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Road work has started on Centre Street in West Roxbury for the safety redesign and lane reduction of the street.

COURTESY PHOTO

Centre St. Redesign construction begins

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The City of Boston announced last week that the first small steps of construction around the Centre Street Redesign project have started.

According to members of the Boston Mayor's Press Office, work began last week to start updating Centre Street's sidewalks so that they are compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

"In our efforts to make Centre Street a safer and more pedestrian friendly corridor, contractors began work on Monday (10/9) to ensure existing curb ramps were ADA compliant," the office stated. "The ramp work (excavation, grading, pouring) will last approximately three weeks."

The city stated that work will commence on Centre Street proper thereafter. Work will start on the east side of the street, near the West Roxbury Parkway.

"Once completed, contractors will begin milling, resetting castings, and resurfacing the road from Bellevue Street to Belgrade Avenue and marking lanes for the updated configuration," the city stated. "Please note that the nature of this construction work is weather dependent, so there could be delays and/or changes to the schedule."

The project is set to reduce the number of travel lanes from LaGrange Street to the West

Roxbury Parkway. The plan includes taking the four lanes of travel now in place and reducing them to two travel lanes on each side, with a turning lane in the middle. The reason for the reduction is to reduce the speed of vehicles on Centre Street, since it is a business district and not a cut through or a highway.

The impetus for this change came in 2019 after resident Marilyn Wentworth was struck and killed by a vehicle. The city's plan faced criticism around bike lanes and parking spaces from residents then and this past summer when the idea was brought back. According to the plan, 95 percent of the current street parking spaces will be retained after the project has been implemented.

The city has also stated that once the project is completed it will start collecting traffic counts on or about January 2024 in the same place it took traffic counts in 2023 and will compare speeding results, though the plan states that reductions in crashes will "take a longer time to assess." The project also states the city will be taking traffic counts along selected side streets before and after the project is in place and evaluate the results over the winter. The city will report back and present a mitigation plan if there is a substantial increase in traffic observed.

Those side streets include Redlands Road, Maple Street, Corey Street, Hastings Street,

Park Street, Richwood Street, Mount Vernon Street, Willow Street, Bellevue Street, Lansdeer Street and Saint Theresa Avenue.

The city also announced several changes to the plan based on community feedback. Those include the removal of flex posts in between the parking lanes and the bike lanes (though there will still be a painted buffer), eliminated floating bus stops, added a left turn lane at the end of Belgrade Avenue where it intersects with Centre Street, added day lighting (space between the crosswalk and parking lane to give pedestrians more visibility) on Greaton, Manthorne and Redland roads and increased the number of short-term parking spaces on Centre that can accommodate large vehicles for loading.

There will also be signal changes when the project is completed, and those include concurrent phasing with leading pedestrian intervals. That change again, this time in English, means that if a pedestrian light signal and a green light signal engage together but allow the vehicle to turn into the pedestrian way of travel, then the green light will be delayed by a few seconds to give the pedestrians more time to be visible to those drivers turning right.

For more information on the plan, go to <https://tinyurl.com/3wee8udx>



Hundreds kicked off this year's OAKtoberfest in Oak Square, Brighton.
PHOTO BY HANNAH HEILMAN

OAKtoberfest hits Oak Square Y

Hannah Heilman
Staff Reporter

This past Sunday, Oct. 15, hundreds of runners in neon orange t-shirts hit the pavement to participate in the Oak Square YMCA's 11th annual 'OAKtoberfest,' a 5K run and food tasting event that kicked off the start of 'Together We Move,' a month-long, city-wide wellness initiative.

With more than 300 people registered to run, the race began at 10 a.m. in the bright morning sun. Police escorted runners through the streets of Brighton as dozens of community members stood on the sidelines cheering them on, waving posters, clanging cowbells and clapping in support.

"I think it's very typical of Oak Square that when we have an event like this, everybody comes out," District 9 City Councilor Liz Breadon said, after taking some time to cheer on runners at the start. "We have one of our seniors who's come out, and she's celebrating her 90th birthday, and then we have all the kids in strollers, so we have the whole lifespan come out to support this event."

Not long after sending the runners off, bystanders began cheering again as first-place winner Colin Cernik, 29, made his way to the finish with a time of 14 minutes, 58 seconds. Immediately following his win, he told the Bulletin, between deep

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ERNA lukewarm on 251 Wood Ave. proposal

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The East River Neighborhood Association (ERNA) met on Monday, Oct. 17 and discussed with development attorney Michael Ross and parcel owner Ignatius Nwanekezi a proposed four-family upgrade from the current two-family building on 251 Wood Ave.

Ross said they have been working with ERNA for just about one year now, and after several discussions he felt the

process made the development a much better project.

"I don't want to overplay my hand on this one, but this is how it's supposed to work," he said. "When we first met with you folks, there were some substantial issues with some of the tenants on the property and some issues with the property itself."

Ross said that Nwanekezi has been able to remove the problem tenant who was dis-

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The Murray Circle rotary which DCR wants replaced with a signalized square.

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JPA meets with Weber, reviews zoning requests

Richard Heath
Staff Reporter

The Oct. 1 Jamaica Pond Association (JPA) meeting was a mixture of discussions on politics, zoning and the DCR Arborway.

Ben Weber and William King are candidates for the District 6 city council seat. Weber and King both made presentations to the Egleston Square Neighborhood Association (ESNA) Monday evening and afterwards Weber – who said he was recovering from Covid – went over the Zoom line to the concurrent JPA meeting.

Weber and King were not on the agenda, JPA chair Kay Matthews told The Bulletin the next day. His campaign manager, Aram Hamilton Greaham, came on and asked if Weber could join the meeting, she said.

Weber has lived in Jamaica Plain since 2009, currently on Spring Park Avenue in the heart of the JPA district.

Weber began attending neighborhood council meetings early in 2023 and was elected to the Jamaica Plain Neighborhood Council in June. Weber has been a lawyer for 18 years and at one point defended migrant farm workers in the South.

He worked in the labor division of Attorney General Martha Coakley office; one case he said was representing “hundreds of Uber drivers who had been misclassified as independent operators.”

Weber said his children attend Boston public schools; his daughter attends the Curley School. “Sticking with the BPS is like a roller coaster ride,” he said “Up and down.”

Claire Barber asked Weber about “the rancor within the Council over Mass and Cass.”

Weber said he “does not want to leave people living on the streets.”

“But the solution has to be region-wide. This is a region-wide problem, not just in one place, not just to use a special

place like Franklin Park.”

Weber said he believes that “housing first and then a treatment center is a solution.

“Rehabilitate Long Island,” Weber said. “DCAMM is focused on the Shattuck right now; I’d like to see a broader approach than that.”

Peter Stieger said, “The City Council is something we rely on to get things done. It’s been a disappointment.”

Weber said he will focus on constituent services, if elected. “I can have constructive conversations; I can get resources for the people in my district.”

Weber said there is one issue that is of special interest to him. “I look forward to changing the byzantine zoning code to something that makes sense,” he said.

Apparently Mayor Wu was listening in; the next day she endorsed Weber for District 6, her fourth council endorsement.

On the zoning agenda was Bob Boxer and Snehel Shah who want to enlarge a long-dilapidated house at 84 Prince St.

They want to add a bedroom, new bathroom and convert the porch into an office. Both Boxer and Shah are doctors and currently live in a condo on Orchard Street.

Their attorney, Michael Wiggan, explained the reasons. “They have three children,” he said. “They want to stay in the city. There’s a shortage of housing for large families.”

The JPA unanimously voted “not to oppose” and the JP Zoning Committee voted unanimously to approve on Oct. 4.

Boxer and Shah seem to be following a new trend in Jamaica Plain: growing families needing more bedrooms; cannot find a larger house they can afford or is available in Jamaica Plain and decide to either enlarge their home or buy a house for sale and enlarge it.

The Bulletin has covered ten of these enlargements over the past two years, 72 Zamora Ct., 78 Child St., 24 Sedgwick and 11 Plainfield among others.

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Letters to the Editor

CITY GETS CREATIVE IN THEIR DECEIT

To the Editor:

As I read the latest news concerning Poplar Street in Roslindale, "Rozzie residents not thrilled with bike lane," in the Bulletin, October 12, once again I see yet another example of the City of Boston attempt to fix something that isn't broken. There is apparently an agenda at City Hall to seemingly punish folks for driving motor vehicles.

City officials don't care if people like their plans or not. They apparently know better than the residents of our neighborhoods who are not really thrilled with the idea of allowing folks on bikes to ride either way on one-way streets. To me, it sounds potentially dangerous to operators of vehicles, folks riding bikes and others. I have already seen some close calls with bicycles coming down the wrong way on a street.

Also, not to forget the uproar that continues with the soon to be constructed "road shrinkage" for Centre Street. Nobody at City Hall, the BPDA or the city's Transportation Department seems to give a rat's *%@ how affected Boston residents feel about it. After all, it is their way or the highway.

Meanwhile, back at my ranch in East Boston, a "road shrinkage" plan seems to be moving closer to fruition along Bennington Street. Neighborhood groups over here have started coalescing, holding joint meetings.

Our neighborhoods may no longer be torn down like the city officials did to the West End or to the South End Neighborhood back in the Fifties. Today, the destruction happens little by little. The City of Boston has got much better at screwing our neighborhoods today, hasn't it?

Sal Giarratani
East Boston

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Most owners defending their changes gave the same reasons as Tarek Hassan, who owns and wants to enlarge 31 Pondview Ave.

He told the JP zoning committee recently that he has two children and "we don't want to move, we love it here."

After receiving unanimous approval, Hassan said he was "happy to stay in the neighborhood. We have a house we can grow into, a family that's changed over time."

The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) Arborway redesign planning has been front and center with the JPA for years.

After two years of planning meetings, on Dec. 14, 2022 DCR concluded that the best solution for the parkway between Jamaica Pond and the Arboretum was Option Four.

Option Four includes the elimination of Kelly Circle (near the Pond) and Murray Circle at Centre Street with signalized intersections.

Both the Jamaica Hills Association (JHA) and JPA opposed Option Four and the removal of the two rotaries; they went so far as to file a public records request to learn how the decision was made.

The JPA and JHA sent a joint certified letter to acting DCR Commissioner Stephanie Cooper opposing Option Four in favor of Option One.

In the view of the JPA and JHA the DCR preferred option turns the Arborway into a signalized highway.

Frustrated with the Baker administration's DCR, the JPA hoped for better success with Governor Healy.

The JPA was also encouraged by a new State Rep. Bill MacGregor and State Sen. Michael Rush, whose district now include Pond Side.

At the Sept. 11, 2023 JPA meeting Matthews said, "We very much want to meet with the DCR directly."

Michael Giordano on MacGregor's staff and Brett Hoffman from Senator Rush's office had been trying to arrange a meeting with the new DCR commissioner Brian Arrigo since he joined the Healy administration in April. On Oct. 1, Giordano had some news for the JPA. He said a meeting with DCR commissioner Arrigo would take place on Oct 4.

"We all know the Arborway isn't working. We want to have a plan that works for everyone," he said.

"We want to go to meet DCR with a careful list of neighborhood concerns."

Giordano admitted, "It's been a tooth and nail process with the DCR engineers. They wanted to push the meeting back three weeks."

He also admitted they weren't sure if they would meet with Arrigo or just the engineers.

"We'll find out when we get there."

Matthews asked that people send in 'talking points' to Giordano and Hoffman ahead of the meeting.

Giordano and Hoffman both confirmed to The Bulletin on Oct. 5 that both Rep. MacGregor and Senator Rush met with DCR Commissioner Arrigo.

In a reply to what was discussed, Hoffman wrote only that "it was a productive meeting and they continue to advocate to DCR for further opportunities for input from neighbors and abutters."

Old sneakers, worn jeans and untucked chamois shirt; I stop for coffee, then head out to meander back roads of old New England. The foliage is extravagant, spectacular this year, as though all the staid personalities of the forest had let down their guard, like quiet and reserved old men gathering one last time and revealing their most youthful, colorful secrets.

I'm out to revisit as well as visit. I play music recalling ancient harvests roaming rural roads to Amherst, so that the experience is not just seeing and hearing, but remembering a collage of matted sight and sound. These lanes are lined with stone walls bordering old fields, the season advanced so that despite an absence of wind, leaves drift through the air. Solid white farmhouses and barns; old New England which is now wealthy New England. I sense an ageless unveiling mystery, like an old man lying on his death bed considering the value of his life, where for so many years he only supported his branches, hardened his bark. Rueful realization that for so long he could not see the forest for the trees. Now the forest demands attention; he understands there is more to life than bark and branch, more than the green color that mesmerized for so long.

It is a hallowed season, one that has invigorated imagination always. A montage of color reflecting an array of thought and emotion. A sight requiring the best words for

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Don Reddick

its hues; they are not red but vermilion, not yellow but amber; the colors are not orange but titian. It is the season with more than one name; it is autumn.

The best roads are those unkempt, overhung with branches, thin bordered so that you can see into the forest, allowing a sense of the beauty's depth. The best roads reveal not a facade, but something thorough, deep, and true. A forest roseate with embarrassment that its innermost weakness is unveiling; a forest gold with fear of winter's approach, all unraveling a course well known, though technically less familiar. It is simply a time-honored change of life, the boscage a revelation of carotenoids and anthocyanins.

It is important to visit someone at their best, but important also to visit at their worst. I've gone to the cemetery in cold rain, because I knew no one else would be there. Inconve-

nient, uncomfortable, shivering wet and chatting, attempting to assure her that I travel this road in all seasons, not just the pretty one. Time standing alone, chill breeze through eerie avenues a sole, impatient companion. As I drive through the woods today, I think of visiting my mother on her rainy, vacant hillside. In the blink of an eye, it's been thirty years; I'm afraid to blink again.

The best roads are narrow and slow, crossing the Charles River back in the woods, former cart paths where upon reaching a hill's summit, it appears as though you're in tree-tops, the very apex of glorious ruin. The best roads are those that wind through fields and hills, each new turn revealing an unexpected delight, a variation of the now familiar theme.

I will return when it's over, during the greys and whites of winter, that silent, solemn time when words end and books close. That time when, like a newborn fawn rising on shaky legs, we experience the awkwardness of saying goodbye. But now is the time of year when two entirely distinct life forms collaborate on one subtle message. Despite its prevalence in our literature, it is too valuable to dismiss as sentimental, or trite. The metaphor is eternally ingrained in New England's consciousness. It is fall, and they are called leaves. To be with me today, to see my thoughts as well as hear them, I say this. The countryside is a land of rainbows, and a hundred thousand tears.

Harvard gets a bad rap

A few months ago my wife and I unexpectedly gained free access to Harvard University's art museums because of a recent generous gift from the David Rockefeller Foundation entitling all visitors interested in their art collection to free admission. Investigating that gift from that New York family, I came across another interesting morsel of information, but before your humble writer comments on that let me back up a bit.

Hat's off to the city official(s) who years ago orchestrated a program whereby city residents get to access various museums both in the city and outside the city for free. Thus city residents, with access to computers, can gain

free admission to the New England Aquarium, Museum of Science, Museum of Fine Arts, even the Peabody-Essex Museum in distant Salem. Administered by the Boston Public Library, the free entrances might also be solved by a friendly librarian. (Only one institution refrains from giving admission free: the Children's Museum will cut the admission prices only in half.)

But Harvard University has eliminated the somewhat complicated — for those of us not tech savvy — protocol for Boston residents having difficult financial times to gain access to all their wonderful museums on the other side of the River Charles: any family with an EBT card (elec-



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tronic benefits transfer for what used to be called "welfare") walks in gratis.

I suppose it's easy to say that Harvard, with a huge endowment, is not doing THAT much.

But refraining from saying that the glass is half-empty, I'll take the opposite stance and congratulate Harvard for giving families in the city going through hard times free and complete access to all their museums.

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The Brighton Farmers Market is coming into the home stretch of its season this fall.

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Brighton Farmers Market brings everyone together

Katie Krom
Staff Reporter

On Wednesday, Oct. 11, community members from Brighton and the surrounding areas came together for delicious food, drinks, and beautiful art. Some people quickly grabbed what they came for and left, while others studied each tent, spoke to the vendors, and enjoyed their purchases on the lawn.

There were about a dozen stands last Wednesday including Drive-By Pies, Stillman

Quality Meats, Sherman & Cherie's Beezy Bees, Bliss Point Meadery, and Corrine's Creations. The stands had everything ranging from quality meats to fruits and vegetables, alcohol, and art.

The owner of Stillman Meats, Kate Stillman, was working her stand, and said she has been working with her company for more than 20 years and attends the Brighton Farmers Market every year.

Stillman Quality Meats is a woman-owned Butchery in Hardwick, Massachusetts. Her

family raises grass-fed and pasture-raised animals so her customers can get a taste of how great the meats are when purchased from conventional sources. She has beef, pork, lamb, chicken, turkey, and fresh eggs.

Stillman said that her favorite parts of attending farmers markets are the one-on-one interactions with her customers.

"Stillman does a lot of things; we have a retail store-

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ruptive in the neighborhood, according to ERNA members, to put it mildly.

“There were a lot of concerns about the number of 911 calls at the property,” Ross said. “We had a very serious problem tenant, unfortunately, in one of the units that we were able to get rid of, who contributed to almost all of these calls. We have no other issues in the building and if there are issues, we’d like to know.”

Ross added that they’ve hired maintenance and management staff who will keep the property in good order as well as look into any prospective tenants before they sign a lease. Ross also said they’ve been able to reorganize the plan so as to make the building more attractive to families and professionals, and to get this result, he said they increased the number of bathrooms per unit. He pointed to one unit that had four bedrooms and one bathroom originally in the plan, where now it has two.

“I want to be clear that what I heard from the neighborhood was that neighbors want these apartments to be nice apartments,” he said. “We want

them to attract people, whether it’s families or professionals, we want them to be nice. And if you only have one bathroom for four bedrooms, that’s a little tight. We were told not to do that, and that unit now has two bathrooms.

Ross pointed out other changes to the plan that were made due to resident input. Ross said the plan is to add living space behind the building, on the adjacent lot that Nwanekezi purchased.

“Part of that is costs,” he said. “If you were to completely tear down the existing structure, go into the basement and start new, you’re talking about much more expensive units and much more expensive construction costs. This was a way to keep construction costs down, but also keep the units within price reach for people who live in this community today.”

Nwanekezi said despite the past year’s public process, he’s still open to any input from the neighborhood. “We are open to any suggestions,” he said.

ERNA member Patricia Odom asked if the increase in parking would affect greenspace. Ross said the way they’re orienting it, there would actually be more bushes and greenery on the site than there is now.

“You already have some substantial ground cover, bushes, all along the perimeter and it will be more substantial than what’s there today,” Ross said.

Ross added that they were able to increase outdoor space

as well.

“We were told that people want outdoor space,” he said. “People want to walk outside and to look out their balconies.”

Odom and others said they were wary of the plan getting changed after the case gets approved by the Boston Zoning Board of Appeals. Ross brought up a case in Marblehead in 2012 where a resident flouted local zoning laws, was caught and then had to tear down their whole brand new McMansion as a result. He said after that precedent, builders and developers have more or less stuck exactly to what they proposed.

“That fear alone keeps a lot of people scared and that’s a relatively recent case,” he said. “Back in the day I think they were a little bit more dodgy on that. But the city keeps a pretty tight rein on that.”

“We hope so,” Odom said. Ross said they don’t have a date with the ZBA yet, and asked the ERNA to give a letter of either recommendation or non-opposition on the project. ERNA members did not come to a decision at the time of the meeting.

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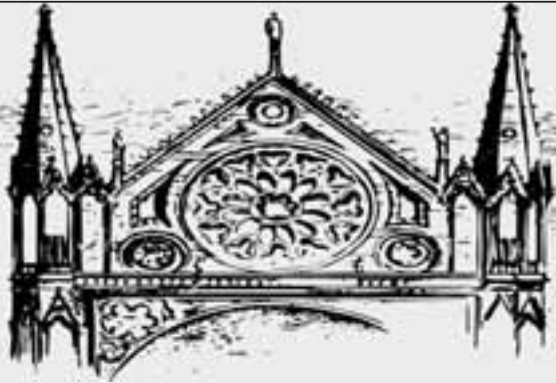
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Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked You for many favours. This time, I ask you this very special one (mention favour). Take it, dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within Your own broken heart where Your Father sees it. Then, in His merciful eyes, it will become Your favour, not mine. Amen. Say for three days, promise publication and favour will be granted.
—D.J.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department
SUFFOLK Division Docket No. SU18P2500GD

CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR RESIGNATION OF A GUARDIAN OF AN INCAPACITATED PERSON

In the Interests of: James V. Smith
Of: Hyde Park, MA

RESPONDENT
Incapacitated Person/Protected Person

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon St.
Boston, MA 02114

To The named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by **Brian J. McLaughlin of Boston, MA**

In the above captioned matter requesting that the court; Accept the Resignation of the Guardian of the Respondent The petition asks the Court to make a determination that the Guardian and/or Conservator should be allowed to resign; or should be removed for good cause; or the Guardianship and/or Conservatorship is no longer necessary and therefore should be terminated. The original petition is on file with the court.

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00A.M. on the return date of **11/14/2023**. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person’s right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.

Witness, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

Date: October 17, 2023

Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

Theodore Parker concerts returning

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The Theodore Parker Church (TPC) in West Roxbury is starting its monthly music series once again, and organizer Carol Allen said she's excited to get the program rolling.

"It's a little ambitious, but we're being hopeful," she said.

Allen said the funds raised by the concerts go into the general fund for the church and not a specific cause. But she said those funds turn into action for the community.

"We do a lot of outreach with racial justice; we do a lot of work with the UU (Unitarian Universalism) Urban Ministry and along the way we'll give to causes like the Louis D. Brown Peace Institute, Tickets for Safety, our people go to the Mother's Day March for Peace and things like that," she said. "Community peace actions and racial justice are probably our two biggest causes and we also use the funds for whatever projects we have in the church like sending folks to conferences and things like that."

Allen said the concerts are a lot of work. She handles the musicians, who they always



pay. Her history helps with that. She said she's booked musicians in Haverhill since 1988 and brought her phonebook with her when she came to West Roxbury. The TPC Concert Series has been going strong since 2016, with the exception of the COVID-19 years.

The schedule is as follows: Oct. 20 will see Guy Davis, Dec. 2 will see Rob Flax and the Boom Chick Trio, Jan. 2 will have Kallet, Epstein and Cicone, Soy y Canto will be stopping by on March 23, Cynthia MacLeod and Gordan Belsher will be playing on April 13, and Tret Fure will be playing on May 4.

Allen said Davis is a long-time blues performer and the

son of actor Ossie Davis and Ruby Dee. He's also a celebrated performer in his own right, as he was tapped to be the composer for the Broadway revival of Purlie Victorious, starring Leslie Odom Jr. The play is a revival of the original 1961 outing, which starred Ossie Davis and Dee.

"He's very down to earth and just a great guy," she said. "He's also been a teacher at this acoustic summer camp that WUMB 91.9 puts on. A lot of people come just because they know him through his teaching."

Allen said they are taking November off for Thanksgiving, but then coming back strong with Rob Flax and the Boom Chick Trio, an electric jazz trio.

"It's kind of jazzy and kind of acoustic and kind of funny and kind of uplifting, it's just amazing," she said. "Rob was a supporting musician for one of my acts last year and is a fantastic violin player. He can do anything on the violin."

Local trio Kallet Epstein and Cicone, playing on Jan. 13, provide harmonies and classic tunes, "Sort of the regular coffeehouse songs and

Concerts

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How Do Disability Programs Affect Social Security's Budget?

Dear Rusty:

I read with interest an analysis of the history, reasons, and financial costs of the SSI (Supplemental Security Income) and SSDI (Social Security Disability Insurance) programs. My question is, specifically, what portion of the Social Security budget goes toward SSI and SSDI vs. for regular SS retirement income for those who paid into the fund during their working lives? How are the costs of SSI and SSDI covered by the federal government? When did these two sections of the budget enter the law and what was the impetus behind them?

Signed:
An Inquiring Mind

Dear Inquiring Mind:

No part of Social Security's "budget" is used to pay SSI (Supplemental Security Income). SSI is a means-tested general assistance program for disadvantaged children and needy disabled adults and aged seniors who have very little income and very few assets. Federal SSI benefits are paid from the government's General Treasury, not from Social Security Trust Funds. SSI is jointly administered by the person's state of residence and the Social Security Administration, and the state usually provides additional benefits to supplement the financial assistance provided by the federal government under the SSI program. The Social Security Administration only administers the SSI program, it does not fund it.

By contrast, SSDI (Social Security Disability Insurance) benefits are for employed Americans who become disabled and unable to work full time. SSDI benefits are meant to provide limited income replacement for the disabled worker, and those benefits are paid from a separate Social Security "DI" (Disability Insurance) Trust Fund. The DI fund receives a portion (0.9%) of the FICA SS payroll taxes every American worker pays on their earnings and is used to pay disability benefits to eligible American workers who are unable to perform "substantial gainful activity" for a year or more. The eligibility criteria to collect SSDI are very strict, but those approved receive their benefits from this separate DI trust fund, not from Social Security's Old Age and Survivors Trust Fund. Payroll taxes collected for disability purposes are deposited in the DI Trust Fund as interest-bearing gov-



Russell Gloor
AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor

ernment bonds, and those DI assets are redeemed as needed to pay SSDI benefits. FYI, SSDI (disability) benefits stop when the person reaches full retirement age, at which point the beneficiary is automatically switched to regular SS retirement, and after which their benefits are paid from the regular "OASI" Trust Fund.

"Regular" Social Security retirement benefits, spousal benefits, dependent benefits, and survivor benefits are paid from Social Security's Old Age and Survivors Insurance (OASI) Trust Fund, which receives most (5.3%) of the 6.2% FICA Social Security tax withheld from the paychecks of American workers. As of the end of 2022, the OASI Trust Fund held about \$2.7 trillion in interest bearing government bonds. Neither SSI or SSDI affect this "regular" OASI Trust Fund - only true SS retirement benefits and benefits for dependents of the retiree are paid from the OASI Trust Fund (As an aside, Social Security reform is needed to prevent the OASI Trust Fund from being fully depleted in 2033).

To answer your last questions, the Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) Trust Fund was established in 1956, after which SSDI benefit payments to eligible disabled American workers began. Federal "Supplemental Security Income" (SSI) assistance was codified into law in 1974. And, as you likely know, Social Security retirement, spousal and dependent benefits were enacted in the 1930s, before the first monthly Social Security check was mailed in January 1940. The impetus behind these programs? Avoiding poverty for the neediest among us. Without these programs, at least 22 million more Americans would be living below the poverty line.

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The runners were treated to a lot of food and not an inconsiderable amount of beer after the race.

PHOTO BY HANNAH HEILMAN

OAKtoberfest *continued from page 1*

breaths, that he felt "good, a little tired, but good – happy." Second place went to Alex Healey with a time of 15 minutes, 13 seconds.

Amidst continued cheers as runners finished, bystanders began calling out, "that's the first female," as Bronwyn Shields, 26, made her way toward the finish – unaware that she was in first place – with a time of 22 minutes, 22 seconds. Kristin Villanueva finished right after Shields, with a time of 22 minutes, 23 seconds.

Shields said she was still surprised some time after the race.

"I have never won anything, and I was shocked when I found out I won" Shields said. "I'm a very casual runner, just doing it for fun...But this is such a fun event. I was here last year, ran it, and then definitely signed up to do it again this year...And the YMCA is great. They put on a good event – it's organized, they have good music, and the food's

amazing."

Following the race, runners made their way to the Y's parking lot where several Allston-Brighton restaurants like American Flat Bread and Rail Stop served appetizers as an in-kind donation. Notch Brewery provided beer, making it an official Oktoberfest, as per the German tradition. And Karate Show, a local band, played covers like the Beatles' "Come Together," to round out the afternoon.

This run kicked off the start of a 30-day initiative led by the YMCA of Greater Boston called "Together We Move." Now until Nov. 12, Y's across the city will host events that boost community engagement and wellness, and fundraise for various programs.

"I'm a Y kid," City Councillor At-Large Ruthzee Louijeune, who was also in attendance, said. "It's incredibly important, the Y invests so much in our young kids when it comes

to early education; when it comes to swimming lessons; when it comes to so much, and so it's important that we support our Y and we support folks getting healthy and being healthy and winning 5Ks."

Funds raised from OAKtoberfest will go toward offsetting the cost of programs like Livestrong, which provides aid to cancer patients, and Healthy Living, which focuses on physical activity classes.

"I wanted to say thank you," YMCA Executive Director Kerry Jackson-Lee said to everyone in attendance. "By supporting the Y, look around you, you're supporting your neighbors. Everyone that is here at the Y, it doesn't matter their ability to pay or not, we raise these funds to offset the cost so that everyone has the accessibility to join the Y."

To volunteer, donate or get involved at the Brighton Y, visit ymcaboston.org/oaksquare.



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Teresa Polhemus, Executive Director/Secretary

Farmers Market *continued from page 5*

front, we ship, and we do mail order,” Stillman said. “Farmers markets are a good low-cost model for farmers to directly sell their products to consumers. I don’t have \$10,000 in infrastructure.”

Across from Stillman Quality Meat’s was Sherman & Cherie’s Beezy Bees stand. The stand had honey, chapsticks, balms, and even bee pollen laid out. The company is owned by a husband and wife, and has been around since the early 2000s.

Ellen Clark was at the stand and said that she has been helping out with the company since the beginning. This was her first farmers market, and was surprised with how much business she had gotten.

“This farmers market is really cool. I have worked at many farmers markets in the heat and it is very uncomfortable. This one is under trees, and is really a nice facility.”

Clark explained that one of her favorite parts about working for Beezy Bees is the amount of knowledge she has learned about bees and learning how much honey is actually good for you.

“You definitely want to buy pure, unadulterated honey, from your area because all of the nutrients and nectars in here

are the antihistamines for the pollen that you see,” Clark explained. “If you have allergies, the honey from your area will counteract it. In stores you have no idea where the honey is coming from. Normally the honey that you get is just pure sugar.”

She explained that Bee Pollen has many benefits for women and is something new that has recently come on the market, but cautioned consumers to research it before use. Bee Pollen comes from pollen that is on the bee and falls off of the bee on the way into the hive. Clark said that it is very potent but can help and cure many things.

“You only take a little teaspoon,” Clarke said. “You put it on your yogurt or on an apple. But look it up, and you’ll be back for some of that stuff. There are so many amazing benefits that come from the different parts of the hive.”

If you walked down two stands last Wednesday, you would’ve reached Bliss Point Meadery. Tim Evans sat at the stand and had been working for Bliss Point Meadery since June of 2023 and said the company has been doing farmers markets for two years now.

“Jeff Venuti is the owner and has been doing fermentation for over 15 years,” Evans

said. “He has done wine, cider, and mead. Today we have different types of mead here. Mead is made from fermenting honey.”

Evans said that he found Bliss Point at a wine festival because I really enjoyed mead. He applied to work with them, and has enjoyed it ever since.

Evans said that his favorite part of farmers markets is meeting all of the amazing people.

“I have met a lot of different types of people from different walks of life,” Evans said, “people who have started their own business and people who work on the farm for their family. I’ve met a lot of different people, like Fran over there.”

Evans said that they will definitely be attending more farmers markets.

Finishing the loop was Corrine’s Creations. Corrine’s stand included key chains, prints, and mugs – all painted by her. She was painting a new piece at her stand while she sold

art.

Corrine explained that she sells art through her Etsy shop, around the city at craft fairs and at many stores outside of Boston.

“I have always been into art as a kid,” Corrine said. “When quarantine happened, I really started to get into art. I had so much free time during quarantine so I started selling my work a lot more. I am a graphic designer full time, but eventually I want this to be a full-time job.”

Corrine said her favorite part about working at farmers markets is the amazing food, but also seeing peoples’ reactions to her work.

“Watching people look at my pieces makes my heart nice and warm, and makes me happy,” Corrine said, “even just people asking me questions and telling them about my work. I used to work on a farm in New Hampshire, so coming to these farmers markets really makes me feel at home. I love how they bring the community together and allow people to meet each other and make connections.”

The Brighton Farmers Market will be wrapping up on Oct. 25, so get while the getting’s good. It is a great spot to discover local businesses, connect with your community, and eat some really great food.

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Prayer to the Blessed Virgin
(Never known to fail!)
Oh, most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this necessity. Oh Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my mother. Oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech thee from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand your power. Oh Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (three times). Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands (three times). Say this prayer for three consecutive days and then you must publish and it will be granted to you. —V.C.

Miracle Prayer
Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked You for many favours. This time, I ask you this very special one (mention favour). Take it, dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within Your own broken heart where Your Father sees it. Then, in His merciful eyes, it will become Your favour, not mine. Amen. Say for three days, promise publication and favour will be granted. —V.C.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court
Suffolk Division Docket No. SU23W1122
Summons by Publication
Gabbrielle M. Jones, Plaintiff(s)
v.
Hassan C. Swanigan, Defendant(s)
To the above named Defendant(s): Hassan C. Swanigan,
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s) Gabbrielle M. Jones, is seeking a **Complaint for Custody, Support, Parenting Time** filed on July 6, 2023.
You are required to serve upon Gabbrielle M. Jones, plaintiff(s)/attorney for plaintiff(s) — whose address is 16 Stellman Road, Apt. 2, Boston, MA 02131, your answer on or before **November 30, 2023**.
If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at 24 New Chardon Street, 3rd Floor, Boston, MA 02114.
Witness, **Brian J. Dunn, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Suffolk, this 15th day of September, 2023.**
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate Court
West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin: 10/19/2023

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE Docket No. SU18P0664EA

Estate of: Jacqueline Anne Francis Suffolk Division
Date of Death: February 24, 2018

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of **Petitioner: Stephen Francis of Milton, MA**

Stephen Francis of Milton, MA 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.

Boston Bulletin: 10/19/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department
SUFFOLK Division** Docket No. SU23D0687DR

DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING
Frances Doro Koroma vs. Akeem Okiki Agboola

Suffolk Probate and Family Court, 24 New Chardon Street, Boston, MA 02114

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for **Irretrievable Breakdown**. The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. **SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.**

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon:
Frances Doro Koroma, 20 Fairlawn Avenue, Apt. C11, Mattapan, MA 02126 your answer, if any, on or before **11/02/2023**. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: August 23, 2023
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

Hyde Park Bulletin: 10/19/2023

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CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2217EA

Estate of: Kenneth S. Alpert
Date of Death: 09/05/2023

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by: **Nancy R. Alpert of New York, NY** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Nancy R. Alpert of New York, NY** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 11/15/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court
Date: October 11, 2023
Stephanie Everett,
Register of Probate

Boston Bulletin: 10/19/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2233EA

Estate of: Bernadette Rivers
Also known as: Bernadette M. Rivers
Date of Death: 09/20/2023

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by: **Paula J. Meyer of Duxbury, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Paula J. Meyer of Duxbury, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court
Date: October 12, 2023
Stephanie Everett,
Register of Probate

Boston Bulletin: 10/19/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2199EA

Estate of: Pauline M. Costello
Date of Death: 05/24/2023

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
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To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by: **Eileen M. Costello of Jamaica Plain, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Eileen M. Costello of Jamaica Plain, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M on the return day of 11/21/2023 This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: October 10, 2023
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

Hyde Park Bulletin: 10/19/23

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET NO. SU23P0824EA

Estate of: William H. Weathersby, Jr.
Also known as:
William H. Weathersby
Date of Death: 02/28/2023

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **S/A Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by: **Jannie R. Davis of Hyde Park, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Jannie R. Davis of Hyde Park, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

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Hyde Park Bulletin: 10/19/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
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CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

DOCKET No. SU22P0203EA

Estate of: James P. Logan
Date of Death: 12/24/2021

Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617)788-8300

To all interested persons:

A Petition has been filed by **Suzanne Glazer of Milton, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order that **Suzanne Glazer of Milton, MA** be appointed as Successor Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M on 11/22/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

The estate is being administered under formal 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 recipients 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

WITNESS Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: October 11, 2023

Stephanie Everett,
Register of Probate

West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin: 10/19/2023



The completed mural at Viko's Pizza on River Street in Hyde Park.

COURTESY PHOTO

HPMS Viko's mural complete, more locations sought

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The Hyde Park Main Streets (HPMS) and its artistic partners have put the finishing touches on the mural painted by Sury Chavez of Galeria de Chuwi on the wall of Viko's Pizza on River Street in Hyde Park.

HPMS Executive Director Thien Simpson said the organization came up with the initial design after shopping a few around to local residents and entities. The design features local plants and people tending to them and is meant to add a splash of color to the area.

Simpson said the HPMS currently has funds from the City of Boston Beautification grant, which allows for sprucing up all over the neighborhood. She said, for example, they use the money in part to fund window cleanings for local businesses. But this year, she said they reached out to the local community to ask what they would like to see in Hyde Park.

"A lot of it had to do with cleaning up the Square and making the place look better, and one of the top items, aside from having more music and events and stuff like that, was having another

mural," she said. "I think it's because people just seem to love the 'Welcome to Hyde Park' mural over on Fairmount Avenue. So we thought that would be great, but the hard part is finding a space and finding that space's landlord."

Simpson said, for example, they had tried to track down the landlord of the U.S. Post Office at the corner of Hyde Park Avenue and River Street for the wall running parallel to River Street.

"The landlord, it took us a year to track him down, but it turns out he said he likes the ivy on the wall!" she said with a laugh. "It's just not easy to find spaces and find a landlord to give you approval."

For the Viko's mural, Simpson said members of Keep Hyde Park Beautiful were out cleaning by the pizza shop and thought that wall might be a good fit for a mural.

"It's great visibility and it's in a part of Hyde Park that might not get as much love as it should," she said. "So we tracked down the landlord and we did get their okay – because, of course we're paying for everything so why should they care? So we got the artist who did the inside mural of

Las Delicias."

Simpson added that the same artist recently completed a four panel mural set for the boarded up windows above Las Delicias. She said they are just waiting on the landlord to finish some structural work up there before they install the panels.

"But those things are in storage and are ready to be put up as soon as the landlord is ready," she said.

Simpson said anyone with an idea of where they could put the next mural should reach out as soon as possible.

"We want to be able to do more in the neighborhood, at least one or two a year while we have the grant," she said. "If you think you have a good wall in Hyde Park with lots of visibility, reach out to us!"

So if you have any ideas for spaces in Hyde Park that could use a mural, head over to <https://hydeparkmainstreets.com> and let them know.

Concerts *continued from page 7*

sing-a-longs, just a lot of fun," according to Allen.

Sol y Canto is next in March and the band features a variety of pan-Latin music, with influences from all over Central America and South America.

"The singer is from Argentina, but it's everything from Caribbean to Central and South America, and they do some songs in English," she said. "I've hired them before; they're really good and are Boston based."

MacLeod and Belsher, playing in April, perform music from Prince Edward Island with a serious Scottish foundation.

"They're fun; they do foot-stomping music, lively traditional dance music," she said. "Then we finish up in May with feminist singer Tret Fure. She's been touring now for 30-some years and is very popular with the women crowd. I love that because I can be assured of a good audience. She's really good, she gets people moving and she's an activist. So yeah, a little bit of everything!"

Tickets for each show are \$25 for adults and \$15 for under 21. For more information on tickets and dates, go to <https://www.tparkerchurch.org/events/>

Legals

ZONING HEARING

The Zoning Commission of the City of Boston hereby gives notice, in accordance with Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, that a virtual public hearing will be held on November 8, 2023, at 9:00A.M., in connection with a petition for approval of the First Amendment to Development Plan for Planned Development Area No. 6, 1035 Commonwealth Avenue, filed by the Boston Redevelopment Authority d/b/a the Boston Planning & Development Agency.

Said First Amendment would demolish the current building and construct a new, six-story mixed use building that includes fifty-five (55) residential units and 3,653 square feet of ground floor retail totaling approximately 48,930 square feet of Gross Floor Area at the Project Site (the "Project"). The fifty-five (55) units will be composed of five (5) three-bedroom units, fifteen (15) two-bedroom units, twenty three (20) one bedroom units, and fifteen (15) studio units with a residential entry lobby, and service spaces. Zero vehicular parking spaces will be provided and there will be fifty-five (55) bicycle parking spaces.

This meeting will only be held virtually and not in person. You can participate in this meeting by going to https://bit.ly/BZC_Nov2023. Copies of the petitions and a map of the area involved may be obtained from the Zoning Commission electronically, and you may also submit written comments or questions to zoningcommission@boston.gov.

Interpreting services are available to communicate information at this hearing. If you require interpreting services, please contact the following: zoningcommission@boston.gov or 617-918-4308. The meeting is scheduled for November 8, 2023. Please request interpreting services no later than November 3, 2023.

For the Commission
Jeffrey M. Hampton
Executive Secretary

Boston Bulletin: 10/19/23



Virtual Public Meeting

1208C VFW Parkway - IAG/ Public Meeting

NOVEMBER

6

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Zoom Link: bit.ly/46GLPWu

Toll Free: (833) 568 - 8864

Meeting ID: 160 877 0176



Project Description:

705 Plantation Street Realty, LLC is proposing to construct a five-story, 62,140 sq. ft. rental building with approximately 55 units and 55 surface parking spaces. The building will also have 55 resident bicycle spaces as well as visitor bicycle spaces.

mail to: **Stephen Harvey**

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Rudolf passed away on October 9, 2023. Beloved husband of the late Liliya Burova. Devoted father of Galina Burova and her late husband Andrey. Loving grandfather of Artem Burov and his wife Anush, and Andrey Burov and his wife Mariya. Great-grandfather of Alex, Andrian, Angelina, Alina, and Nina. Brother of the late Rimma Burova and Vadim Burov. Uncle of Oleg and Olga Kozlov. Funeral from the P.E. Murray - F.J. Higgins, George

F. Doherty & Sons Funeral Home 2000 Centre St. West Roxbury. Rudolf was laid to rest at Gardens Cemetery, West Roxbury. For online guestbook pemurrayfuneral.com. Arrangements by P.E. Murray - F.J. Higgins, George F. Doherty & Sons Funeral Home, West Roxbury.

CHALOFF



Nancy N. (Namaksy) of Delray Beach, FL., formerly of Newton and West Roxbury,

DEATHS

passed away on October 3, 2023. Beloved wife of the late Richard Stedman Chaloff. She was 94 years old. Devoted mother of Richard S. Chaloff Jr. and his partner Christine Nezuh of Walpole, Christopher M. Chaloff and his wife Susan Murray of West Roxbury, and the late Gregory S. Chaloff. Loving grandmother of Richard III, Scott, Christopher, Alex, Ashley, Courtney, Corey, and Renee. Sister of Joseph Namaksy, and the late Dolores Namaksy. Nancy was a graduate of New England Conservatory, and she enjoyed teaching music in her younger years. After marriage, she became a devoted mother, and loving wife, she also supported and assisted Richard, and her sons, in the family business, Stedman Ltd. Nancy and Richard enjoyed boating, primarily out of Charles River Yacht Club. Some of their favorite boat trips were to Nantucket, Provincetown, and Gloucester. After Richard passed in 2005, Nancy became a bereavement counselor, where her positive outlook on life was much appreciated to those struggling to overcome grief. Funeral from the P.E. Murray - F.J. Higgins, George F. Doherty & Sons Funeral Home 2000 Centre St. West Roxbury. Interment Forest Hills Cemetery, Jamaica Plain.

MCNAMARA



Dawn McNamara crossed over to heaven on September 12th, 2023 at her home in West Roxbury, MA. She was 58 years old. She moved to the area in 2008 and quickly found her calling as a home health aide to the elderly. She absolutely loved hearing their stories, listening to their favorite music, learning new card games, and caring for them in any way she could. Dawn spent most of her youth in Geneva, New York where she was in the school's color guard and volunteered as a candy striper. After graduation, she moved to Wilbraham, MA, and then to Springfield, MA before her final home in Boston. The night before her death, she was packing for her move back to Springfield which was scheduled for just three days later. She didn't have grandiose dreams or plans for anything too far into the future. She truly lived in the moment, treasuring the small blessings in life such as a phone call from a friend, her mother's pot roast recipe, a new hair style, winning at Yahtzee, a great find at Savers and, on occasion, a strawberry milkshake. If she had one big wish for herself, it was to swim with the dolphins which she did years earlier. Her hopes and dreams were for her children Tom and Mary. She prayed for their happiness and success wherever life led them. Proudly proud of them both, Dawn never missed an opportunity to share an update, photo, or memory of them with anyone. She was over the moon to be just two minutes away from Tom in her new Springfield home. God had other plans. Dawn had her share of challenges, but she bore her crosses with tremendous grace - especially in her final year. She was also sober for more than a decade, taking great

pride in knowing she beat this generational curse. Her super power was unconditional love, always choosing to see the good in someone. She is survived by her son, Tom McNamara, his wife Maryn and their children Avery and John; her daughter Mary Flores and Mary's father Mike who was Dawn's partner of 20 years; twin sister Diane McNamara; brother Dan McNamara and his wife Christy Hamilton; uncle John Helme and his wife Renee; cousins Helen Hagerty, Ingrid Van Slyke, and Heather Harrison Moran; and the friends she cherished throughout her life. She was predeceased by her mother Anne, father Thomas, and much-loved grandmother Peggy who she called LaLa. That was the name her precious granddaughter Avery called Dawn too. Dawn wasn't afraid of death, confident that her mother and LaLa would greet her at the gates of heaven, along with her beloved dogs Mugsy, Caesar, and Brutus. If you would like to honor Dawn's life, please consider a donation to The Dolphin Project, or simply do something kind for an elderly person and think of her. A funeral mass will be held at St. Cecilia Church in Wilbraham, MA on Saturday, October 21st at 10 am. She will be buried with her father, mother, grandparents, great aunts and great grandparents in Syracuse, NY next spring.

NATES

Matilda T. of West Roxbury, October 11, 2023. Beloved daughter of the late Thomas G. and Emily Nates. Beloved sister of the late Mary A. Nates and the late Lila Driscoll and Dr. Joseph Nates. Survived by several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews, and great-great-nieces and nephews; and especially her niece, Denise Seward, who cared for Matilda for many years. Funeral from The Robert J. Lawler & Crosby Funeral Home, 1803 Centre St. WEST ROXBURY. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated in the Holy Name Church. Interment in Mt. Benedict Cemetery. Lawler & Crosby Funeral Home 617-323-5600.

Obituary Policy

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Ask The Doctor
Junior Damato began servicing vehicles in 1969. He owns an 8-bay center in Middleboro, MA. Junior is an ASE-certified Master Technician, ASE-certified L-1 and ASE-certified Natural Gas.

Chevrolet Trax

I remember the last Chevrolet Trax I drove a few years ago and I was not impressed. My most recent experience - a 2024 Trax 2RS front drive, 1.2 liter turbo 3 cylinder surprised me from engine sounds, no vibration at idle and instant smooth power via a 6-speed automatic. We took my neighbors out for dinner and they were amazed at how much room was in the rear seat area. Power is ample at any speed. Interior is roomy and doesn't feel cheap. All the creature features are in reach and easy to navigate. The exterior style is very modern and sleek. The Trax is a mixture of U.S. and Korea. Base MSRP is only \$23,800 (plus \$1,545 for destination). Heated front seats and steering wheel are standard, as well as power windows, steering hub controls, 11-inch touchscreen, 8-inch driver information center, remote start and more. LED lighting, rear spoiler, 19-inch black wheels and the list goes on. Sunroof package and driver convenience package brings this Trax to another level. Finished in bright summit white, black interior with red highlights make this Trax look amazing. Total MSRP: \$26,540. EPA: 28 city, 32 hwy.

Junior Damato, the "Auto Doctor," has agreed to field auto repair questions from Bulletin and Record readers. Please send your questions to news@bulletinnewspapers.com and we will do our best to get them answered.

Around the Neighborhood

COLLEGE PREP PROGRAM AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Boston University Upward Bound is currently accepting applications for their college preparation program from 9th and 10th graders. Upward Bound serves 86 Boston Public High School Students by providing academic instruction, tutoring, social enrichment and personal support. This includes MCAS English, Math and Science prep, along with SAT prep. The program is free and now has openings. The priority application deadline is December 1.

Students attending Brighton High School, The English High School, Community Academy of Science and Health, Margarita Muniz Academy and Snowden International High School at Copley or attend a Boston public school and live in Dorchester, East Boston, Mattapan, or Roxbury can apply. Program services include an academically intensive six-week summer program (where students live at BU) and an afterschool program of tutoring and academic courses during the school year. For an application and more information on the program contact us at 617 353-5195 or reggie@bu.edu. You can also go to www.bu.edu/ub.

FRIENDS OF ROSIE'S PLACE HARVEST BRUNCH

The West Roxbury Friends of Rosie's Place invite you to its Annual Harvest Brunch and Raffle on Sunday, November 5th from 10:00-12:00 noon. Join us for a festive brunch to raise money for Rosie's Place, a multi-service center that offers women emergency shelter and meals and so much more, the Rosie's Place food pantry, the Roslindale Food Pantry, and camperships to send children who would otherwise not be able to attend to summer camp programs.

It will be held at the Irish Social Club, 119 Park Street, West Roxbury. Gift certificates and items from your favorite local restaurants and shops will be raffled-off.

Join the fun and connect with your friends over brunch while helping neighbors in need. Admission is \$25.00. You may pay at the door, by check to WRFORP, PO Box 320076, West Roxbury, MA 02132 or by credit card on our website westroxburyfriendsfosriesplace.org. If you need additional information, please call 617-469-4199. If you can't join us, please consider making a donation to support our work at <https://westroxburyfriendsfosriesplace.org/donate/>.

WESTIEFEST IS CALLING ALL VENDORS

WestieFest Community Festival is back. Join us for a fun filled day with music, food, activities, local artisans and more at Billings Field on October 21 from 12:00 to 4:00 pm. Visit westiefest.info for more details.

26th ANNUAL LESBIANS & FRIENDS LGBTQIA + DANCE

In-Person at Club Café in Boston, MA and Virtually on Zoom. The 26th Annual Lesbians & Friends LGBTQIA+ Dance to benefit Massachusetts Breast Cancer Coalition (MBCC) will take place in-person and virtually on Saturday, October 21, from 6 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. The in-person Dance will be held at Boston's best venue, Club Café. If you would like to attend this special 26th anniversary virtually, the event will be hosted on Zoom. Purchase tickets at mbcc.org/dance.

There will be a dance lesson from OUT to Dance's founder and director, Liz Nania; and music throughout the evening provided by Club Café's very own DJ! MBCC will honor Jim Morgrage, General Manager of Club Café and longtime community leader.

Tickets to attend the in-person event at Club Café in Boston, MA are \$40 in advance and \$45 at the door. If you are a student over the age of 21, tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door with student ID. To enter Club Café, you must be 21 or older.

Tickets for the virtual event on Zoom are \$20. Virtual tickets are open to all ages. Funds raised from this event benefit Massachusetts Breast Cancer Coalition's unique mission of breast cancer prevention.

For full event information and to purchase tickets, please visit mbcc.org/dance.

TEMPLE BETH DAVID OF THE SOUTH SHORE TO HOST ART EXHIBIT

Temple Beth David of the South Shore, in Canton, Mass., will host an art exhibition of the paintings of renowned artist, Jeffrey Melzack, on Sunday, November 5, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., with a presentation by the artist at 2:00 p.m.

Mr. Melzack's artwork is seen in galleries throughout the world. His visual imagery is striking, as he uses colors, symbols and other graphic ideas to reflect the multifaceted levels of the stories he tells in his paintings. The viewer is invited to experience the meaning of the work in relation to the viewer's own experience. Mr. Melzack will share insights to his paintings, the stories he aims to tell and how he develops his paintings from the use of this visual language. Samples of his work can be seen at his website, melzackartworks.com. The event is free and light refreshments will be served. More information about how to purchase an original work will also be available. RSVPs are not required, but will be helpful for planning purposes.

Please email event@templebethdavid.com to RSVP or with any questions. Temple Beth David of the South Shore is located at 1060 Randolph St., Canton, Mass.

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Virtual Public Meeting

287 Western Avenue

NOVEMBER

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6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Zoom Link: bit.ly/3RXK3Mr

Toll Free: (833) 568 - 8864

Meeting ID: 161 971 5512



Project Description:

The BPDA is hosting a Public Meeting for the 287 Western Avenue project located in Allston. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the Project Notification Form. The meeting will include a presentation followed by Q&A and comments from the public. The information at this meeting is important. Interpreting services are available. If you require translation services, please contact quinn.w.valcich@boston.gov no later than 11/03/23.

对于您作为波士顿的居民和利益相关者,本次会议的信息至关重要。与会的语言服务免费。如果您需要这些语言翻译服务,请在下方的日期时间之前联系 (quinn.w.valcich@boston.gov) : 11/03/23. 作为波士顿居民和利益相关者,这次会议中的资讯对您非常重要。我们可以向您免费提供语言辅助服务。如果您要求这些服务,请在以下时间之前联络 (quinn.w.valcich@boston.gov) : 11/03/23.

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Website
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Legals

Money earmarked for neighborhood art

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court**

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE **Docket No. SU23P2239EA**

Estate of: Mary M. Gillis **Suffolk Division**
Date of Death: September 05, 2023

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of **Petitioner Michael G. Gillis of Roslindale, MA**

a Will has been admitted to informal probate Michael G. Gillis of Roslindale, MA 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.

West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin: 10/19/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2228EA

Estate of: Louise A. Leary
Also known as: Louise Leary
Date of Death: 09/12/2023

**Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Charles A. Leary of Canton, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Charles A. Leary of Canton, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 11/23/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: October 12, 2023
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin: 10/19/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

DOCKET No. SU23P2212EA

Estate of: Thomas J. McGreevy
Also known as: Thomas J. McGreevy, Jr.
Date of Death: 09/24/2018

**Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Late and Limited Formal Testacy and/or Appointment** has been filed by **Eleanor McGreevy of West Roxbury, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Eleanor McGreevy of West Roxbury, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised administration.**

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: October 11, 2023
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin: 10/19/2023

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The Boston City Council recently voted unanimously to accept and expend \$3 million from the Mellon Foundation’s Monuments Project to put up temporary art installations and create free programming around the city’s monuments with local artists.

Chief of Arts and Culture Kara Elliott-Ortega said the first few steps will include creating a timeline, figuring out a public input process and then selecting the artists and locations for installations all around the city. She said the project will be ongoing for at least two years.

“As many of you know we’ve been doing a lot of work with the public art program to really think about who’s represented throughout the city, whose histories are being represented, whose stories are being told, who’s been left out

over the years,” she said.

Director of Public Art Karin Goodfellow said that as many neighborhoods as possible will be featured. She said this grant was at least partly created because of the recent conversations about monuments in the public realm across the country these last few years. The heavy focus was on Confederate monuments as well as slave-owning persons and other controversial figures.

Goodfellow said residents can participate in multiple ways, first by going to the art projects and then proposing and creating new art projects through the public engagement process online and or in person, and also participate in activities like related dinners and reading groups.

“All of which will be free,” she said.

Goodfellow added that engagement will include programming and information available in

different languages and working with different communities and community groups.

“Whether they’re from immigrant groups or just folks who don’t consider themselves art people,” she said. “We’re really looking forward to engaging people in ways that they’re interested in telling the stories of Boston.”

District 1 City Councilor and Arts, Culture & Special Events Chair Gabriela Coletta asked Goodfellow how much of the \$3 million grant will be going to the artists themselves. Goodfellow said about \$1 million, with \$2 million going to the public process employees, staffing, support and logistical concerns.

“A lot of it will be for people to help us run the events and the programming as well as the production for the artworks,” she said.

“We’re also hoping some of the events can be artistic experiences in and of themselves, so we’re trying to break out of just having objects people react to and panel discussions and consider other ways people can be engaged,” Elliott-Ortega said. “So since we haven’t done that before, we’re still trying to figure out what the associated costs of that approach are.”

Goodfellow said they will be putting out a call for artists in the next few months, as well as a call for locations for public temporary art projects.

“We aren’t limiting the neighborhoods and we will make all effort to include as many as we can,” she said.

Go to <https://tinyurl.com/ffzb5u55> to stay up to date with the Mayor’s Office of Arts and Culture for that call for artists.

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Hyde Park Bulletin: 10/19/23, 10/26/23

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department**

CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME **Docket No. SU23C0492CA**

In the matter of: Eli De Angeli Galiga **Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA
(617) 788-8300**

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by **Eli De Angeli Galiga of Roslindale, MA** requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to: **Eli James De Angeli**

Any person may appear for purposes objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: **Suffolk Probate and Family Court** before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of **11/02/2023**. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: October 04, 2023
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin: 10/19/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department**

CITATION ON PETITION FOR ORDER OF COMPLETE SETTLEMENT **Docket No. SU22P0214EA**

Estate of: Frances J. Young **Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300**
Date of Death: 12/22/2021

A Petition for **Order of Complete Settlement** has been filed by: **Alice L. Young of Nutley, NJ** requesting that the court enter a formal Decree of Complete Settlement including the allowance of a final account, of the Personal Representative and other such relief as may be requested in the Petition.

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 11/16/2023.

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Witness, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court
Date: October 12, 2023
Stephanie Everett, Register of Probate

Hyde Park Bulletin: October 19, 2023

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