culture -- and as long as Republican lawmakers are beholden to gun owners’ groups and refuse to pass even common-sense gun safety legislation, there will be no end in sight to the sort of senseless and horrific shootings that ripped across America this past weekend.

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.

By Steve Morabito

As Mayor, I will be a strong advocate for Revere’s seniors. We need to do more to give our older residents access to great programming, services, and the property tax relief they deserve. I will always be accessible and work closely with seniors to ensure that they have a voice at City Hall.

This is work that I’ve already started, sponsoring legislation to create an Aid to Elderly & Disabled Tax in Revere, and spon-

By Gerry Visconti

As we all know, in recent years, the city of Revere has seen a staggering surge in residential development. While development is vital for economic growth, foreseeable adverse effects have left residents grappling with significant challenges.

The city’s transformation was looked upon as a symbol of progress, but the relentless pursuit of residential developer profits at the expense of Revere residents has left us bewildered, confused and angry.

Taxes have gone up. Water bills have gone up.

The people of Revere have paid dearly for the previous administration’s preferential treatment of a handful of outside interests.

With the influx of new residents, Police, Fire, and Emergency Response Teams are faced with an unprecedented workload,

By Alexander Rhalimi

In the upcoming Revere City Councilor-at-Large election, one candidate stands out for his unwavering commitment to responsible water management and environmental sustainability: Alexander Rhalimi. His dedication to collaborating with the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) underscores his understanding of the pressing water challenges our community faces.

Rhalimi’s emphasis on fostering partnerships with institutions like MWRA highlights his forward-thinking approach. The MWRA has a proven track record of effective water resource management, and Rhalimi recognizes the value of leveraging their expertise to benefit Revere. This collaboration not only ensures access to a wealth of knowledge but also underscores his commitment to making informed decisions that safeguard our water supply.

Rhalimi’s vision aligns seamlessly with MWRA’s mission of ensuring a secure water future. He understands the importance of responsible wa-

REVERE ELECTION 2023

CANDIDATES STATE THEIR VISIONS FOR REVERE

Supporting our seniors

soring a motion, which now allows Veterans an option for a \$750 property tax abatement or a \$500 water bill abatement in Revere. We must do more.

As Mayor, I will fast-track the creation of more senior-specific housing units and support the expansion of the Revere’s Affordable Housing Trust Fund. I will continue to push property tax relief for seniors and expand Revere’s rental assistance efforts to create a more affordable city.

Additionally, I will work

Overdevelopment in Revere: prioritizing responsible growth over residential overload

batting to keep up with the increased demand, as the strain compromises their ability to effectively handle emergencies, putting the safety and well-being of residents at risk.

And the traffic... Unsustainable.

Couldn’t we have seen this coming?

Without vision, without the proper planning, without responsible leadership...

Residential developers have had a free-for-all.

We cannot solve the same old problems with the same old “leaders.”

We’ve had an overwhelming increase in the population that lives here, works from home, but spend their time and money elsewhere.

The right model for urban planning and development is Live, Work, Play.

And that’s the basis of our vision going forward.

Our administration’s approach has three components:

First, we will encourage and engage with neighborhood associations early in the planning stages. Residents will no longer take a back seat to the profits of developers.

Second, we will do better mitigating the effects of the projects in the community, which means negotiating funding from developers.

Third, we will incentivize and focus on responsible commercial development – adopting the Live Work Play model.

Our vision is about striking the right balance, ensuring our city thrives economically without overwhelming infrastructure and public services.

Incentives will be introduced to encourage developers to contribute to the improvement of the community. This could involve funding for local infrastructure projects, supporting education, or contributing to public safety services. Such concessions help ensure that

programs that capture the wealth of history and stories from Revere’s elders.

And I will use the bully pulpit of the office to ensure that programs like “The Ride” are fully funded and available.

Revere’s older residents are the backbone of our community -- it is our responsibility to treat them as such.

Steven Morabito is a Councillor-at-Large for the City of Revere, as well as a candidate for Mayor in the upcoming election.

developers are not solely driven by profit but also considerate of the community’s needs and long-term well-being.

To build a sustainable future for Revere, city officials and residents must collaborate on a comprehensive community driven, strategic development plan that prioritizes responsible growth.

As mayor, my administration will work together with residents to ensure that the city’s evolution aligns with their values and quality of life, NOT to serve the profit margins of outside developers.

Driving responsible growth, community involvement, and balanced development will pave the way for a vibrant and sustainable future that benefits all residents.

Gerry Visconti is a Councillor-at-Large for the City of Revere, as well as a candidate for Mayor in the upcoming election.

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Fostering a water-secure future for Revere

ter usage, conservation, and maintaining water quality. By partnering with MWRA, Rhalimi demonstrates a practical approach to addressing complex water-related issues that Revere faces.

As a candidate for Revere City Councilor-at-Large, Rhalimi’s dedication to improving our community’s water infrastructure and environmental resilience sets him apart. His willingness to work hand in hand with MWRA signifies his ability to forge connections that will yield positive outcomes for Revere’s residents.

In a time when water scarcity and quality are pressing concerns, having a candidate who prioritizes collaboration with institutions like MWRA is invaluable. Rhalimi’s commitment to responsible water management serves as a testament to his dedication to Revere’s well-being and its future sustainability. As we cast our votes, let’s support a candidate who recognizes the importance of partnerships and is poised to lead us towards a water-secure future.

For more information, or to get involved with

Alexander Rhalimi, candidate for Revere Councilor at Large, please contact the campaign at: Email: Vote@rhalimiforrevere.org Website: www.rh-alimiforrevere.org Phone:

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Revere’s Andrea Lauria is the new afternoon voice at 104.1

By Melissa Moore-Randall

In July, a new and familiar voice joined the afternoon 104.1 radio team “Gregg and Freddy”. Lifelong resident, Andrea Lauria, is the new on air personality/traffic report-

er weekdays from 2-7 p.m. “We share our lives with listeners as well as give away tickets, and we have fun segments for the week including Love Him or List Him, Normal or Not and Oops! Moments. I also provide traffic up-

dates at 3, 3:40, 5, 6, 6:20 and 6:50 for Bostonians hitting the road.”

Lauria admits that after graduation from the University of New Hampshire, she felt lost and was not really sure what she wanted to do. She returned to her former middle school, the Susan B. Anthony Middle School, and worked as a substitute for the year. When summer arrived and school ended, she began researching jobs related to her Communications major.

“I ended up coming across a job listing for a Promotions Team at Audacy. I didn't really understand what the job would be like until my first day. I soon realized it was essentially a street team for the radio stations including Mix 104.1, WEEL , Magic 1067, BIG 103. I was thrilled to be doing

events around Boston and Gillette for sports events. When I first started, I found out that the morning show was looking for a traffic reporter to join the show as the previous one had just left. Even though it was only my first week I asked for the opportunity to audition. I auditioned for the morning show “Karson and Kennedy” but sadly did not get the job. I continued to work for the street team as well as substituting at the school.” Despite being disappointed, Lauria knew she had found her passion with radio and was not ready to give it up.

“I put my trust in the universe and hoped there was a reason for me not getting it. My sister Kayla asked

me if I wanted to backpack around Europe for a month. Since I was unsure of my future, I decided to do it. It was an amazing experience, and I'm so glad we did it. When I got back I continued working both jobs with a new found inspiration from my travels. I was willing to try anything and put myself out there and started taking acting classes at Boston Casting. I knew I wanted to have a job in some form of the entertainment industry, music or film.”

In May while working at a Taylor Swift event for Mix 104.1, Lauria, a graduate of Revere High School, was asked to do an interview with Gregg, Freddy and Danielle Peroni (from Revere). “They

thought I did a really good job. Danielle was leaving the show, and they were looking for a new traffic reporter and asked if I wanted to audition. I had to wait while they auditioned others, but on June 30th I got the call that I got the job! I was thrilled, nervous and excited.”

“I felt incredibly lucky to have another chance. For the future I am just excited to get more comfortable with my new position and just have fun. I'm blessed to have such a fun, amazing job, and I couldn't be more grateful.”

Andrea is the daughter of Revere Police Officer Andrew Lauria and Stephanie Demarco and sister of Drew, Dante, Zoey, and step sister Kayla Parlante.



Andrea with Gregg and Freddy from the 104.1 Afternoon Show.

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highlighting the role of the acting mayor.

“Patrick Keefe, ward councillor, elected president of the City Council, and in his capacity of acting mayor, may perform all day-to-day functions required of the position of mayor,” said Capizzi. “Some of the examples are ... soliciting and entering into contracts, addressing personnel matters, providing programs and services, signing payroll, administering regular maintenance and construction operations, enforcing existing ordinances, (and) undertaking public health and safety efforts.”

The acting mayor is also responsible for “any and all efforts not admitting of delay,” said Capizzi.

However, the legal opinion from Anderson and Kreiger lays out a much more limited scope of the authority vested in the acting mayor position.

“We believe that the Charter limits the Acting Mayor’s authority to (1) time-sensitive actions that cannot wait for the election of a new mayor; and (2) which do not result in a ‘permanent appointment,’” read the letter from George A. Hall Jr. and Mina Makarios of Anderson and Kreiger. “Both conditions must be met. While we agree with Attorney Goldberg’s opinion that this determination requires a case by case analysis, we believe her opinion could give the false impression that the Acting Mayor may take any action as long as it does not have permanent consequences, thereby bypassing the first requirement above. To the extent that is how her advice is being understood, that is

incorrect.”

Councillor-at-Large Anthony Zambuto stated that he believed the more recent legal opinion shows that the initial opinion was incorrect.

“This opinion is written by one of the renowned municipal law firms in the state,” said Zambuto. “It is clear that the Acting Mayor has limited powers, and therefore, I think that it is necessary to cease and desist any appointments.”

Zambuto said the motion would not impact any hires or appointments already made by the Keefe administration.

Council President Pro Tem Joanne McKenna noted that there have been about 15 hires by the administration since Arrigo resigned, many of them union positions for public works and the water department, along with some police and fire department hires.

Councillor-at-Large Gerry Visconti requested that the council get a breakdown of the exact number of hires and the positions filled to date.

“The motion on the floor is to cease and desist future hirings,” said Zambuto. “We are not addressing the people already hired because most of them are union positions, and we can’t correct a wrong. He had bad information, a bad opinion, and he followed that bad opinion.”

Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro said he would like to see more collaboration with the acting mayor’s administration when it comes to filling any emergency positions in the city.

Acting Mayor Patrick Keefe said, “Since entering the role of acting mayor we

have followed the advice of our city solicitor. Along with an initially requested outside legal opinion as requested from the city council.”

Keefe added, “The council spending more taxpayer dollars to seek an additional opinion to clearly get a different opinion is an irresponsible attempt to stop the city from performing its day to day functions is baffling.

I understand if we are talking about hiring high level positions. I do agree to hold or only temporarily fill these positions. However to suggest I am not following the opinion over hiring rank and file associates is misleading the public.”

“DPW- water and sewer, laborers, parking clerks, senior center clerk, public health nurses, educators, police and fire staff have been the hired positions since May.

The only motive I can see is attempting to stop our city from offering its basic fundamental functions. What happens when a pipe breaks or a street floods and we have nobody to respond. How about the public health nurses that have to support our school department because of a serious nursing shortage. The old ways of political hiring is not how my office operates and all hires have been done so by our Human Resource team with each department heads involvement,” Keefe said.

Keefe ended, saying, “We have not made any permanent appointments and respect that original decision and will continue to follow the direction and advice from our city solicitor.”

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ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL

Juan Pablo Jaramillo endorsed by Local 103 electrical workers union

Special to the Journal

Candidate for Councilor at-large Juan Pablo Jaramillo has been endorsed by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 103, one of the most influential labor unions in the Greater Boston area which includes Revere. The more than 10,000 workers at Local 103 that live or work in or around Revere have weighed in the crowded Revere City Council at-large race in support of Jaramillo citing his strong pro-worker and pro-union record and stances said Lou Antonellis the Business Manager and Financial Secretary for the union the “International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 103 is proud to endorse Juan Pablo Jaramillo for

Revere City-Council at-large. Juan is a powerful advocate for working people and has a strong record delivering results for Revere. That’s why we trust him to stand strong for working families as Revere’s next city councilor, At Large. Together, we will build a Revere that works for working people.” Jaramillo, a union member, has centered his campaign around making Revere a city for and by working families. He was excited by the endorsement saying, that “IBEW Local 103 is powering a working class movement that creates sustainable jobs and strong contracts with good wages and good benefits. I am in this race to fight for the working people they represent and to be a partner in ensuring

that Revere is the most pro-union, pro-worker city north of Boston. I am humbled by the support of the union and look forward to partnering with them to continue to deliver for our residents.” This is the latest of endorsements for Jaramillo who has received the support of former and current Revere elected officials, state officials that represent Revere, and organizations like the Environmental League of Massachusetts, Run For Something, Climate Cabinet and others. The council race field is set and a preliminary election scheduled for September 19th. Of the 11 at-large candidates, only 10 will move on to the General Election which will be held on November 7.

HAAS CONTINUES STANDOUT CAMPAIGN



Candidate for Councilor-at-Large Bob Haas and family shown on Broadway with supporters continuing their sign holding and stand-out campaign.

Monterroso announces campaign kickoff

Special to the Journal

The Committee to Elect Jacqueline Monterroso will be hosting a campaign

kickoff in honor of School Committee Member Monterroso tomorrow, Thursday August 31. The Committee invites residents of

Revere to come and learn more about Jacqueline’s re-election campaign and her vision for our school district.

DOOR KNOCKING IN WARD 4



Candidate for Ward 4 City Council, Paul Argenzio shown with residents of Ward 4 during his recent door knocking and canvasing campaign.

Iconic restaurateur Roger Berkowitz endorses Patrick Keefe in Mayoral race

Special to the Journal

Boston Restaurateur and founder of Legal Seafoods Roger Berowitz, endorses Patrick Keefe for Mayor of Revere. The election date is on Sep-

tember 19, 2023. “Hi Roger Berkowitz here, former owner and longtime CEO of Legal Seafoods. I’ve known Patrick Keefe for well over 20 years now,” said Berkowitz. “I thought to myself

“it’s not going to be too long before Patrick’s Mayor.” And sure enough he is running for mayor. Patrick will be great representing the citizens of Revere. I give him my wholehearted endorsement.”

ANGELA SAWAYA-GUARINO HOLDS SIGNS AT ST. ANTHONY’S CHURCH



Candidate for Ward 5 City Council shown outside St. Anthony’ Church with a group of her supporters holding signs recently.



McKenna endorsed by Greater Boston Labor Council

Special to the Journal

The Greater Boston Labor Council has endorsed Joanne McKenna - Ward 1 Councilor, Revere for re-election to Revere City Council. Chartered by the National AFL-CIO, the Greater Boston Labor Council’s mission is to

improve the lives of working families within the 24 communities in our jurisdiction. Our goal is to build a movement of unions and workers to advocate for working family issues in city and town halls throughout Greater Boston. The Greater Boston Labor Council also seeks to reach out to

progressive allies within our communities to form coalitions to advance the cause of economic justice.

Firemen and Oilers Union back Michelle Kelley in Council race

Special to the Journal

A prominent local chapter of the Service Employees International Union whose members provide maintenance at Revere’s public housing has thrown its weight behind Councilor-at-Large candidate Michelle Kelley, building momentum in advance of the Sept. 19 preliminary election. Firemen and Oilers Local 3 SEIU, whose activism for working families dates to the 19th century, praised Kelley’s plan “to advance and defend collective bargaining rights and to use your experience to provide effective representation for the people of Revere.” “We at Local 3 believe you have demonstrated the strength, commitment, and experience that it will take to stand up for working families and wish you success in the upcoming election,” said Anthony Donovan, President of F&O Local 3 SEIU, which represents, among many others, maintenance workers at the Revere Housing Authority.

Kelley, a lifelong resident, attorney and realtor, has vowed to bring a “neighborhood watch” approach to the Revere City Council – running from outside the political establishment to provide a voice for Revere’s working families. Kelley said she was proud to have the support of F&O Local 3 SEIU, where her late father was a longtime member and shop steward. “I was fortunate to grow up in a union household, and I’ve never forgotten the lessons I learned about the value of a good job at good wages,” said Kelley. “The men and women of F&O, Local 3 help keep this city in shape, and I’m going to City Hall with the same attitude: to put in a hard day’s work, and give the people of this city the representation they deserve.” “Having the support of the people my dad worked alongside has special meaning for me,” Kelley added. “He loved Revere and its people, and I know he’d be proud of the im-

provements I’m trying to make to the city and of the campaign I’m running.” A first-time candidate for public office, Kelley launched her campaign in May after becoming increasingly dissatisfied with Revere city government. Since, she has been listening to residents across Revere, and sharing with them her vision for a more transparent and responsive City Hall. “People want accountability for how their hard-earned tax dollars are spent, and they want a government that treats them with respect,” Kelley said. “That’s why I’m running, and that’s the spirit of service I’ll instill when I’m elected.” Targeting sweetheart deals for developers that routinely bend the municipal zoning code authored by Revere residents, Kelley has proposed an enlarged abutter notification zone for development projects. Once in office, she will seek to enact a code of ethics for the Revere City Council, similar to those adopted by other

governing bodies and professional organizations. She has also advocated for an increased emphasis on vocational education at the new Revere High School. And she will ensure that Revere’s seniors receive more respectful treatment from their government, including common courtesy from city officials and at public meetings. The first person in her family to graduate college, Kelley attended Revere Public Schools and worked her way through both college and law school, receiving degrees from Salem State University and New England School of Law. She is admitted to practice in Massachusetts state and federal courts. Kelley lives in West Revere with her husband, David. For more information, or to get involved with Kelley’s campaign for Councilor At Large, please visit : KelleyForRevere.com; on FaceBook @ MichelleKelleyForRevereCityCouncilorAtLarge; Email: KelleyForRevere@gmail.com; or call: 781-854-1717.

RE-ELECT

MARC SILVESTRI

REVERE CITY COUNCIL

During his time on the City Council, Marc has worked hard to support our local economy and is a champion for our residents, working to improve city services and support programs that benefit the community. He has also strongly advocated for education, public safety, and health and human services to ensure Revere remains a safe and welcoming community.

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Council looks at political sign ordinance changes

By Adam Swift

The old saying about there being nothing being certain in life except death and taxes might want to make room for controversies about political signs during election season.

Monday night, the City Council voted to hold a public hearing on a change in the city’s political sign ordinance. The motion from Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro comes in the wake of a Supreme Court decision ruling that limiting political signs on private property is unconstitutional and violates the First Amendment.

The city ordinance states that no political sign shall be erected in a residential district until 30 days prior to the date of a primary or preliminary election. In a business or industrial district, the signs may be put up 45 days before the election, and signs must be removed within

10 days after the election.

Adherence to that ordinance has always been iffy at best, with candidates traditionally jockeying to be the first one to spread the word about their candidacy with city-wide signs.

“I respect people who follow this in respect to the Constitution, and I respect people who follow this in respect to the city ordinance,” said Cogliandro.

But at the end of the day, Cogliandro said the city ordinance is unenforceable because of the Reed vs. the Town of Gilbert Supreme Court ruling.

“Truthfully, it has been causing issues in this city, and that was my main reason for putting this in,” said Cogliandro. “I’ve been told in the past that there is a gentleman’s agreement, and every year, someone starts putting out signs, and everyone else starts following suit.”

Cogliandro said he

spoke to the city solicitor, who stated that there were some parts of the ordinance that could be upheld, but that much of it cannot be because it would be unconstitutional.

Cogliandro said that if the political sign ordinance is repealed, there should still be some kind of public agreement among candidates about when signs start going up before an election.

Councillor-at-Large Anthony Zambuto praised Cogliandro’s motion.

“As he said, this was unconstitutional from day one, but it was always a gentlemen’s agreement; the only problem with a gentlemen’s agreement is that you need gentlemen,” said Zambuto. “There is always someone who wants to break it, and I’m as guilty as anyone for putting signs out too early because everyone else did and I jumped in. I’m not comfortable with that, but it is a constitutional issue,

and the last thing I ever want to do is go against the Constitution.”

Ward 6 Councillor Richard Serino agreed that there may be some parts

of the ordinance that could still be viable, such as regulations on the sizes of the signs allowed.

The sign ordinance change was unanimously

ordered to a public hearing, following which, it will be taken up in a council subcommittee for further action.



The four candidates for Mayor of Revere, pictured on stage at the Revere High School auditorium (from left), Patrick Keefe, Steven Morabito, Dan Rizzo, and Gerry Visconti.

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field to two candidates for the Nov. 7 general municipal election.

Acting Mayor Patrick Keefe and city councillors Steve Morabito, Dan Rizzo, and Gerry Visconti laid out their visions for the city for the next four years.

“I want to be mayor because I want to continue the work I began four months ago,” said Keefe, the former Council President who became acting mayor after Brian Arrigo took a position to lead the DCR. “I want to be an ambassador for our city and champion all that is good in our community, not just disparage it for political gain.”

As the current occupant of the corner office, Keefe often had the biggest target on his back during the 90 minute debate. Several times, Keefe claimed his opponents were exaggerating issues for political gain.

Keefe said he sees Revere as having a bright future, full of opportunity.

“Yes, the city’s progress comes with some challenges, but it does no good to just complain,” said Keefe. “I want to be mayor or to continue our progress and tackle the issues that come with it.”

Keefe said he believes he has the experience, common sense, and commitment to continue the job he’s been doing since April.

Councillor-at-Large Morabito noted that he is the son of Italian immigrants and grew up and went to school in Revere.

“For the past 25 years, I’ve worked in the private sector, managing people, budgets, and operations,” said Morabito. “I have served as your councillor-at-large for the last 10 years, and I have a proven track record of getting things done for our residents and standing up for

the people of this community who do not have a voice,” said Morabito.

Morabito said he has knocked on over 3,000 doors during the campaign, and that some of the biggest concerns raised by residents have been the unaffordability of the city, public safety, access to education, and the feeling that development without community input is out of control.

“We have a lot of challenges ... but I am hopeful because with the right leadership, Revere can thrive,” said Morabito. “Revere voters deserve a candidate who will put them first, not political insiders or campaign funders.”

Councillor-at-Large and former Mayor Rizzo said this year’s municipal election is one of the most consequential local elections the city has ever seen.

“It will map out the future for our community as it pertains to development, schools, and public safety,” said Rizzo. “I’m running because residents are fed up with developers who come to Revere and turn a quick profit and return to their bedroom communities.”

Rizzo returned to the theme of rampant residen-

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over 27 years and we have two sons.

As a candidate for Ward 4 I’m asking for your support and for you to join me in bringing a new voice to our City Council. I know that you will find a candidate and a neighbor who is dedicated, responsible and committed to advocating for positive change for better lives for our city’s residents.

For a decade, I took on the role of Organizer in the largest Healthcare Workers Union in the country (1199SEIU), actively engaging in initiatives to empower workers and advocate for their rights, with an immense sense of responsibility. I also was elected to the position of Vice President for the Nursing Home Division of 1199SEIU and held that position for an impres-

sive duration of 15 years before retiring from the Union. During this time, I successfully contributed to improving the conditions and quality of care for individuals needing Long Term Care. I actively participated in the campaign to raise the minimum wage to \$15/hr, and for paid family medical leave. I now am looking forward to putting that experience and commitment to work for our community.

I have a track record of dedication to the goals of winning improvements for those I’ve worked with in every position I’ve held; as a caregiver Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), union member, union Organizer and union officer. This dedication allowed me to work tirelessly for positive outcomes in every setting and I can’t wait to

get to work on issues facing my neighbors in Ward 4.

When we’re successful in this campaign you’ll find I am a responsible representative. Ready to follow through with advocacy, leadership, and support for members of my constituency and for the entire city.

When I retired from my role as a Vice President of my Union, I knew I wouldn’t stop advocating for positive change and I’m excited about the opportunity to do that with you, in my community. With your support, your voice and your vote on September 19, I know we can elevate the voices of Ward 4 thereby strengthening our City’s government and making positive improvements for all of us.

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have a bachelor’s degree in Political Science from UNLV and always knew public service was something that was going to be a large part of my life.

Professionally I own an Estate Sale Company and Auction House. I’m a licensed Auctioneer and Real Estate Agent (I work out of Century 21 in Revere). I resell and appraise personal property for a living and I love what I do. If you need someone to negotiate on your behalf, there are very few better at it than me.

I’m a single father to an amazing five and a half year old son Maximilian. My father Alan Averback ran for School Committee when I was my son’s age and I remember that time fondly. I look forward to giving those memories to my son as well.

The main reason I am running. “We Need better solutions to current problems”.

- The crime and assaults are getting out of hand. Gas station employees and people walking on our beaches to visit our city

should not have to fear for their safety. We need to increase the penalties in Revere for these actions so that people think twice before they commit an assault in our City.

- Infrastructure accountability. When something happens in our city there are many times we have no idea who to contact! It’s time that every road and area had a very simple place online to easily see who is responsible and for what.

- Less new apartments and more of what our city needs. If Wonderland is not going to be a High School it should be a state of the art 24 hour hospital with an emergency room. Our seniors deserve to have the best care. Right now there is nothing local and 24 hours that you would want to be driven to if you were in need of emergency care.
- Our roads are in complete disrepair. This is something that should have been fixed long ago. It’s time to make this a priority.

- The issue with the

homeless in our city is getting bad. It is now a regular occurrence to see people sleeping outside of the Beachmont Post Office or pan handling for change at every stop light. There is a solution and we need to find it.

I am in a VERY tight race for this seat and I really need your support. Thank you!

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Representative Jeffrey Rosario Turco (D. Winthrop) outside of the Massachusetts House Chamber with his summer intern Adam Ashour. Adam is a Revere High School student in his junior year who has excelled in learning the areas of political science and law during his time at the State House.

Council seeks more information on migrant state of emergency

By Adam Swift

Earlier in August, Governor Maura Healey declared a state of emergency in Massachusetts due to rapidly rising numbers of migrant families arriving in Massachusetts in need of shelter and services and a severe lack of shelter availability in the state.

Revere and the surrounding communities of Chelsea, Everett, and Malden have been especially hard hit by the influx of migrant families to the state.

Earlier this month, Healey stated there were nearly 5,600 families or more than 20,000 individuals in state shelter, including children and pregnant women, and that number has continued to

grow.

At Monday night’s City Council meeting, Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro filed a motion asking that the Acting Mayor, Superintendent of Schools, and State Delegation provide information about the State of Emergency declared by Healey. Cogliandro stated he was looking for information on the effects the migration will have on the City of Revere including but not limited to the City’s available shelter facilities, attendance at Revere public Schools, and sources of State funding to offset these impacts on the community.

“I know it has been said that there are more (migrants) here than we are anticipating, and if we are going to provide help, we

should have a plan,” said Cogliandro.

Cogliandro also raised the possibility of using the thus-far unused new Amazon facility on Squire Road as a shelter space if needed.

Council President Pro Tem Joanne McKenna said she was told by the emergency management director last week that a number of migrants were left in Revere, Everett, Chelsea, and Malden with no support and no communication with the communities.

“The state dropped the ball, the federal government dropped the ball, they didn’t communicate that these people were here,” said McKenna. “These people had nothing, so we started a program to get diapers and socks and

feminine hygiene necessities to help these people,” said McKenna.

McKenna also urged the public to show compassion when it comes to the migrants being transported to Revere and other local communities.

“There have been a lot of not nice things that have been said on Facebook about this, but we are human beings and we are all together,” said McKenna. “These people are fleeing countries that are violent and they are afraid for their lives. Yes, they are coming here, but they are not coming in any organized manner, they are just dumped here.

“Revere has always been there for everybody, so let’s step up Revere and help these people.”

Area Planet Fitness donate school supplies to local boys & girls clubs

Special to the Journal

Alder Partners LLC, an independent franchise group of Planet Fitness, owned and operated by the DeMartinis brothers, recently held a school supply drive at their nine Planet Fitness locations throughout the Boston area to support the Dorchester, Plymouth, and Salesian Boys & Girls Clubs (East Boston). Thanks to the generosity of their members and non-members they were able to collect and donate backpacks, pens, pencils, notebooks, markers, crayons, and folders, to help local Boys & Girls Clubs members thrive through the school year. The donation benefited more than 275 children across the three Clubs.

“Many students start the school year without some of the essential supplies they need to succeed. We are very thankful to all those who contributed, and we look forward to continuing our partnership with the Boys & Girls Clubs,” said Planet Fitness franchisee Stan DeMartini.



Shown left to right, Planet Fitness staff Abdi Farah and Maddy Zuniga shown with some of the donated items for Salesian Boys and Girls Club.

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“We look forward to sharing these items with our members as they head back to school next month. Thanks to the team at Planet Fitness for their ongoing support of Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester!” said Mike Joyce, Sr. Vice President of Operations at Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester.

The local franchise group has always been passionate about giving back to the communities in which they do business, through multiple backpack and toy drives, events sponsorships, monetary

contributions, and building a Mini Judgement Free Zone in the Salesian Boys & Girls Club of East Boston.

Planet Fitness is proud to partner with Boys & Girls Clubs of America as part of the brand’s national philanthropic initiative, The Judgement Free Generation®, which aims to prevent bullying and promote kindness. Since 2016, together with its franchisees, members and partners, Planet Fitness has contributed more than \$8.4 million to support anti-bullying, pro-kindness initiatives.

School Committee approves new cell phone, personal electronic device policy

By Michael Coughlin Jr.

In what was, at times, a heated discussion that lasted almost an hour, the Revere School Committee approved a new Student Cell phones and Personal Electronic Devices Policy during its regular meeting on August 15.

A draft of the policy found in the agenda packet for the August 15 meeting outlines in part that with this new policy, “Cell phones and electronic devices must be turned off and kept out of sight during class time and at other times as directed by school staff,” and “Earbuds and headphones may not be used at anytime during school hours.”

away discretion from teachers to allow or not allow cell phone use in class.

“My opinion is that the risk far outweigh the benefit of having access to your cell phone or using your cell phone during the day,” said Milbury-Ellis. She identified some of the challenges cell phone use has been causing students, such as disruptions and effects on their mental health.

Bronsdon-Rizzo also mentioned that there had been discussions about putting together a parent workshop and having speakers talk about student cell phone use.

landed us in the position that we’re in now.”

“There’s abuse of cell phones in school — we’re seeing it,” she added. To which Kelly asked what opportunity she had before Milbury-Ellis continued, stating, “We’ve brought it up, but you’ve had the opportunity on your own to recognize problems that are happening within the schools and to rectify them.”

Shortly after the heated exchange, Committee Member Michael Ferrante gave his two cents on the topic, identifying that the school committee had to start somewhere on a policy and that it could always be amended.

While Superintendent of Schools Dianne Kelly said she agreed that cell phones are “bad for kids” and that something needed to be done about the situation, she was of the opinion that the policy was “very, very restrictive.”

“I worry that we are setting teachers, administrators, students up for a struggle around cell phones,” said Kelly.

Kelly also pointed out that she thought parents and high school students needed to be involved in the conversation so the community as a whole could come together to formulate a policy that everyone could buy into.

Committee Member Jacqueline Monterroso was also of the mindset that families and students should be involved in this process and made a few suggestions, including giving discretion for teachers to allow phones or headphones in class for educational uses.

As for Committee Member Carol Tye, she did not favor the policy and spoke out against it, calling it “overly restrictive.”

As the meeting continued, the temperature seemed to heat up as Milbury-Ellis responded to many of her peers’ comments about the policy.

At one point, in comments that seemed directed toward Kelly, Milbury-Ellis said, “You’ve had all of this opportunity to come up with these ideas that you now want to spend the time — to take up time — to come up with ideas on how to come up with something that works for everyone, but you’ve had all this opportunity, and its

It reached a point where Keefe made a statement acknowledging how confusing the meeting had become.

“If anyone’s watching tonight, we’re making it even more confusing to the public because we’re confused, and I don’t think we can leave this room with a policy that we are this confused about,” said Keefe.

“We can’t leave this room the way we’re talking right now. We’re going to make it worse,” he later added.

Yet even with Keefe’s comments about the confusion that overtook this meeting, a vote was held to approve the policy with an amendment to allow the use of phones at lunch.

She also identified the need for the policy’s language to be stronger and that the new policy takes

As the committee was getting ready to vote, Kelly went on record saying, “I think this is a mistake,” and Tye agreed, calling it a “huge mistake.” Ultimately, the new policy was ap-

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tial development several times during the debate, and said he would work to bring the staffing level of the city’s public safety departments up before allowing one more large-scale development in Revere.

Councillor-at-Large and former School Committee member Visconti said he has been asked many times about why he is running for what can be a thankless job.

“I’m running for mayor because I genuinely want to make the positive change that our community needs,” said Visconti. “The next four years in Revere can’t be the same as the last 12 years. I’m the only choice for change, or nothing will change in this city.”

Visconti said he grew up in a union household as the son of immigrants who preached that success was accomplished through de-

termination, perseverance, and hard work.

“On the School Committee and on the council, I have been a strong advocate for transparency and accountability, fighting on behalf of all of our residents,” said Visconti.

The opening question on the candidates’ economic development plan opened a back and forth about the state of commercial and residential development in the city.

“It’s critically important that Revere has a thriving economic engine and that we are supporting our local businesses and small business owners,” said Morabito. “A strong local economy helps property taxes stay down and provides more services and amenities for our residents.”

Morabito said residential development has been out of control and that Re-

vere residents have been feeling the impact. He also noted that he was the only candidate to sign a pledge to not take campaign donations from developers, and that he is the only candidate who supports an inclusionary zoning ordinance to make Revere more affordable for renters and first-time homebuyers.

Visconti and Rizzo both noted that they also haven’t taken campaign donations from developers in this election.

Later in the debate, Keefe called out his fellow candidates for being disingenuous, noting that they have all taken contributions from developers in the past.

Rizzo pointed out on several occasions that he was the only candidate who has been elected as mayor. During his term, Rizzo said his administration created 600 private sector jobs by working with investors who wanted to come into the city.

“I’m not trying to attract 3,000 residential units we have seen crop up ... that bring nothing but traffic and profits to the developer alone,” said Rizzo.

Rizzo said his approach would be to bring in commercial development that the city wants, not what the developer wants.

“Our city has come too far, too fast, and it has been a free-for-all for residential developers for the past eight years,” said Visconti.

Visconti said his vision is to bring a balance of live, work, play to the city, so that residents work in the city and stay in the city for recreational activities. He said the city also has to listen to and work with neighborhood associations and listen to the needs of residents and not the developers.

“There are many different approaches to development, and to come up here and for anyone to say they stood in the way of residential development would be false,” said Keefe. “Everyone plays a part in it, everyone elected to the City Council, especially members of the City Council who have been elected for over 20 years.”

Keefe noted that Revere has been a growing city for many years, and that the city has to look at each plan and parcel that comes before it on its own merit and not take a broad brush approach.

“Revere has been very popular for many people, and it’s not just residential development,” said Keefe. “This year alone, we will receive over \$3 million on hotel revenue and \$1 million in restaurant revenue. That is more than double than we have ever seen in



Vladislava Vologodskaya and Kori O’Hara, pictured at the reception table for the Revere Chamber of Commerce Mayoral Debate held Aug. 22 at the Revere High School Auditorium.

our history.” Keefe also pointed to the Suffolk Downs development, which is a fifty-fifty split between residential and commercial development in Revere, compared to the larger percentage of residential development on the Boston portion of the parcel.

The candidates were next asked how they would support local law enforcement and combat crime in Revere.

Rizzo said crime has risen in the community, and that there needs to be a reorganization of law enforcement in the city if there is going to be an improved level of service to the neighborhoods. He said the city needs more walking and bike patrols, as well as neighborhood substations.

“We need to increase the drug unit, the drug problem has only gotten worse, and we need to get drugs and drug dealers off the streets,” said Rizzo.

Visconti went after Keefe regarding the shootings on Revere Beach on Memorial Day weekend, stating that the acting mayor did not have a plan in place to address violence and crowds on the beach.

Visconti also said there needs to be a task force where the local police work with the state and MBTA police departments, as well as the DCR and local businesses to address the issues and keep residents safe.

Keefe said that statistics show that crime is actually down in the city, and that police staffing has hit its highest levels in the history of the city.

“We don’t want our residents to live in fear, and one crime is too many,” said Keefe. “We want to make sure they see our team out in full force protecting the neighborhoods and the roadways.”

Morabito said the conversations shouldn’t be just about crime, but also about public health and safety.

“As a city councillor, I invested in programs and services to combat substance use abuse,” said Morabito. “I understand



Revere Chamber of Commerce President Patrick Lopsennato and Executive Director Erica Porzio, pictured at the Mayoral Debate that was sponsored by the Chamber.

the troubles in the police department and the low morale, and as mayor, my first act would be to do a top-down assessment and do whatever I can to boost morale, not just in the police department, but in every department in the city.”

Much of the debate on the education question revolved around the future of a new high school building, with Keefe arguing that the council made a mistake by not moving forward with a plan to build on the Wonderland site.

“It’s pay now or pay later; the Wonderland site was the best school, it was the best building, and it was going to be the best investment,” said Keefe. “By not acting on that site, we showed no vision for 10 years down the road when we need a central middle school as our district continues to expand.”

Keefe was also adamant that building a new high school on the current site would be a dangerous distraction for students over the next five years.

“We’re going to kill those kids, and you’re going to do it and that’s what you want to do,” said Keefe. “I’ll gladly invest in our children, and you can’t quantify that number any day of the week.”

Rizzo noted that a number of other districts have successfully built additions onto existing schools while the students were still in the original buildings.

“It’s the scare tactics that you hear all the time,” said Rizzo, adding that the

commercial development of the Wonderland site could bring in revenues to help pay for a new high school.

Morabito said he voted in favor of building on both sites for a new high school because he said the top priority should be getting a new school built.

“I know we need a new high school,” said Morabito. “Because who is going to suffer? Our students and our teachers. We have an issue retaining educators, because who wants to work in a high school that won’t be accredited, how are we going to retain and maintain our teachers?”

Visconti said the reason the Wonderland site didn’t pass muster is because the previous administration came back with budget numbers that were \$120 million over initial estimates. He also noted that an ongoing lawsuit with the previous owners of the Wonderland property could cost the city additional tens of millions of dollars.

“The construction of the new high school is probably the biggest investment this city will make,” said Visconti. “We can’t afford to make a mistake, and we must be transparent with risks, finances, and timelines for this project.”

In discussing the state of education in the city, Rizzo also pointed to past successes during his administration, and said there has to be a renewed focus on discipline and attendance in the Revere schools.



Candidate for Mayor Dan Rizzo, with supporters Kelly Lampedecchio Edmunds and Lillian DeFilippo, his wife, Jane Rizzo, and candidate for Ward 5 Councillor Angela Guarino Sawaya.



Candidate for Mayor Gerry Visconti, with his supporters.



Candidate for Mayor Patrick Keefe, with his supporters.



Candidate for Mayor Steven Morabito, with his supporters.

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proved by a vote of 4-3.

While the new policy was approved, there are plans for a community meeting to discuss the policy and take in feedback from students and families on Wednesday, September 20, at 5:30 p.m. in the Revere High School Learning Commons.

While the final language for the policy is still being developed, you can view the draft policy on pages 28 and 29 in the meeting agenda packet at <http://reverema.iqm2.com/Citizens/FileOpen.aspx?Type=1&ID=3881&Inline=True>.

Additionally, if you would like to watch the discussion about the policy in its entirety, you can visit https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dx-k7jye95vw&ab_channel=RevereSchoolCom

mittee. The discussion begins at 1:13:00.

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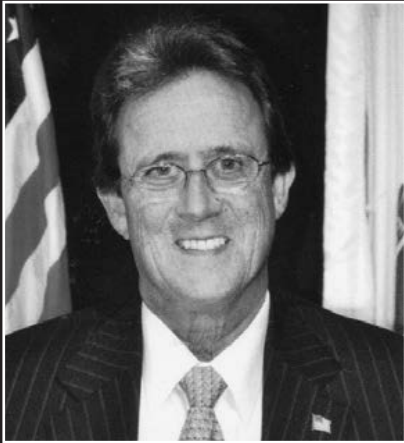
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A Funeral Mass was celebrated in Sacred Heart Parish in East Boston on Augst 29 for Patricia E. “Pat” (DiBenedetto) Lino, 88, who passed away peacefully on Monday, August 21. Interment followed in Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden.

Born in Chelsea, the daughter of the late Robert A. and Violet (Breen) DiBenedetto, she was raised and educated in Melrose and was a graduate of Northeast Metro Vocational Technical High School, Class of 1953.

Following High School, Patricia met her husband, Richard Lino. They married in May of 1957 and shortly after moved to East Boston to raise their family. She remained in East Boston until moving to Revere in 1979.

Patricia worked for Ames Department Store in the fabric department for many years, until the time of her retirement. She was also a talented seamstress and she loved to sew and make her own clothing. She eventually turned her passion into a career and started her own business as a dress maker in her home.

Pat was an avid reader. She was very active and walked two miles a day. She enjoyed chatting with friends and being around other people. Above all, she adored her family and



cherished spending time with them. She was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunt and friend who will be missed by all who knew her.

Patricia was the beloved wife of the late Richard Lino; the devoted mother of Stephen Lino of Bellflower, CA., the late Richard K. Lino, the late Mark Lino, and the late Richard Lino, Jr.; cherished grandmother of Robert Gaskell, Amanda Gaskell, Brittany Lino and Richard Lino; adored great grandmother of Anthony, Royale and Ashawn; dear sister of the late Phyllis Moreau and Frances O’Brien. She is also lovingly survived by many nieces, nephews and cousins.

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

William R. “Chuck” Festa

Vice President of RHS, Class of 1971

A Funeral Mass was celebrated on Monday, August 28th in St. Anthony of Padua Church for William R. “Chuck” Festa, who died on Sunday, August 20th with his family by his side. He was 69 years old.

Chuck was born on November 21, 1953 to the late William B. and Mary (Poccio) Festa, who he loved endlessly. He was the youngest child of two, growing up in Revere with his late sister, Carol, who he cherished and admired.

Chuck was a graduate of Revere High School and Vice President of the RHS Class of 1971.

He took tremendous joy in planning the milestone reunions of his classmates. Following high school, Chuck enrolled in Suffolk University and earned a Bachelor’s Degree in Business Management in 1975.

Chuck married the love of his life, Judi (Zullo) on November 13, 1977. The couple lived in Revere and later relocated to Peabody where they raised their two daughters, Alana and Giana.

Chuck was the pride-filled owner of North Country Wire & Cable for over 20 years, before semi-retiring at Ira Lexis of Danvers-where he collected even more friends.



In 2019, Chuck fully retired to South Hutchinson Island, Florida, with his wife where he enjoyed quiet mornings at the jetties and afternoons of fun with friends by the pool. Second to his family, Chuck’s biggest passion was baseball and more specifically, the Boston Red Sox. In his final hours, he listened to the Sox sweep the Yankees one last time.

The beloved husband of 45 years of the late Judith Z. “Judi” (Zullo) Festa who passed on February 13, 2023, he was the loving and proud father of Alana F. Rikeman and her husband, Joseph of Peabody and Giana Z. Festa and her wife, Vanessa Spatafora of Winthrop; the cherished grandfather of Julian J. Rikeman of Peabody; dear brother of the late Carol Baptista and her husband, Ronald Baptista; special uncle of Ronald Baptista, Marissa Lemon and Joseph Breda; grand uncle of Michael and Morgan Hatch. He is also lovingly survived by many life-long friends and extended family both in Massachusetts and Florida.

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Patricia Jones, pictured in her flower shop in 2009, holding her Best of the Best award for her flower shop.

APPRECIATION

Patricia Jones, owner of Mr. Flower Shop, 82

By Cary Shuman

Patricia “Pat” Jones served admirably in local organizations such as the Kiwanis and Lions Clubs and as a member of the “Red Hats,” a women’s community service-oriented club.

She was kind, cordial, and very generous, making donations annually to the Revere Little League, Revere High School, and other groups.

But Patricia “Pat” Jones – who died on Aug. 12 at the age of 82 - will be best remembered as the beloved and dedicated owner of the longtime flower shop, Mr. Flower, at the corner of Broadway, diagonal to Cushman Avenue. Residents and motorists would see “Pat” standing proudly in front of her popular shop just beyond the busy intersection.

“My mother originally owned two flower shops, Mr. Flower (which opened in 1986), and Mrs. Flower, which was at the other end of Broadway near City Hall Pharmacy,” said her son, Stephen Jones. “She converged the shops into one location in the mid-1990s. A lot of people would recognize and greet her outside the shop. She was known as the tall woman with blonde hair.”

Stephen said his mother owned and operated the Mr. Flower store for 31 years before closing it a decade ago. The shop was a huge success under Pat’s leadership, serving customers from Topsfield to Woburn to Quincy, in addition to the Revere residents who loyally made Mr. Flower their No. 1 destination for flowers for all occasions.

“It was a family business and I worked there and delivered flowers,”

said Stephen. “My aunts, my uncle Marty, the whole family would help her out.”

Customers would often call upon “Pat” as the florist for weddings in Boston. “She was very popular. I know she did weddings at the Hynes Convention Center, for example,” related Stephen. “My mother ran a very successful business, and she was quite proud of that. The downstairs area in the building was for storage, and we had refrigeration equipment, balloon service – we did the entire array of everything there.”

Despite running a busy flower shop, Pat Jones always found the time to help the community.

“She was the president of the Ladies Sodality at Saint Anthony’s Church,” Stephen recalled. “She was a trustee of the Revere Public Library. She was always trying to do better for the City of Revere.”

Stephen, who played in Revere Little League as a youth, said his mother took pride in the league’s sponsor’s plaque that adorned the wall of the flower shop. “Pat” also assisted the Revere League for Special Needs. She was an attendee at Revere social events.

“My mother loved being in the community and interacting with people,” said Stephen. “All the public officials, like Mayors Colella and Haas, knew my mother very well. She’s left a great legacy. She was devoted to Revere her whole life.”

Mrs. Jones also leaves a daughter, Patty Reed, and her husband, Robert Reed, a granddaughter, Shannon Reed, and several nieces and nephews.

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The Bridges stamps are intended for business mail users and are sold in self-adhesive coils of 3,000 and 10,000. Use of these stamps requires a special permit and a minimum quantity of 500 letters.

The stamp art features four bridges completed between 1938 and 2022: the multi-span steel through arch Arrigoni Bridge connecting the Connecticut municipalities of Middletown and Portland; the S-curved cable-stayed Bob Kerrey Pedestrian Bridge between Council Bluffs, IA, and Omaha, NE; the steel truss Skydance Bridge topped by a public sculpture in Oklahoma City; and the basket-handle twin arch Iowa-Illinois Memorial Bridge connecting Bettendorf, IA, and Moline, IL.

Bridges are among the oldest structures created by humans. In ancient times, simple slabs of stone spanned slow moving rivers. And in modern

times, concrete and steel are used to cover vast distances. While the materials and designs have evolved from utilitarian structures to engineering marvels, bridges remain integral parts of American life, with over 600,000 bridges in the United States. The construction of bridges is a way to reinvigorate communities economically as well as create landmarks of regional pride. Many modern bridges are designed for use by cyclists and pedestrians as well as motorists, capturing the imagination of human possibility.

Whether simply improving transit or vibrantly lighting the night with color-changing light displays, bridges remain vital connectors drawing together people, cities and the nation.

Ethel Kessler, an art director for USPS, used existing photographs to design these stamps.

SEPT. IS SUICIDE PREVENTION AWARENESS MONTH

September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month, a crucial time to raise awareness, remove stigmas, and provide edu-

cation about suicide. Having conversations about suicide is important because it reduces the stigma associated with the topic. By allowing for more open and honest communication, individuals with suicidal ideations can feel more empowered to seek help and are less likely to feel alone. Currently, suicide is the 11th leading cause of death in the United States. For ages 10-44, suicide is the second leading cause of death.

Anyone can participate in Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. There are activities that individuals, schools, offices, churches, and all types of organizations can conduct to bring awareness to suicide prevention.

Visit www.jasonfoundation.com to download our Suicide Prevention Awareness Month Informational Packet. Look for Suicide Prevention Month under the How to Get Involved tab. Within the packet, there are ideas on how businesses, schools, religious institutions, athletic organizations, and even your family can become involved in spreading the message of suicide prevention.

REVERE Through the Years

10 years ago
August 28, 2013

Revere signed its long-awaited host community agreement (HCA) Wednesday evening in a ceremony on the steps of City Hall, with Mayor Dan Rizzo and Suffolk Downs owner Richard Fields on hand to cement the potential financial union between the city and the track. The agreement came one day after Boston's blockbuster agreement that was the largest to date in the state and projected some \$52 million to that city annually. Revere is projected to get \$15 million per year in mitigation payments, which is just about 29 percent of Boston's annual payment projection. It is also around 10 percent of the city's annual budget.

All three middle schools and two elementary schools will join the school uniform parade this year, making every school in the district (aside from Revere High School) adhering to a strict school uniform code.

20 years ago
September 3, 2003

The Revere Board of Election Commissioners removed Brian Burbine from the ballot for Ward 2 City Councillor after the board determined that Burbine only had 48 valid signatures of Ward 2 voters on his nomination papers, two short of the 50 needed to get on the ballot. The board said some signatures were invalid because they were from voters in Ward 5. This leaves incumbent Ward 2 councillor Ira Novoselsky unopposed. However, Burbine said he will run as a sticker candidate in the upcoming primary in September.

Congressman Ed Markey visited Revere this past week, displaying the same enthusiasm for the Congressional seat he won 27 years ago and showing the same dedication to the people of this district that has been his hallmark for his many terms in office. Markey currently is the 15th most senior member of Congress.

Two 15 year-old youths, one from Revere and the other from East Boston, who fought each other and then the owner of the White Hen Pantry on Broadway, caused much damage to the store's interior at 12:45 Tuesday morning before they were arrested by police.

Revere police arrested a 17 year-old Revere High student on the first day of school last week for attempting to sell marijuana.

The Beachmont VFW held its annual end of summer barbecue and flea market to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Assoc.

30 years ago
September 1, 1993

This was a week marred by tragedy and violence in Revere. A three-year old boy, Chhath Phung, was struck and killed by an auto Saturday afternoon on Shirley Avenue when he darted into the street from between two parked cars. The next day, a 39 year-old Malden man was struck and killed by a car while he was standing next to his own car which had broken down on Beach St. On Monday, 23 year-old Revere resident Michael R. Spagnolo turned himself in to Revere Police after he allegedly shot and killed an East Boston man at 10 Brookdale Street

during an argument over a girlfriend.

More than 300 local residents turned out Saturday for the Cambodian-Latino Cultural Celebration held on Shirley Avenue.

The City Council approved a pay raise measure for all non-school employees that will cost \$1.5 million. The pay raise excluded the council itself and the mayor.

A total of 374 youths, of whom 24 were from Revere, were put to work this past summer as part of the Massport youth summer jobs program. Massport contributed \$874,000 to the program.

The softball game between the Rotary Club and city employees was marred by an injury to Mayor Robert Haas, who ruptured an Achilles tendon while running the bases.

A large group of area residents turned out at a community meeting to oppose the proposed shopping center for the parking lot opposite Wonderland Dog Track.

Be Alive captured the 59th running of the \$170,000 Wonderland Derby Saturday night.

40 years ago
August 31, 1983

The fifth annual Row, Row, Row to Revere event was a big success Saturday. Jim Bell and Kim Nugent won the coed title in a time of 32:50. Suzanne Kelly and Jennifer Picard won the women's division in 36:48. Joe Mulcahy and Buddy Uga were the overall winners in 26:50. Trophies were presented to the winners by Mayor George V. Colella and Boston Bruins head coach Gerry Cheevers. According to race organizer William "Peco" Myers, the event raised \$55,000 for spina bifida research.

James F. Sorrento, 49,

Revere's representative on the Northeast Regional Vocational School Committee who also is the Title I director for the Revere School Dept., was arrested by the FBI this week after allegedly taking a \$10,000 cash bribe from an employee of the Fiore Bus Company, which has a contract with the vocational school, in the parking lot of Weylu's Restaurant. Sorrento took off on Route 1 and led the FBI on a high speed car chase before he was pulled over.

Mayor George V. Colella said he has narrowed the list of bidders to four for the development of Revere Beach. Among the finalists for the South and Luna lots are Carabetta Enterprises of Worcester, which wants to build 597 condo units in five phases.

Two Revere men, 18 year-old John K. Shine and 29 year-old Robert P. Sweeney, both of 30 Dashwood Street in Oak Island, have been charged with the murder of 36 year old Ronald Cummings of 31 Neponset St., who died of a massive hemorrhage to the jugular vein. The motive for the senseless act allegedly was an attempt by Shine and Sweeney to rob Cummings for gas money.

Revere public schools will not open until September 12. The eight grades of the Immaculate Conception elementary school will begin classes September 7.

Federal drug agents arrested Abdullah Melhem and his two college-age sons, George and Simon, in their Ward Street home and seized \$7.2 million worth of pure heroin in what is believed to be the largest-ever heroin seizure in New England. Agents also arrested a Syrian national in connection with

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SPOTLIGHT

RevereTV thanks everyone involved with last week's Mayoral Primary Debate at Revere High School. The debate was hosted by Revere Chamber of Commerce in partnership with Revere Journal. The RTV crew worked all day prior to the event to ensure that all technical aspects were figured out and ready to go for a live multi-camera shoot. This event coverage was done in coordination with staff on scene and back in the studio. The live coverage went off without a hitch and the full recording is now replaying on RTV GOV. You can still watch the debate online as it remains posted to the RevereTV Facebook and YouTube pages.

Campaign season is in full swing, but the current city council and sub-committee members are still carrying on as usual in the Council Chambers at City Hall. For meetings this week, expect to see replays of Monday's City Council Meeting, and the RHS Building Committee, License Commission, and Traffic Commission from the past few weeks. As mentioned above, the Mayoral Primary Debate will also be sprinkled into the RTV GOV schedule in between meetings at various times through the preliminary election, which is September 19th.

The Community Channel is now featuring new episodes of "The Wave" and "Fabulous Foods with Victoria Fabbo." On the new monthly episode of "The Wave," the Revere Chamber of Commerce had two guests, Steve Borgerson, representing First Priority Credit Union, and board member Francisco Rosa from Rosa & Taing Law, LLC. The two guests shared insight about their business practices and the fascinating stories of how they ventured into their respective fields. On "Fabulous Foods," Victoria Fabbo focused on back to school breakfast and lunch recipes. These recipes include chia seed pudding, smoothies, a healthy sandwich option, and salads. Watch "The Wave" and "Fabulous Foods with Victoria Fabbo" now playing on RTV and posted to RevereTV's social media pages.


Watch the past two weeks of "In the Loop" to learn about early voting for the preliminary city election and the highly anticipated Revere Fall Festival. You can find the short video PSAs playing in between all programming on RevereTV and posted to Instagram, Facebook, and YouTube. "In the Loop" is a public service announcement series recorded in English, Spanish, Portuguese, and Arabic. If you haven't already, please follow RevereTV on Instagram and YouTube to not only stay in the loop, but also to view all other content produced by RTV.

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RHS Football Notebook

Patriots continue prep for Sept. 8 opener versus Peabody

By Cary Shuman

Revere head football coach Lou Cicatelli and his staff are working with 58 players in preseason practices as the team prepares for its season opener on Friday, Sept. 8 (6:30 p.m.) against Peabody at Harry Della Russo Stadium.

Cicatelli is pleased with the high turnout of players from all four grades (9-12), reaffirming that high school football is still a very popular sport in the city and throughout Massachusetts for that matter. In fact, with the long-range forecast calling for great weather on opening night and the sheer thirst for community-wide events post-Covid, a tremendous crowd (between 1,000-1,500 fans) is expected to be hand for the matchup between the two former GBL rivals Peabody and Revere.

Revere will host Northeast Regional in a scrimmage Friday at 4 p.m.

RIZO, MALKI ATTOUI, RODRIGUEZ ARE NAMED TEAM CAPTAINS

Coach Lou Cicatelli has announced that Carlos Rizo, Hakim Malki, Abbas Attoui, and Walter Rodriguez will be the captains for the 2023 season.

It's unquestionably a high honor to be named a captain of your high school team in any sport. Congratulations to the four seniors on their new leadership positions.

A WIN OVER BURLINGTON IN A PRESEASON SCRIMMAGE

Revere outscored Burlington (5 touchdowns to 1) in its first scrimmage last Saturday on the Red Devils' home field.

Quarterback Carlos Rizo threw three touchdown passes, two to Danny Hou and one to

Giovanni Woodard, who also rushed for two touchdowns.

"We had a really good day," said Cicatelli. "The five touchdowns represent one of our highest-scoring preseason outings in recent years."

NEW COACHES JOIN STAFF

Cicatelli has also announced his coaches for the 2023 season. Long-time assistant Vin Gregorio has returned to the staff. Former Revere star Jose Escobar will join Cicatelli in running the offense. Former RHS stand-outs Brandon Brito and Oscar Lopez are also assistants while Jared Gordinas is the new offensive line coach.

FELIPE MAIA RETURNS AS REVERE'S KICKER

Felipe Maia will handle the placekicking and punting responsibilities this season.

"Felipe was our kicker last season, and he's very accurate," said Cicatelli. "He's consistent from 40 yards on kicks, and as a punter he's capable of 45-50 yards on average, which is excellent."

NEW FOOTBALL COACHES IN EVERETT AND CHELSEA

Justin Flores, 31, is the new coach of the Everett High football team. Flores played college football at the University of Maine after playing at Woburn High School and a post-grad year at the Tilton School in New Hampshire. Flores was an assistant coach at Maine for six seasons.

David Roque, a 2013 graduate of Chelsea High where he played football, is the Red Devils' new head coach.

Chelsea will play an independent schedule this season.

RHS SOCCER VS. NEWBURYPORT IN PRESEASON TOURNEY

Photos by Bob Marra

The fall sports season is underway and several

varsity teams are in their pre-season schedule. Revere's highly-touted soccer team faced defending

Division 3 State Champion Newburyport and Middlesex League powerhouse Woburn in a round-robin tournament at Harry Della

Russo Stadium Saturday as all teams prepare for the regular season that gets underway next week.



Emmanuel Lopera deflects a ball of his chest.



Junior forward Jared Romero outruns a Newburyport defender.



Sophomore Noah Gaveria is in a race for the ball in the RHS soccer scrimmage against Division 3 defending state champion Newburyport.



Emmanuel Lopera angles himself for a head shot.



Freshman Emmanuel Lopera gets some air as he keeps a ball in play.



JV Cunha puts on the brakes as he attempts to reverse direction while in pursuit of the ball.

RHS SPORTS Roundup

NEW SEASON, NEW COACH FOR RHS GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

The Revere High volleyball program will be under the direction of a new head coach, Emilie Hostetter, this season. Hostetter succeeds Lianne Mimmo, who stepped down from that position after five years at the helm of the Lady Patriots.

Although Hostetter will be inheriting a program that won the Greater Boston League title last year, her 2023 squad will be a young one, with no returning seniors.

"While it is a transitional year, these girls are young and have a lot of potential, so I am excited to see the growth that they make this season," said Hostetter.

The 2023 Lady Patriots will be led by junior captain Lea Doucette. The

other members of the team are: juniors Hadassa Dias, Farrah Habbour, Danna Canas, Samantha Hoyos Tobon, and Liv Yuong and sophomores JuBianca Alvarez, Isabella Arroyave, Sophia Restrepo, Susan Lemus Chavez, Basma Sahibi, and Valery Echavarria.

Assisting Hostetter with the coaching duties will be assistant coach Racla Berry, JV coach Kerry Flaherty, and JV B coach Samantha Myrttil.

The Lady Patriots are set to open their season next Wednesday evening (September 6) when they will host Greater Boston League (GBL) rival Everett. Hostetter and her crew will face all seven GBL foes (Somerville, Malden, Medford, Chelsea, Revere, Lynn Classical, and Lynn English) twice each and will round out

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The Student Senate Star (S.S.S) is Revere High School's very own spot in the Revere Journal, where student voice shines bright! Submissions will be open for our editions sent out during the last week of every month as we hope to increase visibility of youth voice in Revere. Whether its op-eds, poems, stories, or any other form of writing, we hope to showcase the unique perspective of students across the city. Some pieces will be signed by writers, while other pieces may be signed "Student Senate Star" to preserve anonymity. If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, email [studentsenaterhs@gmail.com](mailto:studentsenaterhs@gmail.com) and/or reach out to our Instagram, [@rhs.studentsenate!](#) Enjoy our first edition!

## FOR THE SAKE OF STUDENTS

Attending school is an experience more than 7,000 students share in Revere. For us, it is a life we live every day, even during the summer. Especially at the high school level, students are busy no matter the month: working jobs to make extra money and feed themselves/their families, taking classes to pass with full credits, and experiencing internships and extracurriculars to explore our interests in order to find our futures. For some of us, being a student is the forefront of our lives, and for others it falls on the backburner. Getting through the day may be a challenge enough for some, let alone classes and grades. A mental health crisis permeates the traditional high school experience, further worsened by systemic injustice and inequality: high school may not seem the way it used to be, but many factors are out of our control.

Yet still, despite the challenges we face, RHS students wrestle with other pressures from the general public:

When we use our voice and advocate for our new high school to be built on a location that is both cheaper and safer as we continue our education, we are deemed "puppets", with some even claiming our advocacy is tied to grades and class assignments. More than 100 students that attended the rally outside of City Hall this past March can affirm that there is no grade more important than a safer education for our siblings, relatives, friends, and future.

When we point out RHS issues, such as flooding, infestations, and inaccessibility, we are told that it is the "teachers that count" and not the facilities. RHS staff is growing, becoming more diverse and representative of our population, and yet they are still restricted by the limitations of sharing classrooms and unsafe school conditions. We cannot continue to learn and teachers cannot continue to teach in a school that is debilitated: fostering safe education is both a mental and physical crisis.

Instead of supporting the growing student population and diversity we have gained, we are told the city is "inundated" with incoming youth and immigrants: that we are therefore a problem that must be addressed. What must instead be addressed is how to accommodate everyone, not please those that are used to the systems of the past. Times are undoubtedly changing and the current RHS location is unable to fit the growing Revere population, both socially and physically.

They say, "youth is wasted on the young", and yet we haven't been given the ability to use it: to grow and lead in ways that will prepare us for our futures. We have been told that we are late, that we are unrealistic, and that we are naive. What we haven't been told is that we are capable, we are optimistic, and that we care for our community. And you should care for us too.

Shine Brightly,  
Student Senate Star

## WHAT MAKES A CANDIDATE?

Many find voting to be a pillar of American life: a passage of citizenship. To vote is to be righteous, and to run for office is to be selfless. However, this isn't always the case.

As we are deep in the municipal election season and only three months away from early November, candidates fill the newspaper with ads, stamp bumper stickers on the back of cars, and are ecstatic to knock on doors. I think we can all agree, though, that we didn't see many of these names before May, when nomination papers were first pulled. Nor did we see many candidates, especially new ones, maintain accessible communication with constituents. Even now, we fail to see accommodations and the consistent inclusion of ALL populations, not just those most likely to vote. Many candidates and elected officials seem to forget that those who are most underrepresented are those least likely to vote, and they still must be included.

When election season rolls around, it is natural to use the resources you have available as a candidate to ensure you win. Ultimately, you must have your constituents' best interest in mind, so you must win for them, right? But, what about the interim, the time between election cycles? Do you still include seniors, the population most

likely to vote? Do you still include youth and at-risk populations, who are least likely to vote? Do you still include children and those without citizenship that can't vote? Even if you ultimately fail in your goal of securing that seat, do you still maintain care for your community? The best reflection of a candidate's dedication is the work they pursue outside of their position, not within it. As Aristotle said, "[Those] who cannot be a good follower cannot be a good leader": if we all used the logic that we were best fit to lead, we would all run. You must prove you care to help, not that you simply care to win.

As the large number of candidates on the ballot are nearly finalized, it is important we urge consistent inclusion and dedication for the entire Revere community, even past the results of November 7th. There are candidates who have proven themselves, and there are those that haven't. As a candidate, have you reflected on how you have/will best serve everyone you represent, not just those that vote for you? It is up to us, as the general population, to realize who has worked for our community's interest the best. As a first-generation high school student, I know who has. Do you?

Shine Brightly,  
Student Senate Star

## ZUCCHINI

I never liked zucchini. In the garden that's my father's pride and joy, it was my one enemy, the one thing I wouldn't eat. As a food, the bland taste and soft texture made it unappetizing to me. In the garden, the massive zucchini leaves easily overtook the measly peppers. The prickly undersides of the leaves left rashes along my legs as I picked tomatoes. This year, we were unfortunate enough to have a bountiful zucchini harvest. As vegetables the size of my forearms took over the kitchen counter, my family grew increasingly desperate to find new recipes and ways to cook them. At some point, they turned to me for baked goods. First it was the zucchini bread. Next, it will be muffins and brownies and pancakes. I've found myself surprised with zucchini's versatility. The high water content makes for a deliciously moist bread. The blandness is useful for when you want something to taste more cinnamon-y than vegetable-y. I think I've grown to enjoy it as an ingredient. Somehow, my newfound fondness for zucchini reminds me of my therapist's words: sometimes, appreciating the little things can make us see what we couldn't before.

Shine Brightly,  
Student Senate Star

## A CASE FOR WALKABILITY

In a diverse, working class community such as Revere, owning a car can be a major financial burden and responsibility for many families. As seen across the country, the rising costs of fuel, maintenance and insurance have stretched many households' budgets thin. However, amidst these challenges, a beacon of hope shines in the form of walkability – a concept that not only eases the financial strain but also nurtures a stronger sense of community, improved health, and a greener environment.

For years, Revere has grappled with issues like traffic congestion and street safety. It's impossible to overlook the transformative potential of a less car-dependent and walkable Revere. Such a transition would do more than just ease traffic; it would also help curtail the distressingly frequent accidents that pose risks to both drivers and pedestrians, especially at a time where too many students have to walk to school on unsafe sidewalks with cars speeding past them at 40mph.

By adopting infrastructure that prioritizes people over cars—such as implementing protected and separated bike lanes, enhancing buffers between sidewalks and roads, eliminating parking minimums, and expanding communal spaces—the city stands to benefit on multiple fronts. These benefits include not only economic gains for street-level businesses, thanks to increased customer flows, and environmental advantages through reduced automobile emissions but also, most crucially, in a time of significant division, walkable neighborhoods foster meaningful interaction. As individuals choose walking over driving, they naturally connect with neighbors and actively participate in local affairs. This sense of unity fosters a safer, more supportive

environment where a strong community can thrive. This not only harkens back to Revere's history as a community that values collective well-being but also recalls its origins as a city built upon walkability and public transportation.

Matthew Terrell

## IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN

Much like the previous academic years, the start of this year marks a pivotal moment for many of us, especially Seniors and Freshmen. If you are a Senior, you are trying to find the next chapter of your life, whether that's going to college or pursuing a passion. If you are a Freshman, you are on the same boat. This year marks the start of a new chapter of your life and instead of college, it's all about making new friends and finding a passion. Whether you are a Senior or a Freshman, here is a quick guide on making the most out of your time during these pivotal times.

For all the seniors aiming for college, start brainstorming your college list if you haven't already started. Here are some tips to get you started/things to keep in mind if you are still researching:

Figure out your non-negotiables (How close do you want to be to your family? How big of a school do you want to be in? What kind of setting do you want your school to be in? etc). It's essential that your college fits you, not the other way around.

Make a balanced list. A mistake that many people make is only applying to name schools such as Ivy League schools and other prestigious colleges like Stanford or MIT. With very low acceptance rates, getting into a school like this can be a game of luck, even if you have the stats. Have "Reach Schools" (acceptance rate <10%), "Challenges/Targets" (acceptance rate <40%), and "Safeties" (acceptance rate >40%). These will vary from person to person, but your guidance counselor will be more than happy to help you in this process!

Research and list down everything you like about the school. This will come in handy while writing the supplemental essays (there are a ton and it's not fun, trust me).

Your next goal is to start brainstorming and writing your personal statements. Your helping hands here are the Writing Center, teachers, and YouTube. You will find some incredible resources on YouTube from incredible people. Utilize all of these resources as much as you can, they are there to help you! If you are stuck, ask for help! Every teacher in the building is there to help you, just ask, we cannot emphasize this enough!

The next few months will be a time when you'll go through all the emotions within a single sitting. While you will be frustrated, stressed, and anxious, please realize that you are not the only one going through this all. Not only do you have all the adults, you also have your peers who are most likely sailing on the same boat. Be there for each other and support each other. Seeing each other succeed will only inspire and benefit you! In the next few days, actively lookout for opportunities and resources for help (there will be plenty!)

If you are a Freshman, this is your time to explore! Whether you like building robots or want to learn about public speaking and activism, there are plenty of afterschool clubs that you can stop by and learn more about. Not only are these clubs great for finding interests, this can also be an incredible opportunity for you to find a small group of people to interact with on a daily basis. This can make the transition to high school much easier and will certainly be a great way to find a place you belong within the larger RHS community. In addition to clubs, you also have organizations such as Student Senate that you can also join! Keep an eye out for the application that will be coming later in the month!

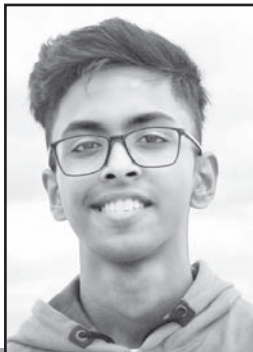
On that note, here's something you will probably not like hearing: Freshman year grades matter! Although getting used to the new school system can be difficult, you will be happy that you pushed through to maintain them. Not only will your dedication prepare you for advanced level classes the following year, but will also give you a great understanding of these foundational classes to build on in the following years. As always, always ask your teacher for help, no matter how small or big the problem is! Asking questions is the best way to learn and every teacher is dedicated to helping you succeed!

Raihan Ahmed

RHS Senior **Matthew Terrell**, Student Senate Chair & Editor-in-Chief

RHS Junior **Erta Ismahili**, Student Senate Vice-Chair & Assistant Editor-in-Chief

RHS Senior **Raihan Ahmed**, writer and Student Representative





EASTERN EQUITY PARTNERS DONATES \$5,000 TO THE RHS FOOTBALL PROGRAM



Lorenzo Russo (left), Project Manager of Eastern Equity Partners, and Jamie Russo, Chief Executive Officer of Eastern Equity Partners, hold the ceremonial check for \$5,000 that they generously donated to the Revere High football team for the 2023 season.



Eastern Equity Partners, led by Chief Executive Officer Jamie Russo, presented a \$5,000 check to the Revere High football team and Parents Club last Wednesday at Harry Della Russo Stadium. Pictured at the check presentation ceremony are, from left, Police Chief David Callahan, Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky, Acting Mayor Patrick Keefe, RHS Head Coach Lou Cicatelli, Jamie Russo, Lorenzo Ruzzo, Councillor-at-Large Marc Silvestri, and Jennifer Keefe.

Grant to assist local police with domestic violence resources

By Adam Swift

The police department is applying for the annual Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program once again this year.

The \$20,227 the department is seeking will help fund school and community outreach programs, as well as to expand and enhance domestic violence services, according to Police Chief David Callahan.

“Since Covid, domestic violence cases and matters have dramatically increased, and the numbers continue to be up and high, so we use that for additional training and supplementing the domestic violence unit with overtime,” said Callahan.

Some of the community outreach initiatives funded in part through the JAG program include the boxing program for the schools and the honor guard.

“The grant money is necessary and helps us supplement these other matters ... that saves us \$20,000 out of our regular budget,” said Callahan.

At Monday night’s City Council meeting, Ward 3 Councillor Anthony Cogliandro asked Callahan how the domestic violence unit works and if the officers receive any additional training.

“Currently, we have a lieutenant who oversees all the domestic violence matters, so he reviews the cases,” said Callahan. “We

also have a victim witness advocate who also assists the victims.”

In addition, Callahan said the department has officers assigned to shifts who have been given additional training in domestic violence matters who can assist the domestic violence unit.

Additionally, Callahan stated that the JAG program funds can be used to assist in domestic violence matters through conduction follow up, attending meetings, providing transportation to court or a safe space, attending domestic violence related events hosted by other departments or agencies, and updating the department’s website, as needed, with domestic violence resources.

September service changes will allow crews to continue improvement work across MBTA system

Special to the Journal

The MBTA announced service changes in September on the Red, Green, Orange, Kingston, Middleborough, Greenbush, Newburyport/Rockport, and Haverhill lines. The MBTA will continue working to improve service reliability across the system.

- Service changes will take place on the Red Line Braintree Branch this month in order for MBTA crews to perform critical rail and tie replacement work. Accessible shuttle bus service will replace Red Line trains between North Quincy and Braintree Stations on the following dates:
- Beginning at approximately 8:45 PM through the end of service Tuesdays through Thursdays, September 5-7 and September 12-14, as well as Tuesday through Friday, September 19-22.
  - All day from start to end of service during the weekend of September 9-10, September 23-24, and September 30-October 1.
  - Accessible express shuttle bus service will also operate directly between South Station and Braintree Station.
  - Passengers should note that bicycles are not allowed on shuttle buses, and regular Commuter Rail fares will be collected between Kingston, Middleborough, Greenbush, and Braintree Stations. Keolis Customer Service Agents, MBTA staff, and Transit Ambassadors will be on-site at impacted stations to support riders.
  - The diversion schedule will be available online soon at [mbta.com/CommuterRail](https://mbta.com/CommuterRail).

- Due to the continued demolition of the Government Center Garage by private developer HYM Construction, Orange and Green Line service changes will take place in the downtown Boston area all day for 25 days from September 18-October 12:
- Orange Line trains will bypass Haymarket Station. Orange Line riders should instead exit at North Station or State, less than a half-mile from Haymarket (or a four- to eight-minute walk), and travel to the Haymarket area.
  - Green Line service will be suspended between North Station and Government Center Station. Riders are instead asked to walk above ground between these stations – Government Center, Haymarket, and North Station are each less than a half mile from each other (about a five- to 10-minute walk). The distance between Government Center to North Station is about three-quarters of a mile (about a 13-minute walk).
  - Riders are also reminded that Orange Line / Green Line connections can also be made via the Winter Street Concourse, which connects Park Street and Downtown Crossing Stations.

announcements, and at [mbta.com/alerts](https://mbta.com/alerts). Transit Ambassadors and MBTA staff will be available on-site during these service changes to offer information and assistance. Riders are encouraged to subscribe to T-Alerts or to follow the MBTA on Twitter @MBTA for up-to-date service information.

The MBTA previously announced service changes in August on

the Red, Green, Orange, Silver, Kingston, Middleborough, Greenbush, and Lowell lines. More information is available online at [www.mbta.com/news/2023-07-28/august-service-changes-will-allow-crews-continue-improvement-work-across-mbta](https://www.mbta.com/news/2023-07-28/august-service-changes-will-allow-crews-continue-improvement-work-across-mbta).

The MBTA apologizes for the inconvenience of these scheduled service changes and appreciates

the understanding and patience of riders as this critical and necessary work to maintain, upgrade, and modernize the system takes place.

For more information, please visit [mbta.com/alerts](https://mbta.com/alerts), or connect with the T on Twitter @MBTA and @MBTA_CR, Facebook / TheMBTA, Instagram @theMBTA, or TikTok @thembta.

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their 20-game schedule with contests against non-league opponents Swampscott (twice), Chelmsford, Lowell Catholic, Greater Lowell Tech, and Essex Tech.

RHS SOCCER TEAMS KICK OFF TUESDAY

The Revere High girls and boys soccer teams will open their 2023 season this Tuesday afternoon (September 5) when the girls host Greater Boston League rival Malden and the boys trek to Malden.

The girls will play an

18-game schedule, meeting all seven GBL foes (Somerville, Malden, Medford, Chelsea, Revere, Lynn Classical, and Lynn English) twice each and taking on non-league opponents Boston International, Northeast Region-

al, and Boston Collegiate (twice).

The boys have a 15-game schedule, with 14 contests vs. GBL schools and one non-league encounter vs. Excel Academy in the final contest of the season.




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# Jodi Cohen named Special Agent in Charge of the Boston Field Office

Special to the Journal

Director Christopher Wray has named Jodi Cohen as the Special Agent in Charge of the Boston Field Office. Ms. Cohen most recently served as the Special Agent in Charge of the Louisville Field Office in Louisville, KY.

Ms. Cohen joined the FBI as a Special Agent in 2005 and was assigned to the New York Field Office, where she investigated white-collar crime and health care fraud. She also worked violent crime matters on the Safe Streets Task Force.

In 2014, Ms. Cohen was promoted to Super-



Special Agent in charge of Boston Field Office, Jodi Cohen.

visory Special Agent and reported to the Washington Field Office to provide support to national security and criminal covert operations. In 2018, Ms. Cohen was selected as the Assistant Special Agent

in Charge of the Criminal Branch in the Seattle Field Office.

In 2017, Ms. Cohen served as a team leader in the Inspection Division at FBI Headquarters in Washington D.C. She oversaw agent-involved shooting investigations, national program reviews, and field office inspections.

In 2020, Ms. Cohen served as the chief of staff for the executive assistant director and section chief in the National Security Branch of FBI Headquarters. In 2021, Ms. Cohen was promoted to Special Agent in Charge of the Louisville Field Office.

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the drug ring.

The Tina Malfitano School of Dance announces the opening of its 38th season next week.

Pizzeria San Giorgio held its grand opening this week at 735 Broadway.

Profits Andy won the 49th annual Wonderland Derby Saturday night.

**50 years ago**  
**August 29, 1973**

The Board of Assessors has announced a new tax rate of \$168.00, a decrease of \$8.20 from last year. The decrease follows a hike of \$29.40 the previous year, an increase that Mayor William G. Rein-

stein blamed on the previous administration of former Mayor George V. Colella.

The cauldron of controversy continued to boil concerning the issue of recognition of a new tenants' organization to represent the interests of veterans and low-income tenants of Revere Housing Authority properties.

The first annual Mayor's Tennis Tournament was a grand success, with Bruce Melamed winning the Men's Division and Mary Jones the Women's.

Revere residents and officials continued to express their strong opposition to a plan calling for the dredging of Lynn Harbor that would allow for the docking of huge ocean-going oil tankers in Lynn Harbor.

The opening of the Revere schools next Wednesday will be highlighted by the inauguration of the new kindergarten program for 500 youngsters that will be housed in 10 of the city's schools and two churches.

**60 years ago**  
**August 29, 1963**

Enrollment in the city's

public schools is estimated to be 7604 for the start of classes September 4, an increase of 274 over last year. Enrollment at the Immaculate Conception School is expected to be 600 pupils, about the same as last year.

Mayor Frank G. Fiore Jr. and other members of the School Committee took the Revere Journal to task this week for what they termed as inaccuracies in the Journal's reporting on the handling of insurance funds by the School Department from the fire at the Garfield School.

School Supt. Dr. John E. Sullivan unleashed a verbal blast at critics of his handling of school matters at the tail end of the School Committee meeting last week which ran until 1:00 a.m. It was clear that Sullivan's outburst had been building all night.

Revere resident Mrs. Margaret White, wife of City Councillor Edward R. White Jr., has been named an assistant clerk magistrate of the Chelsea District Court by Clerk Magistrate Stephen J. White, who is no relation. Mrs. White succeeds Mrs. Evelyn Murphy, who had served in that post for 30 years.

State and Revere police arrested eight men in three simultaneous raids at 68 Bates St., 117 Garfield Ave., and 1039 Winthrop Ave. Tuesday afternoon. Police also seized apparatus for bookmaking operations at all three locations.

**70 years ago**  
**August 27, 1953**

Suffolk Superior Court Judge Francis Good has agreed with a citizens group that the referendum question on last year's ballot that was approved by voters to eliminate propor-

tional representation in the elections for city officials was illegal. This means that proportional representation will continue to be in effect for city elections and will require voters to rank each candidate with a number from one to 10 in order of the voters' preference for that candidate.

A total of 77 landlords already have filed for rent increases with the newly-formed Revere Rent Control Board.

The Youth Commission's summer playground season came to a fitting climax with one of the most colorful play days ever staged at Paul Revere Stadium. A record number of entrants in the various categories drew hundreds of spectators to the event, which featured a costume parade, floats, and motor vehicle and doll carriage contests. Paul Toomey of 41 Carey Avenue was named Mr. Atlas and Liana Russo of 43 Cushman Avenue was named Miss Revere Youth Commission.

George V. Colella, a Korean War veteran and graduate of Boston University, has been named temporary Commissioner of Veterans Affairs by City Manager Edward P. O'Toole. He takes the place of Henry J. Browne, who passed away Sunday.

Eighty more units in the state-aided veterans housing project in the Cooledge Street area officially will open for occupancy Tuesday, bringing to 286 the number of units in the housing project.

**80 years ago**  
**September 2, 1943**

Sadness came to another Revere home this week when Mrs. Mary Crough of 266 Bradstreet Ave. was informed that her son, Sgt. William J. Crough, is missing in action after his plane was shot down over Europe after going on a bombing mission over enemy territory from his base in England.

Sgt. William Rizzo Jr., who is home on a sick leave furlough, has reported many interesting war stories from his experiences in the Solomon Islands where he was fighting the Japanese. Rizzo has received three stars on his campaign ribbons for his service on Guadalcanal. Rizzo noted that a crack female enemy sniper took out many American soldiers during a two-week period before she finally was killed by a Marine.

## LOCAL STUDENTS EARN Academic Honors

### CURRY COLLEGE SPRING 2023 DEAN'S LIST

Curry College congratulates roughly 900 students who were named to the Spring 2023 Dean's List. Local students include:

Angie Pepe of Revere  
Alex Vitzthum of Revere

Curry College, founded in Boston in 1879, is

a private, co-educational, liberal arts-based institution located on 131 acres in Milton, Massachusetts. The College extends its educational programs to a continuing education branch campus in Plymouth. The College offers 25 undergraduate majors in specialized and liberal arts programs, as well as graduate degrees in accounting, business, education, criminal justice,

and nursing to a combined enrollment of nearly 2,050 students. The student body consists of 1,830 traditional students and nearly 220 continuing education and graduate students. The College offers a wide array of co-curricular activities ranging from 16 NCAA Division III athletic teams to an outstanding theatre and visual arts program. Visit us on the web at [www.curry.edu](http://www.curry.edu).

## Lyric Stage Boston presents 'Assassins'

Special to the Journal

A highly anticipated production of Stephen Sondheim's Assassins opens Lyric Stage Boston's 2023/24 season with an astonishing cast of Boston area artists performing this electrifying theatrical gem with Direction by Courtney O'Connor, Music Direction by Dan Rodriguez, and Choreography by Ilyse Robbins.

With the American dream out of reach, nine of the most notorious figures in our nation's history ignite a chain of monumental nightmares. The white picket fence is set on fire in Stephen Sondheim and John Weidman's tragically funny and unnerving musical which peers inside the shattered minds of presidential assassins (both successful and failed) from John Wilkes Booth to John Hinckley, Jr. This gallery of historical misfits jolts us into their blurry points of view with unapologetic humor, fiery anthems, carefree tunes, and unbridled en-

ergy that boldly blurs the lines between ambition and madness.

Director Courtney O'Connor says, "Stephen Sondheim's dark masterpiece speaks perhaps even more to audiences today than when it was written over 30 years ago. In a divided country where people are screaming to be heard, it is a prescient reminder that the past can also be a roadmap of the future. I look forward to working with the brilliant Dan Rodriguez and this incredibly talented company of artists to share this deeply complex and complicated American story."

Performances begin Friday, September 15 and run through Sunday, October 15.

Founded in 1974 and in residence at 140 Clarendon Street since 1991, Lyric Stage Company is Boston's longest-serving resident theater company. Its mission is to produce and present live theater in Greater Boston with an intimate approach that promotes inclusivity and con-

nection. The Lyric Stage leads an effort to integrate live theater and theater education into the lives of all residents of greater Boston.

Lyric Stage and Beacon Communities, LLC, the owners of 140 Clarendon Street, have agreed that the building will be Lyric Stage's "forever" home, ensuring that the theater will remain a vital and essential part of the cultural fabric of the city.

In partnership with Beacon Communities, LLC, Lyric Stage will continue its commitment to improving the lives of Bostonians alongside a partner who shares those same values. With the partnership of Pine Street Inn, 111 of the units in the building will become supportive housing for people exiting homelessness. The combined energy of Beacon's supportive services alongside one of the city's cultural gems makes 140 Clarendon a paragon of two institutions coming together to make the city a better place for its residents.

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MEMORIAL POLE DEDICATED IN HONOR OF U.S. ARMY PFC ROBERT “RANDY” STOTT

Cary Shuman Photos

The City of Revere dedicated a memorial pole in honor of U.S. Army PFC Robert “Randy” Stott at the intersection of Cecilian Avenue and Washington Avenue during an impressive ceremony Saturday morning.

Mr. Stott was recognized for his service to his country. His final and most important mission was preparing U.S. soldiers for the Korean Conflict. Mr. Stott received a National Defense Service Medal.

Upon completion of his military service, Mr. Stott returned to Revere where he lived with his beloved wife, Lucy. Their four children, Robert, John, Anthony “Dino” and Patricia joined the family in proudly observing the dedication ceremony and the unveiling of the memorial sign.

Acting Mayor Patrick



The family of U.S. Army PFC Robert “Randy” Stott joins city officials for a photo at the memorial pole dedication ceremony Saturday in Revere.

Keefe expressed his gratitude on behalf of the residents of Revere to Mr. Stott for his service to the United States of America. “These familiar black and gold signposts are named

in memory of a resident who served our country. It is a simple but significant way to honor the memory of those who grew up on these same city streets and left home when they

accepted military duty to protect our precious gift of American freedom,” said Keefe.

Robert Stott spoke on behalf of the family. “My father was a veteran from

1947 to 1949, servicing the troops coming back from World War II and preparing them for the Korean Conflict,” said Stott, adding the family will be able to view the sign from

its home on Cecilian Avenue.

Robert Stott thanked the Revere Veterans Office for putting together the tribute to his father.



Pictured at the memorial pole dedication ceremony for U.S. Army PFC Robert “Randy” Stott are Regional School Committeeman Anthony Caggiano, State Rep. Jeff Turco, Councilor-at-Large Anthony Zambuto, Councilor-at-Large Gerry Visconti, Acting Mayor Patrick Keefe, and Donna Dreeszen and Julia Cervantes of the Revere Veterans Office.



Representing the Revere Veterans Office at the dedication ceremony are Donna Dreeszen and Julia Cervantes.



Robert Stott and his grandchildren, pictured at the dedication ceremony.

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Revere High School Class of 1983. A large turnout came together to catch up on the times since their last reunion.



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Mike Arrigo and Cami Arrigo.



Paul DeLuca Mike Arrigo, and Ron Lusso.



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Revere Headed To Safe Harbor, Says Constructive Article By Boston Herald Writer In Series

EDITOR'S NOTE:—There has been much slanderous and discrediting talk circulating about this city in the past few months of these exceedingly difficult times from which we are now beginning to emerge, but there has likewise been encouraging, constructive, and genuine news appearing, complimenting our Mayor and City conditions. The following article appeared on page one of THE BOSTON HERALD on Thursday of this week and is here reprinted in full for emphasis to Revere citizens and taxpayers. Of great constructive value and completeness, this third of a series of articles by Herald staff writers on the financial conditions, problems and accomplishments of Massachusetts cities and towns in their efforts to keep the tax-rates down and at the same time care for their unemployed" speaks eloquently for our city and the existing situation here.

If Revere ever gets out of the woods that have engulfed it along with half a dozen other Massachusetts cities that are currently unable to borrow on temporary notes for operating expenses, it will stand on as firm a financial foundation as any municipality in the state. At present, Revere presents one of the most extraordinary municipal pictures in the state, and here stated are some of the factors which are affecting its position today and will have an even greater effect upon the city of the future. The 1932 tax rate has been reduced \$2 from the 1931 rate of \$41.80, the highest in Revere's history save that of 1925 which soared to \$48.80, an all-time record for Massachusetts. All city employees, including teachers, have accepted a salary cut of 5

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REDUCTION IN THE AUTO RATES ASKED BY SEN. BRODBINE

This past week Senator Conde J. Brodbine of Revere sent a communication to Governor Joseph B. Ely, requesting all possible consideration and prompt action to bring about an automobile tax rate reduction for the people in the First Suffolk Senatorial District.

The letter as sent to Governor Ely follows:

August 23, 1932. His Excellency, Joseph B. Ely, Governor, Commonwealth of Mass., State House, Boston, Mass. Your Excellency: As Senator of the First Suffolk Senatorial District and representing people who are already burdened by the compulsory automobile rates, I now intercede in their behalf to ask you to lay before the Commissioner of Insurance certain concrete facts that entitle them to a reduction of rates. In Chelsea, under the official figure of last year, the rate for Chelsea was based upon 2,539.4 cars registered in Chelsea and the rate for Revere was based upon 2,830.5 cars registered in Revere. Approximately less than 3000 cars registered in each of these cities, yet each of these cities has daily getting through them for the benefit of lower rate zones, anywhere from one hundred to two hundred thousand cars in the summer time and a little less in the winter. This, on

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Lynn Man Gets Year In House For Violating Larceny Parole Charles Beals, 217 South Cambridge street, Lynn, was called into Court on yesterday, Friday, morning, and was given a one year's sentence in the house of correction for violating his parole. Several months ago Beals was charged and found guilty of the larceny of \$12 from John Bignan of the town of Pines district, this city, and was on parole for that charge.

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CHIEF TIGHE ASKS CITIZENS SUPPORT IN KIWANIS SPEECH

Chief of Police Edward J. Tighe spoke on Wednesday before the Revere Kiwanis Club at its regular weekly meeting at the Circle Inn with Dr. George A. Bruns, president, presiding. The Chief primarily emphasized the important relation between the police and the public. It is the duty of the citizens, claimed Chief Tighe, to co-operate with the police much more than they have in the past. When called upon to assist in jury duty and the like, the public should realize its valuable position and willingly contribute the few services asked.



EDWARD J. TIGHE Chief of Revere Police Dept.

Crime today is very largely the result of carelessness and the lack of co-operation on the part of the public, Chief Tighe went on to affirm. For instance, the majority of automobile thefts are brought about because people neglect to lock up their vehicles when leaving them. It is a simple matter and a strong temptation for the ordinary automobile thief to work upon. For fewer individuals would have the regret of

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SIDEWALK WILL BE BUILT ON N. SHORE RD. MAYOR LEARNS

The request of Mayor Andrew A. Casassa for the state department of public works to construct a sidewalk along North Shore road has received a favorable reply, Friday, and work on it will be done within another year. The mayor was informed that no funds are available this year but that the cost will be included in next year's budget and that the work will be done next spring. This will mean a great improvement for that thoroughfare. A large number of accidents have been caused because pedestrians were obliged to use the roadway but it was impossible for the city to do anything about it as North Shore road is a state highway. Negotiations have been carried on for some months between Mayor Casassa and the state department of public works with the result that final action has been promised to see that the sidewalk is built.

BAY STATE TIDE TURNS TOWARD PRESIDENT AS VOTERS REVIEW FACTS

As Hoover Sentiment Grows Possibility That Garner Might Be Catapulted to Presidency Is Not Lost Sight Of

Observing a constantly growing Hoover and Republican sentiment in Massachusetts, Amos Allen writes in the Boston Review as follows: According to all the reliable indications and according to the opinions of men who specialize in angling for popular opinion, the Hoover cause is gaining steadily—slowly of course, but surely, in this section. For some weeks it looked black. The public, which is very often inclined to jump at conclusions, seemed to have an idea that the President was and is responsible for the depression. Therefore, out he would have to go. At no time has there been any manifestation of deep enthusiasm for Roosevelt, except on the part of that very small fraction of the population which has been laboring under the delusion that the governor of New York is a son of the former President.

One does not look for reliable political information from the partisan shouters and crooners. One seeks it from those who are not on the pay-rolls of either party and are not drawing wages for riding on band-wagons. And the tide today, if one can accurately judge from familiar conversation with the average voter—and the average voter will decide the result—has turned toward Hoover and is more than likely to flow in that direction until election day. Having sized up the Democratic candidates, the Democratic platform and the Democratic candidates' utterances, it seems that the average man is beginning to believe that, after all, the one point thus far achieved in behalf of Mr. Hoover's opponents is this:

"Give us a chance to run things. We have already promised more than Hoover dares to promise, and we are ready to make more promises. Our promises may not harmonize, as we add to them, but the main idea is this: Let us run the country for four years."

Some very conservative and independent newspapers are wondering just what Candidate Roosevelt actually intends to do, if elected. He has already covered more ground in more different directions that he could possibly cover as President. Apparently he fails to realize, as he goes from one talking point to another, that his utterances, made at and intended for one particular point, will reach all the other points and will not blend with what he has said at those points, or what he intends to say, if he has not already talked there.

I have been told with some vehemence that in considering the election of President and Vice President, I should not hint at the possibility of a President dying in office and

BEACHMONT TAKES OUT OF STATERS 5 TO 0 ON THURSDAY

The Beachmont Veterans World War baseball team defeated the strong St. James nine of Maryland at Charles Frederick Park, Thursday evening. Leo Perrier featured for Beachmont, pitching another brilliant game. Prizzo featured for St. James getting two hits out of three times at bat. McDonald stole home to add another run for Beachmont.

The box score

Beachmont Veterans				
	ab	bh	po	a
Tydon, 3b	3	0	2	0
Bishop, 2b	0	0	1	3
Hilliard, ss	3	0	0	1
Donnelly, cf	3	0	0	0
Rebholz, 1b	3	1	7	0
Walters, c	2	0	7	0
Allen, rf	3	0	1	1
Perrier, p	2	1	0	3
McDonald, lf	3	1	0	0
Totals	22	3	18	8

St. James of Maryland

	ab	bh	po	a
Prizzo, ss	3	2	1	0
Polk, ss	3	0	2	3
Callahan, 1b	3	0	5	1
Moran, rf	3	0	0	0
Avery, 3b	3	0	2	2
Ollie, cf	3	1	1	0
McCarty, 2b	3	0	2	3
Kilduff, c	2	0	5	0
Wright, p	2	0	0	0
Crinin, p	1	0	0	0
Totals	26	3	18	9

	Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6
Beachmont	.....	1	2	2	0	0	x-5
St. James	.....	0	0	0	0	0	0

Alfonso shouldn't be too eager to pack his trunks in anticipation of a return trip to Spain.

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thus compelling the Vice President to assume the duties of that position. I am told that it is unfair to conduct a "whispering campaign" and intimate that Gov. Roosevelt's physical condition is not such as to justify his election. As far as I am personally concerned, I accept without reservation the assurance that Gov. Roosevelt is physically all right. But let us always consider, when we were electing a President and Vice-President, that men have died and have been killed while serving as President, concerning whose physical condition there was no apprehension. Lincoln and Garfield were foully assassinated. Other Presidents have died who, when elected, were physically in as good condition as the average man. That is why, in electing a national ticket, as much attention should be given to the candidate for Vice President as is given to the candidate for first place.

This was not done by the Democrats at Chicago in July. Speaker Garner of the national House was chosen for second place solely because he turned the votes of two States, pledged to him, over to Roosevelt. He is not big or broad enough to be a possible successor to his running mate, if the Democrats win the election. Already in New York this week he has exhibited his calibre by talking winningly about his great esteem for Al Smith and his own sufferings because of the fanatics in his State of Texas.

As a matter of fact, he would not speak to Al Smith at Chicago, this year, and his own State and his own district voted for Hoover against Smith four years ago. If he is the biggest man in Texas, as he practically admits, there must have been something wrong with his control when Texas turned her back on Smith to vote for Hoover.

Apprehension is growing among the Democratic leaders in Massachusetts concerning the possibility that Garner may insist on coming to Massachusetts and explaining that he is not a member of the Ku Klux Klan and never has been, that he supported Smith loyally in 1928 and that, if there is one religion that he admires beyond any other, even that which he professes, it is the Roman Catholic religion. The one thing that the Democratic leaders in Massachusetts desire Garner to do is to keep out of Massachusetts until the campaign ends.

He had his say in New York the other day, and he actually shed tears as he told how he, too, had experienced the opposition of fanatics in his own State, because he favored the repeal of the Eighteenth Amend-

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PRAISE GIVEN TO LOCAL FIREMEN BY EVERETT OFFICIALS

For their excellent work in fighting the huge \$350,000 lumber company conflagration on the Chelsea-Everett line last week Wednesday, the Revere Fire Department, particularly Fire-Commissioner Harry J. Harding, received high praise from Chief James J. Evans and Commissioners James P. O'Connor and Thomas F. Hughes of the Everett Department in a letter to Mayor Andrew A. Casassa early this week.

Both firemen and police from the local departments greatly assisted the Everett and Chelsea men in checking the blaze, which was fought by firemen from seven cities, and in handling the heavily congested traffic.

The letter received by the Mayor follows:

Everett, Mass., August 18, 1932. Mayor Andrew A. Casassa, City Hall, Revere, Mass.

Dear Sir:

At a fire in Everett on August 17, 1932, a great service was rendered to our city by the Revere Fire Department. Your apparatus and men, under the leadership of Commissioner Harding, did extraordinary work and by their untiring efforts, the spread of fire was checked.

We believe, as Mayor of Revere, you are to be congratulated for having men the calibre of Commissioner Harding in your department.

We want to thank you for the service rendered, and say we are ready to return any service to your fire department which is within our power.

Sincerely yours, (Signed) JAMES J. EVANS Chief, Everett Fire Dept. JAMES F. O'CONNOR THOMAS F. HUGHES Commissioners

MRS. MARY RUSSELL DIES

Mrs. Mary Russell, 69, of 115 Reservoir avenue, died early yesterday, Friday, afternoon following a long illness of about six months. She is survived by her husband, George M. Russell, Revere fireman; two sons, William and Albert; and four daughters. Funeral arrangements had not been announced at press time.

Funeral Services Tomorrow For John P. Casey, Employee For 35 Yrs. of Eastern Mass. Railway

FIRE CHIEF WARNS AGAINST HAZARDS INVOLVED IN FIRE

Chief Thomas McCarrick of the Revere Fire Department has written a very timely and instructive article which he released this week on the hazards, particularly involving the loss of life, of fires.

Revere citizens will be very much interested in and benefited by this valuable article which is here printed for them in full text:

Every Fire Involves A Life Hazard

The agony and honor of death by fire is only brought with force to the minds of our people when the terrible spectre of fire and resultant death becomes the fate of those



THOMAS J. MCCARRICK Chief of Revere Fire Dept.

in our own community. Even though we know that more than 15,000 lives are sacrificed to fire annually in the United States, we only give it passing thought, and are no even mindful of the fact that the majority of those who suffer and die in extreme agony are young, wholesome and innocent children who are unmindful of the grave danger and life hazard that is involved whenever a fire occurs.

The recent loss of life in our city has cast a shadow of sadness over the entire community. The toll of that small fire on Mountain avenue was a young mother and father and two innocent babes. The father, a good father, struggling hard to provide food and shelter for his family, returned home at the end of a work-day with aching muscles. His wife and children gathered around him while he prepared a liniment that contained an inflammable fluid, probably turpentine, with this he was going to ease the pain of his aching muscles so that he might be prepared to labor on the following day. The fluid, only a small quantity, probably a pint, ignited, and

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MAJ. MC GAFFIGAN MAKES CIVIC STUDY OF BLAST TRAGEDY

The tragic accident in which four persons were killed in this city last week when a bottle of turpentine exploded, caused much immediate and wide-spread interest locally. Among those particularly concerned with this tragedy was Major Owen McGaffigan, head of the Science Department at Revere High School who made a personal civic investigation into its causes.

In an interview with a REVERE JOURNAL staff writer, Major McGaffigan explains that on the morning immediately following the accident, he visited the De Luca home on Mountain avenue, and, after he had gathered together all information available concerning the affair, performed an experiment which very definitely confirmed the conclusions reached by the investigators.

As soon as Major McGaffigan arrived

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Funeral services for John P. Casey, 64, of 33 Reservoir avenue, this city, who was found dead on Thursday afternoon in the washroom at the Ocean avenue terminal of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway, will be conducted at his late residence tomorrow, Sunday, afternoon at 2 o'clock.

On Monday morning at 8 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Relatives and friends will attend both services. Burial will be in the Holy Cross cemetery in Malden.

Police on Thursday afternoon received a telephone call from the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway office at the Ocean avenue terminal, and upon responding found the body of the stricken man lying on the floor of the washroom.

Dr. Edward Rosen was called and he pronounced the man dead from natural causes. A heart attack, super-induced by the heat is believed to have been the direct cause of his death.

Mr. Casey had been employed by the Street Railway Company for 35 years, and was recently assigned to the change booth at the station on Ocean avenue. Evidently he felt his fatal attack coming on, for he went to the washroom and was there first found in a collapsed condition by A. Melvine, a street car operator.

A former member of the Local Division 240, A. A., of the Street Railway Employees of America, Mr. Casey was known for many years as a Revere citizen.

The deceased was also a member of Beacon Lodge No. 1, A. O. U. W., and a past grand master workman of that order, and a member of the Revere Democratic Club and the Holy Name Society.

He is survived by his widow and five sons, William, a member of the Revere fire department, stationed at the Central house; Frank, John, Gerald and James Casey, the latter four all of New York; a brother, Dennis Casey of New York, and four grandchildren.

DIRECTORS LIABLE FOR \$500,000 BAD TRUST CO. LOANS

John W. Corcoran, liquidating agent of the closed Revere Trust Company, through his counsel, Frederick J. Muldoon, filed in equity in the supreme court on Tuesday to hold the directors of the bank liable for the \$500,000 bad loans and investments of the bank.

The directors who were named respondents to the bill are Joshua Harron, Augustine Airola, Martin J. Clougherty, Alfred F. Gardella, John J. Hurley, Patrick J. Murray and Michael Porcella, all of Revere, and Louis R. Kiernan of Chelsea as executor of the estate of Joseph M. Curley, and G. Dwight Cabot of Winchester and Laurence J. Louis of Newton.

The bank opened December 20, 1916, and was closed October 13, 1931, by the State Bank Commissioner.

While the bill admits attendance on the part of directors at meetings, it avers their attention was perfunctory. The defendant directors, the suit alleges, wrongfully abdicated their powers and delegated unstrained authority to Joshua Harron, who was president from 1925 to 1931, to exercise final control over the business and resources of the bank, "in disregard of sound banking principles."

The bill states that the assets of the trust company, even with the \$200,000 assessment now being levied on stockholders, will be insufficient to pay creditors and depositors in full.

One loan to a single borrower exceeding one-fifth of the total capital of the Revere Trust Company, is cited in the bill as a violation of the statutes. The bill also declares that preferred loans appear on the books of the company for the purpose of shifting debts and that such of the new co-called loans on the books of the bank when it failed were wholly fraudulent and did not operate to cancel previous loans, although such loans appear on the books to have been discharged.

Besides asking for a decree that the directors are personally liable for the bank's losses, the bill asks an injunction to restrain Laurence J. Louis and Michael Porcella from withdrawing anything from their deposit vaults; and asks for a special attachment in the amount of \$500,000 be made on the real estate of Clougherty, Murray, Porcella and Cabot.

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On Wednesday August 23, The Revere Chamber of Commerce sponsored a hybrid workshop on Estate Planning Strategies and Long-Term Care Insurance at the Marriott Springhill Suites (400 Ocean Ave, Revere Beach). The workshop was delivered in two sessions; beginning with Estate Planning Attorney Bridgette Flores presenting an informative session on Estate Planning essentials such as probate, wills, and other important estate planning and preservation strategies. The second presentation was presented by Revere Chamber of Commerce Executive Director and New York Life advisor Erica Porzio and her business partner, fellow New York Life advisor, Colleen Island-Mateo. Porzio and Island-Mateo presented an in-depth seminar on Long Term Care planning and strategies.

*Since taking the position as Executive Director for the Chamber

earlier this year, Porzio has made it her mission to provide accessible programming and services to all members of the Revere community by offering workshops and programs in both English and Spanish. Moreover, Porzio and Island-Mateo (who is bilingual in English and Spanish), have teamed up with the Revere Chamber of Commerce to provide the Revere community with access to free planning meetings, seminars, and workshops in all areas of Financial planning, including but not limited to; Business planning, Retirement planning, Employee Group Benefits, Disability, and Long Term Care insurance.

Porzio, Island-Mateo, and Attorney Bridgette Flores will continue providing these free, accessible workshops to the Revere community through the Chamber of Commerce on a monthly basis. These workshops will alternate monthly in both Spanish and English, as well as touch upon many



Estate Planning Attorney Bridgette Flores, Attorney Cynthia Romero, Revere Chamber of Commerce Executive Director and New York Life advisor Erica Porzio, and her business partner, New York Life advisor Colleen Island-Mateo.

different areas of Law and Financial Planning.

To stay abreast of upcoming workshops, or for more information, contact Chamber Executive Director, Erica Porzio: director@reverechamberofcommerce.org, visit the Chamber website: www.

reverechamberofcommerce.org, or follow the Chamber on social media

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