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Results in, Farrell and Arroyo for District 5



While turnout wasn't great, still dozens of residents came out to the city's polling places to support their candidates.

PHOTO BY JEFF SULLIVAN

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The results are in for this year's preliminary Boston City Council Election.

While the turnout was higher than some estimates, only about 44,972 ballots were cast, putting the election at 11.17 percent.

For District 5 in Hyde Park and Roslindale, aide to District 5 City Councilor Tim McCarthy, Maria Esdale Farrell, will be facing off against Ricardo Arroyo, the son of former At-Large City Councilor Felix Arroyo. Farrell has been on the front

lines of neighborhood meetings with residents throughout the district, while Arroyo has been fighting as a public defender and is a member of the Boston Bar Association.

In the neighborhoods of Allston and Brighton's District 9, aide to State Rep. Michael Moran, Craig Cashman, will be facing off against Liz Breadon. Breadon has worked in the community as a physical therapist and helped to secure the Presentation School Foundation Community Center as well as fighting to save the Faneuil

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West Fairmount looking at Moynihan and Rogers

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The West Fairmount Neighborhood Association (WFNA) met on Monday, Sept. 23, and discussed several improvements coming to the neighborhood.

Nathaniel Thomas spoke of the Community Preservation Act (CPA) application he and neighbors have filed to revamp and renovate the Moynihan Playground across the street from the Martini Shell. He said they wanted to start last year, but hit what turned out to be a helpful bump in the road.

"Last year, we were getting ready to submit our CPA application to upgrade the playground, but the state, through the Department of Recreation and Conservation (DCR), required us to engage with them because it is state

property," he said. "They wanted to be more involved."

Thomas said that since the DCR will be maintaining the property, it needed to have input on the final design of the renovation. He said the state has raised \$40,000 to put toward the park, and the CPA application will be asking for \$320,000, to be submitted by the end of this week, for a final total of \$360,000 of improvements (\$60,000 for design and \$300,000 for construction).

"DCR has told me they have already sent arborists out there to check out the expansion," Thomas said. "The primary scope of the renovation is to put in fixtures that weren't available at the time of construction."

Thomas said the playground was built in 2005 and

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Fall cleanup hits the Neponset



Not a bad haul for the volunteers at the Neponset Watershed Association Spring Clean Up along the Neponset River in Hyde Park and Mattapan.

PHOTO BY JEFF SULLIVAN

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Staff Reporter

The Fall Cleanup of the Neponset River at the Martini Shell Park in Hyde Park and at Edgewater Drive on the Mattapan Line went off without a hitch on Saturday, Sept. 21.

A few dozen residents and volunteers came out on foot and by canoe to spruce up the environs. According to the Neponset River Watershed Association, the spring and fall cleanups have been going on for more than eight years now.

However, the Hyde Park

area of the Neponset will not be safe for swimming or fishing until a serious and expensive clean up procedure is enacted, most likely at the state level, because of PCB contamination from the old Lewis Chemical plant, which was used for storage and disposal of hazardous materials until about 2000 when a fire prompted a shutdown at the site.

Contamination continues to exist at the site, but with these cleanups and a lot of citizen-prompted water testing, it doesn't look like it's spreading. A city proposed plan would cost about \$8 million to address some of the water concerns at

the site, but funding is still stuck in the budget process and residents said in the past they want to do what they can now rather than waiting 100 years for the city to cleanup the site.

Neponset River Watershed Association Environmental Science Fellow Kelly di Stephano said the cleanup on Saturday was quite a success, with a good amount of materials found at the Martini Shell.

"One of my duties as an environmental science fellow is to organize two of these

Cleanup

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MAC attracts artists from six associations in latest exhibition

Mary Ellen Gambon
Staff Reporter

The Menino Arts Center, located at 26 Central Ave. near Cleary Square, is noted for showcasing the best art, music and poetry that greater Hyde Park has to offer.

But on Friday, Sept. 20, more than 60 people attended a six-town art association reception from 7 to 9 p.m., where paintings, mosaics, sculptures and even a performance sketch demonstrated the breadth of talent that the area generates. The exhibition displayed 53 works ranging from pictures of local scenes to paintings of Iceland and even Mars, attracting visitors from as far away as Germany. Twenty-nine artists contributed to the show.



More than 60 people came out to the Menino Arts Center to see what the area has to offer.

PHOTO BY ERIK GEHRING

Lisa Goren, one of the MAC's instructors who teaches watercolor painting, traveled the furthest to complete her works. Her passion is painting ice, and she has

gone on explorations to Iceland and Antarctica to capture the beauty that most people will never

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Masquerade Party lights up RTW for Hyde Park Main Streets



The Hyde Park Main Streets attracted hundreds of supporters for its Mardi Gras fundraiser last Friday night at Zaz's restaurant.

PHOTO BY MARY ELLEN GAMBON

Mary Ellen Gambon
Staff Reporter

Just who was hiding behind the many masks or beneath the boas was anyone's guess on Saturday night, Sept. 21, as Riverside Theatre Works was transformed into a mini-Bourbon Street for Hyde Park Main Streets (HPMS) 2019 Mardi Gras Masquerade Party fundraiser. But it was evident that the festive crowd of at least 150 people was clearly having a great time dancing, socializing and celebrating Hyde Park's community spirit.

The annual fundraiser's theme was chosen by board members, HPMS Executive Director Thien Simpson said. "The Promotion Committee has been working on this event since the summer," she explained. "We thought the theme would be a lot of fun."

"The Switch sold some cool decorative masks made by

local artists. And Zaz provided the food, which was all New Orleans style. So many of our businesses and groups provided in-kind donations."

Attendees were treated to an elegant buffet of salad, sausage skewers, jambalaya, garlic-flavored catfish, fried shrimp, sautéed vegetables, rice, French fries and assorted desserts. Garlic, curry and other savory spices wafted through the air, tempting tasters before the food was served.

A festive lighting arrangement of red, purple, yellow and green welcomed guests as they entered the hall. They were invited to take selfies in a miniature intersection display, with Bourbon Street and Hyde Park's main areas displayed.

Former District Five City Councilor and current Boston Public Schools Chief of Staff Rob Consalvo emceed the event and ran the silent auction. There were also several

raffle prizes.

VJ Tom Yaz kept the crowd in motion, pumping out a musical mix of video memories from the disco era to today. Toward the end of the evening the crowd joined a conga line, then split off to dance to the tunes of Diana Ross, Donna Summer and Kool & the Gang. The most popular jams of the night were "It's Raining Men," "I'm Coming Out," "Get Down on It," "Groove it in the Heart" and the "Moulin Rouge"-inspired "Lady Marmalade."

A number of dignitaries attended the event, including former Suffolk County District Attorney and former District Five City Councilor Dan Conley and Sandy Scaccia, the wife of long-time State Rep. Angelo Scaccia. Also in attendance were District Five candidates Maria Esdale Farrell, Alkia Powell and Mimi Turchinetz and At-Large candidate Marty Keogh.

People commented on the beautiful and creative decorations, the diverse crowd and the jovial mood of the celebration.

"I think it's a wonderful night for Hyde Park," HPMS Board President Lisa Consalvo said. "This is my first celebration as board president. I want to thank everyone involved in making this such a success."

"When I look at the crowd, I see people of all different colors and all different classes having a great time," she continued. "Let's not forget that. We are one."

"This is what Hyde Park is all about," added Rob

Masquerade

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Couldn't have done it without him

Dennis Cawley
Editor

Last Sunday evening as I headed to Braintree to attend the wake of Joe Mont, I was feeling every one of my 60 years. Not that I'm complaining because I'm one of the lucky ones. I'm not one of the ones who needed to be concerned about a sudden back ache being anything more than just a simple back ache. I'm one of the guys who never had to worry if my temperature rose a degree or two because I'm one of the lucky ones. Joe wasn't so lucky.

As I wound my way through traffic I had time to think back over two decades when my partner Paul DiModica and I decided to bring what little experience we had in newspaper publishing to the City of Boston. We had already established a couple of suburban weeklies and, because ignorance is bliss, we just assumed we could do the same in city neighborhoods. It didn't take us long to understand how little we knew.

As we sat in our first upstairs office in West Roxbury trying to figure out the mess we had gotten ourselves into, in walks this guy who couldn't have been more than 100lbs soaking wet, wearing a scally cap and a big grin, grabs a seat in front of my desk and announces he is here to help. Suspecting he was a salesman of some kind, we tried to explain to Joe that we were broke and couldn't afford to buy anything.

"No, you don't understand," he said. "I'm here to help you generate news. I've seen your first editions and trust me, you need my help." And as Rick Blaine said to Captain Louis Renault in the film *Casablanca*, "Louis, I think this is the beginning of a beautiful friendship."

I think it is safe to say that The Bulletin Newspapers owes plenty to Joe Mont, if not its continued existence. Joe was a newspaper guy, we weren't. We needed him in the field at first, but in short order recognized he would be much more beneficial to us managing the news. He recognized writing talent, but that was the easy part. Joe took it a step further in his hiring, seeking out those who not only could construct coherent paragraphs, but also grasped the importance of what we were doing. To Joe, local news was sacred. Joe hired reporters who didn't look at community news as a means to an end. He sought people who didn't see reporting assignments as just more work, but as continued opportunities to excel and to be a member of a team that wanted to make a difference. When I think back to all the excellent staff we have had over the years, it is largely attributable to Joe personally, or to the bar he set after he left.

Some of my best memories are of Joe holding story board meetings with his feet up and brainstorming with reporters on the best way to cover news. And every story was important; it didn't matter if it was criminal, civil or human interest. Every one of those meetings was serious and comedic at the same time. Everyone loved working with Joe Mont.

I also remember the not so great times, when Joe would need time off to deal with health issues. He shared with me some of those issues, not because he was looking for sympathy but to explain why he wouldn't be in the office for awhile. Without going into detail, Joe was a sick man, and had been since a child. One day he said to me, "Yeah, I'm heading in to have some tests done and if the results aren't good, they will probably just fill me up with sawdust and end it." He was like that, Joe was a pragmatist and his health was just something to deal with, no more or no less than the next story board meeting.

After years of being a good friend and the creative force within our group, Joe announced he was leaving. Not because he was unhappy, but because his talents were continually being recognized by others, most notably Jim Cramer's organization, TheStreet.com. Imagine, one of our folks was recruited by a national firm. Of course he had to take the job, and we were all devastated to see him go.

However, I was doggedly determined not to lose him entirely. I said to him before he left, "Hey Joe, would you ever consider writing our editorials for us while you go on to bigger and greater things?" He didn't hesitate. "Hell yeah, he said, I'll do it for as long as I can." That's the way Joe was, he was heading to the big time but still thought it important enough to stay in touch locally. Many don't realize it, but Joe Mont had been our editorial writer for the past 20 or so years.

As I pulled into the funeral home parking lot, I dreaded having to go in, and dreaded even more the waiting in line until my turn to view Joe. It was an open casket; Joe looked at rest. And on his lap was one of his famous Irish hats, and pinned to that hat was a press badge with his name and The Bulletin Newspapers adorned on it. I like to think it was Joe's way of saying he valued our friendship as much as we valued his, as distant as it had gotten. With a tear in my eye I turned to leave and thought that I will forever miss Joe Mont. He was the best in every possible way.

Remembering Joseph Mont

David Colbert
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Between 2002 and 2004 I was given the chance to edit and report for the Bulletin Newspapers. It could be a sleep-deprived grind through late-night production deadlines and neighborhood board meetings, but, also, by turns satisfying, thrilling, and fun. I shared many of the ups and downs of the job with Joseph Mont, who died far too soon on September 17. To Joe, one of the smartest, kindest, funniest, and most talented people I have ever met, I owe much of the joy those days provided. Election returns were more exciting when he was at the desk next to you, setbacks were a little easier to swallow, and everything was much, much funnier.

I remember a column in which he praised the democratic exercise of neighborhood elections covered in-depth by local newspapers like ours, because, he wrote, "Dark horses gallop alongside frontrunners". The line stuck with me because it was unusually flowery for Joe, and the kind of writing I, a journalist trained to write dry and directly, would have been afraid to use. Yet it worked. Like all his writing it grabbed the reader's attention and elevated the topic.

In one such election, Joe, who made few mistakes, mis-transcribed a candidate's last name in a headline. The next day, without saying anything about the typo to him, I arranged for my sister to call him on the phone masquerading as the candidate to make increasingly outlandish demands on the increasingly squirming Joe to make amends, finally asking

for a series on "the making of a candidate" similar to what the Boston Globe had been doing for John Kerry at the time.

It was one of the few instances I was able to outwit Joe, who always had his co-workers laughing, be it with his imitations, his penchant for verbally or performatively recasting every situation, or his ability to find the perfect pop-culture reference to whatever had just happened. For a period, visits from the sales department invariably elicited lines from Glengarry Glenn Ross.

I can recall far more brilliant moments from Joe than fit here. Once I returned from a trip involving my first flight on Southwest, and Joe summarized the experience perfectly: "If it were technically possible to have the passengers stick out oars and row, that's what they would do". There was the time when, after fielding an angry phone call, he slammed all his change into a "swears-for-cares" jar he had invented earlier that day and then let loose. The time he got a hold of my sentimental column in tribute to my family cockapoos, written for a special advertising supplement on pets, and then laid it out side-by-side with his far superior response advocating for "dog's dogs" like German shepherds: "This country used to make steel. We rode horses and tamed the West. We watched football and drank Schlitz. Now we dedicate teams of scientists in an underground laboratory to breed such Stepford pets as cockapoos and labradoodles or whatever the next Frankenpup variation is that you can order from Sharper Image like so many Sea Monkeys from a Jughead



Joe Mont

comic book."

Joe was willing to target himself with his humor too. Once he returned from a night meeting in one of the rougher neighborhoods in Jamaica Plain and readily shared the highlight: on the way, he had passed a surly teen who shouted at him from his porch: "Man, you so skinny I could squeeze you through a Cheerio!"

None of this is to say that Joe was not a serious journalist. As another former co-worker of his posted on social media, overhearing Joe interviewing was a master class in human interaction. Joe seemed to know everything because people loved talking to him, not only for his humor, but also for his incisive analysis, his ability to see multiple layers in every topic or happening. An occasional typo like the one I wrote about above notwithstanding, he worked hard and long and got the facts right. He was a person of integrity and his sources, like his friends and co-workers, instinctively and rightfully trusted him.

Joe's death has made me realize just how much his friendship meant to me, and I only wish I had kept in closer touch over the years. It is hard to believe that I won't get to have another conversation with him now. Anybody who had the privilege of knowing Joe feels a void at his passing.

TIAA-CREF, how could you?

You would not expect any nurses' or doctors' groups to invest in, say, land mines or AR-15's. Similarly, you would not expect any teacher organizations, such as the National Educational Association, the Massachusetts Teachers Association, or the Boston Teachers Union, to be involved with or investing in any organizations that also promote mayhem—mustard gas, anthrax, flame throwers, or even fossil fuels.

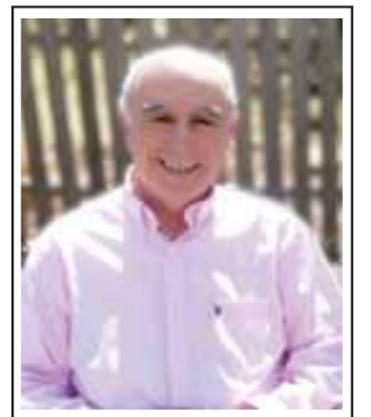
So, it came as a—dare I say total—surprise to read in the September issue of The Atlantic Magazine that TIAA is involved with gobbling up the farmsteads of mostly black farmers in the Mississippi delta owning limited acreage.

TIAA—formerly known as TIAA-CREF, which stands for The Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association of

America-College Retirement Equities Funds—is, according to its website, a fortune 100 financial services organization that is the leading provider of financial services in the academic, research, medical, cultural and governmental fields. This fortune 100 company has assets of about one trillion dollars, with 2016 revenue of more than 37 billion dollars.

Drawing from a recent entry in TIAA's own literature, a researcher has found that TIAA-CREF has "spent some \$340 million on farmland across seven states."

Having cultivated a reputation for social responsibility and endorsing environmental concerns, this monolithic company claims to be respecting land rights. But it has been acquiring huge parcels of land in Brazil, thereby incurring scru-



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Joe Galeota

tiny from an international non-profit called Grain.

Seven years ago the National Family Farm Coalition found that the entry of wealthy

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Marriage Certificates now available online from City of Boston

Mayor Martin J. Walsh, the Registry Department, and the Department of Innovation and Technology (DoIT) today announced marriage certificates are available online, completing the Registry Department's online services. Death and birth certificates were previously launched online by DoIT in March 2018 and March 2019. This process of obtaining records is an alternative method to attaining the documents in person at City Hall, and records are now available online at boston.gov/registry.

"Boston City Hall works to serve our residents, and moving this process online makes it easier and more efficient for Boston residents to get the documents they need," said Mayor Walsh. "Our Department of Innovation and Technology is constantly improving our services for residents, and offering crucial documents



Patty McMahon, City Registrar. "Empowering our residents to access these digital tools has allowed the City to provide a higher level of customer service to those who need extra

support. I'm proud to continue this work." Birth certificates requested from the City of Boston are available online for \$14 plus fees per copy, which includes shipping costs. Previously, the only online alternative was handled through a state and third-party process that would cost the requester an average of \$40+ per transaction. Adding the option to request vital records online is another way the Department of Innovation and Technology has improved resources provided by the City of Boston.

online is another step in our process to make service better for all." The Registry Department provides vital records to constituents as requested, including birth, marriage and death certificates. These documents can be used to apply for jobs or State services, including a motor vehicle license. Additionally, these resources come in preparation for the October 2020 implementation of the federal requirement of residents to obtain a REAL ID, which requires vital documents to receive.

"Since we first launched online registry requests, we've seen a 30 percent increase in requests for these records, highlighting the need to bring these services online," said

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cleanups a year, once in the spring and one in the fall," she said. "This is my first attempt and I'll try again in the fall."

Di Stephano said she's started recently, but knows from residents' stories, most notably from residents cleaning up with Keep Hyde Park Beautiful, that the area is in a constant need of cleanups.

"We just keep seeing a huge need for getting trash out of the river, but that fits in with our overall mission," she said.

For this year's city-sponsored spring cleanup, Love Your Block, many residents cleaned up along the river and along Truman Highway, which many said has become a dumping ground for construction materials and other waste. But some of that waste comes from further up river, and di Stephano said they want to work with all seven municipalities along the river, like Milton, Quincy, Boston, Norwood, Walpole, Sharon and Foxborough to keep the river in tip top shape.

"We work with all the municipalities on stormwater management and all sorts of other things that affect the river," she said. "Hyde Park here is an awesome neighborhood and there are a lot of awesome people who live here and I think they really have a desire to keep it beautiful and clean and a place where people want to live, and that's ultimately been a big help in being able to do these cleanups, because we really couldn't do it without them."

Resident Fred Taylor said he's volunteered for years and years and he said he thinks it's been steadily improving since the cleanups started.

"You should have seen how bad it was initially," he said. "It's getting cleaner and cleaner. I mean I don't personally canoe here too much, but it's a nice spot and you can go down and not see trash everywhere anymore."

Taylor said he felt great helping out, and said that cleanup founder Martha McDonough, who retired from organizing the clean up in 2017, deserved a lot of credit for getting her friends and neighbors out to help.

For more information on future cleanups and the Neponset River Watershed Association's various projects, go to neponset.org/

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Robbie Consalvo, left, and Hyde Park Main Streets Executive Director Thien Simpson, middle, made a surprise Volunteer of the Year award to Matzaris Del Valle, right.

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Consalvo. “And without the work of Thien Simpson, Hyde Park wouldn’t be what it is today.”

“Hyde Park is rocking! I love it!” said Matzaris Del Valle, who received a surprise award from HPMS as Volunteer of the Year. “It’s an honor to be here. The energy is just phenomenal, and I am really excited about the large turnout.”

“This exceeded my expectations,” added Hyde Park resident Kelly Bates. “It showed the excitement of what Hyde Park is, and the Hyde Park that is to come.”

“It’s a really good time,”

added her husband, Yves Nau. “This about showcasing Hyde Park at its finest.”

“It is awesome that the Hyde Park community came out to support this wonderful event,” Keogh said.

Standup tables had to be added about halfway during the event to accommodate the growing crowd.

Jen Gaman, a volunteer with the Promotions Committee, noted the dozens of hours that went into planning the event over the past several months.

“Most people don’t realize what it takes for an event like this to be a success,” she explained, adding that more volunteers always are needed. “The people involved are so amazing. It feels like a fabulous turnout for the neighborhood.”

She added that she was afraid that there would be fewer people because the Fairmount Hill Yard Sale took place on the same day. Yet many people came directly from the event.

“This was a fantastic event for Hyde Park,” Charlie Adams, the Regional Vice

President for Pennrose, LLC, said. “Very festive. It reinforced Pennrose’s understanding of the Hyde Park community as an active, joyful, cultured – and perhaps most importantly – an incredibly diverse community filled with people who are committed to strengthen their arts, entertainment, restaurants and institutions. Events like this make us even more excited about the opportunity to be a part of it.”

Pennrose, LLC is one of the three potential developers in competition to redevelop the former Rogers Middle School into senior housing.

Wyatt Jackson noted that Hyde Park’s increasingly diverse community was well represented at the event.

“When I look at the dance floor, I see all different shades of black and brown dancing with white people of all ages,” he said. “This is the new spirit of Hyde Park.”

“They did such a beautiful job decorating,” Tarsha Fernandez said as she posed for a picture with her friend Malika Whitley. “I can’t get over the huge mask on the wall. And I have no idea how they arranged all of those lights.”

Hyde Parker John Malone, who did the lighting with Brian Leary, also arranged the lighting on Fairmount Avenue last year for the Hyde Park 150 celebration.

“We left up the lighting after the Hyde Park 150 celebration because we got such a great response to it,” Malone said. “We wanted to light up the night, give people a sense of security, and attract more people to Hyde Park. We wanted to define our little corridor as the Avenue of the Arts.”

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ROGERSON COMMUNITIES WANTS YOUR SUPPORT

To the Editor:

Dear Hyde Park Neighbors,
My name is Walter Ramos and I am the President & CEO of Rogerson Communities. We have submitted a proposal to the City of Boston to develop mixed-income housing at the site of the former William B. Rogers School. With nearly 160 years of experience as a non-profit housing developer that has cared for greater Boston's aging neighbors and provided high-quality affordable housing for low- and middle-income Bostonians, I believe we have clearly submitted the best proposal for Hyde Park.

Our long-standing mission is to provide exactly what our Hyde Park neighbors need and deserve – a place in the neighborhood to continue to call home, a well-managed facility that is staffed and secure and provides community space and programming for residents and neighbors alike, and affordable, spacious units that feel like home. Our proposal does not put businesses first - it is our experience that our residents become vital contributors to local business; nor does our proposal single out any group of aging adults for our attention - it is our long-standing practice to treat all our residents with dignity, to celebrate the diverse races, cultures, languages, and sexual orientations that make our buildings vibrant, and to provide culturally competent housing and services for all.

You don't have to take our word for it. Talk to our residents and our neighbors and visit the local businesses who know us and benefit from our vitality. Rogerson's community-partnership gardens and green spaces have been recognized by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society; Mass Housing has repeatedly bestowed on us Awards of Excellence for our delivery of affordable housing; and the Massachusetts Historical Commission has several times awarded our property re-developments, many of which were also local schools. We've also received numerous national awards and have a strong national reputation. I invite anyone who'd like to know more about us and our mission and our good work to visit our website at Rogerson.org, or better yet – come visit me and my staff for a tour so we can answer any of your questions. We are just down the street, and we are proud to be your neighbor!

Water J. Ramos
President & CEO Rogerson

NEIGHBORHOOD GROUPS WERE ON BOARD FOR A MEDICAL DISPENSARY

To the Editor:

I attended the recent meeting of the WRCIA about the cannabis proposal from Finbar Therapeutics. My neighborhood association, Charles River/Spring Valley Neighborhood Association is the closest to the proposed site. Unfortunately, my remarks were not included in the article.

Two years ago my neighborhood group voted not to oppose a proposal by Beacon Compassion for a medical marijuana dispensary on the VFW Parkway in the strip of stores near Firestone Tires.

Our non opposition was conditional on one thing and that was that Beacon Compassion can only be a medical dispensary and not at a later date apply to be recreational as well. A number of other neighborhood groups, including the Trailer Park Association, West Roxbury Neighborhood Council, WRCIA and Bellevue Hill Neighborhood Association had this condition as well in their letters of non opposition.

Last week's article said there could be AT LEAST one dispensary and that is incorrect. This is due to regulations that say how far it must be away from schools, churches and day care centers for example. That leaves only one place for only one dispensary, the site on the VFW Parkway.

It should be noted that while Boston as a whole voted in favor of the state referendum in support of legalizing recreational marijuana, Boston's Ward 20, which is West Roxbury and part of Roslindale, did not support it.

Finbarr Therapeutic proposal is for a recreational dispensary, Beacon's is a medical dispensary; in my opinion two very different things.

One question that needs to be asked is that while I can appreciate the City of Boston being cautious on any dispensary, it needs to explain why two years have passed and there has been no movement on Beacon's proposal

Stephen Smith
West Roxbury

WHAT A BRILLIANT IDEA – SLOWER CENTRE ST. TRAFFIC

To the Editor:

There's not enough road rage already? Does this include Jamaica Plain and West Roxbury? I ask because the Gormley Funeral Home stated, "It would devastate our business on Centre St." They are not in JP, they are in WR.

So the road diet will go all up and down Centre St. in JP and WR? WOW, that will be some undertaking. Are the bike riders and foot traffic people going to pay for all this? After all, it is for their benefit. These people are not entitled to be bumped up ahead of the business owners and workers driving to their jobs! What about all the hospital and nursing home workers that have to get to the Faulkner Hospital, Sophie Snow House, the Hebrew Rehabilitation facility? I guess the sick and elderly can just calm down and wait patiently in their beds.

They want more bike lanes and all kinds of barriers that will be moved for bikes, carriages, ice cream trucks, etc. This will devastate the businesses along this new diet route.

This plan cannot work be-

cause Boston has snow and ice for a few months. It is a nightmare for everyone that needs to get to work. Where will the plows put the snow? And what about emergency vehicles? No one cares about fire engines, police cruisers, ambulances, etc. This is more left-winged nonsense. It is against people getting to work and businesses having customers.

More cars will go onto Lamartine St. and keep that congested. More horns honking!

No one cares if this has been successful in other cities. Those cities had to be in the south where it is warm all year. This slowing down traffic nonsense will not work anywhere in Boston. It's not a plan to make more money for the community, but one that will haunt them for years to come. Hey, we want this to be Venice Beach, CA, bikes and slowpokes.

Carol Galvin
Jamaica Plain

EXCITED ABOUT CENTRE ST. REDESIGN

To the Editor:

I am very excited and invested in the Centre St. redesign. As an active healthy senior citizen, it is most important to me to achieve a measure of safety in getting around the Centre St. area – whether driving, walking, or biking. And as I become older, I am extremely concerned with having safe facilities in my neighborhood so that I can continue to remain independent for many years to come. (And your taxes don't have to take care of me!) In addition, I have family members who live in West Roxbury as well, and it is important to them to have a safe and convenient neighborhood. It is most pleasant to have an inviting, pedestrian and bicycle-friendly neighborhood in which to shop, socialize, and exercise. Not only is it pleasant, it is healthy. And without our health, we can't do much.

What could happen as a result of a proper and appropriate Centre St. redesign? My imagination knows no bounds when I consider the possibilities for improvement of the current dangerous and unacceptable four-lane highway that runs through our beautiful neighborhood.

Imagine this:

- * Traffic moving more calmly and slowly, making it possible for families, children, and seniors to more safely cross streets

- * Children and families safely going to school by foot and by bicycle
- * People noticing what stores and businesses we have in West Roxbury and parking in appropriately-timed parking spots

- * Increased business for all stores, restaurants, and businesses

- * Children being able to grow into independent adults by having a safe supportive physical environment in which for them to conduct their activities

- * Seniors being able to acquire necessities independently and safely

- * People being able to do their

errands by bicycle and foot, thereby improving their health (as well as the air we breathe!)

- * Community gatherings in spots on the sidewalks set aside with benches, table, etc.

- * Bicycle lanes so that bicyclists can easily travel without annoying and interfering with traffic, both cars and pedestrians, as well as to travel safely to get where they need to go

- * No double parking, removing a source of immense danger

To accomplish these objectives listed, of course, we have to make accommodations to individual businesses, and to institutions in our area. But research from all over the country, and indeed the world, has consistently shown that all of the above objectives can be accomplished with proper and efficient traffic calming and road design.

If we sincerely and honestly work together, we can make this project a reality and a success, and our neighborhood will be the standard bearer in the city for intelligent and effective traffic and urban planning. And will continue to be a wonderful place to live.

Maija Gray
West Roxbury

RESIDENTS HAVE A RIGHT TO WATERWAYS

To the Editor:

Are you aware that all residents of Massachusetts have the right to access Boston Harbor and the waterfront? Are you concerned that new development in the Seaport and beyond has left the rest of the city vulnerable to the impacts of climate change?

For the last several years, Conservation Law Foundation has worked hard to protect the public's right to access Boston Harbor – the People's Harbor – and the waterfront, as outlined in the Massachusetts Public Waterfront Act. We are also fighting for climate resiliency because we know that rising seas will threaten Boston's health and safety and reduce the amount of open space available to the public.

We recently commissioned a survey by MassINC Polling Group to find out how Boston's residents view the waterfront. We asked residents about their attitudes regarding all of Boston's waterfront areas, including Downtown, South Boston, Dorchester, and East Boston. But it was clear from many of the open-ended responses that residents associate the waterfront with the Seaport.

We found that people living in the city see rampant development as a greater threat to the waterfront than climate change. Survey participants said that waterfront dining and activities are overpriced and that these areas hard to get to, with inadequate affordable parking and unreliable public transportation. Finally, Black and Latinx residents reported feeling more unwelcome in waterfront areas than white respondents.

These responses illustrate the dire need to not only protect our waterfront areas, but also encour-

age all residents of Boston to take advantage of spaces that they truly own.

Over the last several years, CLF and our partners have organized "Pitch A Blanket" events to encourage residents from all of Boston's neighborhoods to celebrate public open spaces on the waterfront. Our most recent event brought together residents from Dorchester, Roxbury, East Boston, Fort Point, and other neighborhoods to enjoy the Seaport's Public Green on a beautiful summer evening. We will continue to work with neighborhood organizations to promote this kind of activity, and we hope that more people from across the city will utilize these spaces that belong to everyone, not just those who live or work in the area's high rises and office buildings.

This mission is even more important in the face of climate change and rising seas. The public spaces that are available today are under threat, and the future of public access on the waterfront is uncertain. At CLF's Pitch A Blanket event this year, we highlighted this threat with a life-size poster showing residents where they stand in relationship to projected sea levels at the Public Green. Most residents were underwater.

Once one of the dirtiest harbors in the country, Boston Harbor today is now a national jewel. And that is only because residents of the city and state – people like the readers of the Bulletin – paid hundreds of millions of dollars to clean up the harbor. The waterfront belongs to us all, and everyone should be able to enjoy it, including those who don't live and work there.

In recent years, private developers and their political allies have ignored the commitments required under the law, putting the waterfront at risk of becoming an exclusive enclave for the wealthy. Few developers have helped to prepare the waterfront for sea level rise and climate change. CLF is committed to protecting the People's Harbor from these threats. We are fighting for the public's right to access the harbor and holding developers accountable in preparing for climate change to ensure that we can all access the harbor for years to come.

If you are interested in learning more about CLF's People's Harbor campaign, including ways to become involved, please feel free to visit our website.

Deanna Moran
Director of Environmental
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COMMUNITY MEETING ABOUT BCYF CURLEY COMMUNITY CENTER RENOVATIONS TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 30

Please join Boston Centers for Youth & Families, and the City of Boston's Public Facilities Department for an information session about renovations to the BCYF Curley Community Center in South Boston on Monday, September 30 at 6 p.m.

The Walsh Administration's

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Around the Neighborhood

investment to the center will include a \$15 million dollar major renovation of the existing building that supports upgrading and re-programming the interior space and providing resilient protection from future sea level rise.

The meeting will be held at BCYF Curley Community Center, M Street entrance, 1663 Columbia Road, South Boston.

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JAMAICA PLAIN

ANNA'S PALS NIGHT OF REMEMBRANCE AND LIGHT

Friday November 29th at Jamaica Pond will begin with The Double Burn, a 5k around the pond. Burn your Thanksgiving calories, then burn a candle in remembrance of a lost loved one. The race begins at 2:30 with the Lighting at 4:30. September is Leukemia and Pediatric Cancer awareness month. In honor of that, all who register here before September 30 will receive a FREE t-shirt on race day! The events are rain or shine. We hope to see you there! FREE T-SHIRT ON RACE DAY September is Leukemia and Pediatric Cancer Awareness Month. In honor of that, we are offering free t-shirts to all runners/walkers who register for the Double Burn during the month of September.

NOVEMBER 29TH AT JAMAICA POND, FOLLOWED BY THE NIGHT OF REMEMBRANCE AND LIGHT

- * Race begins at 2:30
- * Candle Lighting begins at 4:30
- * Black Friday Shopping available at the event Hot Chocolate and Cookies follow-

ing the candle lighting

NEW PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR THE 150TH CELEBRATION OF ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH IN JAMAICA PLAIN

A special Mass of Thanksgiving with Cardinal O'Malley takes place on Sunday, November 24 at 11 a.m. It's best to arrive early for seating purposes.

The dinner/dance at Moseley's on the Charles, planned for Saturday, October 19 has been moved to Saturday, November 30, starting at 6 p.m. Tickets at \$30. will be sold after all the weekend Masses at the church. Payment can also be made by sending a check for \$30 payable to St. Thomas Aquinas Rectory, 97 South Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130. A check-in table will be arranged at Moseley's. All former priests, pastors and religious have been invited. All former parishioners who attended the grammar and high school are encouraged to attend too.

BRIGHAM AND WOMEN'S FAULKNER HOSPITAL OFFERS CORE 4 ADULT WEIGHT MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

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Legal Notice

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The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION DOCKET No. SU19P1877EA
Estate of: Marie A Georges Suffolk Probate and Family Court
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Date of Death: 05/07/2018

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by:

Sandy Georges 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:

Sandy Georges of Hyde Park, MA

be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in an **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 11/16/2019. 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: September 18, 2019

Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

Hyde Park Bulletin: 09/26/2019



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.

To the Doctor: I have a 2013 Lincoln MKZ with a four-cylinder engine. I've had to replace the battery twice in five years - that's three batteries in five years! Why would this be necessary? The car gives no warning - it just won't start, even with a jump.

From the Doctor: Battery life on average is three to four years. Some batteries can last a lot longer. A lot depends on the climate, the type of driving one does, and how often the car is driven. Local driving, stop and go, and hot climates all contribute to battery life. Like any other product, quality also plays a role. If the vehicle checks out with no problems, have the technician install an AGM dry-cell battery. It will cost more than a conventional battery, but in my opinion, it is worth the money and most have a free three-year replacement warranty.

To the Doctor: I own a 2004 Mercedes-Benz C320 with all-wheel-drive and 88,000 miles. It has a 3.2-liter, six-cylinder engine and five-speed transmission. I was told it used synthetic oil. For convenience, I had oil changes done at a local shop, not the dealer. They used a blended oil. I experienced oil leaks (since corrected), which I learned from your column happens when oil is switched. Am I correct? Also, can I go back to Mercedes for future oil changes using full-synthetic oil without creating problems? Or must I continue with blended oil?

From the Doctor: The use of full synthetic oil may leak where there are already seeping seals or gaskets. The actual synthetic oil does not cause leaks. Full synthetic oil flows much easier than conventional oil. Older Mercedes engines do have some seal leakage, especially at the rear cylinder head camshaft seals. I would continue to use full synthetic oil at the service shop of my choice.

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.

West Fairmount

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used wood chips as its floor, which created a slip and fall hazard for users. He said there will be new play fixtures and a rubberized surface.

“You guys all know there’s a lot of kids in the neighborhood, and it’s right across the street from the Roosevelt School and the Little Voices Daycare right next to that,” he said.

WFNA Co Chair John MacDonald said he’s not seen a state project like this get where it’s going so quickly.

“This is something moving faster than I’ve ever seen something move along,” he said.

Hyde Park Neighborhood Association member Jim Kirker also spoke of the process of renovating and redesigning the Barton Rogers School.

“There were three presentations two weeks ago looking at three different proposals for use of the space,” he said.

Kirker said residents within 900 feet of the school (just under 1/5 of a mile) are encouraged to go to buildinghousing.boston.gov/project/william-barton-rogers-middle-school-dca33

to see the responses to the request for proposal and submit comments on which proposal they would want to see. Kirker said to include your street name to make sure your comment gets in, as comments without a street name or outside the range will not be considered.

“We are trying to keep it in the Hyde Park community,” Kirker said.

Kimm also discussed a recent incident at the Roxbury Prep School where a police officer has been accused of following a group of students after dispersing them from the Hyde Park Avenue McDonald’s and using racial slurs against them. Boston Police Department District E-18 Community Resource Sgt. Daniel Keane said there is currently an Internal Affairs investigation and that he could not comment further at that time.

“I’m going to be checking in to see what’s happening on that,” Kimm said. “I know there’s a protest planned and our community needs to be one where everybody is welcome... I’m not going to be silent and we’re going to be vigilant about this.”



Residents came to discuss noise issues as well as community outreach and what's going on at the Rogers School.

PHOTO BY JEFF SULLIVAN

Residents Natalie Joseph and Barbara Robbins also spoke during the meeting to ask residents for help at the Hyde Park Food Pantry, located at the Hyde Park Municipal Building. For more information and how to donate, go to HydeParkFoodPantry.org.

“We believe it is a kingdom demand of ours to feed people and we really just want to help,” Robbins said.

WFNA Co Chair Marcia Kimm said they are looking to

help members get out and get to know their neighbors with a 5 Alive for a Prize initiative.

“We are so fragmented in this neighborhood and I’m confident that communities that do very well are those who are connected,” she said. “I don’t believe we’re connected yet, but we’re on our way there.”

She said this new 5 Alive Award program will help in that. Residents are tasked with going out and meeting five

neighbors they do not know and asking them five questions and do a short write up. She said they will have gift cards for the first five people to complete the questioning, after which every person who submits will be entered in a drawing for said gift cards.

Kimm added they are looking to set up dinners for the association to further help in connecting residents.

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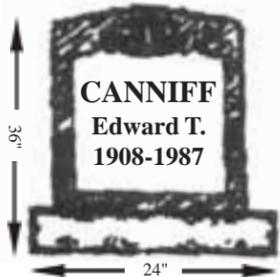
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MAC Exhibition *continued from page 1*



The artists involved were selected from several local neighborhood and artist organizations throughout the area.

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see firsthand.

“One of my paintings is of the moss on Iceland, which I love,” Goren said. “People expect it to be so cold, but it was summer, so I captured the moss growing.”

The second piece she exhibited was a striking work of the surface of Mars.

“I got a photo of Mars from NASA, and I worked from that,” said the Hyde Park resident.

Captivating swirls of red and blue entranced the onlookers, drawing them deeper into space as she discussed her art, which is her second career.

“I was working in retail at the time, but I had always wanted to go to Antarctica,” she explained, noting that the shade of blue there is the most unique she has ever seen. “Going on a trip, somewhere deep within, I knew that I wanted to paint the ice.”

Twenty-one years ago, the New York native decided to take the long-desired trek to the seventh continent. She has been painting works of art – and ice – ever since.

Goren saw an ad in the paper for the trip, bundled all of her retail vacation time together, and made the trek with some paints. She described her journey as “bare bones.”

“It was life-changing and I would recommend it to anyone,” Goren said. “It took about four days to get there – two days on a plane, two days on a boat. So I was gone about two and a half weeks.”

Although she had dabbled with art, Goren did not take it on as a second career until 18 years ago, after her son was born.

“So many women go through incarnations,” Goren said. “When I teach my classes, I get a lot of new moms who don’t want to deal with toxic substances, so they take watercolors. They ask me, ‘How did you do that when your kid was little?’”

Since that time, Goren has traveled to Alaska and Iceland, where she captured the inspiration for the piece she displayed.

“One thing is certain,” she said with a laugh. “I’ll not be going off the planet.”

Goren will be teaching her next watercolor class at the MAC

on Sat., Oct. 5 at 10 a.m. She is a board member of the Jamaica Plain Arts Council and is participating in Jamaica Plain Open Studios this weekend. She also is Vice President of the National Association of Women Artists, Massachusetts Chapter.

“I would say all of these art associations are so important,” Goren said. “We get so much support from each other. I am honored to be accepted and to be a part of it. We get to get to explore diversity that we may not get to see. It’s about all of these different neighborhood flavors.”

Tamara Safford of Roslindale, 79, said she “didn’t set out to be an artist until she was five years old.”

She has studied at Columbia University, Wheelock College and Boston University. She received a degree in fine art from Mass College of Art in 2011.

Like Goren, Safford also changed career paths. She went from working with children to caring for the elderly before devoting her later years to art. She is involved in the Mobile Arts Program through the Blake Estates.

“It was a nice transition working with elders, because a lot of the skills are transferable,” she said.

Safford currently is working on creating adaptive clothing accessories for people with disabilities.

“Buttons and Velcro are so hard for people to manipulate,” she said. “I saw a line of adaptive brooches that you can use for shawls and capes. It inspired me to start sewing wrap-arounds, capes and ponchos.”

She displayed one of them during her skit with a friend, a wry take on the Brothers Grimm with Rapunzel and Rumpelstiltskin.

Another artist who has transitioned through multiple careers is Catherine Lawrie, a development associate at the Elizabeth Stone House in Roxbury. Her massive picturesque seascape drew accolades from the onlookers.

Lawrie, who recently moved to Jamaica Plain, has a Bachelor of Fine Arts from Bridgewater State College.

“I began my career as a

teacher,” she said. “However, as I got more into my life, I became a writer and a graphic designer.”

As Lawrie began raising her family, she put her art on hold. But after doing an art walk on Beacon Hill, her passion reawakened.

“I got the idea to start painting what I call ‘lifescapes,’” she said. “I do a painting, and then I put on photos, political statements and objects with pieces of tape.”

While art is her love, her newfound career is in consulting, where Lawrie combines her outreach skills with her communication abilities and design talents.

Hyde Parker Chris Roberts transferred her manual dexterity as a dental hygienist to painting. Two of her Airbnb guests from Hamburg, Germany came to see her work at the MAC.

“I always wanted to go to art school, but basically my sister wanted to go to Brown, so it wasn’t practical,” Roberts said. “I did a two year program, and I still remember my college art teacher, Mrs. Wilson, from when I went to college in 1995.”

Roberts, who is retired, displayed two pieces: one of blocks and one in pastels with a crescent moon. She uses motivational words and soothing colors to inspire her audience.

After taking adult education classes, Roberts took charge of her passion.

“I went on a 10-day trip to Brittany, France with my art teacher,” she said. “There were 10 people. It was two weeks before 9/11. If it had been two weeks later, I never would have gone.”

In 2004, Roberts traveled on a similar trip to Tuscany.

“I come from a family of artists on my father’s side,” she said. “My current works combine painting with calligraphy.”

Roberts has been practicing calligraphy for almost three years. She is involved in an organization of women calligraphers called womenInc.

Roberts created the crescent moon piece right after attending a class. “I got all fired up,” she said. “I just went into my studio and boom!”

The exhibit will run through Oct. 30.

Fairmount Yard Sale a hit, raising money for KHPB



Hundreds came through the neighborhood of Fairmount on Saturday to see what Hyde Park residents were selling. Dozens of homes throughout the neighborhood participated.

Jeff Sullivan
Staff Reporter

The annual Fairmount Neighborhood Yard Sale has always been a way for residents to connect with their neighbors – be they from Hyde Park or Milton – throughout the Fairmount area and maybe find some choice deals along the way.

However, for the past two years the sprawling yard sale made up of dozens of houses and homes has been helping to keep the entire neighborhood of Hyde Park just a bit cleaner. This year, the Boston Baptist College hosted the Keep Hyde Park Beautiful (KHPB) group for selling goods to support the group.

“This is our second year, and yeah, we have a lot of foot traffic this year and it’s been very good,” said organizer Dotti Baker.

Baker said Fairmount Hill Neighborhood Association President and KHPB member Joseph Smith pointed them to the Baptist location two years ago. The location is for those who want to sell items and are not from the Fairmount area, and it just seemed like a better fit than taking over a resident’s yard.

“So we’re an organization and we don’t all live here, but it helps us out a lot,” Baker said.

While trash bags and litter spears/grabbers might be the first expenses that come to mind that are necessary for cleaning up the neighborhood, Baker said they need funds for other items you might not immediately think of.

“We use the funds for bulbs, cleanups, the planters in town – we put plants in during the spring and evergreens during the winter – we put bulbs in the parks and at the fire stations and

we clean up the rivers and pop up street cleanups and it helps us with all the costs,” she said.

Baker said they also get to meet the neighborhood while they’re out selling.

“It’s a great group of nice people,” she said.

Organizer Kathryn MacDonald they also use the funds for safety devices for when they’re out on the streets picking up trash.

“We had a lot of stuff to sell so I wish it was going faster, but it’s early and we’re going to mark things down,” she said. Resident Joan Cesso said she loves being able to participate as a seller at the yard sale, and that everyone really comes together.

“I’ve gone every year, and every year I go I sell,” she said. “It absolutely brings people together, and it’s fun. I’m meeting people all over the place.

My neighbor Sharon is watching my table, I watch hers and I just met her this year. It’s amazing.”

Milton resident Steve Ciccolm said he always comes out for a deal.

“And this has been around for many years,” he said, adding he comes back to his old neighborhood every year.

“It’s always good to get out and meet the people here,” he said.

KHPB’s next cleanup is set for the Sherrin Woods on Saturday, Sept. 28 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. For more information on KHPB, go to keephpbeautiful.org. For more information on the Fairmount Hill Neighborhood Association, go to facebook.com/pages/category/Community-Organization/Fairmount-Hill-Neighborhood-Association-451378615063939/.

PHOTO BY JEFF SULLIVAN

Readville fire displaces eight



The Boston Fire Department responded to a call for a fire at a three-family home at 1932 Hyde Park Avenue. The Fire was reported around 3:30 p.m. on Sept. 22, and firefighters believe it was started on the second floor porches and extended to the third floor porch and the roof. No injuries were reported, but eight residents have been displaced according to the Red Cross and the chief on scene estimated the damage to the property at \$250,000. Investigators have not yet reported a cause to have been determined for the fire.

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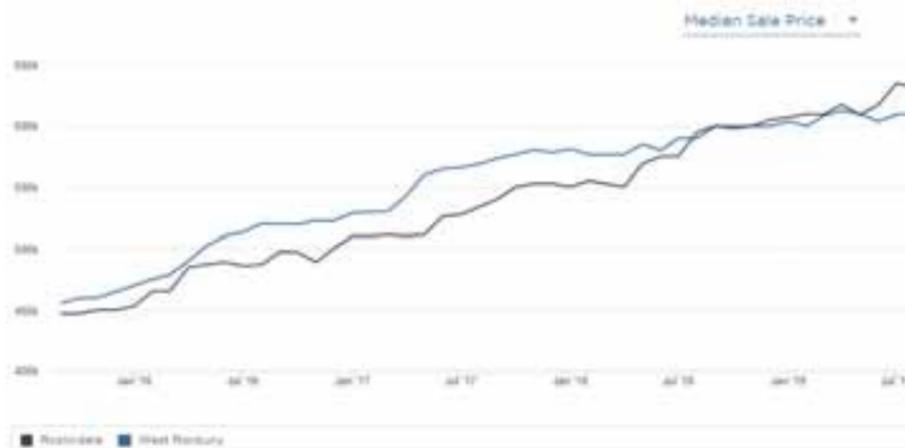


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activity choices—for good. Participants in this supportive group environment will also learn about behavior modification and explore how mindful eating can lead to healthier relationships with food.

If you are ready to make a change, join us every Monday from 6 to 7 pm at Brigham and Women's Faulkner Hospital. Core 4 will run from September 30 to November 4. The total cost for all 6 sessions is only \$150 and includes a course manual and an appetite awareness workbook.

Hosted by Brigham and Women's Faulkner Hospital's Nutrition Clinic, the course will be led by Allie Lang, RD, LDN. Each week, a different topic will be discussed, including dining out, healthy carbs and meal planning. Space is limited. Call the Nutrition Clinic at 617-983-4455 or email amlang@bwh.harvard.edu to sign up!

26TH ANNUAL JAMAICA PLAIN ARTISTS OPEN STUDIOS!

The premiere annual arts event in one of Boston's most eclectic neighborhoods, Jamaica Plain Open Studios (JPOS), is returning in 2019 for its 26th year! Open Studios is an opportunity to take a rare public peek at some private spaces. The free event showcases the artwork of up to 200 artists at 40 sites including artists' studios, the historic Eliot School and more. It runs from 11 a.m. – 6 p.m. over the weekend of September 28 – 29, 2019.

JPOS is celebrating its 26th year as the premiere annual arts event in Jamaica Plain. JPOS showcases 200 artists in approximately 40 sites. The event is open to the public and will take place September 28 and 29 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. For more information and to preview artists' work, visit www.jpopenstudios.com.

HYDE PARK

HYDE PARK YOUTH BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REGISTRATION

The Hyde Park Youth Basketball Association will hold registration for the 2019-2020 season each Saturday in October:

- * Saturday, October 5th
- * Saturday, October 12th
- * Saturday, October 19th
- * Saturday, October 26th

Boys and girls between the ages of 6-14 may register at Hyde Park Municipal Building between the hours of 9:00 AM and 12:00 noon. Fees for the season range from \$50-60; parent signatures are required. For more information, check out the league website at: HydeParkYBA.com.

MENINO ARTS CENTER

HOSTS "ART ASSOCIATIONS INVITATIONAL" EXHIBITION

The Menino Arts Center proudly announces its Art Associations Invitational, an exhibition of 29 artists from six different local arts associations in Dorchester, Jamaica Plain, West Roxbury, Roslindale, Hyde Park, and Dedham. The exhibition will run to October 30, 2019. The exhibition and reception are free and open to the public at the Menino Arts Center, 26 Central Avenue, 2nd floor, Hyde Park, MA 02136. Normal gallery hours are Wednesdays from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.; Thursdays from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.; Fridays from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.; during scheduled workshops and events; and by appointment.

More info on the MAC and the HPAA at <http://www.hpaa-mac.org>

BCYF HYDE PARK COMMUNITY CENTER SENIOR FITNESS CLASS

Our Senior Fitness Club is a low impact exercise class will use light weights, exercise bands and your own body weight while standing behind and sitting in chairs. All levels are welcome. Classes are Wednesdays & Fridays from 11:30-12:30 through the summer. Stop by for a demonstration!!

COMMUNITY CENTER SENIOR COFFEE HOUR

Join us each Friday morning from 10:00am - 11:30am. Drop by the community center for an opportunity to socialize with others, enjoy refreshments and participate in activities.

WEST ROXBURY / ROSLINDALE

BELLEVUE HILL IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION MEETING

Bellevue Hill Improvement Association will hold its fall meeting on Monday, September 30, 7 PM at St. George Orthodox Church hall. At-Large City Council candidate finalists will take part in a question and answer forum and there will be discussion of current neighborhood issues such as 361 Belgrade Avenue and the Centre Street Road Diet plan. Our special guest speaker.....is a surprise! Please join your friends and neighbors at this important meeting. All invited.

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! THE WEST ROXBURY HISTORICAL SOCIETY, WEST ROXBURY BRANCH LIBRARY

Saturday, October 5, 2019 @ 2:00 Marta Crilly, Archivist for the City of Boston, will talk about the facilities of the Archives (located in West Roxbury) and what they can do for you! She can help you

trace your family and search the past! Come one, Come all! Bring a friend or two. Free and open to the public. Please like us on Facebook: [facebook/West Roxbury Historical Society](https://www.facebook.com/WestRoxburyHistoricalSociety)

QUESTIONS? COMMENTS? RSVP Serkess@rcn.com

LOBSTER SUPPER AND PENNY SALE

LOBSTER DINNER sponsored by the St. George Orthodox Church of Boston Adult Fellowship on Friday, September 27, 2019, from 5:00-7:00PM at the St. George Community Center, 55 Emmonsdale Road, West Roxbury. Menu: Two boiled lobsters, clam chowder, baked potato, dessert and coffee. Price: \$27.95. Children under 12, (1 lobster), \$16.95. Fish Dinner available, \$15.95. Take-out orders will also be available. Reservations must be made by calling Michel/Evelyn Easa (617) 266-0065 or Pat Ayoub (781) 326-6755. (If a machine answers be sure to leave your name and number). Reservations are a must! Deadline for reservations September 26, 2019. Friends, neighbors, parishioners, all are welcome!

PENNY SALE - Saturday, November 9, 2019 from 6:30PM to 10PM, Sponsored by the Antiochian Women of St. George Church, 55

Emmonsdale Road, West Roxbury. An evening of Raffles and Prizes for all ages! Imagine.... for as little as \$5 you may be going home with very valuable prizes - toys, linens, small appliances, bath accessories, food baskets, special drawings. Refreshments and free admission.

SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

Lifeworks, Inc. and The Arc of South Norfolk are hosting an Open House at their new location, 1580 V.F.W. Parkway, West Roxbury, 1-4pm, Stop in and learn about our services for people with disabilities; Lifeworks Employment Services, Connections Adult Day Program, Adult Family Care Program, Harbor Counseling Services. For more information, call Sarah Charbanneau at (617) 469-2986.

CELEBRATE CENTRE 2019

SAVE THE DATE for Celebrate Centre 2019 and the first-ever National Bramble Day!

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43RD ANNUAL BAZAAR & FOOD FAIR PLANNED

St. George Antiochian Orthodox Church of Boston is proud to announce their 43rd Annual Bazaar & Food Fair to be held at their community center located at 55 Emmonsdale Road, West Roxbury, MA, on Friday and Saturday, October 18th and 19th from 10:00AM to 9:00PM and Sunday, October 20th from 12PM – 3:00PM – FREE ADMISSION/WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE. Full kitchen service and take-out available. Authentic Middle Eastern Cuisine and Pastry, American Foods and Pastry, Country Store, Photo Booth, White Elephant Table and much more. Do your Christmas shopping here at St. George. Purchase Galaxy Raffle tickets to win fabulous prizes! There's something for everyone at the St. George Church Bazaar! For more information, please call the church at (617)327-6500. Proceeds to benefit church projects.

PROGRAM FOR BECOMING CATHOLIC

St. John Chrysostom, 4750 Washington St. West Roxbury, a welcoming, inclusive community of Catholics following Christ, invites adults who are considering becoming Catholic to register for our preparation program which begins in the Fall. Contact Mary Campion, pastoral associate at Marycampion@sjchrysostom02132.org or call 617-323-4410.

Election Results *continued from page 1*

Branch of the Boston Public Library from closing. Cashman has been involved in Moran's community outreach efforts, like the annual toy collection at the Corrib, and had served as the president of the Allston Brighton Youth Hockey League for more than 30 years.

For the At-Large seats, most of the incumbents look to be in the best shape so far. Roslindale resident Michelle Wu came in a clear first place with 26,622 votes, followed by Annissa Essaibi-George with 18,933 votes and Michael Flaherty with 18,766. Behind them is challengers Alejandra Nicole St. Guillen with 11,910 votes and Julia Mejia with 10,799. Behind them is incumbent Althea Garrison with 9,720, Erin Murphy with 9,385 and David Halbert with 6,534.

While turnout wasn't the best, many residents around Boston said they were proud to cast their ballots and make a difference in those who represent them.

Allston resident Joanne LaPlant said she felt mak-

ing her voice heard was important.

"I feel the city councilors can be a lot more empowered than they have been and we need to get the right person in," she said. "It's a very important election for Allston and Brighton."

Hyde Park resident Tehka Bowen said she just made it to the polling place with about 20 minutes to spare.

"I know what a privilege it is to vote. I almost didn't come but people died so I could vote," she said. "I'm really glad I made it, I ran right from my class."

Roslindale resident Ashan Ali said he wanted the candidates to recognize his vote even if the ones he picked didn't make it to the next step.

"There were a few candidates that really spoke to me, especially considering it was a preliminary election, and they campaigned pretty hard and I wanted to show that we appreciated that even if they didn't make it in," he said. "One is someone I'm pretty sure is going to make it in no

matter what, and I wanted to come out and support her."

Allston resident Mayo Perry encapsulated the results of the At-Large contest in his votes at least, since he, like apparently many others, voted mostly for the incumbents.

"I like the city council, and the people they have there are doing a pretty good job and so I voted for the ones who have been there for a while," he said. "I just feel they're doing a pretty good job."

Hyde Park Resident Brian Cook said he wanted to support his candidate Marty Keogh.

"I grew up with Marty and I think he's a great candidate," he said. "I hope he wins; he's a great guy and a good family man."

Roslindale residents Marco and Sarah Viera said they wanted to show their daughter Catalina the importance of voting.

"We know it's something we need to do no matter how tired we are," she said. "We want to show her."

Legals

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department
SUFFOLK Division Docket No. **SU19C0416CA**
CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon St.
Boston, MA 02114
617-788-8300

In the Matter of: Elisha Grace Toring Ibay
A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Elisha Grace Toring Ibay of Brighton, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to:
Elisha Grace Ibay Carlson

IMPORTANT NOTICE
Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: Suffolk Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m on the return day of 10/03/2019. 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: September 16, 2019
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate *Boston Bulletin: 09/26/19*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION DOCKET No. **SU19P2081EA**
Estate of: Anna G. Aliberti Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon St.
Boston, MA 02114
617-788-8300

Date of Death: 07/12/2019

To all interested persons:
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by:
Linda Mazzei of Braintree, 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:
Linda Mazzei of Braintree, MA
be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in an **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 10/23/2019. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)
A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.
Date: September 11, 2019
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate *Hyde Park Bulletin: 09/26/2019*

STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE MARION SUPERIOR COURT
) SS:
COUNTY OF MARION) CAUSE NUMBER: 49D09-1907-JT-000613

IN THE MATTER OF THE TERMINATION OF THE PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP: SUMMONS FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION & NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS HEARING
KLD (117305) - DOB 11/6/2008 AGE 10 years AND KENT DAWKINS, SENIOR (FATHER) AND ANY UNKNOWN ALLEGED FATHERS

TO: Kent Dawkins, Senior and Any Unknown Alleged Father Whereabouts unknown

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above noted parent whose whereabouts are unknown, as well as Any Unknown Alleged Fathers, whose whereabouts are also unknown, that the Indiana Department of Child Services has filed a Petition for Involuntary Termination of your Parental Rights, and that an adjudication hearing has been scheduled with the Court.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Judge of the Marion Superior Court, 2451 N. Keystone Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46218, 317-327-8318 for a(n) Default Hearing on 11/6/2019 at 9:00 AM in JUVENILE COURT ROOM 04 ANNEX and to answer the Petition for Termination of your Parental Rights of said child.

You are further notified that if the allegations in said petition are true, and/or if you fail to appear at the hearing, the Juvenile Court may terminate your parent-child relationship; and if the Court terminates your parent-child relationship you will lose all parental rights, powers, privileges, immunities, duties and obligations including any rights to custody, control, visitation, or support in said child; and if the Court terminates your parent-child relationship, it will be permanently terminated, and thereafter you may not contest an adoption or other placement of said child.

You are entitled to representation by an attorney, provided by the State if applicable, throughout these proceedings to terminate the parent-child relationship.

YOU MUST RESPOND by appearing in person or by an attorney within thirty (30) days after the last publication of this notice, and in the event you fail to do so, adjudication on said petition and termination of your parental rights may be entered against you, in your absence, without further notice.

Ordered, Myla Eldridge
Clerk of said Court, this 8/19/19

Aaron T Milewski, 24310-29
Attorney, Indiana Department of Child Services
4150 N. Keystone Avenue
Indianapolis, IN 46205
Work: 317-473-3314
Hyde Park Bulletin: 9/5/19, 9/12/19, 9/26/19

Notice of Self Storage Sale

Please take notice Prime Storage - Hyde Park located at 1641 Hyde Park Ave., Hyde Park, MA 02136 intends to hold an auction to sell the goods stored by the following tenant at the storage facility. The sale will occur as an online auction via www.storage-treasures.com on 10/14/2019 at 12:00 PM. Unless stated otherwise the description of the contents are household goods and furnishings. Britany Houston unit #2025. All property is being stored at the above self-storage facility. This sale may be withdrawn at any time without notice. Certain terms and conditions apply. See manager for details.

Hyde Park Bulletin: 09/26/19, 10/03/19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department
SUFFOLK Division Docket No. **SU19D1176DR**
DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING
Jideofar Ogbonna Tomlinson vs. Veronica Ebony Laurelle Tomlinson
Suffolk Probate and Family Court
24 New Chardon St.
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: **Jideofar Ogbonna Tomlinson, 26 Gordon Ave, Hyde Park, MA 02136**, your answer, if any, on or before **11/20/2019**. 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
September 9, 2019
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate Court *Hyde Park Bulletin: 09/26/19*

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING
CASE NUMBER: JG 13059
SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA –MARICOPA COUNTY

In the Matter of Guardianship of:
Zavion Ikequan Brooks
DOB 01/25/2005 minor(s)

The Court has reviewed the CERTIFICATE OF READINESS (Request to Set Hearing). Based upon the Court's review, IT IS ORDERED: Setting a Hearing on the Petition for Guardianship of a Minor
WARNING: Failure to bring the documents identified on the "Certificate of Readiness" (Request for Hearing) may result in the hearing being cancelled. Signed this 13th Day of August, 2019.

/s/Illegible
JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT

NOTICE OF HEARING
Read this Notice Carefully. An important court proceeding that affects your rights has been scheduled. If you do not understand this notice, contact a lawyer for help.
1. NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Petitioner has filed with the Court a Petition for Guardianship of a Minor.
2. HEARING INFORMATION. A court hearing has been scheduled to consider the petition as follows:
HEARING DATE AND TIME: 10/22/19 @ 9:30 AM
HEARING PLACE: 3131 W. Durango Phoenix, AZ 85009
BEFORE: COMMISSIONER ALLEN
COURTROOM: #A
3. RESPONSE: You can file a written response to the petition. File your original written response with the court, mail a copy of the original response to the petitioner(s), and provide a copy of your response to the Judge/Commissioner named above at least 5 business days before the hearing. Or, you can appear in person at the hearing. You must appear at the hearing only if you wish to object to the petition.

Boston Bulletin: 9/26/19, 10/3/19, 10/10/19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION DOCKET No. **SU19P1944EA**
Estate of: Mary Rita LaPierre Suffolk Probate and Family Court
Also know as: Mary R. LaPierre **24 New Chardon St.**
Date of Death: 06/10/2019 **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:
Susan Rufo of Wayland, 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:
Susan Rufo of Wayland, MA
be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

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institutional investors, such as TIAA, had made it very difficult for small famers, like those in the Mississippi delta, to exist: yes, agribusiness is big business.

The demise of the American farmer in terms of numbers is well-known, even by a city guy such as moi. But to read about the disappearance of small farmers, such as those in the Magnolia state's Tunica County, which is admittedly a long way from Boston, is very discomfiting. The fact that actions by thousands of individual and corporate decisions based on greed and racism have dispossessed 98% of black agricultural American landowners is disturbing. It is equally repulsive that an organization such as TIAA is a part of the problem. Anyone who works with teachers should know better.



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