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Ollie Svendsen and J.P. Nowicki measuring their 50 inch striped bass caught in the waters of Revere Beach.

THE FISH THAT DIDN'T GET AWAY A Monster Catch for a Revere teen

By Melissa Moore

While most kids have seen life come to a halt due to Covid 19, a 14 year old Revere teenager found a way to safely keep busy. And busy in a very impressive way! Ollie Svendsen, a recent graduate of the Rumney Marsh Academy and incoming freshman at Revere High School, has taken to the high seas during the pandemic. Ollie, who grew up on boats and is an avid fisherman, made quite the catch off shore near the Point of Pines recently.

Svendsen, while on a fishing excursion with his dad, Carl, and friend, J.P. Nowicki, reeled in

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Overnight resident parking program to take effect Oct. 15

Residents encouraged to call parking department with questions

Special to the Journal

The City of Revere's new city-wide resident parking program will take effect October 15 in an effort to maximize availability of parking for Revere residents, while discouraging long-term visitor parking on residential streets and commuter parking near public transportation access points. All passenger vehicles parked on city streets between 12AM and 6AM are required to have a permit displayed on the lower left corner of their windshield by

October 15 to avoid a violation.

The program will be enforced between 12AM and 6AM daily, except holidays. Citywide overnight parking stickers are valid on the street where the vehicle is registered, as well as any adjacent street, unless otherwise posted. Commuter zones remain 24-hour resident parking only and will be getting different stickers. Stickers have been mailed to residents whose vehicles are registered to a Revere address and meet the qualifications (i.e. no outstanding parking tickets, excise tax payments up to date). If residents have not re-

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LEARN TO SKATE CLASSES OFFERED AT 10 GREATER BOSTON RINKS

The 2020-2021 skating season is about to begin. Bay State Skating School is one of Greater Boston's most established and popular skating programs. We have taught Learn-To-Skate classes to children ages 4-18 in the Greater Boston area for over 50 YEARS.

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Our emphasis is on

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Revere Counts 2020 Census team urges participation before Sept. 30 deadline

Six mini-grants awarded to local organizations to ramp up participation

Staff report

Over the next two weeks, Revere Counts staff and volunteers will ramp up participation for the 2020 Census. Revere's current response rate for the 2020 Census is 56.1%. The final self-response rate in the City of Revere was

62.7% in 2010. Dozens of critical social services, education, and infrastructure programs depend on census-guided federal grants. Accurate responses help direct billions of dollars in federal funds to local communities for schools, roads, and other public services.

Revere Counts staff and volunteers have been conducting outreach at the many food distribution programs across the

City as well as scheduling enumerators at free COVID-19 testing sites. Limited face-to-face contact and residents' safety concerns regarding door knocking has been a challenge for outreach.

Revere Counts recently awarded six mini-grants to local organizations and individuals to conduct 2020 Census outreach and increase response

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Councillors approve seven Arrigo appointments to HRC, but Dimple Rana fails to get the votes

By Cary Shuman

The City Council approved seven of Mayor Brian Arrigo's appointments to the newly established Revere Human Rights Commission (HRC), but once again denied Dimple Rana an appointment to the board.

The seven appointments to the HRC, all of whom received praise

from the city councillors, included Police Chief David Callahan, Fire Chief Christopher Bright, Assistant Supt. of Schools Dr. Lourenco Garcia, Rachid Moukhabir, Lynn Alexis, Timothy Bogertman, and Kourou Pich.

However, the Council voted 8-3 against Arrigo's appointment of Rana to the Commission. At its July 27 meeting,

the Council had rejected Arrigo's appointment of Rana as executive director of the Commission.

During the Appointments Sub-Committee meeting that preceded the Council meeting, Rana again listed the many positions she holds in the city, along with her outstanding academic

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FOUR-LEGGED FRIENDS



PHOTO BY MARIA TRIOLO

"Hey, do you guys know the kids in the K9 Unit?" Or so it seemed that Lucy and Bella might be asking State Police horses Captain and Zach (and their human partners, Troopers Mike Crowley and Dan Doiron) when they met the members of the Mounted Unit at Revere Beach recently. The State Police Mounted Unit is a valuable public safety asset that assists in patrolling state beaches, parks, and reservations. Special thanks to Lucy's and Bella's owner, Maria Triolo, for sharing this photo.

COVID-19 UPDATE Inspectional Services Department increases enforcement at large retailers

Revere's Positive Test Rate Drops to 5.15%

Special to the Journal

The City of Revere's Emergency Response Team continues to monitor impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic and develop policies and procedures to maintain public health and safety

for all in Revere. As of September 10, the Revere Board of Health has been notified by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health of 2,493 positive and probable cases of COVID-19 in the City of Revere. As of Thursday, September 10, the city's 14-day pos-

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Superintendent Kelly responds to RTA's concerns of air quality in school buildings

By John Lynds

This week the Revere Teachers Association (RTA) sent a letter to Revere Public School Superintendent Dr. Dianne Kelly and Mayor Brian

Arrigo highlighting concerns from the district's own ventilation report completed by AMERESCO.

According to the RTA the report demonstrates that multiple rooms in

five schools across three buildings, including its most populous, Revere High School, should have "zero occupants" based on the airflow testing.

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Council sends Folsom Street/Broadway parking issue to Traffic Commission

By Cary Shuman

The City Council has referred Ward 3 Councillor Arthur Guinasso's motion about a parking issue on the corner of Folsom Street and Broadway to the Revere Traffic Commission.

Guinasso sought to install "No Parking Here To Corner" signs at the corners of Broadway and on Broadway at the corners of Folsom Street.

"It's an incident where people on Folsom Street try to leave Folsom Street and they can't see – their visibility is cut down completely because cars

are parking right to the corner," said Guinasso.

Joseph Gulla, owner of the property at 843 Broadway, said he opposed the measure

"There is a restaurant there that is licensed for breakfast, lunch, and dinner and right now with the restaurant business at it is, it's hard enough for anybody to open up a restaurant, so any parking that will be taking away from us – this has never been a problem until tonight so I oppose it."

Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky said it is state law that vehicles cannot be parked within

20 feet of an intersection.

Attorney Jay Satin, representing Mr. Gulla, spoke against the request.

"Currently there are three businesses ongoing in that location and Mr. Gulla has owned that property for 37 years," said Satin, adding that his client had not been informed about the matter being on the Council's agenda. "It is very curious that he never was notified."

Satin said there is limited parking for businesses in the area and the measure would eliminate four parking spots.

Noting Novoselsky's

point, Satin said, "I understand what Councillor Novoselsky is saying that it's a state law. Yet I have not seen any other corners or any other streets designated by the City Council to restrict parking at those corners – only at Mr. Gulla's corner."

The Council voted unanimously to refer the request to the Traffic Commission.

"It would be up to the Traffic Commission and Mayor Arrigo's Office to act on it," explained Council President Patrick Keefe.

Councillors congratulate Giannino on her state rep. election victory

By Cary Shuman

Calling it "a very happy occasion," Ward 3 Councillor Arthur Guinasso officially noted Councillor-at-Large Jessica Giannino's impressive victory in the State

Representative Democratic Primary during the Council meeting Monday night.

The councillors responded with a standing ovation for Giannino, who advanced to the

General Election on Nov. 3. There will be no Republican candidate on the ballot in the Sixteenth Suffolk District contest for state representative.

"Thank you, everyone," said Giannino.

"Wow, we have a celebrity in our attendance," said Council President Patrick Keefe. "What we can all sit there and say, 'I served on the Council when State Rep. Jessica Giannino was elected: Congratulations.'"

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credentials that include a Bachelor's degree in Public Health from Hofstra University and a Master's degree in Public Policy from Tufts University.

A lifelong Revere resident, Rana is the city's director of outreach, chair of the Complete Count Committee for the 2020 U.S. Census, and co-leader of Revere on the Move.

"I'm really excited for this opportunity," Rana told the Council via Zoom. "I have over 20 years of experience in the non-profit sector locally and also internationally and I look forward to bringing all my years of expertise and experience and skills and network to the Human Rights Commission."

Ward 5 Councillor John Powers told Rana that he would be supporting Rana for a seat on the Human Rights Commission.

"I will be supporting you as a member of the Appointments Sub-Committee as well before the full Council," said Powers. "I'm well aware of your work ethic and the many functions that you have performed in the City of Revere which were beneficial to the

City of Revere."

Councillor-at-Large Jessica Giannino said that she was against Rana's appointment as executive director at the July 27 meeting but had stated that she would support Rana's candidacy as a member of the Commission.

"However, I must say that over the last few weeks, she has made it very, very clear of her inability to be an impartial person in this committee," said Giannino. "I think something that is so crucial for this committee is that it is an impartial body and I think the actions of these people that we appoint, need to be shown every day, not just sometimes, not just in session, but we need people that are truly impartial. And because I feel that she has proven that she cannot be impartial, I cannot support her this evening."

Sub-Committee Chair Arthur Guinasso also spoke against Rana's appointment.

"I did read your resume and I did read the transmittal that Mayor Arrigo sent over on your behalf and it says that Ms. Rana has distinguished herself as a community director of the Healthy Commu-

nity Initiatives and Revere on the Move," said Guinasso.

"It was my observation that in the last preliminary election that Revere on the Move got a little bit politically involved," continued Guinasso. "So if you're the director of that very distinguished body – which does a lot of good things for our city – I still see the flavor of politics in it, which is supposed to be removed because that's an agency of the city of Revere. Its members should not dictate or express their views on a political candidacy from that particular position. It lasted 12 days. That, to me, expresses poor judgment."

Rana explained that on the dates that Guinasso mentioned the political nature of the remarks, she was not working in the office at that time.

"It wasn't done to cause any harm or cause any political sides, but it was due to human error and with the management of multiple people on that Facebook page," said Rana. "It won't happen again."

But Guinasso was unconvinced by Rana's explanation, saying, "The director calls the shots

and it shouldn't have taken 12 days to come down. It's as simple as that. It adds to the listing of different things why I was objecting to your appointment in the first place."

Councillor-at-Large George Rotondo said, "I would hope in the future this type of discourse wouldn't take place, however minor it is. Frankly, there should be a complete separation of the government and their political activities."

In the full City Council's vote on the matter, Councillors Jessica Giannino, Joanne McKenna, Arthur Guinasso, George Rotondo, Gerry Visconti, Richard Serino, Anthony Zambuto, and Patrick Keefe voted against Rana's appointment, while Councillors Steven Morabito, John Powers, and Ira Novoselsky voted in favor of the appointment.

Rana said in statement following the meeting, "I want to congratulate the seven appointees to the Human Rights Commission and I look forward to the formation of the full Commission because this Commission is something that the city really needs."

City Council votes 6-5 to deny Holmes appointment to Planning Board

By Cary Shuman

The City Council voted by a 6-5 margin against the appointment of Lor Holmes to the Revere Planning Board at its meeting Monday.

The Council did approve the appointments of Juan Pablo Jaramillo and James O'Brien to the Planning Board.

In the presentation of her candidacy during the Appointments Sub-Committee meeting, Holmes said, "I appreciate the opportunity to be considered to join the Planning Board for the City of Revere which I love. I fell in love with Revere many, many years ago when I used to bring my kids to the beach."

A former Jamaica Plain resident, Holmes said she became more familiar with Revere when she became the founding executive director of HarborCov, a Chelsea-based organization that helps victims of domestic violence. Holmes was hailed as a pioneer in establishing specific human resource programs to try and end domestic violence in the community.

Holmes said she moved to Revere in 2007 "and I love the Shirley Avenue neighborhood." She told the Council that she looked forward "to

carrying out all the great visions that there are for this community."

Despite her enthusiasm for the city and the position and her work in trying to enhance Revere, the Council voted by a slim margin to deny her appointment to the Planning Board. Councillors Arthur Guinasso, John Powers, George Rotondo, Richard Serino, Gerry Visconti and Anthony Zambuto voted against her appointment. Councillors Jessica Giannino, Joanne McKenna, Steven Morabito, Ira Novoselsky, and Patrick Keefe voted in favor of the appointment.

Asked to comment on the City Council's vote, Lor Holmes said, "I am disappointed and surprised that Mayor Arrigo's appointment of me to the Planning Board was rejected by the majority of City Council members. There was no explanation offered although clearly my qualifications for the position surpass that of most other appointees. It seems as though some members are operating out of fear of including new voices in our City and a fear of change. That is unfortunate because change will come, and I look forward to making positive contributions in whatever ways I can."

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ceived a sticker, they are encouraged to visit www.revere.org/parking to apply before October 15.

"This is a new program for the City and residents, and it will take some time for everyone to become familiar with it," said Jim Rose, Director of the Parking Department. "I expect lots of questions as we launch this program and want the residents to know we

are available to answer and assist them in whatever way we can."

If residents have any questions, they are encouraged to visit the City of Revere Parking Department webpage at www.revere.org/parking. The Resident Parking page has a Frequently Asked Questions section. The Parking Department can also be reached at 781-629-2542.

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itivity rate has dropped to 5.15%, down from 5.75% last week.

The City of Revere's Inspection Services department announced several enforcement actions they will take in collaboration with large retailers. The department is hiring two part-time inspectors, and recruiting for a third, to increase business compliance checks as the pandemic continues and ensure compliance with regulations at all large retailers:

Capacity numbers in large retail stores will remain below State guidelines. Today, the State guidelines are eight customers per 1,000 square feet of sales space. The City of Revere's guidelines are currently six customers per 1,000

square feet of sales space.

Large retailers are required to have one designated entrance and exit to control the flow of customers (second egress must be accessible in case of emergency).

Personnel must be at the door to count customers entering and exiting businesses to ensure they are not in excess of their customer limit number. These personnel will also ensure all customers are wearing masks.

Once a business is at or reaching customer limits, a line must be formed outside for customers to wait while socially-distanced.

Residents with health or safety concerns at businesses should call 311.

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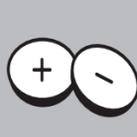
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Traffic Commission approves pilot program for bus lane

By Journal Staff

Revere motorists who already are experiencing congestion on Broadway in the morning now will be sharing this roadway with a dedicated bus lane that will run from Revere Street to the Chelsea line starting on September 30.

The Revere Traffic Commission approved the Pilot Program that will be in operation from September 30 through December 31, 2020, at their meeting last Thursday.

The bus lane will run along the southbound side of Broadway and will be in operation Monday through Friday from 4 a.m. to 9 a.m. There will be no parking allowed on this side of Broadway during these hours. Motorists who use the lane are subject to a \$25.00 fine.

The dedicated lane will not operate in the immediate vicinity of the Central Fire Station approaching Park Ave. because Broadway is not wide enough at that point to accommodate the dedicated bus lane.

The primary goal of the bus lane is to improve bus service for passengers who use the two bus routes that traverse Broadway.

According to Eric Burkman of the MBTA, these routes, the 116 and 117, carry a combined ridership of more than 2,700 passengers each weekday and are the third busiest routes in the entire MBTA system. School buses and emergency vehicles, as well as bicyclists, also possibly could take advantage of these dedicated lanes.

Jay Monty from Everett Transportation Planner told the commissioners of the experience with a dedicated lane in Everett. He mentioned that Everett's dedicated bus lane was the first in the area and was started in 2016. Although there have been a few complaints, Monty overall termed the bus lane as "a home run."

Commissioner Nicholas Rystrom asked if there had been any negative impacts with the bus lane in Everett.

Monty noted that while it took some time for people to become accustomed to the bus lane,

this is not a high speed bus lane and the buses seldom exceed 17 m.p.h.

Julie DeMauro, the On the Move Active Living Coordinator for Revere who has been doing the community outreach, informed the commission that the entire cost for lane marking and signage will be paid for by the MBTA. She also noted that the red paint that will delineate the lane will wash off Broadway by the spring if the pilot program is rejected.

While most of the businesses in front of the bus lane are either closed or have off-street parking available for their customers, a few do not like Community Market and Deli at 270 Broadway. Raj Patel, owner of Community Market said his main concern is that most of his deliveries arrive during the proposed hours. However, City Planner Frank Stringi noted that for these few businesses, "The buses will work around early morning deliveries."

Mayor Brian Arrigo commenting later on the designated bus lane said, "seating capacity restrictions forced by Covid-19 have forced the MBTA to add additional buses to their various routes, and to experiment with Bus Only lanes during high-traffic times in communities throughout their region. Revere's pilot program, which will be in effect from 4 a.m. to 9 a.m. only on the southbound side of Broadway from Revere Street to Chelsea, will expedite travel for our residents who rely on the T to get to work. Our role in this, in conjunction with the MBTA and surrounding communities, recognizes the importance of mass transit for our residents.

We have studied the similar program that was implemented on Broadway in Everett several years ago, which has proven to be hugely successful despite initial skepticism. The limited time frame preserves on-street parking during the normal business operating hours and maintains parking on the northbound side of Broadway. As we have observed in Everett, and in communities such as Arlington and Watertown as well,

the dedicated bus lane not only reduces commuting time for passengers, it also expedites traffic because buses no longer have to pull in and out of vehicular traffic, an maneuver that causes consistent backups as buses pick up and drop off passengers.

We will monitor the new program before making any determination whether to make it permanent in this or some revised format."

Mary Gandolfo of Washington Ave. was opposed to the pilot program, stating that she believed it will create unsafe conditions.

However, Commissioner and Revere Fire Chief Chris Bright summed up the consensus of the other commissioners. "This is a good time to initiate this pilot program. If it does not work, then we just back out of it," said Bright.

In another matter that drew some discussion, the commissioners spent a few minutes debating whether to place a handicapped parking sign outside of a home at 839 Winthrop Ave. Ward 1 Councillor Joanne McKenna spoke in favor of the request, noting that Winthrop Ave. is very congested and that the senior citizen who have handicap plates and live at this home have a very difficult time walking from the driveway.

However, Commissioner Ralph DeCiccio noted that the house has off-street parking with a very wide driveway for at least four cars and that there is only a slight slope to the driveway.

"We have denied other requests that also have available off-street parking," DeCiccio said.

"We have to be consistent, since we have denied other similar requests," added Bright.

Stringi likewise urged that inasmuch as the building has a driveway, then the Commissioners should stick to their usual protocol.

The commissioners voted to deny the request.

In other business, the request from the Point of Pines Yacht Club to have additional parking along the front of their property on Rice Ave. was moved



Shown above, the dedicated bus lane on Broadway in Everett. The dedicated bus lane program, initiated in 2016, has been successful so far, with few complaints being made regarding it.

to a public hearing.

The commissioners also moved to a public hearing a request by the Turkish Cultural Center for a new street sign on Ford St. that will allow for a maximum of two hours for parking on Monday through Friday from Revere St. to a point 60 feet northerly on Ford Street.

Handicapped signs for 20 Hauman Street, 22 Burnett Rd., 202 Constitution Ave., and 560 Revere Street also were moved to a public hearing.

A new truck route that will help make the Winthrop Ave. neighborhood safer was sent to the Massachusetts Department of Transportation. McKenna noted that 16-wheel trucks have driven on Winthrop Ave. until they hit Crescent

Avenue, and then are stopped at the rotary. Police Sgt. Christopher Giannino will be recommending that trucks use the Revere Beach Parkway and then go to Winthrop Parkway.

A new crosswalk and stop signs on Harris Street also will be headed for a public hearing.

City Councillor Jessica Giannino requested that a handicapped parking sign be placed at 25 Malden Street. This request, which the commission previously denied, was tabled.

Another motion that was tabled was to have the following streets -- Witherbee Ave., Bateman Ave., Fowler Ave., Whitin Ave., Lancaster Ave., Bickford Ave., Alden Ave., Delano Ave., Chamberlain Ave., Goodwin Ave., Har-

rington Ave., Pines Rd., and Wadsworth St. -- be posted for 24-hour permit parking.

Councillor John Powers noted that because of the Covid-19 pandemic, parking has become very difficult for residents on these streets and this could be the solution to providing more parking for the residents.

However, some commissioners noted that this could be problematic given that contractors and health care workers working in this area could be affected. The consensus was that it is better to wait until the overnight parking program that is scheduled to start on October 15 gets underway.

The next meeting of the Traffic Commission is scheduled for October 29.

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rates of Revere's hard to count and undercounted populations. These mini-grants include:

American Muslim Center (\$2,000) - to increase the count of the undercounted Middle Eastern and North African (MENA) communities by conducting outreach to the youth population to reach their parents and the adult population on the importance of being counted. Residents can specify what ethnicity they identify with by writing it on the form as there is currently no category for the MENA population.

Beachmont Improvement Committee (\$5,000) - to increase the count of low- to moderate-income and culturally diverse resident who do not generally have a high percentage of response to

the Census. BIC will set up Census completion stations at retail locations frequented by residents and provide incentives and giveaways to residents who complete the Census

Revere Beach Partnership (\$3,000) - to conduct Census Outreach for hard to count communities at Revere Beach. The Partnership will be able to extend its Ambassador Program by an additional week and purchase custom masks that promote taking the census as well as distribute flyers and set up kiosks at a tent where people will be able to respond to the census.

Revere en Español (\$5,000) - to increase the count of Revere's Hispanic community through an aggressive and consistent online and media communications

plan in Spanish including outreach events at scheduled community and city events.

The Neighborhood Developers (\$5,000) - to conduct door to door outreach and phone calls to TND's Revere properties and surrounding neighborhoods which have a high number of low-income households who are immigrants and non-English speakers, and who may be wary of the census.

Nyx Breen (\$2,000) - to reach large hard to count and undercounted communities in Revere that live or utilize the city's 3 MBTA Station locations including our Soofa Kiosks. This local photographer will use community based art as the medium to present information and for community interaction.

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APOCALYPSE -- NOW

The photos of the wildfires in our western states that have incinerated entire communities and that have turned daytime skies to night by their heavy smoke have illustrated the dramatic effects of climate change upon the daily lives of millions of Americans.

Record heat has accelerated the effects of dry conditions, leading to the record-setting wildfires out west.

Yes, climate change undeniably is happening here and around the globe.

Last January, it was the bushfires in Australia that similarly wrought havoc and destruction in that part of the world.

An article in the New York Times on Monday began this way, "The effects of global warming in the Arctic are so severe that the region is shifting to a different climate, one characterized less by ice and snow and more by open water and rain, scientists said Monday."

More ominously, that same article discussed the perils of climate change facing the world from another source, the melting of the Antarctic glaciers at the bottom of the world.

"Another study released Monday suggested that two Antarctic glaciers that have long been of concern to scientists over their potential to contribute to sea level rise may be in worse shape than previously thought."

From east to west and north to south, climate change is posing an existential threat to life as we know it.

There is still time for us to reverse, or at least halt, the impending doom that awaits us if we take immediate action to limit greenhouse gas emissions into the atmosphere.

But we need to act soon, because it will not be too long before it will be too late.

DONALD TRUMP IS NO WINSTON CHURCHILL

Rage, the new book by veteran journalist Bob Woodward about the presidency of Donald Trump, has revealed unequivocally that Trump deliberately has downplayed the lethality of the Covid-19 pandemic from the very beginning of the virus's detection in the United States.

Whether one wants to characterize Trump's mendacity as outright lying for political purposes, or merely as a benevolent effort by Trump to prevent social chaos, the bottom line is the same: Trump has not been straight with the American people.

But even if one accepts Trump's explanation for his deceit, the book makes clear that Trump treated the American people with disdain, as if we were children who needed to be shielded from the truth.

"I don't want to jump up and down and start screaming, 'Death! Death!' because that's not what it's about," Trump said at a press conference last week, when asked about his months and months of deceptions.

A few days later, at a campaign rally in Michigan, Trump asserted that his handling of the pandemic has been similar to how Winston Churchill addressed the people of England during the height of the Nazi bombing in WWII.

"As the British government advised the British people in the face of World War II, keep calm and carry on. That's what I did," said Trump, who then invoked the comparison of himself directly to Churchill.

Trump, by his own admission, reads nothing, so it is not surprising that Trump has no knowledge of what Churchill said and did during the epic Battle of Britain, when England's survival was at stake.

For if Trump knew even the slightest bit about Churchill's tenure as Prime Minister, he would have known that from the outset, Churchill never sugarcoated the reality of the threat that was facing every British citizen.

In his very first speech, three days after he had become Great Britain's leader, Churchill laid out clearly and explicitly the difficult task that lay ahead:

"I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat," said Churchill. "We have before us an ordeal of the most grievous kind. We have before us many, many long months of struggle and of suffering."

The test of a true leader is to recognize the reality of a situation and face it head-on, not merely to play the role of a cheerleader.

As things stand now under Trump's presidency, American deaths from the pandemic now stand at just about 200,000, with another 200,000 Americans expected to die by the end of this year.

It is clear that Donald Trump is no Winston Churchill. He's merely Donald Trump.



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GUEST OP-ED

'We're all in this together'

By James Evers

When we honored our nation's workers this Labor Day, the Boston Carmen's Union reflected on the phrase, "We're all in this together!" that we've heard so often since our world changed in mid-March.

The phrase has brought our members together for more than a century.

Carmen's Union members moved the people of Greater Boston through the flu pandemic of 1918 as we have this year. A Boston Globe story from November 1918 details plans to add hours to Carmen's shifts to better meet the "peak load" of travel as the incidence of flu increased so that cars were less crowded.

Sounds familiar, right?

Our Union was ready to serve then, and I couldn't be prouder now of the way our members stepped up during the worst days of this global coronavirus pandemic.

Our members were, and still are, on the front lines every day. We've taken on the challenge of COVID-19 in solidarity with our brothers and sisters in public

safety, health care, and the retail and service industries. We stand with all the essential workers who don't have the luxury of working from home. We're proud that we get T riders safely where they need to go, and we're committed to keep Boston's economic engine revving.

As we look ahead we know that unless we make riders confident and comfortable the T won't come back to life-- and if the T doesn't come back to life, we know that Boston's economy can't back to life either. Every resident of the Commonwealth needs to be concerned about our common health, and nowhere is that more relevant than aboard the MBTA. Public officials, workers and riders all need to be committed to safety.

For us this means wearing a mask while riding or working near the public or our brothers and sisters. For employers it means considering shifting work schedules to off-peak hours where possible. For riders that means covering your faces and doing your best to

maintain distance on vehicles and in stations and treating drivers and train operators with respect.

We've worked closely with the MBTA in the past six months to advocate for safety measures to keep our riders and members safe. Some safety measures came easily, and others like back-door boarding took more effort. We continue to encourage the T to employ and expand its innovative use of passenger counting equipment on buses to notify riders about overcrowding. This effort should be expanded to all service modes and the T should deploy work-as-directed buses and trains to run extra trips on high rider-ship routes.

Just as we were in 1918, the Carmen's Union is prepared to

add time to shifts or add shifts for members in order to get riders where they need to go safely-- again, the comfort and confidence of riders is what will bring Boston back to life.

We hope that you all were able to enjoy a safe and happy Labor Day! Let's all commit to each other that we'll each do our part going forward. Boston is a transit-first city-- we have been for over a century-- and we know that our membership is ready to welcome riders back, safely.

We are all in this together.

James Evers is President of the Boston Carmen's Union, Local 589

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Conservation Commission wants to save trees at Amazon complex

By Journal Staff

Following a site plan visit by the Conservation Commission at the end of August, it is back to the arboreal drawing boards for the owners of the Amazon building on American Legion Highway, as the Conservation Commission seeks to save trees that surround the site.

At the commission's September 2 meeting, the project manager of the property told the commissioners that the owners want to add additional parking spaces to the lot. The problem lies in the drainage retention system for these additional spaces, as well as for the existing spaces.

Project manager Suzanne King of BL Companies told the commissioners that the excavation for the new retention tank can only be four feet deep, which means that the entire lot has to be elevated and regraded. This new elevation will result in many of the mature evergreen trees being taken down and then replaced with smaller saplings.

However, when the commissioners heard that the newer trees will be put back in almost the same location as the trees that are being replaced, they questioned whether the existing trees can be excavated and replanted and if not, then perhaps the developer can purchase more expensive, mature trees rather than smaller, sapling trees.

"The smaller trees will change the whole concept of the site visually," said Commissioner Joseph Lavalley. "We visited the site on Saturday and the trees were to be saved, but now tonight they are to be taken down. No one is happy with this."



The trees in question at the latest Conservation Commission meeting. The trees sit on the outskirts of the lot which houses the Amazon building, formerly the site of NECCO.

King noted that these trees typically do not respond very well after being excavated and that there needs to be a certain number of new parking spaces that requires the trees to be removed.

Another site visit was ordered and the findings will be discussed at the commission's October meeting.

In another matter, the commission was informed that invasive phragmites are taking over the marsh area off Bay Road, killing many of the native plants.

Commissioners heard from Don Ciaramella, the Revere DPW Superintendent, who told about his department's efforts to control the spread of the phragmites. Ciaramella said that thus far, the control efforts have cost Revere taxpayers more than \$30,000 per year "with nothing to show for it."

He noted how he introduced goats in the area in May to eat the phragmites.

Ciaramella noted that much of the land at the end of Bay Road is unbuildable and city officials hope to add this land to the salt marsh. He said that the overall plan is to restore the land to a salt marsh by removing

all urban fill, as well as getting rid of the phragmites. Returning the land to a functioning salt marsh will benefit the environment and many of the houses in the area.

The commissioners then heard from Kurt Ehrhart of Innovative Mosquito Control, who said that he has been working with state officials since 2003 in successfully eliminating the phragmites in the Merrimack Valley area. To date more than 2,000 acres have been treated.

Ehrhart noted that he could start spraying the local marsh by mid-October, which is a good time to attack this invasive plant species. He estimated that there are six acres to be treated.

Commissioners wanted to find out more about

the ingredients in the product before voting.

The commissioners also discussed a request from the Point of Pines Yacht Club to stack and repair the club's docks around the club. ConsComm Chairman Nick Moulaison noted that this process will not destroy or harm the dune grass. With a site visit planned shortly, the matter will be discussed further at the October meeting.

In other business, commissioners accepted the gift of several parcels of land from the Festa family on Naples Road and Naples Place. The Festa family has been donating buildable lots for conservation purposes to the city for a number of years.

The owners of 69 Sagamore St. came before the commission seeking a Certificate of Compliance for an Order of Condition dating back to 1987 that was never closed out. The commissioners approved the request.

The commission also approved an extension for an ORAD MA File for another three years for 469-473 Revere Beach Blvd.

The Conservation Commission's next meeting will be October 7.



PHOTO BY TOM STURN, USFWS

An example of the invasive phragmites taking over the marsh area nearby Bay Road.

Four new handicapped parking spaces at stadium

By Journal Staff

At the September 8 meeting of the Commission for Disabilities, the commissioners reported the good news that four handicapped parking spaces have been finished in front of the Harry Della Russo Stadium on Park Avenue.

Commissioners also reminded residents that the 2020 Census is ending on September 30. Revere has only 56% of the city's eligible returns in, as opposed to 62.7% in the last census. Revere stands to lose millions of dollars in federal aid if residents do not complete the census. It is estimated that for every person listed on the census, Revere will receive \$2,400 back in federal monies.

In another matter, the Commission Chairperson Ralph DeCiccio informed residents that handicapped signs are issued by the Traffic Commission. The Disability Commission can only help coordinate the process of obtaining a sign.

DeCiccio also reminded residents that parking in a handicapped space does not exempt anyone from street cleaning or other No Parking signs and regulations.

The commission also issued the following statement:

"The Commission on

Disabilities, due to Covid 19 and the safety of all residents, is trying to limit in-person appointments due to the unavailability and use at our present office location. Residents can speak to staff from our 311 Constituent Service Center Monday through Friday when you call our office at 781-286-8267. They will be able to answer most questions, but if they are unable to or if you would like a call back from our office, please ask to be transferred to the Disability Offices voicemail and someone will get back to you as soon possible. We are working on solidifying another temporary location for our office for necessary in-person appointments determined by the COD on Friday mornings. We will update this information when available on our Disability page on the City Web site. As always, please let us know if you would like something discussed or brought up and added to our monthly meeting agenda. You can let us know if you would like to speak on any issue or concern. The Commission is here to help and assist all the disabled residents and families of Revere."

The next meeting of the commission is scheduled for October 13.

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what he called a "monster" 50 inch, 48 pound striped bass. Ollie, a hockey player for the East Coast Jr. Patriots and Revere High School and a RYBS Babe Ruth player, said, "When I first started fighting it, I didn't think it was a big fish. But when it got close to

the boat I realized it was a monster." The largest striped bass caught locally, 81 pounds and 54 inches long, was off the coast of Westbrook, CT in August 2011. Ollie hopes to make another monster catch before boating season ends in October.



Revere teenager Ollie Svendsen is all smiles with the striped bass he caught off the shore of the Point of Pines during a recent fishing excursion. The bass was 50 inches and 48 pounds.

Northeast Metro Tech changes reopening plan

District changes direction amid high numbers of positive local cases

Staff report

Superintendent David DiBarri reports that Northeast Metro Tech is changing course to follow its fully remote learning plan amid high numbers of positive COVID-19 cases in Revere.

The district had initially planned to hold a week of remote learning this week, and to transition to a hybrid learning model on Monday, Sept. 21.

"The last thing we wanted to do was to change our plan so close to the first day of school," Superintendent DiBarri said. "However, this is the reality our community faces and nothing matters more than keeping students, faculty and staff safe. The data surrounding this pandemic is ever-changing and we have been closely monitoring the situation in Revere. Ultimately, we feel this is the best decision for our District at this time, and we'd like to thank our students, families, faculty and staff for their cooperation and patience."

The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) has advised regional school districts to use a key mu-

nicipality - the city or town where the majority of its students reside - as an indicator of whether or not classes should be held remotely or through a hybrid model.

The majority of Northeast Metro Tech's students reside in Revere, which has been experiencing a high risk of transmission rates for COVID-19 recently. District officials have maintained in close contact with local public health officials to continuously monitor the situation.

Each Wednesday, the Massachusetts Department of Public Health shares the number of active cases in each town and city statewide, and color-codes communities based on rates of positive cases per 100,000 people. Over the past two weeks, there have been 158 positive cases of COVID-19 in Revere, a decrease from recent weeks. Of all COVID-19 tests administered to residents, 5.14% over the past two weeks were positive in Revere, and the City is currently marked as a "red" community on the state's color coded case map.

As the District follows a fully remote learning

model, its leadership will continue to closely monitor the situation in Revere. Once case numbers decrease, the District may move to a hybrid model, a transition that would not happen immediately.

Northeast Metro Tech will continue to update students, families, fac-

ulty and staff as new information is available and as any decisions are made regarding changes to the district's learning model this school year. For the latest updates, visit the district's website on Twitter @NEMetro-Tech, and the District's Facebook.

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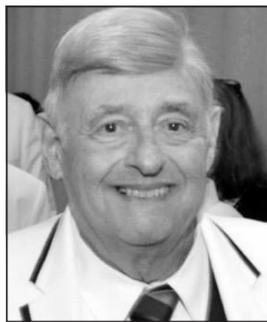
William Minichello

Retired U.S. Customs Inspector and past
Exalted Ruler of Winthrop Elks #1078

Family and friends are invited to attend Visiting Hours today, Wednesday, Sept. 16 from 4 to 8 p.m. in the Vertuccio & Smith, Home for Funerals, 773 Broadway (Rte. 107) Revere for William R. "Bill" Minichello, who passed unexpectedly on Friday, September 11 at Boston's Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, 88 days following the unexpected death of his beloved wife, Frances M. "Fran" (Hickey) Minichello on June 15. His funeral will be conducted from the funeral home on Thursday, Sept. 17 at 10 a.m., followed by a Funeral Mass in the Immaculate Conception Church (Corner of Beach St. and Winthrop Ave.) Revere at 11 a.m. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett will be private.

A reminder to all attendees to the funeral home and the church, due to the ongoing pandemic, all mandates issued by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Archdiocese of Boston must be followed; Masks must be worn and social distancing maintained.

Bill was born in Revere and lived in East Boston until moving to Swampscott in 2012. He was a graduate of Sacred Heart High School in East Boston, Class of 1967, attended Emerson College during his freshman year and then transferred to the University of MA, graduating in 1971. He



entered the work force with Blue Cross Blue Shield in 1968, achieving the position of Medicare Manager. In 1992, he changed careers and entered the employ of U.S. Customs, first serving as an inspector and retiring as an Auditor in 2008.

For many years, both he and his late wife, "Fran" were active members of the Winthrop Lodge of Elks #1078 and both were Past Exalted Rulers of that lodge, creating a whole network of close relationships. Bill also served with the Mass State Elks Association as an organist. Both Bill and Fran were also Past District Deputy Life Members. Their work and energy spent within the Elks Foundations is both immense and outstanding.

He was the cherished father of Boston Police Sergeant Andrew J. Minichello and his wife, Maria and the adoring "Nonno" to Matthew Daniel Minichello, all of East Boston, the dear brother to Edward T. Minichello and his late wife, Valerie A. (LeBlanc) of Winthrop, the special uncle of Ronald Moore of Revere and Stephanie Lane and her husband, Michael of Winthrop. He is also proudly and lovingly survived by Fran's family (The Hickey and Crotty Clan) and his extended family at Winthrop Elks and U.S. Customs.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the Mass State Scholarship Fund, c/o Winthrop Lodge of Elks #1078, 191 Washington Ave., Winthrop, MA 02152. To send online condolences, please visit: www.vertuccioandsmith.com Funeral Arrangements are under the care and direction of Vertuccio & Smith, Home for Funerals.

Amy Juneau

Beloved mother, sister, nurse and friend

It is with great sadness that the family of Amy (McLoon) Juneau announce her unexpected passing on Friday, Sept. 4 at the age of 60 at her home in Revere.

Amy was a beloved mother, sister, nurse and friend. She was the devoted mother to Raquel Miller of Biddeford, ME, and will be deeply missed. Amy will also be lovingly remembered by her partner, Angelo Grech of Revere, her siblings: Lauren Moskowitz of Georgetown, David McLoon of Watertown, Chris McLoon of Brunswick, ME, and Wendy Waterman of Portland, ME; her many nieces and nephews: Evan Moskowitz, Ilana Walker, Ian McLoon, Erin Basile, Patrick McLoon, Meredith McLoon, Emelia Waterman, Bailey Waterman, and Colin Waterman; and countless other family members and friends.

Amy was born in Amesbury on April 3, 1960, the daughter of Richard McLoon and Marilyn J "McLoon" Tedesco and was predeceased by her father and her mother. She is survived by her step-father, Theodore Tedesco of Stow.

Ever since she was a little girl, Amy wanted to be a nurse. Amy became a registered nurse in 1986, receiving her education from Westbrook College/UNE in Maine. She dedicated over half of her life to her career as a nurse. Amy found a way to connect with all of her patients, always meeting them with compassion, and left a lasting impact on all she worked with.

Amy was ferociously



dedicated to the wellbeing of children. She loved to be with children--laughing, playing silly games, teaching them how to swim, and making them all feel special and seen. Their happiness was her own.

Amy is in the hearts of many. She is remembered as a sensitive soul who saw the best in everyone. She found ways to connect with every person she met, creating friends wherever she would go. Amy loved to laugh--whether it be with her coworkers on Unit 1 at Franciscan Children's Hospital, or amongst family and friends in the backyard by the pool. Amy was a snapchat selfie queen, an animal lover and a delicious pie baker.

As we celebrate the legacy of this incredible woman, we want to encourage all to try to see the goodness in everyone, be kind to all, and spread humor and joy in life--as Amy did daily.

Those who wish to pay their respects can do so on September 19 from 2 to 5 p.m. at Paul Buonfiglio & Sons Funeral Home, 128 Revere St., Revere. Relatives and friends are kindly invited.

Contributions may be made to Canines For Kids in her honor: <https://caninesforkids.org>. For guest book please visit www.buonfiglio.com.

Henry Selvitella

May 23, 1930 — June 24, 2020

Henry A. Selvitella passed away peacefully with his family close by on Wednesday, June 24, 2020. He was 90 years old.

Henry was born on May 23, 1930, the son of Henry and Sarah (Malta) Selvitella. He worked as an equipment manager at Revere High School and as a teller at Wonderland Dog Track.



He is survived by his wife, Mary Lou (Camaratta) Selvitella and his children: Henry and his wife, Debbie of Plum Island, Anthony and his wife, Elaine of Topsfield, Lucia Selvitella of North Reading and Sara Oldoni and her husband, Kristopher of Rowley. He also leaves 11 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Jennifer Turco

Of Revere

Jennifer L. Turco of Revere passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday, September 9.

The beloved daughter of Carol (Boutwell) Turco and the late Rosario Turco, she was the devoted mother of Nicholas Turco, Ronnie Burnett Jr., Jami-Lyn Turco-Burnett and Christopher Moriconi; dear sister of Joseph Porter, Jeffrey Turco, John Turco and the late Gregory Turco and James M. Porter and adored grandmother of Ronnie Burnett III.

Family and friends honored Jennifer's life by gathering at the Ruggiero Family Memorial Home, 971 Saratoga



Street, East Boston, on Sunday, September 13. Services concluded with Jennifer being laid to rest at Woodbrook Cemetery, 100 Salem Street, Woburn, MA 01801, on Monday, September 14. To leave an online condolence, please visit www.ruggieromh.com 617-569-0990

Fraud Alert: Scammers claiming to be with DOJ preying on elderly

Staff Report

The Department of Justice has received reports that individuals claiming to represent the Department of Justice are calling members of the public as part of an impostor scam. The Department strongly encourages the public to remain vigilant and not to provide personal information during these calls, which appear to target the elderly.

Reports to the National Elder Fraud Hotline indicate these scammers falsely represent themselves as Department of Justice investigators or employees and attempt to obtain personal information from the call recipient, or they leave a voicemail with a return phone number. The return phone number directs users to a recorded menu that matches the recorded menu for the Department's main phone number. Eventually, the user reaches an "operator" who steers the user to someone claiming to be an investigator. That "investigator" then attempts to gain the user's personal information.

"Especially with so much of the elderly population isolated at home by COVID, phone scams are an intrusive, calculated effort to target the vulnerable," said United

States Attorney Andrew E. Lelling. "This scam is especially obnoxious because the perpetrators pose as employees of the Justice Department, and so manipulate the public's trust in the Department. Anyone who receives a potentially fraudulent call as part of this scam should report it immediately. My office would be happy to investigate and prosecute those involved."

Those who receive these calls are encouraged not to provide personal information and to report these scams to the FTC via their website at <https://www.ftc.gov/slideshow-items/report-scam> or by calling 877-FTC-HELP (877-382-4357). Fraud can also be reported to the FBI for law enforcement action at <https://www.justice.gov/criminal-fraud/report-fraud>.

The National Elder Fraud Hotline is a resource created by OVC for people to report fraud against anyone age 60 or older. Reporting certain financial losses due to fraud as soon as possible, and within the first two-three days, can increase the likelihood of recovering losses. The hotline is open seven days a week. For more information about the hotline, please visit <https://stopelder-fraud.ovc.ojp.gov/>.

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REVERE THROUGH THE YEARS

10 years ago
September 15, 2010

Groundbreaking exercises were held on Monday at the Wonderland T Station for a \$53 million parking garage with a capacity of 1465 cars that is expected to be the catalyst for the new development project at Wonderland that is projected ultimately to include a hotel, residential housing, and retail and office space in a succession of buildings and open spaces estimated at 145,000 square feet in total when all is said and done. Ocean Avenue and its relationship to the city and to the beach will be dramatically changed by this development project which is being brought to life during difficult economic times by Eurovest. The construction cost of the garage is being provided through a loan from the state that will stimulate the local economy by hiring tradesmen and union workers of all kinds, and through the purchase of materials from cement companies, suppliers of steel, and construction companies who grade land and who build. The only question is whether the present economic environment in the aftermath of the Great Recession will improve enough to allow for the coming of a hotel and retail and office space, as well as the residential component.

Recent contracts awarded to a vendor paid for trimming the city's trees did not show or reveal much of a vetting process by the city. Checks were paid to parties other than those the city contracted with. The entire messy affair is now part of an FBI, Inspector General, and State Police investigation, which needlessly harms the city's reputation.

Legend of the Guardians: The Owl of Ga Houle and Resident Evil: Afterlife are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

20 years ago
September 14, 2000

Elected officials in the Boston area have praised the opening of flights between Hanscom Field and LaGuardia Airport in New York City, expressing the hope that Hanscom's usage will increase in order to reduce the number of flights at Logan Airport.

Wild at Heart, Dark-

man, and Taking Care of Business are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

30 years ago
September 19, 1990

Voters across the state swept away incumbents in Tuesday's state primary election. On the local front, Winthrop's Robert DeLeo defeated Joseph Franzese of Winthrop and Pat Tata of Revere to win the Democratic nomination for the state representative seat that comprises Winthrop and Beachmont that is being vacated by long-term incumbent Al Saggese. In the State Senate contest, Chelsea's Tom Birmingham easily topped Everett City Councillor Mark Rotondo for the seat being vacated by another long-term incumbent, Fran Doris. In the gubernatorial battle, B.U. President John Silber shocked Attorney General Francis X. Bellotti for the Democratic nomination, including a victory in Revere by a margin of 6159-4930. Silber now will face Republican William Weld, who topped challenger Steven Pierce, in the November final election.

Revere native Cheryl Hayes presently is in Europe as a member of the international touring company of A Chorus Line. Hayes is a former student of the local Performing Arts Unlimited program.

A task force has reported that the smelly algae that plagues parts of Revere Beach, Nahant, and Lynn is a naturally-occurring algae that is deposited on the shoreline at low tide and creates an odor in the heat of the day. This is the only area of the world where this particular form of algae grows year-round.

More than 20 persons were injured in the crash of an MBTA train between Beachmont and Revere Beach stations.

The City Council has passed a new zoning ordinance that will permit the soon-to-be-defunct Suffolk Downs race track to be developed into a multi-use convention center with a hotel.

Good Fellas, Ghost, and Funny About Love are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

40 years ago
September 17, 1980

A light voter turnout of 16.9% marked Tues-



On Aug. 19, 1989, four Revere Police Officers graduated from the Somerville Police Academy. Shown from left to right, Revere Police Captain James Russo, Dennis Collyer, John Azzari and Steven Ford.

day's state primary election. There were no contests for State Senate or State Representative on the Democratic side and there were no candidates for those seats on the Republican side.

Long-time residents attended the funeral services for J. Jeff Harris, the President of the Brotherhood of the Congregation Tifereth Israel who was the owner of Ace Amusement Agency of Boston and Revere. He was 74.

Eight city councillors voted to approve the chapter 121A tax agreement with Towle Manufacturing, a maker of fine silver products, thus paving the way for Towle to construct a mammoth plant on the Freedom Realty property on American Legion Highway that will employ 550 persons. Councillors William Bell, Kenneth Hill, and Frederick Sanella opposed the 30-year tax agreement.

50 years ago
September 17, 1970

Incumbent state representatives William Reinstein and Joseph DelGrosso handily won the Democratic nominations for Revere's two state rep. seats in Tuesday's state primary election that featured a light turnout. Revere Democrats favored Francis X. Bellotti in the gubernatorial contest, but Boston Mayor Kevin H. White won the nomination state-wide. White will run on the Democratic ticket with

Brookline State Rep. Michael Dukakis, who won the race for Lieut. Governor. White will face Republican Gov. Francis W. Sargent in November. In the battle for Suffolk County District Attorney, incumbent Garrett Byrne defeated controversial Boston School Committeeman John Kerrigan.

A standing-room-only crowd was on hand for the historic vote by the City Council approving the construction of a new Revere High School at a cost of \$13.3 million, thus bringing to an end almost 20 years of debate on the question of constructing a new high school building.

Frank Sinatra stars in The Detective at the Revere Drive In.

60 years ago
September 22, 1960

The Revere School Committee voted this week to name the new Ward 4 School the Memorial Elementary School.

A 10 year-old boy, Edward A. Fitzgerald of 566 Proctor Ave., was seriously injured when he was struck by a car while riding his bicycle on Route C-! Sunday afternoon.

Anthony Perkins stars in Psycho at the Revere Theatre and Revere Drive-In.

70 years ago
Sept. 21, 1950

There was a large turnout of 56 percent of Revere voters for Tuesday's state primary election. In

the contest for the city's two state representative seats, incumbent Harold Canavan handily won the Democratic nomination, but fellow incumbent Peter Jordan was defeated by challenger William H.J. Rowan. However, Jordan also ran on the Republican ballot and won the GOP nomination, and thus will appear on the November final election ballot.

In the contest for the State Senate seat being vacated by incumbent Joseph Melley, the mayor of Chelsea, Chelsea State Representative Andrew P. Quigley defeated a large field of challengers, earning 7168 votes across the district, to win the Democratic nomination. William Conley, also of Chelsea, was Quigley's closest competitor with 4167 votes. Quigley is all but assured of winning the November final election and will become the youngest-ever State Senator in Massachusetts history.

The women parishioners of St. Anthony's will hold a fashion and hairstyle show on Monday evening in the parish hall. The event promises to be one of the most colorful events of the fall season. Morton's of Boston has promised luxurious fashions that will be worn by models from the Hart Model Agency. Miss Priscilla Fortesque, radio and TV fashion expert, will provide the commentary. Local models will show the latest hairstyles created by Anna of Anna's Beauty Salon. In addition, the

world-famous recording stars, the Mills Brothers, will provide the entertainment.

Terry Moore stars in Mighty Joe Young at the Revere Drive In. Fred Astaire, Red Skelton, Vera Ellen, and Arlene Dahl star in Three Little Words at the Revere Theatre.

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Incumbent state representatives William H.G. Rowan and Peter Jordan won the Democratic nominations for Revere's two state rep. seats in Tuesday's state primary election, which saw only a 45 percent turnout of local voters. In the State Senate race, Chelsea's Bernard Sullivan edged challenger Joseph Melley, also of Chelsea.

Former Revere mayor Andrew Casassa has sent a request to the U.S. Navy asking that one of the two new cruisers under construction be named the U.S.S. Revere.

The Revere Journal is offering Revere residents the 15-volume set of the Standard American Encyclopedia at a very low cost. Revere School Supt. Carl Lindstol is urging every Revere family to have its own set of encyclopedias.

Hot lunches will be provided free-of-charge to needy Revere students thanks to a health project funded by the federal WPA program.

Greer Garson and Laurence Olivier star in Pride and Prejudice at the Revere and Boulevard Theatres.

Real Estate Transfers

BUYER 1	1SELLER 1	ADDRESS	PRICE
Parkman, Randy	Nicoletti, Alessandra C	67 Beachland Ave	\$308,800
DCM Realty LLC	Walsh Phyllis M Est	Cambridge St #79	\$225,000
Boston Empire Invs LLC	Cinelli, John A	137 Crescent Ave	\$720,000
Franco, Evan R	Argueta Properties LLC	28 Ellerton St	\$769,999
Elias, Orlando	Millstone, Michael T	65 Florence Ave	\$440,000
Deeb, Jillian	Sacco, Eric	59 North Ave	\$618,500
Oumimoune, Yassine	Hoyle Construction Inc	271 Oakwood Ave #B	\$619,000
Sallaki, Youssed	Loncarevic, Alexander	113 Pemberton St	\$715,000
Cintolo, William	Warren P Graff 2006 RET	482 Revere Beach Blvd	\$650,000
Rizzo, John J	Depasquale, Eleanor T	510 Revere Beach Blvd #707	\$385,000
Ou, Shanshan	Milgrom, Artur	601 Revere Beach Blvd #601	\$525,000
Loncarevic, Aleksandar	Flynn, Aisjah	585 Revere Beach Pkwy #402	\$340,000
Loncarevic, Marija	Torre, Carlos A	292 Salem St #505	\$380,000
Rhoades, Seth D	Mcclure, Ken	41 Thorndike St #A	\$542,000
Vu, Tam T	Le, Phuoc T	53 Vinal St	\$550,000
220 Walnut Ave Unit 3 RT	Mill Pond RT	220 Walnut Ave #3	\$80,000
DCM Realty LLC	Schram, Bernard J	257 Washington Ave	\$1,100,000

Council approves motion seeking to reduce liquor license fees

By Cary Shuman

The City Council unanimously approved a motion by Council President Patrick Keefe that Mayor Brian Arrigo request the License Commission to reduce restaurants' liquor license fees by 50 percent due to the loss of business caused by COVID-19.

Keefe deferred to Licensing Commission Chair Robert Selevitch for his opening remarks on the proposal.

"I just want to let you know that there has been some discussion with the members of the Licensing Commission and Mayor Brian Arrigo

"to mitigate some of the fees that have been incurred by licensees who have been forced to close during COVID-19."

Selevitch said one of the ideas that has been floated to reduce the license fees "by more than 50 percent."

"The fees would be pro-rated based on the cost of the fee and the per-day cost," said Selevitch. "What that would turn out to be was that for people who had paid in 2019 a liquor license of \$3,000 - if they had been ordered to close for eight or nine months, that's going to round out to about a \$2,000 rebate based on an \$8.22 per day cost.

That rebate would be applied to next year's license."

President Keefe said he was pleased that his proposal for a reduction in restaurants' on-premise liquor license fees "has opened the door to this conversation [by the Licensing Commission]."

"Thank you for starting that topic," Keefe said to Selevitch.

The Council also approved Ward 2 Councillor Ira Novoselsky's measure to reduce the license fees paid by owners of commercial parking lots. That proposal will also go before the Licensing Commission.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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A-20-18
Public Hearing
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A-20-19
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of Revere that the City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a virtual public hearing via Zoom on Wednesday afternoon, September 23, 2020 at 4:00 P.M. on the application of Eastern Equity Partners LLC, 1040-1048 North Shore Road, Unit B2, Revere, Massachusetts requesting a variance of Title 17, Chapter 17.24, 17.28, Section 17.24.010, 17.28.020 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere, minimum lot frontage, front yard setback, side yard, rear yard, maximum floor area ratio and minimum parking, to raze two existing structures and construct a five-story, seventy-six unit residential building and one commercial unit on Lot 77A at 207-209 Shirley Avenue and on Lot 73C at 124 Centennial Avenue, Revere, Massachusetts. Please click the link below to join the webinar: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86247061076>
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Model: Sentra
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Lic: 9CA926
VIN# JM1BM-1V7XE1171283
Ref# 5615
Year: 2014
Make: Mazda
Model: 3
Color: white
Lic: 31S598
VIN# 2B3KA43R47H660959
Ref# 5613
Year: 2007
Make: Dodge
Model: Charger
Color: Black
Lic: n/a
VIN# 1GNKVJEDX-BJ296905
Ref# 5607
Year: 2011
Make: Chevy
Model: Traverse
Color: Silver
Lic: 9ST645
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Ref# 5601
Year: 2002
Make: Volkswagen
Model: Beetle
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VIN# 1FMZU-74W55UA75100
Ref# 5582
Year: 2005
Make: ford
Model: explorer
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Ref# 5569
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
Notice is hereby given by G/J Towing Inc of 22 Whittin Ave Ext Revere, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L.c. 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after October 1, 2020 beginning at 10:00 am by private or public sale to satisfy their garage keepers' lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale. Vehicles are being stored at G/J Towing, Inc.
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3. 2004 Honda Accord VIN 1HGCM56894A044009
4. 1984 Harley Davidson FXRT VIN 1HD1EC-L33EY114546
5. 2017 Honda Odyssey VIN 5FNRL5H-34HB017889
6. 2018 Jeep Grand Cherokee VIN 1C4RJF8G-2JC425298
Signed,
Frank Russo
G/J Towing Inc
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LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT Suffolk Division INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE
Docket No. SU20P0780EA
Estate of: Guilia M. DiNucci
Date of Death: December 15, 2019
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate by Petition of Petitioner Diane DiNucci of Revere, MA and Fred DiNucci of Kissimmee, FL A Will has been admitted to informal probate. Diane DiNucci of Revere, MA and Fred DiNucci of Kissimmee, FL has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.
The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.
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2015 FORD #1FMSK-8D8XFGC22510
2017 TOYOTA #JTEZU-5JRXH5158037
2017 TOYOTA #5YF-BURHE6HP656254
2018 CADDI #1G6A-B5RXJ0135317
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COLE CASH: STRAIGHT OUTTA QUARANTINE



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cafarella, of Melrose, announce the birth of their 4th child, Cole Cash William Cafarella. He was born on April 24 (in the peak week of coronavirus) at Melrose-Wakefield Hospital weighing in at 8 pounds 3 oz. His mother is the former Diana Quarantello, of Revere. He was welcomed home by his sister, Kate, and two brothers, Brett and Dane. His grandparents are Andrea and Joe Quarantello, Jr., of Revere, and Janine and Joe Cafarella, of Revere. Great grandmother is Lois Quarantello of Revere, and the late Joe Quarantello, Sr. Great-grandparents are Ethel and Warren Lindstrom, of Bedford N.H.

Naira Almonte, 2018 RHS grad and daughter of Revere community activist, dies tragically

By John Lynds

Naira Almonte, the daughter of Maria Ureña, a well known community volunteer, advocate and Parent Lead Organizer at Women Encouraging Empowerment (WEE) in Revere died tragically on September 7.

Almonte, a 2018 Revere High School graduate, recently moved to Providence Rhode Island and just finished a medical assistant program at the time of her death. The details are still not clear as to how or why Naira died.

“Over the years I’ve watched Naira grow up, the young daughter of my friend, neighbor, and community leader Maria Urena,” said Dimple Rana. “The grief and devastation that Maria and the rest of the family are experiencing right now is unbearable and the lack of information is making it even harder.”

Naira’s mother, Ureña, is a dedicated caretaker, and a home health worker. At WEE, along with Naira, Maria provided childcare during ESOL classes, helped organize community events, and is part of a close knit group of mothers organizing for education justice and COVID relief.

A group of friends and supporters of Naira and her mom recently set up a GoFundMe page at https://www.gofundme.com/f/an-unexplained-tragic-loss-and-a-funeral-to-plan?utm_source=customer&utm_campaign=m_pd+share-sheet&utm_medium=copy_link_more to help Urena and her family pay for funeral costs.

The group has already raised over half of the \$10,000 goal as of Tuesday.

“We are asking for community support for Maria during this difficult time. Funds will assist with the funeral and other expenses, so Maria has the space and time for her and her family to grieve the devastating loss of her daughter, who is so loved and missed by all who knew her,” said



Naira Almonte.

the organizers in a statement on the GoFundMe page.

Once the fundraising efforts past \$5,000 the group thanked all the donors.

“We are very happy to have reached the halfway point,” they said. “We still have ways to go but we are grateful for every single dollar you have donated. Your generosity has not gone unnoticed and we know that with your help we know we’ll reach our goal to give Naira a beautiful final resting place. Maria and her family are still trying to come to grips with what happened to Naira but they have been greatly heartened by the outpouring of love and support from everyone. They are thankful for the calls, messages and visits from the entire community.”

Naira was known as a caring person that had a contagious smile and made friends easily due to her outgoing personality.

She graduated from Revere High School in 2018 and had just finished a program to become a Medical Assistant. She was offered a job and was excited to start working so she could save money to go back to school. Her dream was to become a Veterinarian because she loved animals and wanted to care for them.

Born in Santiago, Dominican Republic on October 14, 2001 to her mother and father Jose Almonte Naira was the sister of Albert, Brian, Junior, and Rodersy Almonte. She was the granddaughter of Calixta Almonte, Ignacia Ureña, and the late Manuel DeJesus Rodriguez, and Eliseo Urena. She is also survived by many loving aunts, uncles, cousins and countless friends.

By Penny & Ed Cherubino

With many new cooks and many more distractions and stresses for experienced cooks, kitchen rules are important. Here are topics to think about as you decide what is important to you.

Safety First

One very important rule can save both lives and property. Call 911 first if you start a fire or have a scary injury. You can call off 911 if you gain control of the situation, but always follow that first instinct to call for help. With fires or bleeding minutes count!

Even if you put out a fire or stop the bleeding, first responders are better qualified to determine if the fire might have extended into interior spaces, if the area needs to be ventilated, if smoke inhalation may be a danger, or if that cut or burn needs more than first aid.

Fire Prevention

The Massachusetts Department of Fire Services (DFS) confirms, “Cooking fires are the leading cause of home fires and home fire injuries.” Good habits can prevent kitchen fires in your home or help you deal with them safely should they occur. DFS has lots of recommendations on its webpage and we have a few.

Be sure combustible items like dish towels or pot holders are not within reach of a burner. Keep a large cover near the stove when you’re cooking. Don’t try to move a burn-

ing pan. Instead, cover it as the first step in controlling the fire.

Have a kitchen fire extinguisher near your kitchen exit to grab after you call 911. If the fire is in the oven or microwave, turn it off but DON’T open the door.

Finally, don’t leave your pans unattended. Don’t walk away from a pan that is preheating or something that is frying. Don’t leave the house when something is simmering away on a burner or in the oven.

Prevent Burns and Cuts

Dress for cooking. Chef’s jackets have long sleeves and many cooks wear kitchen clogs. Sleeves help prevent burns from spatter, oven racks, hot pans, and spills. Kitchen clog soles are designed to be non-

slip on wet floors and are thick enough to protect from a dropped knife, grease spills, or other foot dangers.

Place pan handles out of the way to prevent burns and spills. If a pan is in the oven, you not only need a potholder to grab it, but also to place over the handles when it comes out of the oven. That warns off anyone from touching it while it can still burn.

Steam can produce a very bad burn. Remove a cover of a pan or a dish in the microwave in a way that the cover will shield you from the steam.

Most cuts can be prevented by learning good knife skills. Sharp knives slide through food without pressure. Dull knives require force which is dangerous. In our kitchen, knives live on a magnetic wall rack and are

cleaned immediately after use. They are never put in a sink full of soapy water or left on a counter where they might cut a hand reaching for something else.

You might also prepare a kitchen first aid kit with some quick clot or blood stop in addition to bandages. Working smoke alarms and a fire extinguisher are both important. But it is the habits you develop day-to-day and the rules you set for those around you (including pets, children, and people who reach for something you’re cutting) that make a difference. In reality, a big dose of common sense can make your kitchen a much safer place.

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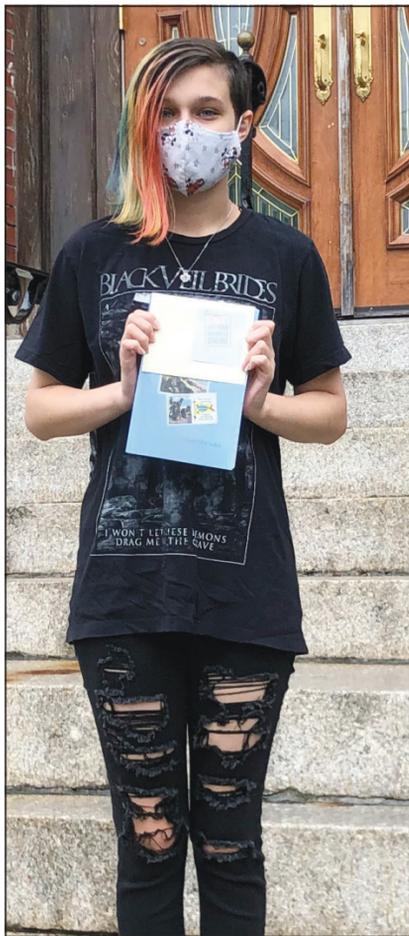
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First-place winner Karen Restrepo Gomez, author of *Fatal Infatuation*.



Second-place winner Giovanna Smith, author of *Dragara - A Whole World of Secrets*.

Revere Public Library announces winners of first creative-writing contest

Special to the Journal

The Revere Public Library held their first ever creative-writing contest over the month of August. During the COVID-19 pandemic, the library wanted to get the community engaged in something they could do in the safety of their own homes. The contest was designated to get young adults in touch with their creative sides. The contestants were given a prompt to write

about a secret world right here in Revere. There were four submissions; *Fatal Infatuation*, by Karen Restrepo Gomez, *The Five Stages of Being a Hero: Name, Power, Suit...*, by Janaisam Mendoza, *Dragara - A Whole World of secrets*, by Giovanna Smith and an untitled submission. The decision was not an easy one. The runner up was *Dragora - A Whole World of Secrets* and the first place winner was *Fatal Infatuation*. The

Second place prize was a twenty-five dollar check and the first place prize was a seventy-five-dollar check donated by the Revere Society for Cultural and Historic Preservation and the Revere Historical Museum. This is just the beginning of contests so stay tuned for the next one. You can find out more about upcoming events and contests on the Revere Public Library Facebook page or on the website, www.reverepubliclibrary.org.

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“Although remediation is being done, it is not anywhere near complete and there has been no verification of the success of the remediation,” said the RTA members in a letter. “And yet teachers, and eventually students when the District phases into a hybrid model, will be entering them (the schools).”

Due to the District’s requirement that all staff work in the school buildings three days a week, even during periods of remote instruction, the RTA told Mayor Arrigo and Dr. Kelly please teachers are heading back to schools “under duress”.

“We will continue to demand that ongoing reassurances be made and the following marks be met,” they wrote.

The RTA wants AM-ARESCO to retest all buildings, with particular attention to the five schools that received poor readings—Beachmont, Seacoast, Garfield Elementary, Garfield Middle, and Revere High School to verify that remediation has been successful. The RTA wants multiple rooms on multiple floors to be tested, including interior classrooms with no windows, and faculty common spaces and they want all test done with closed windows.

“The District (should) commit to purchasing HEPA filter portable air cleaners for all rooms

identified with low airflow,” said the RTA. “This is especially important in rooms that do not have windows or in winter months when windows cannot stay open.”

“Because these guidelines have not been met, teachers must be given the option to work from home until these issues are firmly resolved,” said the letter. “There is nothing RPS teachers want more than to be in the presence of our students. We miss them dearly. But in order for that day to come, we must do everything in our power to move Revere out of the Red Zone.”

In response Dr. Kelly said in a statement to the Revere Journal that over the past months the district and educators have been preparing to return to work to best serve our students. One of the preparations included negotiations with the RTA regarding certain return to work aspects. “After many hours of collaborative negotiations, the parties arrived at agreement and this agreement was ratified by the RTA membership on August 28th, by an overwhelming percentage, and approved unanimously by the School Committee on the same day,” said Kelly. “Through negotiations the parties agreed to have educators in school buildings 2-3 days per week while Revere students were learning from their homes. The District believes, consistent with the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, that educators working out of their classrooms is in the best interests of students.”

Kelly added that through negotiations the parties also agreed how the district would continue to address certain HVAC concerns in three of Revere’s eight buildings.

“It is important to point out, as has been made clear to the RTA, that the HVAC systems in the Beachmont, Garfield, and High School are not malfunctioning,” said Kelly. “They all work as designed. As has been indicated by HVAC professionals and medi-

cal professionals, opening windows is the most effective remedy for increasing the amount of outside air coming into a space. Our facilities team has worked fervently to ensure windows are operating in every classroom in these buildings.”

Since Revere Public Schools shut down in March due to COVID-19, it has been over 180 days since teachers and students have been in the classroom. As a result, students have undergone immense trauma—contracting the virus themselves, witnessing family members be forced to quarantine within the same household, or enduring the unfathomable grief of sudden loss. RPS students embody resilience in every form, and as their teachers, we are consistently amazed by their grit, perseverance, and hope.

In early August, Mayor Brian Arrigo cancelled all city-sponsored events and determined all students would begin the year with remote learning because of Revere’s recent uptick in COVID-19 cases. The chair of Revere’s Board of Health, Dr. Nathalee Kong, claimed social gatherings to be the biggest cause of such an increased rate.

But not much has changed in the month that’s passed. Governor Charlie Baker recently issued a press conference and labeled Revere as one of the five communities with still “dangerously high” rates of transmission. Mayor Brian Arrigo joined Gov. Baker and said, “Half of our [Revere’s] population is comprised of immigrants and communities of color. We know that this virus impacts Black and Brown communities disproportionately and we are seeing those impacts in the city of Revere... We have to dig in and do more.”

We have to dig in and do more. RPS teachers agree.

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REVERE BABE RUTH BASEBALL

Mustangs defeat Pals, 5-0, to advance to finals

By Cary Shuman

The Mustangs, behind a complete-game three-hitter by Kevin Murillo, defeated the PALS, 5-0, to advance to the Revere Babe Ruth League playoff finals.

Centerfielder Mike Morgan and shortstop Chris Cassidy played excellent defense in support of Murillo's splendid seven-strikeout effort on the mound.

Chris Cassidy, Patrick Keefe, Gianni Bellia, and Giancarlo Miro all had key, run-producing hits for the Mustangs.

The Mustangs were set to play the Riders in Game 1 of the championship series Tuesday. The Riders defeated the Colts, 5-2, to advance to the finals.

The Mustangs and Riders both finished with 10-4 records during the regular season while

sharing first place in the four-team league.

Mustangs Manager Patrick Keefe Jr., who also serves as the City Council President, was expecting an exciting and perhaps, low-scoring championship series.

"Baseball always comes down to pitching," said Keefe, who in addition to the Mustangs' ace Kevin Murillo, has capable hurlers in Giancarlo Miro and Patrick Keefe III on his staff.

The Riders will rely on pitchers Doug McGrath, Michael Popp, Sal DeAngelis to lead the way against the defending champion Mustangs.

Game 2 of the best-of-three championship series will be played Wednesday at 5 p.m. Game 3 (if necessary) will be played Friday at 5 p.m. All games will be played at Al Blasi Field at Revere High School.



Behind the plate is Giancarlo Miro.



Ollie Svendsen on the mound for the Pals.



Swinging for the bleachers, Eric Essumurig for the Mustangs take a swing at a fastball. More photos on Page 13.

RHS SPORTS THROUGH THE YEARS

10 years ago September 15, 2010

Coach Lou Cicatelli's RHS football team opened its season in impressive fashion with a smashing 48-12 rout of Medford Friday evening under the lights at Harry Della Russo Stadium. Trae Weathers rushed for 170 yards and scored two touchdowns in the first half. Quintin Wesley ran for 140 yards and two TDs, while Joe Amaya scampered 40 yards for a score and Drew Lauria scooted 60 yards to paydirt. Weathers, Wesley, and Lauria all played roles in Revere's perfect 6-for-6 two-point conversions. Quarterback Paul Norton was a perfect 3-for-3 in the air for 70 yards. Starting line-backer Robert Sasso led the Patriot defense with 12 tackles.

The RHS boys soccer team kicked off its season with a 2-0 win at Triton Regional on Friday. Leo Giraldo and Quias Ghulan scored the goals for coach Nik Tower's Patriots.

Coach Natalie Lyons's RHS girls soccer team defeated Medford, 2-0, in its season-opener, thanks to goals by Paola Ortiz and Jackie Noel.

30 years ago September 19, 1990

The Revere High football team dropped a 3-0 decision to Wakefield in the season-opener Friday evening under the lights at Harry Della Russo stadium. Senior defensive back Tito DaViega led a stout Patriot defense, intercepting two passes and making eight tackles for

head coach Mike Cella's squad.

Tina Hinojosa scored three goals to lead the RHS girls soccer team to a 4-1 win over Cambridge. Linda Castelli also scored for the Lady Patriots.

40 years ago September 17, 1980

The RHS cross-country team opened its season with a record-setting 27th straight victory by a shutout score of 15-43 over Everett. Patriot captain Paul Maiorano covered the 2.8 mile course in 14:20 to finish in first place. Bob DeMauro, Dave DiMatteo, Miles Harkins, and Jay Finelli completed the sweep for Revere.

60 years ago September 22, 1960

Coach John Furey's Revere High football team, which will be captained this season by the trio of Dickie DeAngelis, Joe Cortazzo, and Ed Limoli, will open its season this Saturday at Paul Revere Stadium against a favored Saugus squad. The Blue & White played in the annual pre-season Jamboree under the lights Friday night at the Manning Bowl in Lynn against Beverly and earned an 8-0 victory. Revere played in another Jamboree on Sunday and defeated Lowell, 8-0.

The Immaculate Conception High football team, under the direction of coach Ronald Corbett, will open its season Sunday afternoon, hosting Cathedral High at Paul Revere Stadium.

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REVERE SOFTBALL: JETS VS. LIGHTNING

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Jets pitcher, Vanessa Simpson with a big wind-up.



Leah Doucette was behind the plate for the Jets.



Addison Ulwick leans in for the sign from her catcher.



Evelyn Griffen at bat



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Shown left, Cate Morgan lines-up a hanging pitch.

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REVERE BASEBALL PLAY-OFF GAME: PALS VS. MUSTANGS



Starting pitcher, Kevin Murillo for the Mustangs.



Head Coach Patrick Keefe with the 10-4 Mustangs.



Coaches Patrick Keefe and John Leone discuss the game rules.



Pals Third Baseman, Doug Goodwin just misses a tag on Mustang runner, Patrick Keefe.



Pals Catcher Branzel Cooper gets a put out at home, with a sliding Mustang crashing into him.



Asst. Coaches Bob Lynch and Carl Svendsen and Head Coach John Leone with the 8-5 Pals.

East Coast Junior Patriots begin youth hockey practices

By Cary Shuman

The Revere Youth Hockey organization, now playing in its second season under the banner of the East Coast Junior Patriots that also includes players from East Boston, Everett, and Malden, has begun practices for the 2020-21 season at the Cronin Rink in Revere.

League Treasurer Gerry Visconti, whose two sons, Gerry, 16, and Jo-

“Joe is the heart and soul of the program – hands down,” lauded Visconti. “Without Joe, this program does not exist.”

seph, 9, participate in the hockey program, said the organization has 100 players skating on travel teams among five divi-



Revere Youth Hockey coach and league official Gerry Visconti and his son, Joseph Visconti, are pictured after a practice at the Cronin Rink.



Revere Youth Hockey President Joe DeSantis displays the East Coast Junior Patriots hockey jersey that is worn by all teams in the programs.

sions of the Valley Hockey League.

The coaches and players are following strict COVID-19 guidelines that include the wearing of face coverings while on the hockey bench.

Joe DeSantis is back at the helm of the program, continuing an outstanding 30-year tenure as the legendary leader of Revere Youth Hockey.

“Joe is the heart and soul of the program – hands down,” lauded Visconti. “Without Joe,

this program does not exist.”

As a youth, Visconti played in the East Boston Youth Hockey program at Porrazzo Rink, and later at Dom Savio High School, graduating in 1987.

“My sons got interested in hockey and you become involved or sit by the sidelines,” said Visconti, a Revere councillor-at-large. “And I’m not usually one to sit by the sidelines.”



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NEWS FROM AROUND THE REGION

BUILDING MOMENTUM ON SECOND STREET

CHELSEA - The gas station on Second Street in Chelsea Square is now slated for development as the long-time owner looks to retire and has an option to sell the property to Broadway Capital, which has proposed to develop the property into a new residential building.

Reggie's Service at 31 Second St. is now being slated for 24 units of housing, with 20 percent of it being affordable units. The project was presented by Broadway Capital's Mike Vienneau on Tuesday at the Planning Board and is making its way through the review process.

It will include 36 parking spots, all underground, he said.

Vienneau said they are very open to making the units condos for sale, rather than rental apartments. Right now, they are just finishing up the former nursing home at 932 Broadway, and if sales go as well as they hope there, then Vienneau said they would use the same formula on Second Street - if approved.

"The nursing home is kind of our test site for homeownership here and if it works - which we believe it will, we'll plug in the same formula for Second Street," said Vienneau.

The project will move to the Zoning Board in the coming weeks for additional reviews and potential approvals.

LUXURY HOUSING ON BROADWAY

CHELSEA - The fortress of a building that was once a nursing home at 932 Broadway seemed like an insurmountable task to transform into luxury housing earlier this year when Broadway Capital started construction on the project.

Yet, a transformation is exactly what has happened at the home through the COVID-19 pandemic and now a very unique home ownership opportunity is about ready to be

delivered to the market in November.

"We're at about 80 percent construction completion," said Mike Vienneau of Broadway Capital. "The goal is to finish things up in the next few months and have it ready for occupancy by November...One thing we really focused on is the owner-occupancy and the affordability. Ownership is a huge thing the City wanted. Because Chelsea has such a high percentage of rental properties, they're looking for more owner-occupancy projects."

That is exactly what will be delivered, with 33 condos for sale, and six of them affordable to 80 percent AMI (two of them two-bedrooms and four one-bedrooms).

Listing agents Jeff Bowen and Robert Ricardo of RealWay said the for sale units offer a great opportunity to live and work in Chelsea - with prices starting in the mid-\$300,000 range and going up. The property also includes an 1,800 sq. ft. roof deck with wood flooring, a dog run, Italian cabinets, in-unit washer/dryer and a Bosch appliance package. There will be management on site too, and Broadway Capital and RealWay intend to open offices in the retail portion of the project on the ground floor.

There are also 33 parking spots and one spot deeded to each owner.

Bowen said it is a milestone development as well, because it is the first significant ownership building put on the market since Mill Creek in 2004.

Ricardo, who has lived in Chelsea all his life after immigrating from Colombia as a child, said he is really excited to bring premiere ownership opportunities to Chelsea - whether it's existing residents wanting to move into a new building or people coming into the city looking for a diverse community away from Boston or Cambridge.

"I'm excited to be part of this and to really boost the opportunities in Chelsea," said Ricardo. "Overall, I think the City of Chelsea is on a path to

recovery and moving forward in the right direction without losing that urban blue-collar feel...When I was a kid I used to go up on the roof and see how close we were to Boston. I always wondered why more people didn't come to Chelsea. Now, I'm part of seeing Chelsea become what I thought it could always become...Chelsea is becoming the go-to place. It has its challenges - like any city - but it can surpass them."

Bowen added that the home-ownership rate in Chelsea is at 17 percent, which is the 5th lowest in the nation behind Newark, NJ. He said that's why this project is so important.

"We're trying to bring affordable home-ownership to the City of Chelsea so we can increase tax revenues and have Chelsea provide better schools and infrastructure and change the perception Chelsea is a pass-through community," he said.

MIXED USE DEVELOPMENT PLANNED

EAST BOSTON - A developer filed a Letter of Intent with the Boston Planning and Development Agency (BPDA) to create a 190-unit, mixed use development on Bennington Street near Wood Island MBTA station.

According to the letter filed with the BPDA the developer, named only as Redgate, is looking to transform a 50,000 square foot lot at 355 Bennington St. into a six-story building containing approximately 190 multifamily dwelling units, ground floor retail, accessory parking, and amenities and services for building residents.

The site, that currently houses a single-story commercial business and paved lot, is bounded by Bremen Street, Bennington Street, the Martin A. Coughlin Bypass Road, and Excel Academy Charter School.

Redgate plans to demolish the existing building and construct the new six-story building.

"We anticipate submitting a Project Notification Form within the next 30

OPENING DAY AT EAST BOSTON CENTRAL CATHOLIC



The East Boston Central Catholic School (EBCCS) has opened their doors for the 2020-2021 school year. Shown above, EBCCS teacher Sharon Rozzi teaches in her classroom. EBCCS plans to start the school year with some students learning 'in-person' while others learning 'remotely'.

days, and we look forward to working with your staff, elected officials, community members, and the Impact Advisory Group that will review the Project," wrote Redgate's attorney, Matthew Kiefer.

The project has already received some backlash from community members.

Longtime activists like Mary Berninger pointed out that when Massport built the passive park on Neptune Road just across the street from the proposed Bennington St. project, they told the community that benches and other amenities could not be included due to the park's location under Runway 15/32's flight path.

"Six stories directly near the approach to a runway?," said Berninger. "The community couldn't even get permission for a couple of benches at the Neptune Road Buffer Park because 'points of public assembly' are forbidden in that area."

Also, the Boston Zoning Board of Appeals recently rejected a similar large-scale project on Bremen Street just down the street from Redgate's proposal.

Citing a lack of greenspace coupled with the size and scope of the project, the ZBA unanimously rejected the proposed project at 282-302 Bremen St. that would have brought 145 additional units to Eastie.

EAST BOSTON'S MOTHERS OUT FRONT RECEIVES CITY GRANT

EAST BOSTON - The East Boston chapter of the national Mothers Out Front movement received a Love Your Block mini-grant from the City of Boston. The grant provides funding for neighborhoods throughout Boston to organize clean-ups and beautification projects.

Mothers Out Front, a movement that encourages mothers across the nation to fight for meaningful environmental mitigation to ensure a liveable climate for children, will use the funds to build a community living wall for its residents.

According to Mothers Out Front's (MOF) Sonja Tengblad the community living wall will help educate the residents about the need for good air quality as the current air quality is poor due to the proximity of Logan Airport.

Tengblad said the community living wall is inspired by London's carbon

sequestering moss walls.

"Mothers Out Front East Boston designed a community art build to both empower and educate East Boston about air pollution," said Tengblad. "Designed by MOF member Danielle Marie Emond, this Green Living Wall will spell the word 'Aire' (air) using peat moss cups adhered to a chain link fence. It will be in Spanish not only to represent the neighborhood, but to illustrate how unfairly burdened people of color are by air pollution, and will include multilingual signage educating passersby about our air quality."

Eastie artist Sury Chavez will design a sidewalk art project alongside the wall, giving families and community members more opportunities to participate. MOF volunteers will then host school groups and other visitors over a three-week period once it is up, facilitating discussions about air pollution, health, and climate change."

Tengblad said a special unveiling is planned for Mother's Day weekend 2021.

With Eastie being an Environmental Justice Community, Tengblad said MOF's Clean Air Force group has repeatedly pointed out the health inequities in the community.

"African-American children have the highest prevalence of asthma and 68 percent of Latinos live in areas that do not meet federal air quality standards compared to 58 percent of whites," she said.

"More than 1.81 million Latinos nationwide live within one half mile of existing oil and gas facilities and African-Americans are 75 percent more likely than others to live near facilities that produce hazardous waste. Latinos on average breathe in 63 percent more of the pollution than they make. For African-Americans the figure is 56 percent. Non-Latino whites on average are exposed to 17 percent less air pollution than they make according to recent studies released this year."

Mayor Martin Walsh said these grants go a long way to help bring residents and communities together to beautify even more of our neighborhoods and call attention to environmental issues in Boston.

"Through the Love Your Block program, we are encouraging residents of Boston to show their love for their neighborhoods, one block at a

time," he said.

The city's Director of Office of Public Service Kaira Fox added, "Our City is going through a trying time and I am happy that programs like Love Your Block exist to bring residents not only hope but a physical change that positively impacts their surroundings. Beautification is healing to these communities and our 2020-2021 winners will create bright spots for their residents amid the adverse effects of COVID-19."

ZONING BOARD REMOVAL WAS NOT POLITICAL

EVERETT - While some are saying the removal of long-time Zoning Board member Mike Dantone is political retribution, Mayor Carlo DeMaria this week said that couldn't be further from the truth and is actually a move over several years to diversify Boards in the City.

Last week, Dantone confirmed that he had been removed from the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) after 15 years of service. A letter from the mayor dated Aug. 27 indicated his last day of service was to be Aug. 31.

Dantone said he goes to nearly every meeting, makes site visits, and has had to be involved in legal issues related to the Board a number of times over the years. He said he takes the job very seriously, but did not know why specifically he was removed.

Mayor DeMaria told the Independent any talk of political retribution is totally false.

"There was no politics in it at all," he said. "I've been asking board members the last two years to step off if they've been on a Board for too long...I could care less who held a sign for Mike. Antonio Amaya is on a Board and he held a sign for Mike and I didn't rescind him. People are welcome to vote for whomever they want and hold signs if they want."

He said the effort is all about diversifying the Boards to reflect the current population and make sure no one is serving too long and making decisions inconsistent with the times.

"Everyone else has been ok with it," he said. "I do not want someone on a Board for 20 years. We had Joe DeSisto on the ZBA far too long and he

COVID-19 has changed everything.

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IKEA Retail U.S returns \$1.4 million in unemployment payments that will fund work skills training

Staff Report

IKEA Retail U.S. will return to Massachusetts \$1,393,437 million used to pay unemployment benefits of previously furloughed employees, which will fund skill development and workforce training for both adults and youth to further assist the Commonwealth's economic recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.

Massachusetts is one of 27 states to which IKEA is planning to provide funds through its new national fund designed to return unemployment benefits that IKEA employees received when stores closed during the pandemic. In addition to the U.S., IKEA is coordinating repayment plans with Belgium, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Ireland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Spain and the

United Kingdom.

"Massachusetts is grateful to have responsible businesses like IKEA that work in partnership with us, ensuring that we can take urgent care of people whose livelihoods were impacted by the coronavirus outbreak while strategically planning for our recovery in the months and years ahead," said Gov. Charlie Baker.

"We are appreciative of the ongoing support from the state of Massachusetts, including the unemployment funds paid to our co-workers who were furloughed in the early weeks of the pandemic," said Javier Quiñones, IKEA Retail U.S. president. "People are the heart of our business, and the state unemployment benefits helped IKEA US co-workers during a difficult time. We now have a better un-

derstanding of the impact of COVID-19 on our business, and we've decided to "pay it forward" to support the ongoing COVID recovery efforts in our local communities."

The returned benefits will be deposited into the Commonwealth Corporation Foundation, the 501(c)(3) created to act as a fiscal conduit for grants, contracts, corporate funds and other funding that supports Commonwealth Corporation, Massachusetts' quasi-public workforce development agency.

"Unemployment insurance and workforce development create a virtuous circle. Workers trained using UI funds help businesses across Massachusetts grow and thrive," said Lt. Gov. Karyn Polito. "As those businesses succeed and paid wages grow, businesses pay it forward

through growing UI contributions, which assist more workers gain the skills to succeed in a rapidly changing economy. This cycle lays a strong foundation to support the Commonwealth's businesses, workers and families through both difficult and prosperous economic times."

Workforce development is lifelong education: affordable, highly effective, and efficient in delivering the skills that businesses seek in employees. Commonwealth Corporation administers Massachusetts' workforce development programs on behalf of the Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development by investing in innovative partnerships with industry, education and workforce organizations.

Those partnerships prepare youth and unemployed workers for jobs

in demand that lead to higher rates of employment through the Workforce Competitiveness Trust Fund, upskill underemployed workers to meet specific employer skill demands leading to job retention, upgrades and wage gains through the Workforce Training Fund Program, and increase the share of youth engaged in education and employment pathways preparing them for post-secondary education and careers through its YouthWorks program.

"Massachusetts has worked tirelessly over the last five months to make sure that every person entitled to benefits during this global emergency has received what they need to support themselves and their families," said Secretary of Labor and Workforce Development Rosalind Acosta. "Now, we must focus on preparing

workers for a drastically changed economy so that we can meet the challenges ahead caused by this crisis.

"The nature of work is changing, and we run the risk of leaving behind workers who do not have the means to work from home, or who worked in industries heavily impacted by COVID-19," said Commonwealth Corporation Christine Abrams. "Our grantees have done remarkable work in the face of this crisis, from transitioning their factories to personal protective equipment production, to adapting current training programs designed for hard-hit industries to now target industries that are still hiring. Our YouthWorks program has created virtual opportunities for youth across Massachusetts. We are grateful to IKEA for helping us continue this critical work."

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ran it like it was his... We really need to increase the diversity on that Board. I don't want people on that Board who have friendships with developers."

He said the ZBA has recently elected a new chair in Mary Gerace, and he said he will have her run the ZBA for a few years and then ask her to step off the Board and onto another Board if she wishes.

"That's all I'm doing here," he said. To that end, he said he has nominated Le Cao to replace Dantone as part of his initiative to increase diversity and nominate Everett residents that haven't ever served on a Board. He said he put out the request for applications and was impressed with Cao in the interview.

"I thought he was very interesting and had some good ideas about how developers can contribute, like adding to a public Wi-Fi network," said the mayor.

REMOTE LEARNING AT NSCC

LYNN - When North Shore Community College's 56th academic year began, classes and learning continued, but in a very different format. To prioritize the health and safety of NSCC's entire community, the vast majority of NSCC students began the fall semester in a predominantly virtual environment.

"I think it is safe to say that this is the beginning of the most unprecedented semester NSCC has ever faced," said Dr. Nate Bryant, NSCC Interim President. "Six months following the coronavirus pandemic outbreak, we still find ourselves in its throes. We have spent significant time and resources over the summer preparing for our utmost goal of keeping our students and staff safe and healthy.

"Only about five percent of our classes will be offered in person on campus, most of which are those that require face-to-face labs and simulations. Students and faculty will continue to adapt to an online learning environment, while those employees who can effectively perform their work from home will continue to do so. I extend my sincere thanks and admiration for the efforts of so many who have worked diligently to prepare for what promises to be an auspicious year,"

Dr. Bryant noted.

NSCC started planning the conversion to online learning in March when the college moved away from face-to-face learning due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Now, Dr. Bryant says, NSCC is poised to deliver an online learning experience that is equal in quality to the face-to-face experience. Our full-time faculty and adjunct faculty have been training all summer to prepare for the new school year and I'm delighted with the progress they made. Students this fall will receive an exceptional online learning experience.

Dr. Karen Hynick, Vice President of Academic Affairs, said, "Thanks to the hard work and ability of NSCC faculty to quickly pivot to a new educational reality, our students will continue to receive an exceptionally high-quality educational experience at NSCC, albeit in different formats. We have only 29 sections of face-to-face courses for the fall semester, mostly in health professions, aviation and other areas that require hands-on experiences where the equipment can't be replicated at home or through virtual means. Our faculty and Center for Teaching, Learning and Innovation (CTLI) staff have spent countless hours preparing for the fall semester, enhancing over 300 sections of online, 250 sections of hybrid and 250 sections of video conference courses."

NSCC has made a considerable investment to ensure high academic standards continued across all academic programs in the new virtual modality. Over \$700,000 was spent on training full-time and adjunct faculty to develop online, hybrid and video-conference courses and labs. The college also dedicated significant resources to ensure that students had what they needed to succeed - Chromebooks, Hot Spots, virtual resource access and emergency loans if needed.

In addition, NSCC student affairs staff have worked tirelessly since the spring to address anticipated enrollment shortfalls. Work has included lots of virtual weekend registration and orientation events, and shifting student supports to virtual delivery such as advising, tutoring, counseling, and more. Countless hours were spent to drive down

what started out as a significant double-digit decline, which is now much closer to original projections.

"All of us at NSCC remain steadfast in our commitment to the health and safety of our students and staff and to student success. We will continue to adjust and adapt to the changes brought forth by the COVID pandemic," Dr. Bryant said. "We maintain social distancing, wear facemasks, and are getting used to a new way of life in the hopes of keeping our families and communities safe and limiting the spread of the coronavirus."

LOCAL BUSINESSES ENDURING PANDEMIC

WINTHROP - Since the start of the coronavirus pandemic, local businesses everywhere have been

struggling to survive. Many business owners are faced with fear due to the uncertain future and others have been bolstered by dedicated customers that have kept them on their feet.

Winthrop Pro Shop Owner, Jim Gillis, is concerned about the loss of school and youth sports going forward, but he is humbled by the support that he's received from residents.

"I'm so thankful for this community, I can't say that enough," said Gillis, who has owned the shop for 15 years. "From the time I was able to open the shop back up, I've seen a lot of people come in to buy t-shirts or apparel."

A good portion of the Pro Shop's sales stem from the embroidery and screen print part of the business, which Gillis said is thanks to word of mouth. While he's concerned about losing sports

apparel purchases with a delayed school opening and a lack of team sports, he's seen a rise in business purchases from Winthrop and other surrounding communities.

"I do a lot of company t-shirts and polos and our turnaround time is quick. Thanks to the word of mouth, it's kept me busy enough, but if sports doesn't come back for another year, that will be a big hit."

With one-fifth of Massachusetts' restaurants closing permanently as a result of the pandemic, it's more important than ever for businesses to support one another. Antique Table recently announced the expansion of their takeout restaurant Piccolo Piatti, and Gillis will be creating the shirts for their staff members. Now offering breakfast, lunch and dinner, Piccolo Piatti will have a brand new outdoor

seating section.

In the heart of center, the Winthrop Book Depot has limited outdoor seating, however; they have continued to go strong thanks to the support of the community.

"The community has really showed up for us," said Owner, Suzanne Martucci. "Thanks to their support, it hasn't slowed down much at all for us."

Some local businesses are use to seasonal shifts in business. Owner of Surf Cleaners, Marco Tieri, has always seen a decline in sales during the summer months, however; with less people needing to get dressed up for the office, that decline has been more prominent.

"For the most part, business is down compared to what we are normally at," said Tieri. "People aren't going into the office so they don't need dry cleaning as much, Tieri added"



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Thurs: Whole Grain Team Cheerios Strawberry Cereal Bar, Strawberry Craisins, Graham Crackers, 100% Fruit Juice, Milk
Fri: Whole Grain Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal, Graham Crackers, Raisins, Milk

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WEEKLY CRIME Report

The following incident reports are among the calls to which the Revere Police Department responded on the listed dates:

MONDAY, AUG. 31

0039: The repossession of a motor vehicle (MV) on Parkside Place was reported by the repo company.

0205: Unwanted person on Morris St. The officer restored the peace.

0302: Shots fired on Agatha St. The officer will file a report.

0722: Traffic control on Park Ave. A MV was towed.

0737: A hit-and-run motor vehicle accident (MVA) was reported on Thornton St.

0822: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at No. Shore Rd. and Mills Ave. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1104: Vandalism on Beach St. The officer will file a report.

1144: Assault & battery (A&B) on Winthrop Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

1210: A 209A domestic abuse prevention restraining order (209A order) was served upon a Revere Beach Parkway resident.

1243: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Squire Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1329: Shoplifting on Squire Rd. The officer will file a report.

1354: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) at Broadway and Fernwood Ave. The officer will file a report.

1354: Threats to kill on Squire Rd. The officer will file a report.

1418: A MV that had been reported as stolen was recovered on Ward St.

1513: Suspicious activity on Beach St. The officer will file a report.

1614: A trespass tow of a MV was reported on Revere St.

1621: Disturbance on Amelia Place. The officer provided assistance.

1634: MVA on Kimball Ave. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1640: A trespass tow of a MV on Ocean Ave. was reported.

1653: Disturbance on Waite St. The officer restored the peace.

1704: Vandalism on Dix St. The officer will file a report.

1711: Unwanted person on Washington Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1716: Disturbance on Walnut Ave. The officer will file a report.

1720: Assist citizen on No. Shore Rd. The officer will file a report.

1723: Breaking & entering (B&E) into a motor vehicle (MV) on East Mountain Ave. The officer will file a report.

1735: Domestic disturbance on Delano Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1910: Noise distur-

bance on Park Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1922: Blocked driveway on Prospect Ave. The officer issued a parking ticket.

1948: Public safety on Park Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2035: Public safety on Winthrop Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2144: Domestic disturbance on Franklin Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2155: Complaint on Washington Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2237: Blocked driveway on Avon St. The officer provided assistance.

2239: Suspicious activity on Emmet Terrace. The officer will file a report.

2326: Disabled MV at Oak Island St. and No. Shore Rd. The officer provided assistance.

2331: MVA at Butler Circle. The officer will file a report.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 1

007: A hit-and-run MVA was reported on Revere St. The officer will file a report.

0100: Noise disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0110: Disturbance on Carlson Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

0121: Domestic disturbance on Garfield Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

0427: Noise disturbance on Overlook Ridge Terr. The officer spoke to the party.

0604: The repossession of a MV on Floyd St. was reported by the repo company.

0658: B&E into a building on Constitution Ave. The officer will file a report.

0800: Disabled MV on No. Shore Rd. The MV was moved.

0920: A 209A domestic abuse prevention restraining order was served upon a Temple St. resident.

0955: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Winthrop Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1159: Domestic disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1331: Noise disturbance on No. Shore Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1405: Domestic disturbance on Emmet Terrace. The officer provided assistance.

1412: Domestic disturbance on Park Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1417: MVA on Squire Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1622: An officer stopped a MV on Calumet St. and issued a citation to a 48 year-old Revere woman for the criminal offenses of forging or misusing a Registry of Motor Vehicles document, a number plate violation to conceal identification, and uttering a false document.

1624: Domestic disturbance on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer

provided assistance.

1727: Suspicious activity at Washington and Rice Aves. The officer provided assistance.

1802: B&E into a building on Sherman St. The officer provided assistance.

1818: Disturbance on Rice Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1829: Disturbance on Shirley Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1829: Disturbance on Rice Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1846: Assistance to a citizen on Lantern Rd.

1905: Assistance to a citizen on Neponset St.

1936: Assistance to a citizen on Lantern Rd.

2040: Disturbance on Revere St. The officer provided assistance.

2114: Disturbance on Avon St. The officer restored the peace.

2116: Assistance to a citizen on Ocean Ave.

2149: An officer stopped a MV on the Revere Beach Parkway and ordered the MV to be towed.

2153: Disturbance on Endicott Ave. The officer restored the peace.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 2

0005: Noise disturbance on Sprague St. The officer restored the peace.

0042: Assistance to a citizen on Morris St.

0207: Suspicious activity on Revere St. The officer provided assistance.

0700: Vandalism on East Mountain Ave. The officer will file a report.

1003: Disturbance on Beach St. The officer restored the peace.

1005: Breaking & entering (B&E) into a motor vehicle (MV) on Tracy Alan Way. The officer will file a report.

1029: Parking complaint on Broadway. The MV was moved.

1051: A MV that had been reported as stolen was recovered on the Revere Beach Parkway.

1116: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer provided assistance.

1121: Violation of a domestic abuse prevention restraining order pursuant to c. 209A on Amelia Place. The officer issued a summons to a 53 year-old Revere woman for the criminal offense of violating a 209A order.

1326: Shoplifting on Shirley Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1402: Violation of a harassment prevention restraining order pursuant to c. 258E on Ocean Ave. The officer issued a summons to a 23 year-old Revere man for the criminal offense of violating a 258E order.

1431: Assistance to a citizen on Salem St. The officer will file a report.

1524: Assault & battery (A&B) on Ocean Ave. The officer issued a summons to a 25 year-old Somerville man for the criminal offense of A&B in a domestic situation.

1529: MVA with proper damage at Copeland Circle. The officer will file a report.



Shown with Lt. Churchill are Mayor Brian Arrigo and Fire Chief Christopher Bright.

Firefighter William Churchill promoted

William "Billy" Churchill was promoted to Lieutenant in the Revere Fire Department at an outdoor ceremony held on Aug. 26. Billy is a graduate of RHS, Class President and a football captain. He graduated

from Emerson College.

He is the son of Kathleen (Morris) and the late William R. Churchill. His mother taught for 40 years in the Revere Public School system. His sister was the late Bridget Marie Chur-

chill.

Billy is married to Danielle (Ennamorati) Churchill and the father of Billy and Alice.

He was pined by close family friend and former firefighter Val Lanza.

1702: Violation of a 209A order on Ocean Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1748: Domestic disturbance on Thorndike St. Officers arrested Donald T. Donahue, 55, of 235 Revere St., for the criminal offense of assault & battery (A&B) by means of a dangerous weapon.

1833: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1849: Domestic disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2124: Domestic disturbance on Ward St. The officer will file a report.

2153: Noise disturbance on Winthrop Parkway. The officer restored the peace.

2242: Noise disturbance on True St. The officer restored the peace.

2251: Domestic disturbance on Beachland Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2322: MVA with property damage only at Revere an Sagamore Sts. A MV was towed.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 3

0005: Stolen MV on Proctor Ave. The officer will file a report.

0042: Noise disturbance at Carleton and Folsom Sts. The officer spoke to the party.

0042: Noise disturbance on Elmwood St. The officer spoke to the party.

0131: Disturbance at Cooledge St. The officer spoke to the party.

0212: The repossession of a MV on Rand St. was reported by the repo company.

0228: The repossession of a MV at Fitzhenry Sq. was reported by the repo company.

0246: MVA on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

0633: Assistance to a citizen on Lee Burbank Highway.

0723: B&E into a MV on Calumet St. The officer spoke to the party.

0753: MVA on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of

papers.

0953: Complaint on Winthrop Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1006: Disabled MV at Mahoney Circle. The officer provided assistance.

1014: A resident reported a case of identity theft.

1059: Hit-and-run MVA on Broadway with property damage. The officer provided assistance.

1128: Parking complaint at Lee and Ambrose Sts. The officer issued a parking ticket.

1135: Suspicious activity on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer spoke to the party.

1144: Soliciting on Harris St. The officer spoke to the party.

1203: Parking complaint on Beach Rd. The MV was moved.

1212: A 209A order was served upon a Revere Beach Parkway resident.

1218: Disturbance on Shirley Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1246: Disturbance on Bennington St. The officer issued a summons to a 51 year-old Revere man for the criminal offense of assault & battery.

1321: Assistance to a citizen on Broadway. The officer will file a report.

1419: Noise disturbance on Shirley Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

1444: A harassment prevention order (258E order) was served upon a Waite St. resident.

1449: Assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway.

1449: Vandalism on Broadway. The officer will file a report.

1459: Disturbance on Douglas St. The officer restored the peace.

1535: Domestic disturbance on Allston St. The officer restored the peace.

1618: MVA on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1635: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Broadway. The officer provided assistance.

1637: Larceny on Ward St. The officer is-

sued a summons to a 22 year-old Lynn woman for the criminal offense of larceny of property over \$1200 by a single scheme.

1637: A 209A order was served upon a Revere Beach Parkway resident.

1643: A 209A order was served upon a Waite St. resident.

1720: Parking complaint on Mountain Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1800: Disturbance on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1836: Suspicious activity on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

2031: Suspicious motor vehicle (MV) on Waite St. The officer will file a report.

2049: MVA on Broadway. The officer will file a report.

2056: Disturbance on Beach St. The officer provided assistance.

2209: Disturbance on Newman St. The officer restored the peace.

2237: Noise disturbance on Geneva St. The officer provided assistance.

2256: Disturbance on Winthrop Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

2258: Noise disturbance on Constitution Ave. The officer restored the peace.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 4

0003: Vandalism on Park Ave. The officer will file a report.

0914: Disturbance on Pleasant St. The officer restored the peace.

0952: Larceny on Broadway. The officer will file a report.

1015: Animal complaint on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer provided assistance.

1218: MVA with property damage on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1237: Assistance to a citizen on Revere St.

1238: A stolen MV was reported on Park Ave.

1302: Assistance to a citizen on Lantern Rd.

1312: Disturbance on Revere St. The officer re-

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stored the peace.

1327: Fraud on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer will file a report.

1328: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Squire Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1342: Disturbance on Railroad St. The officer restored the peace.

1342: Noise disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1416: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage at Hichborn St. and Franklin ave. The officer provided assistance.

1445: Complaint on Revere St. The officer provided assistance.

1456: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Everett St. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1512: Noise disturbance on Tuckerman St. The officer restored the peace.

1521: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Broadway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1534: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Squire Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1545: A MV that had been reported as stolen was recovered on the Revere Beach Parkway.

1620: Larceny on Squire Rd. The officer will file a report.

1903: Complaint on Neponset St. The officer provided assistance.

1929: Traffic complaint on Beach St. The officer provided assistance.

2022: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Suffolk Downs Rd. and the Revere Beach Parkway for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2137: Forgery on Beach St. Officers arrested Andrew Bostic Jones, 33, of Colchester, Vermont, for the criminal offenses of two counts of identity fraud, resisting arrest, 19 counts of uttering a false order for money, and 19 counts of forgery of an order for money.

2147: Domestic disturbance on Dana St. The officer restored the peace.

2149: Noise disturbance on Revere St. The officer restored the peace.

2153: Complaint on Lynn St. The officer restored the peace.

2241: Noise disturbance on Constitution Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2339: Harassment on Highland St. The officer provided assistance.

2342: Noise disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer restored the peace.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 5

0006: Noise disturbance on Ward St. The officer restored the peace.

0009: Noise disturbance on Harris St. The officer restored the peace.

0010: Domestic disturbance on Walnut Ave. The officer will file a report.

0029: Noise disturbance on Ward St. The officer restored the peace.

0046: Noise disturbance on Franklin St. The

officer restored the peace.

0207: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on the Revere Beach Parkway and issued a citation to a 31 year-old Revere man for the criminal offense of unlicensed operation of a MV and for the civil infraction of operating a MV with a lights violation. The officer also issued a citation to a 32 year-old Revere man for the criminal offense of allowing an unlicensed operator to use his MV.

0339: Disturbance on the Revere Beach Parkway. Officers arrested Mustafa Kamal, 21, of Cooledge St., for the criminal offenses of assault & battery upon a family or household member and strangulation.

0444: A MV was reported stolen on Cushman Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0522: Suspicious activity on Squire Rd. The officer restored the peace.

0545: The repossession of a MV on Overlook Ridge Drive was reported by the repo company.

0744: Disturbance on Morris St. The officer restored the peace.

0836: Assistance to a citizen on Revere St.

0925: Parking complaint on Salem St. The officer provided assistance.

1017: Disturbance on Furlong Drive. The officer restored the peace.

1021: Domestic disturbance on Robert Rd. The officer spoke to the party.

1113: Complaint on Furlong Dr. The officer restored the peace.

1136: Parking complaint on Sigourney St. The officer issued a parking ticket.

1334: Domestic disturbance on Mountain Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1335: MVA at Mahoney Circle. The officer will file a report.

1339: Disturbance on Squire Rd. The officer will file a report.

1343: Violation of a 209A order on Endicott Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1345: Domestic disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer will file a report.

1431: Assistance to a citizen on Endicott Ave.

1544: MVA with property damage only at Brown Circle. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1548: Shoplifting at the VFW Parkway. The officer issued a summons to a 56 year-old Everett man for the criminal offense of shoplifting by asportation.

1634: Parking complaint on Morris St. The officer issued a parking ticket.

1835: Noise disturbance on Mill St. The officer provided assistance.

1902: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on American Legion Highway for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

1909: Disturbance on Overlook Ridge Dr. The officer restored the peace.

1912: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on American Legion Highway for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a ver-

bal warning to the operator.

1950: Noise disturbance on Marshall St. The officer restored the peace.

1953: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Beach St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2010: Parking complaint on Broadway. The MV was towed.

2020: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Revere St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2032: Noise disturbance on Proctor Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2035: Parking complaint at Cambridge St. and Mountain Ave. The MV was towed.

2055: Disabled MV at Prospect Ave. and Homer St. The officer provided assistance.

2058: Noise disturbance on Emanuel St. The officer restored the peace.

2112: Noise disturbance on Pomona St. The officer restored the peace.

2119: Parking complaint on Broadway. The officer issued a parking ticket.

2120: Well-being check on Squire Rd. An officer arrested a 32 year-old Boston man on an outstanding warrant.

2128: Disturbance on Broadway. The officer restored the peace.

2130: Disturbance on American Legion Highway. The officer provided assistance.

2135: Noise disturbance on Atlantic Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2203: Noise disturbance on Haddon St. The officer restored the peace.

2215: Noise disturbance on Hichborn St. The officer restored the peace.

2218: Noise disturbance on Wentworth Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2238: Noise disturbance on Tabley Ave. The officer will file a report.

2253: Noise disturbance on Lantern Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2300: Noise disturbance on Central Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2322: Noise disturbance on Mountain Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2329: Noise disturbance on Central Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2333: Noise disturbance on Proctor Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2336: Noise disturbance on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer restored the peace.

2344: Noise disturbance on Vane St. The officer restored the peace.

2345: Noise disturbance on Franklin St. The officer restored the peace.

2348: Noise disturbance on Squire Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2354: Noise disturbance on Pines Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2356: A trespass tow was reported on Broad-

MSP as determined as ever to bring Taraskiewicz's killer or killers to justice

\$250,000 reward is still in effect

Special to the Journal

Twenty-eight years ago this week, the body of Susan Taraskiewicz was found in the trunk of her car, which had been left outside an auto repair shop on Route 1A in Revere. So much time has passed since then. But the determination of the Massachusetts State Police (MSP) and Revere Police to bring Susan's killer or killers to justice is as fierce today as it ever was. Detectives have not retreated one inch, and never will, from their desire to close this case and find justice for Susan and her family.

Susan's body was found early on Sept. 14, 1992, a little more than a day after she left her job as a ramp crew chief at Logan Airport to pick up sandwiches for her co-workers. She never returned to her Logan shift or her home in Saugus.

After her murder, Susan's employer, Northwest Airlines, offered a \$250,000 reward for information leading to an arrest. In 2008, Northwest was absorbed into



Susan Taraskiewicz.

Delta Airlines in a merger. Delta has informed Susan's family that it stands by that reward offer. The money remains available to anyone who provides information that allows us to bring justice to Susan and her family.

Investigators certain there are people who have this information. Whatever reasons you have had not to come forward thus far do not matter anymore. Time passes, people and motivations change. Things that didn't seem import-

ant suddenly do, and vice versa. Fears and worries shrink away, and pale in comparison to the realization of what is right and just. It is long past time for anyone who can help this family, to bring some peace, and to do right by Susan, to step up and do just that.

The Massachusetts State Police urge anyone with information about Susan's murder to call the State Police Detective Unit for Suffolk County at (617) 727-8817.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 6

0007: Noise disturbance on Pomona St. The officer restored the peace.

0011: Noise disturbance on Proctor Ave. The officer will file a report.

0024: Disturbance on Carleton St. The officer spoke to the party.

0032: Noise disturbance on School St. The officer restored the peace.

0041: Noise disturbance on Victoria St. The officer restored the peace.

0101: Noise disturbance on Augustus St. The officer restored the peace.

0107: Noise disturbance on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer restored the peace.

0131: Noise disturbance on Charger St. The officer restored the peace.

0148: Noise disturbance on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer restored the peace.

0208: Noise disturbance on Shirley Ave. The officer will file a report.

0208: Hit-and-run MVA on Centennial Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0244: Domestic disturbance on Winthrop Parkway. Officers placed a 25 year-old Winthrop woman into protective custody and will issue a summons to her for the criminal offenses of resisting arrest and three counts of assault & battery upon a police officer.

0249: Noise disturbance on the Morris St. The officer restored the peace.

0459: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on No. Shore Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0507: An officer stopped a motor vehi-

cle (MV) at No. Shore Rd. and Oak Island St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

0738: Larceny on Revere St. The officer will file a report.

0944: Assistance to a citizen on Revere St.

1006: MVA at Graves Rd. and Pitcairn St. The officer will file a report.

1049: Unwanted person on Revere St. The officer provided assistance.

1107: MVA on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1139: Domestic disturbance on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer will file a report.

1402: Noise disturbance at No. Shore Rd. and York St. The officer spoke to the party.

1430: Larceny on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer will file a report.

1448: Noise disturbance on Gore Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1457: Complaint on Hillside Ave. The officer issued a parking ticket.

1504: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Harris St. for a civil motor vehicle

infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

1517: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Harris St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

1553: MVA on George Ave. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1627: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Harris St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1704: Disturbance on Hichborn St. The officer provided assistance.

1856: Noise disturbance on Crescent Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1907: Domestic disturbance on Dedham St. The officer will file a report.

1916: Disturbance on VFW Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

1922: Disturbance on Rice Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1937: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Park Ave.

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for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1944: Noise disturbance on Goodwin Ave. The officer will file a report.

2014: MVA on Freeman St. The officer will file a report.

2055: Blocked driveway on Park Ave. The officer issued a parking ticket.

2118: Domestic disturbance on Shirley Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2205: Noise disturbance on Carleton St. The officer will file a report.

2223: Assistance to a citizen on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer will file a report.

2228: Domestic disturbance on Raymond Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2233: Noise disturbance on Morris St. The officer will file a report.

2235: Noise disturbance on Thornton St. The officer provided assistance.

2252: Noise disturbance on Park Ave. The officer will file a report.

2340: Domestic disturbance on Arcadia St. The officer restored the peace.

MONDAY, SEPT. 7

0007: Noise disturbance on Garafolo St. The officer will file a report.

0016: Noise disturbance on Park Ave. The

officer restored the peace. 0118: Disturbance on Vane St. The officer will file a report.

0136: Disturbance on Squire Rd. The officer restored the peace.

0355: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Vane St. Officers arrested Doug L. Bergeron, 39, of 40 Foster St., for the criminal offenses of operating a MV while under the influence of drugs, resisting arrest, disorderly conduct, illegal possession of a Class A controlled narcotic substance with intent to distribute (subsequent offense), illegal possession of a Class B controlled narcotic substance (subseq. offense), illegal possession of a Class E controlled narcotic substance, and illegal possession of a knife in violation of the city ordinance.

0500: Assault & battery on Pickford Ave. The officer will file a report.

0508: Assault on Winthrop Parkway. The officer will file a report.

0614: Assault on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer will file a report.

0932: Stolen MV on Mountain Ave. The officer will file a report.

1350: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Central Ave. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1359: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Squire Rd. The

officer spoke to the party. 1432: Parking complaint at Folsom St. and Broadway. The officer provided assistance.

1610: Domestic disturbance on Garfield Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1804: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on the Revere Beach Parkway for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1805: Larceny on Shurtleff St. The officer issued a summons to a 22 year-old Revere man for the criminal offense of larceny of property over \$1200.

1808: Animal complaint on Case Drive. The officer will file a report.

1853: Domestic disturbance on Sears St. The officer restored the peace.

1855: Suspicious activity on Beach St. The officer provided assistance.

1910: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on No. Shore Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1916: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Ocean Ave. and Beach St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1923: Unwanted person on Vane St. The officer provided assistance.

1940: Noise distur-



Revere firefighters and G/J Towing on scene, preparing to lift the car out from the house Monday afternoon.

Car crashes into Proctor Ave. home

Special to the Journal

On Monday, Sept. 14, at 11:33 am a box alarm was struck for a report of a motor vehicle into a building with an odor of gas. The working Deputy along with 3 pumpers and a ladder truck responded. Deputy Sean Manion on arrival investigated and found a Motor vehicle partially on the sidewalk with the front end down below street grade on the residential homes exposed gas service piping. Incident Commander Man-

ion ordered the gas shut to the building, assured the removal of all ignition sources and notified NGRID to respond to the incident to shut the gas in the street and address the damage. Allegedly, the driver was making a U-turn and went off the sidewalk into the front yard of the house. The exposed gas piping was damaged at the reducing valve and was leaking slightly. After NGRID shut the gas in the street, G/J towing carefully removed the vehicle with

a multi-ton wrecker utilizing a sling. The Revere Police and Cataldo Ambulance were on scene and there were no reported injuries. Ironically, there was a placard on the rear of the car that said "New Driver", however, according to the driver, the vehicle was not used for commercial student training it was a family member attempt for patience and courtesy from others while they were a new driver. The incident was completed at 12:46.

bance on Cushman Ave. The officer will file a report.

1951: MVA on American Legion Highway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1958: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Beach St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

2023: Noise disturbance on No. Shore Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2043: Noise disturbance on Hillside Ave. The officer will file a report.

2057: Noise disturbance on Allston St. The officer will file a report.

2152: Noise disturbance on Augustus St. The officer will file a report.

2204: A trespass tow of a MV on Beach St. was reported.

2208: A trespass tow of a MV on Overlook Ridge Drive was reported.

2217: Domestic disturbance on Burnett Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2239: Noise disturbance on No. Shore Rd. The officer will file a report.

2314: Domestic disturbance on Bosson St. The officer will file a report.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 8

0003: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Mahoney Circle for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0636: Assistance to a citizen at Squire Rd. and Charger St.

0720: Domestic disturbance on Warren St. Officers arrested Juan Camilo Munera Ughetty, 27, of Warren St., for the crim-

inal offense of assault & battery upon a family or household member.

0824: Parking complaint on Eustis St. The MV was towed.

0953: Disturbance on Beach St. The officer restored the peace.

1000: MVA on Revere St. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1007: A harassment prevention order pursuant to c.258E was served upon an Ocean Ave. resident.

1033: Disturbance on Winthrop Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1105: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Washburn Ave. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1106: Disturbance on Harris St. The officer will file a report.

1137: MVA on No. Shore Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1145: Larceny on American Legion Highway. The officer will file a report.

1158: Animal complaint on Proctor Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1211: Disabled MV on Lynn Marsh Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1338: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Malden St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1351: Disturbance on Suffolk Ave. The officer restored the peace.

1401: Threats to kill on Beach St. The officer will file a report.

1413: Disabled MV on American Legion Highway. The MV was towed.

1425: MVA on Squire

Rd. 1428: MVA on Broadway.

1431: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) on Beach St. and issued a summons to a 46 year-old Revere man for the criminal offense of unlicensed operation of a MV and for the civil infractions of operating an unregistered MV and a number plate violation.

1611: Unwanted person on State Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1629: Unwanted person on Bosson St. The officer will file a report.

1634: A 209A order was served upon a True St. resident.

1635: A 209A order was served upon a Bosson St. resident.

1642: Larceny on Shirley Ave. The officer will file a report.

1652: A 258E harassment prevention order was served upon a Revere Beach Parkway resident.

1704: MVA on Furlong Drive.

1815: Disabled MV on Squire Rd. The MV was towed.

1824: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Constitution Ave. The officer provided assistance.

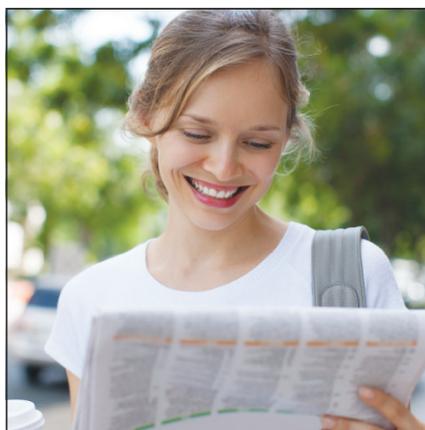
2140: Noise disturbance on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

2242: Disabled MV on Broadway. The officer provided assistance.

2223: Disabled MV on Naples Rd. The officer provided assistance.

2328: MVA on Cambridge St. The officer provided assistance.

2348: An officer stopped a motor vehicle (MV) at Copeland Circle. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.



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Statewide Exit Renumbering Project meeting set for September 24

Staff Report

The Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) is announcing an upcoming virtual Public Information Meeting for MassDOT's Statewide Exit Renumbering Project on Thursday, Sept. 24, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. This project is converting all existing exit numbers on freeways to a milepost-based numbering system, per Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) requirements.

The public meeting will cover information about the project, the construction schedule, and the project team will be there to answer questions.

Construction is scheduled to begin on this project in mid-October of this year and is anticipated to end in the summer of 2021. This is a state-

wide project; however, this public meeting will be focused on the scope and schedule of the following corridors:

- State Route 3
- State Route 24
- State Route 25
- State Route 128
- State Route 140
- U.S. Route 3
- U.S. Route 6
- Interstate 93
- Interstate 95
- Interstate 195
- Interstate 295

Additional virtual public meetings will be scheduled throughout the Fall to cover the rest of the impacted corridors. Project updates and corridor-specific construction schedules will be posted regularly on the project's website. To learn more about the project, sign up for updates, and ask the project team questions, visit www.newmassexits.com.

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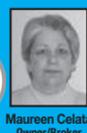
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REMEMBERING 9/11 ON THE 19TH ANNIVERSARY

Courtesy photos

On Friday, Sept. 11, Mayor Brian Arrigo joined members of the Revere Fire Department and Revere Police De-

partment in a moment of silence and salute of the flag in memory of those whose lives were lost during the attack on the World Trade Center.



Members of the Revere Fire and Police Departments, along with Mayor Brian Arrigo took a moment Friday morning to reflect on the loss and sacrifices of the victims and first responders in front of the Revere Police and Fire station on Revere Beach Parkway.



Fire Chief Christopher Bright, Mayor Brian Arrigo and Police Chief Dave Callahan salute the flag.



Shown above and below, Revere firefighters salute the flag and share a moment of silence.



DUA disburses final lost wages assistance benefits to unemployment claimants

Staff Report

The Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance (DUA) has disbursed the sixth and final Lost Wages Assistance (LWA) \$300 supplemental benefit to unemployment claimants in the Commonwealth. The application for these federal supplemental unemployment benefits was submitted by the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA), in coordination with the Department of Unemployment Assistance (DUA).

The limited additional weekly unemployment benefit to claimants under the federal LWA program went to all eligible claimants for the weeks ending Aug. 1 through Sept. 5. Approximately 461,000 standard unemployment insurance (UI) beneficiaries and 234,000 Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) beneficiaries were determined eligible for LWA during that time-frame. The total amount disbursed to eligible claimants was over \$1.3 billion. This program was administered and funded by the Federal

Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). FEMA has informed DUA that no additional LWA payments will be available beyond the six weeks already allotted.

All LWA-eligible unemployment claimants in both the UI and PUA

programs should receive the supplemental funding by Sept. 15. If a claimant has questions about eligibility or their payment status they can call the Department of Unemployment Assistance call center at 877-626-6800. The call center is open

from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday, and 8 a.m.-noon on Saturdays. Multilingual call agents are available. More information about unemployment assistance in Massachusetts can be found at mass.gov/unemployment.

WATER/SEWER BILL - OUTDOOR WATER METER READING

Covid-19 message:

Our Mobile City Hall van will be in the rear parking lot at 281 Broadway to record your outdoor hose meter reading for the end of the 2020 season. This will help reduce the number of individuals entering our office in an effort to keep residents and employees safe.

To receive your outdoor meter credit on the November 2020 water bill, please bring your meter for a reading by October 15th, 2020. Otherwise, we will take readings throughout the winter that will credit on the February 2021 Water bill.

Mobile City Hall

- 281 Broadway – rear parking lot
- September 21st, 2020 - 9am – 1pm**
- September 28th, 2020 - 9am – 1pm**
- October 5th, 2020 – 9am – 1pm**
- October 15th, 2020 9am – 1pm**



CITY OF REVERE: SEPTEMBER MENU



FOOD PANTRY

First Congregational Church Food Pantry

NEW location:
 League for Special Needs building
 196 Winthrop Ave.

Wednesday's 7 - 8:30 PM

Drive-ups & walk-ups welcomed

DELIVERY

Non-perishable food items delivered to qualifying residents:
 1.) with mobility issues
 2.) under medical quarantine

Monday - Friday
 orders take 24 hours to process

Call 3-1-1 or 781-286-8311

PRODUCE POP-UP

every Monday & Thursday

check Revere on the Move Facebook page for times

NEW location:
 Municipal Lot (33 Central Ave.)

Open to all, occurs rain or shine

SCHOOL MEALS

Free weekly breakfast and lunch available to all students

Location: ALL Revere Elementary Schools
 Fridays 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM

check RPS Dining Services on Facebook for changes/updates

FARMERS MARKET

American Legion Lawn
 249 Broadway
 every Friday July - Oct
 12:00 - 4:00 PM
 in person market

Accepting SNAP/HIP, WIC, & Senior FMNP vouchers

Complete 2020 Census = \$20 shopping card

CSA BOXES

Free produce boxes to qualifying Revere residents:
tinyurl.com/yyrnxcnq

\$21 Produce Box:
tinyurl.com/y29wx8r2

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