

Police face ongoing battle with drugs

Arrests show tactics are working

Scott MacKeen
Staff Reporter

Like most communities on the South Shore, Norwood faces the constant problem of drug activity, drug-related crime and addiction.

The drug problem touches virtually every age and racial group, and the introduction of powerful and highly-addictive prescription drugs like Oxycodone over the past decade has led to an explosion of drugs, addicts and crime that has taxed the resources of many local police departments and treatment centers.

Former Norwood Police Chief Bartley King saw the problem reach a critical point early last year, and last March assigned officer David Eysie, a veteran drug investigator, to specifically work plainclothes narcotics cases.

The move was a temporary measure at the time, but it has paid off in many ways, as the Police Department has continued to be more proactive in pursuing and preventing drugs from reaching the streets.

Police Chief William Brooks, who became chief when King retired last spring, credits not only Eysie, but also the entire drug-enforcement task force, which also includes Detective Sergeant Robert Rinn and four other detectives, for recent successes in curbing drug activity in Norwood. The original plan was to have Eysie work in narcotics just until the end of the fiscal year July 1, said Brooks, but the decision was made to extend him a month at a time after that, and earlier this month Eysie was promoted to detective full time.

"He has been very effective, but it's not just Officer Eysie. The whole squad has picked up pace of drug investigations," said Brooks.

According to information obtained by the Norwood Record, the Police Department reported nearly 50 more drugs arrests last year than in 2011. Overall, 127 drug-related arrests were made last year compared to 79 two years ago.

And the numbers also show a considerable rise in arrests since Eysie was assigned to handle narcotics cases. In the first month alone, 22 drug arrests were reported, compared to just three in April of 2011. In the last five months of last year, there were 59 arrests made, compared to 27 in that same span two years ago.

"We've done a lot of things. We're making cases. We're not only arresting dealers, we're getting addicts into treatment. Sometimes it's successful and sometimes it's not, so we circle back," said Brooks.

While Brook said it is difficult to compare different towns' level of narcotic activity, he said he feels that Norwood is "in better shape in some areas and worse off in other areas" but that the town is making clear gains toward driving out drugs and getting help to those who

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Santa Claus, the symbol of Christmas, visits the Norwood Town Common during last November's annual Holiday Extravaganza. A group of residents is petitioning the School Committee to bring back the word "Christmas" in the school calendar.

FILE PHOTO

Banning Christmas?

Schools take heat over calendar change

Scott MacKeen
Staff Reporter

Christmas is over for another year, but some in town still have the holiday on their minds.

In a letter to the School Committee and Superintendent James Hayden earlier in the month, Norwood resident Theresa McNulty complained

about the committee's decision last year to change the school calendar vacation from "Christmas vacation" to "winter recess."

McNulty was not alone in her complaint, as she attached a petition with around 200 signatures asking that the committee restore the word Christmas to the school calendar.

"As you can see from the townspeople who have signed

this petition, we are troubled and unhappy about the School Committee's decision to remove the word Christmas from the Norwood school calendar. We are wondering what message the School Committee is giving to our children that the word Christmas is no longer acceptable to them," said McNulty in her

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letter, asking the committee to provide the reasoning for making the change.

Interviewed this week, McNulty said she collected signatures on her petition over the course of a few weeks, and was inspired to do so after reading Judith Howard's letter to the editor entitled "Why a Ban on Christmas?" in the Norwood Record last month.

"The school calendar should have dates that pertain to the school, yet we have eight Jewish holidays and no Christmas," said McNulty. "When it happened last year, it bothered me but I didn't have all of the facts. After reading Judith Howard's letter we decided to take action."

In her Dec. 20 letter to the editor, Howard said she has asked for but not received a response from the School Committee on why Christmas was removed from the calendar.

"Christmas is a major holiday in the Christian tradition. It is also a state and federal holiday. Why is there a fear among public employees and elected officials that saying 'Merry Christmas' or Santa Claus, or singing Christmas carols in public places, displaying lights and decorations on indoor and outdoor Christmas trees on public property or in public buildings could lead to reprisals of not being promoted or not being re-elected?" said Howard.

Selectman Allan Howard signed the petition, calling the

School Committee's decision to remove Christmas from the calendar "arbitrary" and "out of the blue."

"I thought it was kind of silly changing the name from Christmas holidays to winter holidays," he said. "Nowadays there's so much horrific stuff. We need more good things in life and happy things. To call it the Christmas holiday, so be it. I respect everyone's religion. I certainly don't have anything against anybody. I just thought it was so wrong."

The motion was made at the March 28 School Committee meeting last year by John Badger to change Christmas vacation to winter recess.

"The idea behind the motion to change the name of Christmas Vacation to Winter Recess was to be more inclusive of all the members of the Norwood public schools community, where we have many people from many walks of life who don't necessarily observe Christmas," said Badger. "Those who would believe the Norwood School Committee has instituted a 'Ban on Christmas' are offering up sensational commentary without really paying attention. All you need to do is tune in to NPA-TV to see the many wonderfully orchestrated holiday concerts our schools presented."

School Committee Chairwoman Courtney Rau said the committee was scheduled to discuss the calendar on Wednesday

night, after the Record's press deadline. She said her personal opinion is that the schools should take an "inclusive" approach toward naming the winter break.

"We need to be sensitive to the faiths and creeds of all of our families in the Norwood public schools," she said. "Yes, Christmas is one of the things that occurs during that break, but other things happen, as well. We need to have a much more inclusive philosophy in the 21st century."

The controversy over the Christmas holiday is not a new phenomenon, nor is it limited to Norwood. There have been many news accounts in recent years of disputes over the holiday and how it should be recognized.

A story on FoxNews.com from all the way back in 2004 cited nationwide debates over "everything from nativity scenes in town squares to Christmas carols in school, with some groups trying to put Christ back into the holiday and others taking offense at public displays of religion."

The story said that in one Florida town, officials banned the display of Christmas trees on public property and buildings, while in California a group called the Committee to Save Merry Christmas formed in boycott of Macy's signs reading "Seasons Greeting's" and "Happy Holidays."

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Selectmen approve Norwood Airport fuel tanks

Scott MacKeen
Staff Reporter

The Board of Selectmen on Tuesday night granted its approval for a new fuel-service operation at Norwood Memorial Airport.

At its meeting Tuesday night, the board voted unanimously to grant a Volatile and Inflammable Fluid (VIF) license to Boston Executive Helicopters Inc., 125 Access Road.

Representing Boston Executive Helicopter at the public hearing, attorney James Hilliard said the business plans to install two 15,000-gallon fuel tanks at the site, adding that the company plans to both operate on its own and sell the aviation fuel.

"These tanks are as modern as you can get," said Hilliard, addressing questions about safety of the equipment.

Hilliard said the proposal has gained approval from the Conservation Commission and the Norwood Airport Commission, which has granted "conditional approval" for the fuel tanks but will require additional measures. Lt. Anthony Greeley of the Fire Department was on hand as well, and informed the board that the department has reviewed the plans and given its approval.

According to Greeley, the tanks are fiberglass and will be built with double walls to prevent fuel leakage. Furthermore,

Boston Helicopter has agreed to install a bladder system as an additional safety measure, said Greeley.

"It goes above and beyond the code," he said. "These are double-wall tanks and this [bladder] is a third wall. It makes perfect environmental sense."

Asked by Selectman Paul Bishop, Greeley said the Fire Department will make it a condition going forward that all underground storage tanks in town include similar bladder systems.

Boston Executive Helicopter already has a license to charter helicopters at Norwood Airport, said Russ Maguire, the airport manager. However, they still have "a ways to go" to get final approval for the new tanks they are asking for, he said.

Company President Chris Donovan assured the board that he is committed to meeting whatever conditions are set in the agreement.

"We want to do whatever we have to do to make sure the system is safe," he said.

There was some concern over equity, as Selectman Helen Abdallah Donohue said another company proposing a similar business had come previously before the board and had not been granted a license. That company's request remains on hold, and Donohue thought that approving Boston Helicopter's business might "directly harm" the previous application.

However, Selectmen Chairman Michael Lyons didn't see it that way, saying each application should be judged separately.

"I believe this is a totally separate case here," he said, adding of Boston Helicopter, "Obviously they've done everything right. I see no reason to wait on this."

Lyons did agree with Donohue that the board should meet with the Airport Commission to discuss the status of the previous application.

In the end, the vote was unanimous, 4-0, with Selectman Bill Plasko absent from the meeting.

Housing dilemma continues

The Selectmen continued to discuss strategies to handle a proposed Chapter 40B affordable-housing development of 296 units at Upland Woods.

Selectman Allan Howard made a motion that the board ask Town Manager John Carroll to set up a meeting with the principal developer, Campanelli's Dan DeMarco, to discuss what it would take from the town financially to make an over-55 housing facility economically feasible for the developer.

"People have used the term friendly 40B," said Howard, referring to a 40B project that is developed with some level of public benefit. "I'd rather have a friendly development up there. Forget the 40B. Let's give the

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OPINION

A little of this and that...

Of all the anonymous tips we receive here in Record Land, probably the most have to do with what is going on down at the airport. It is extremely difficult to follow up given one can't even enter the property without a badge, and both airport management and Airport Commission keep things very close to the vest, which is part of the problem, since many think things are run like a private club down there. It appears Selectmen have also heard of tyrannical like practices going on if Tuesday's meeting is any indication. Okay, now that the cat is out of the bag, when are Selectmen actually going to look into things formally and publicly to find out if everything is on the up and up? Inquiring minds want to know...

Speaking of inquiring minds, students and parents should pay particular attention to the usual slicing and dicing to come by Town Meeting of the School Committee's budget. Here is hoping that after a Town Meeting (TM) member or two digs deep into the minutia and question a few bucks here and there, that at least one School Committee member stands up and claims they didn't think trying to hire a teacher or two or purchasing some textbooks would be a big deal given TM thinks a hotdog stand at the football field is worth at least \$250k. Go ahead, argue

against them apples...

And while on the subject of School Committee, how many were surprised when Sue McQuaid announced she was quitting so soon after being elected. This newspaper raised the issue prior to the election of a concerted effort by some to reshape the board by engineering the ballot to seat like-minded members. Well, that initiative failed, leaving McQuaid as just a single voice among many. It appears her inability to wield a majority influence left her with little interest in serving further. Here is hoping future candidates have stronger commitments to serving out their terms if things don't go their way. Norwood students and parents deserve at least that much...

And one final note on the School Committee and administration; all roads leading to a new ice skating rink in South Norwood ends with them. Nothing happens without their approval of transferring land currently controlled by the schools. Something to think about...

And regarding the slippery surfaces of the proposed ice skating rink, last week's editorial hit a nerve with many regarding not only the shoddy treatment of Judith Howard by Selectmen, of which two letters

on the subject are published in this week's issue, but of how many think South Norwood residents are treated as second class citizens. Most emails and correspondence were not for publication, but if our communiqués are any indication, a new ice rink in Norwood is not a slam-dunk. Come Town Meeting, the Flats could be more like the Valley of Elah, with residents of the beleaguered neighborhood (David) ready to stand against the mighty RINC (Goliath). It could be a battle of epic proportions...

Finally, while discussing battles of epic proportions, this newspaper just loves the initiative of some Norwood residents to reinstate the word Christmas in the School Department's vernacular, and we agree completely. In fact, this writer has had a pat response to anyone the last few years who wishes me "Happy Holidays!" And it's, "BITE ME!" If someone wishes me Merry Christmas, I am happy. If someone wishes me Happy Hanukkah, I am happy. Even if someone wishes me Happy Kwanzaa, I am confused, but still happy. But if some spineless politically correct sycophant thinks we're buddies, he's in for a rude awakening. It's neither Jew nor Gentile that takes umbrage with spiritual references in public settings. It's only pseudo intellectuals whose lives are so empty they try filling the void with the technical details of our forefather's writings. So to those residents wanting spirituality to survive in Norwood, go for it. We have your backs...And a Merry Christmas to All!!!!

Letters to the Editor

A CLEAR LACK OF RESPECT

To the Editor:

Thank you for having the "guts" to write an honest article about the mistreatment and lack of respect shown to anyone speaking out against the rink location. I also watched the BOS meeting in utter disbelief. I believe if any other areas of town had issues with this, all parties would be treated democratically.

We in South Norwood always seem to be treated as second-class citizens, even though our tax dollars are the same color as others in town. Sadly, we do not seem to have an elected official that cares about our area of town either.

We are like little orphans, clinging desperately to each other trying our best to protect what is rightfully ours. Pardon the expression, but it seems peace and tranquility in one's neighborhood is only for certain areas of town. Our quality of life doesn't seem to matter to the ones that are so hell bent on erecting this rink in S. Norwood.

In closing, I will continue on our upwards battle to attempt to notify the entire town of Norwood to understand our point of view. I am honored to have Judith Howard as one of the soldiers in my army.

Patty Bailey

S. Norwood Resident

Town Meeting Member Dist. 6

SOUTH NORWOOD ABANDONED

To the Editor:

It was obvious that Tuesday's meeting was scripted by RINC, rehearsed and recited by our Board of Selectmen, right on cue, center stage, dissing unrepresented South Norwood.

Thank you, for your keen insight and written skills on our behalf, Dennis.

Regina Noonan

South Norwood

40(B) HOUSING AT POLAROID

To the Editor:

The Polaroid site, in its entirety, was declared an Economic Opportunity Area (EOA) by Town Meeting circa 2004.

This arose out of action taken to have Norwood be accepted into the state's Economic Development initiative to keep businesses and jobs in the area. Norwood was accepted into the Quincy Economic Development Target Area. The express purpose of the newly created Norwood Economic Development Committee, of which I was the Chair at the time, was to fill up empty commercial buildings that had fallen on hard times. It was a win-win situation where Norwood would enhance its "commercial" property revenue and the state would collect taxes on revenue that otherwise might be in another state.

LTX, Instron, Mystic Scenic Studios, and Universal Technical Institute (UTI) were some of the success stories. UTI filled up one of Polaroid's main buildings.

Selectman Howard is absolutely right in that we should not take a dime from Campanelli Bros. and yes, 55 and older housing is what Norwood needs.

The central issue that needs to be addressed is this: Town Meeting designated commercial property (the entire Polaroid property) as an EOA. Contract(s) were entered into to leverage commercial growth of the property Campanelli Bros. acquired. We have an EOA laid over our commercial zoning at Polaroid, specifically so Norwood can keep its commercial base vibrant and residential tax rates lower. A 40(b) is the complete opposite of what has been lawfully enacted at Polaroid between the state, the town, and the commercial entities.

In other words, the Town gave up tax revenue to help Campanelli entice businesses to this area-successfully so. Is it fair that they in turn whipsaw the town by disregarding their commercial intent for residential profits that would probably force the Town to build another school?

I have contacted Representative John Rogers and asked him to find out if this matter has been tested in the courts before. In the interim, the Town should take no action that would allow a 40(b) to begin going forward until this question is answered.

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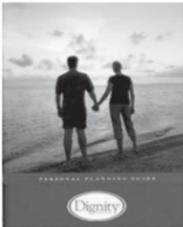
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The Norwood Housing Authority is located at the Frank L. Walsh Housing elderly development on William Shyne Circle. Gov. Deval Patrick is proposing to replace local housing authorities with a handful of regional agencies across the state.

PHOTO BY SCOTT MACKEEN

Housing leaders rally

Leaders oppose Governor's proposed overhaul

Scott MacKeen
Staff Reporter

Norwood housing officials are speaking out in opposition to a proposal by the governor to dramatically overhaul the state's public-housing system.

Two weeks ago, Gov. Deval Patrick filed legislation to consolidate the state's 242 housing authorities into six regional housing authorities, which the governor said is meant to increase transparency, accountability, performance, efficiency, innovation and cost savings in the state's public-housing system.

Under the proposal, local control of public housing would shift from executive directors and boards of commissioners to regional boards and a single executive director appointed by the governor.

The move came in response to a series of high-profile cases

of corruption and lack of accountability within local housing authorities, most notably in Chelsea, where it was reported that the housing director there was pulling in a \$360,000 salary.

However, Norwood's housing director says the governor's proposal goes too far, and ignores recommendations from a commission on which he served to review the governance of public housing in the state.

"I'm dismayed at the governor's proposal. It's not what came out of our commission," said Norwood Housing Authority (NHA) Executive Director Stephen Merritt, who served on the Patrick-appointed Commission for Public Housing Sustainability and Reform, which issued its final report to the governor last summer.

In the report, Merritt's commission called for the formation of a "unified housing authority property management system," in which all housing authorities with less than 250 state-aided public-housing units would be

required to join a unified management system. Under this model, local housing boards

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John Carroll Honored

The Neponset Valley Chamber of Commerce held their 119th Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner on January 10, 2013 at Showcase Live-Patriot Place to honor 2012's outstanding Members and retiring Board Members. One of those members was John Carroll, Norwood Town Manager, honored as Business Person of the Year. "With over 30 years as Norwood's Town Manager he is responsible for Norwood's reputation as a business-friendly community. He understands the importance of a vibrant business community to provide a commercial tax base that relieves the burden on homeowners. More importantly and less known is the work he does behind the scenes to help out those in need in town, often by connecting them to local businesses that can provide needed goods and services during a crisis," said Tom O'Rourke, President of the NVCC.

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need treatment.

"We're hearing through informants that drug dealers don't want to come to Norwood because it's hot, and that's a good thing. They have a great need to be fearful to come here," he said.

Last summer, Brooks released the 12-page document "Combating the Abuse of Heroin and Prescription Painkillers; a Strategy by the Norwood Police Department." The strategy outlines the drug problem not only in Norwood but across the state, and explains how the Norwood Police Department would use its resources to take down drug dealers, work with landlords to evict dealers and get addicts into treatment programs.

The Norwood Police Department uses a crime control strategy designed around the principles of the New York City Police Department's Compstat approach, the document states.

The document explains, "Most police agencies receive intelligence; the good ones push it out to patrol to enhance its effectiveness. The NYPD Compstat model of accurate and timely intelligence, rapid deployment of resources, use of effective tactics and relentless follow-up and assessment is particularly applicable to counter-drug patrol strategy."

The document goes on to say that over the past few years, Norwood has experienced an upsurge in the abuse of heroin and prescription opioids, and

that treatment admission rates in New England for heroin and prescription pain relievers are among the highest in the nation.

"That is considered the biggest drug threat to eastern Massachusetts right now," said Brooks. "People start on the pills...and move to heroin a lot of the time because it's cheaper."

Another issue related to the use of drugs is the disposal of hypodermic needles in public places in Norwood. There are constant reports in the police logs of residents finding used syringes in town. Brooks said it is thought the needles are being thrown out of moving vehicles.

"The rise in heroin use, combined with the legalization of hypodermic syringes by the Massachusetts legislature in 2006, has resulted in increased disposal of needles in public places, which has in turn brought increased attention to the drug abuse problem," Brooks states in the document. "Drug addiction fuels crime, endangers young people and those who are susceptible to addiction, and eats away at the fabric of a community."

Norwood is also a member of the NORPAC Task Force, a unit comprised of detectives from 15 Norfolk County police departments focused on narcotics enforcement. Brooks is the director of NORPAC, having written the original grant to start the program back in 1987. In spite of the elimination of the

grant five years ago, the unit continued to be funded by its member agencies.

Among other things, NORPAC allows the town to bring in undercover officers from other communities that won't be known and recognized on the streets, said Brooks.

"It really takes a comprehensive approach to drive down the drug activity in town," said Brooks.

The Norwood Police Department encourages residents to report suspicious activity using 911 for emergencies or (781) 440-5100 for non-emergency calls. The Police Department's confidential tip line is (781) 440-5181 and the email reportatip@norwoodma.gov.

Drug Arrests

	2011	2012
Jan	7	8
Feb	4	5
Mar	14	11
Apr	3	22
May	4	8
June	11	12
July	9	2
Aug	4	15
Sept	5	8
Oct	6	15
Nov	6	11
Dec	6	10
Total	79	127

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Town Clerk Notices

Nomination Papers Now Available

The Town Clerk's Office wishes to inform the residents of the Town of Norwood that nomination papers for the Annual Town Election to be held on Monday, April 1, 2013 are available in the Town Clerk's Office.

Requirements for filing nomination papers:

Major offices need 50 signatures of qualified voters.

Anyone wishing to run for Town Meeting Member who is not a candidate for re-election needs to obtain 10 signatures of qualified voters in their district.

The nomination papers must be submitted to the Town Clerk's office by Monday, February 11, 2013 by 5:00 PM.

Dog licenses now available

The Town Clerk's Office would like to inform the residents of the Town of Norwood that the 2013 Dog Licenses are now available.

All dogs three months old or over must be licensed. Licenses are issued on a calendar basis, January 1st through December 31st.

Fees are \$20 for both Male and Female dogs, \$15 for Spayed Female and Neutered Male. Certificate showing the dog was spayed or neutered must be shown. Rabies Certificate must also be shown.

The Town Clerk's office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

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would be maintained and act in “ownership and development capacities,” while unified governance boards represented by important stakeholders would fill the management void.

Merritt said the governor’s proposal to regionalize all housing authorities statewide would take away local control and ownership from cities and towns, most of which run quality and effective public-housing programs. “Property ownership is a major question here. It’s basically taking property by eminent domain,” he said.

Merritt said the NHA owns and manages 481 apartments for low- and moderate-income residents of Norwood, 313 of which are classified as state-aided public housing and another 96 as federally-aided housing. They include Washington Heights, Nahatan Village, Willow Wood Terrace,

Kevin F. Maguire Housing, and Frank L. Walsh Housing.

“The governor’s plan would send the ownership and operations [of these properties] to one of six new housing authorities,” said Merritt.

Counter legislation to the governor’s was filed by Reps. John Binienda, D-Worcester, and Dennis Rosa, D-Leominster last week, said Merritt. It proposes a collaboration of at least 50 housing authorities. Housing authorities with less than 100 state-aided low-income housing units would be required to join a collaborative management with larger agencies, which would provide needed technical assistance and services with vacancy unit turnover, maintenance, procurement of goods and services and administration of capital-improvement projects.

Selectman Helen Abdallah Donohue, who serves on the

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town’s Housing Committee, called the governor’s proposal “outrageous,” saying it is an over-reaction to a few instances of misconduct by housing authorities.

“Most of the employees are dedicated public employees. To generalize because of a few instances I think is unfair,” she said. “It’s my personal belief that local authorities have been operating highly successfully for a number of years.”

Norwood Housing Authority Commissioner Anne White Scoble also opposed the governor’s measure, saying regionalization is “not the answer.”

“It’s a shame that one or two agencies can take away from the whole state,” she said. “I feel overall it’s like one bad apple in the bag. The town of Norwood has a wonderful housing authority. They are very aggressive. They are state-of-the-art. Everything is for the tenants. It’s unbelievable.”

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town something it really needs.”

However, Lyons said the town still needs to fulfill its 10-percent affordable-housing requirement under the 40B law, and should take a proactive approach toward doing so. The board previously agreed to move forward with an Affordable Housing Production Plan, which would create a plan for meeting the 10-percent threshold.

Carroll said he would reach out to DeMarco for the meeting, but said he was under the impression that the developer would not be able to market an over-55 housing development.

“I think they’re not sellable right now. That’s my impression, but I could be wrong,” said Carroll.

Braintree-based Campanelli, which acquired the 131-acre Uplands Woods campus for \$17.4 million in 2003, has marketed roughly 30 acres for the 40B development.

The Massachusetts Housing Partnership has submitted a request with the Board of Selectmen seeking comment on the project, but the board first asked other boards on town to weigh in.

Donohue said it would be a good idea to meet with the developer to, and agreed to be part of the meeting.

“It’s worth a shot. At least it would leave the stone turned rather than unturned,” she said.

Secondhand news

Earlier in the meeting, the Selectmen approved a request from TVI Inc DBA Savers for a secondhand dealer’s license at 560 Boston-Providence Turnpike.

The license will allow the company, which has several locations throughout the state and across the country, to open a retail-type store that sells second-hand items such as clothing, home goods, furniture and other

things.

The board voted 3-1 in favor, with Bishop opposing the license.

“Personally, I don’t think it’s part of my vision for Route 1. I’d like to see something more upscale, but I understand what the economy is,” said Bishop.

NORWOOD PLANNING BOARD
Public Hearing Notice

Pursuant to Mass. General Law Chapter 40A, Section 9 the Norwood Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, February 11, 2013 at 7:15 P.M. in Room 12, Norwood Town Hall, 566 Washington Street concerning Major Site Plan Review and Special Permit requests under Sections 10.5, 6.2.21, for deviations from the Town’s sign requirements, and any other deviation, as needed, relative to a proposed TVI Inc. d/b/a Savers, 560 Providence Highway (Map, Sheet, Parcel). This project involves a renovation of existing tenant space in an existing building. Site work includes; additional loading stall dock with canopy, compactor container with canopy, designation of donation drop off stalls, catch basin upgrades and additional perimeter landscaping. Exterior upgrade includes; painting of exterior finish, additional door openings, and new entrance façade. The applicant is TVI, Inc. d/b/a Savers, 1400 SE 6th Street, Suite 220, Bellevue, WA 98004. The property owner is Access Road Associates Limited Partnership, 160 Old Maple Street, Stoughton, MA 02072. Copies of the plans and supporting studies are on file in the Planning Board office at Town Hall and may be reviewed during normal business hours.

Debbie Holmwood, Clerk

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NORWOOD KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2013-2014

Mr. James Hayden, Superintendent of Schools, is pleased to announce that the Norwood Public Schools is beginning its Kindergarten registration.

During the week of February 11, - February 15, 2013, kindergarten registration will be held at the George F. Willett Early Childhood Center 100 Westover Parkway from 8:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. It is very important that parents/guardians register their child at this time.

In order to be eligible for kindergarten in September 2013, a child must be five (5) years old on, or before, August 31, 2013.

- A birth certificate (or original passport or visa).
- Evidence of residency in Norwood (3 items needed) 1-Copy of lease, rental agreement, mortgage statement 2-Proof of recent payment of the lease, rental, mortgage. 3-Recent bill (ex: cable, light, water) - Copy of immunization record and most recent physical form - Copy of parent/guardian identification

Sports



The girls hockey team continues to win games, knocking off Weymouth and Milton last week behind a devastating offensive attack.

PHOTO BY ZALINA MCGUIRE

Girls hockey keeps on rolling

Kevin Stone
Staff Reporter

The Norwood girls hockey team is continuing to roll towards making another tournament run.

Last week the girls had a game on Tuesday against Weymouth, which they won in dominating fashion, 6-3. Kacie Smith led the Mustangs with four goals, two of which were unassisted breakaways.

The win marked the fifth of the season at the time of this story for the girls.

"We're starting to get rolling a bit, it seems like, so hopefully we can just keep carrying the momentum here as we have some big Bay State games coming up," said assistant coach Molly Barefoot.

The three goals were a result of another strong showing from goalie Sam Baturin for Norwood. It was the sixth game (at the time) that Baturin allowed three goals or less, a stellar showing, especially when your team is put-

ting up the amount of goals that these lady Mustangs have been so far this season.

Following the Weymouth game, Norwood dominated another Bay State team, Milton, 6-3 on Saturday, January 19. It was another outstanding offensive outburst for Norwood with Emily Kelly leading the scoring with a hat trick.

Kacie Smith again stepped her game up by scoring two goals. Karyn Colomey scored a goal in the win as well and once again Baturin shut the door during the game when it was most necessary for her club.

Norwood got away from league play for a bit on Martin Luther King Day when they skated to a 3-3 tie with Ursuline Academy. The knotted score was the first tie of the season for the Mustangs, a huge factor once tournament seedings begin becoming more of a possibility based on the number of points that Norwood has.

Following that game,

Norwood stood at 49 goals for and just 30 against. That huge differential is a big testament to not only the defense, but the offensive output and consistency that this team has found.

Having only lost two seniors, a year with this much sustained success could have been expected. However it's one thing to think it and another to go out and do it. These lady Mustangs have made sure people around the state continue to take them seriously as one of the most lethal teams in the state.

The girls will face two big tests the remainder of this week when they take on rivals Framingham and Needham, both of whom they have not seen yet this year.

"We have two big league games this week, and we have yet to see either team, Needham and Framingham, so we're just looking to continue on our winning streak in the Bay State league," said Barefoot.

Girls basketball staying afloat

Kevin Stone
Staff Reporter

While it hasn't been pretty all season, it's been effective enough to remain in the hunt for a state tournament berth.

Compared to last year, Alex DaLuz has the Norwood girls basketball team in a much better position.

Norwood's lady ballers split two Bay State conference games last week against both Walpole and Weymouth. Here's a look at the game-by-game breakdown from both nights.

Tuesday-
Walpole: 47
Norwood: 32

Usually, it's how you finish, not how you start. However, when teams can jump out to big leads against you, that may not matter by the time the final buzzer sounds.

In this one, Walpole jumped out to a quick start in both halves. The Rebels started the game out on a 6-0 run and the second half on an 8-0 run to dig a huge hole for DaLuz's team that they could never fully recover from.

To their credit however, Norwood clawed back into the game in the second quarter to capture a 15-14 lead, but Walpole finished the half on a

9-0 run highlighted by two Summer King 3-pointers right before the half, a dagger that would be too much to overcome despite the strong effort.

The Rebels then came back out in the third quarter on the 8-0 run and never looked back en route to the convincing victory.

Makenna Lane led Norwood with 11 points and Kelly Duggan added eight of her own points.

As has been the story all year, Norwood has yet to put a full 32 minute effort together in a single game this season. It's a problem that the Mustangs have dealt with the entire season and are still trying to figure out a way to solve.

"Once again, we played pretty well in spurts. We are still waiting to put an entire game together," said DaLuz.

Thursday-
Norwood: 41
Weymouth: 38

To their credit, the Mustangs bounced back with an impressive win over a good Weymouth team.

Norwood seemingly controlled the entire game, nearly putting together the full effort

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Gymnastics tops Weymouth

Kevin Stone
Staff Reporter

Weymouth 128.45
Norwood 130.05
They did it again.

Unfortunately for the rest of the Bay State conference, this is becoming a habit, not a rarity.

After a huge win over Bay State rival Natick last week, the Norwood gymnastics team came up with a 130.05-128.45 victory over Weymouth to continue impressing other teams around the state this season.

Kristen Folan, who is quietly and quickly becoming one of the most consistent performing gymnasts in the entire state won

the all-around again with her season and career high score of 34.4. Stunningly, she was the highest point getter in every event as she won the bars, beam, vault and floor as well.

Liz Kearns placed second in the all-around as she also put up her career high score with a 33.25. She also was right behind Folan when she placed second on the beam, vault, and floor.

"The girls were powerful, enthusiastic and confident. It's really starting to become a contagious attitude that they carry into every meet," said head

Gymnastics
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The boys hockey team topped Milton and Needham last week, pushing its record to 8-2-1 overall. The Mustangs beat Milton 5-3 and edged Needham 3-2.

FILE PHOTO

Boys track on verge of Bay State title

Kevin Stone
Staff Reporter

There's been a lot of hard work put in to restoring the pride that once ran through the Norwood Indoor Track program.

Several years ago, the program could be nicely considered a "non-factor". Now, depending on a meet against Milton this week, it may be a name heard through the whole state.

After dominating Dedham last Thursday, the win set up a winner-take-all meet today against Milton, with the winner clinching the Bay State Conference title.

Dedham was the perfect tuneup for the Mustangs and now everyone is ready.

"We had a good win on Thursday against Dedham. We

were able to try some kids in some different events leading up to Milton this week which was nice," said head coach Russ Booth.

Not only did the team dominate Dedham, but nearly set some records during the meet as well.

"The boys 55 dash was a great event because it showed us what we could do in the relay meet on Saturday. Leo Miller ran the second fastest time in the conference at 6.82, which is only behind PJ Hayes from Walpole," explained Booth.

On Saturday, the team then participated in a larger statewide relay meet that served as a different kind of tuneup before Milton. Norwood made their name heard loud and clear for all teams when they won the 50 meter shuttle dash re-

lay.

"The relay meet on Saturday was real exciting for the whole team when we took first place," said Booth.

"Jason Matovu, Aaron Cockrane, Tressor Wrensford and Leo Miller combined to run a 22.34 which was the fourth best time in the state according to Booth.

Now, everything will come down to Milton. Booth has prided himself on restoring the program's pride and image, now it is one win away from finally getting over that long standing hump.

"We're really looking forward to Milton this week and hopefully it will be the first indoor championship since the 80's for Norwood," said Booth.

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coach Karen Broderick.

The most stunning thing for this year's squad so far hasn't been the exceeding of expectations, it's the team atmosphere that Broderick believes they have all "infected" each other with. Gymnastics is clearly a very individual sport, much like swimming, but the combined effort of the Mustangs team is starting to become something to see and watch out for if you are other

teams in the Bay State conference.

It also doesn't hurt to have one of the better gymnasts (Folan) in the entire state setting the pace for them. Leadership as well as success is contagious and it's beginning to resinate.

"Although gymnastics is such an individual sport, the girls are really working together as a team. Their energy is contagious and they make

every routine count," Broderick said.

The 10-year coach is finally beginning to see some of the consistent results she's been waiting for, and as the calendar creeps towards February, the sky continues to be the limit for this Norwood squad.

"I couldn't be prouder of them at this point in the season," she said.

Boys basketball struggles in pair of losses

Kevin Stone
Staff Reporter

Sometimes, it's just one of those years.

After such an enjoyable ride for the Norwood boys basketball team last year, this season has been nothing but a struggle since the opening tip and it continued last week.

The Mustangs lost both games last week to Walpole on Tuesday (51-33) and Weymouth on Friday (73-56).

On Tuesday, Norwood played fairly well against a strong Walpole club, but it wasn't enough.

"We played pretty good defense but really struggled to find the bottom of the net - shooting only 26% on the night," head coach Rich Cormier explained.

Dan Flahive led the way with nine points for the Mustangs.

Friday night's game was a much better full effort from Norwood despite the loss to Weymouth. Cormier believed the team's intensity was up, and despite their lackluster first half of the season, things aren't completely bleak for the club.

"We played with much greater intensity on Friday night but ran into a hot-shooting Weymouth team," he explained.

To their credit, Norwood was down early (46-23 at half) but fought back and cut the lead to just nine early in the fourth quarter.

Unfortunately, Weymouth responded by hitting a three-pointer as the shot clock expired to push it back to 12, something Norwood was never able to overcome. A few

late free throws by Weymouth pushed the final deficit to 17, making things seem a bit uglier on paper than they really were.

Dan Flahive once again led the way with 11 points and six rebounds. Ryan Greeley had a great game off the bench with 10 points and two assists.

Norwood is currently 1-8 but will hopefully be bolstered by the return of their (still) leading scorer and co-captain Pat O'Rourke, who will be making his return from injury sometime this week after missing the last four plus games. Hopefully, O'Rourke will be the one spark able to push Norwood back over the hump in the second half of the season.

"We have a big three-game week at Milton on Tuesday, at home Wednesday and Friday against Hampden Charter and Framingham, respectively. Tough competition so hopefully we can find a full effort and get back on track," said Cormier.

The Mustangs are still showing why they are one of the most respected teams in the conference this week as well. They will also be hosting a fundraiser Friday night to benefit Fernando Morales (a senior at Norwood battling cancer).

To their and Cormier's credit, the Mustangs are still showing up on a daily basis and trying to raise their competitive level on every level.

"The guys continue to battle every day at practice and we look forward to turning the season around during the second half," added Cormier.

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they have been searching for; however, one final, strong late surge by Weymouth put a bit of a damper on things for the Mustangs.

"We settled for way too many 3-pointers, but fortunately left Weymouth with a victory," DaLuz said.

Olivia Philbrook scored four points in the last two minutes of the game to seal the win for her squad, as she has begun to provide a spark in the second half of this season. Julia

Copponi led Norwood with 11 points, Jessica Gorman added eight and Liz Whitney chipped in seven points.

Entering this week the girls sat at 5-7, seemingly five wins away from a fairly surprising state tournament berth. This week the girls take on Milton, a strong but beatable team, as they hope to continue striving for their full effort and push towards the postseason.

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ALLIANCE FOR MENTALLY ILL

Will hold its monthly meeting in Cafeteria B of the Lorusso Building at Norwood Hospital at 7p.m. on Thursday Feb. 7th.

We welcome all families in the South Norfolk Area who are dealing with mental illness and their loved ones.

In case of inclement weather The Alliance will follow the lead of Norwood school system.

FUNDRAISER/PUBCRAWL FOR KATIE BRANNELLY

A fundraising event is scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 26, from 2-6pm in downtown Norwood to benefit Katie Brannelly. All proceeds will benefit Katie, who was involved in an accident in March 2012. The afternoon includes a pub crawl, starting at Limey's Pub at 1:30pm, and returning to Limey's at 6pm for a raffle and auction. Come for the day, join us along the way, and all donations gratefully accepted. Search

for the event on Facebook "Fundraiser/Pubcrawl for Katie Brannelly", or call Joe Greeley @ 617.908-4158 for further details.

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THE DIVORCE/SEPARATION GROUP

Is an eight-week support group for divorced or separated people, covering the emotional stages of divorce and offering healing and support, will be offered at the First Congregational Church in Norwood beginning on Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2013. The group will be led by a professional counselor specializing in divorce issues, and participants are welcome regardless of religious affiliation. The First Congregational Church is located on the corner of Route 1A and Winter Street in Norwood. The series will meet on Wednesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:00

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p.m. and the cost is \$90. Preregistration is requested. To register for more information on the series, please call the church office at (781)762-3320.

NORWOOD EVENING GARDEN CLUB PRESENTS NATIVE ALTERNATIVES TO INVASIVE PLANTS

The Norwood Evening Garden Club will host a lecture by Mike Nelson, teacher, horticulturist and agricultural plant specialist, about Native Alternatives to Invasive Plants on Tuesday, January 29, at the Carriage House behind the First Baptist Church, 71 Bond Street, Norwood, at 6:45 p.m. Many plants imported from other regions and countries have become invasive thugs that must be systematically eradicated because they are overtaking native species. Mr. Nelson will give practical examples of native plants that will give the same effect as the invasives do, but without overtaking our landscapes. Mr. Nelson, a teacher at the Norfolk County Agricultural High School, has lectured to the club on several occasions in the past and is always as entertaining as he is informative. The public is invited to attend for a small donation. Refreshments will be served. Parking is available on site. For information about the Norwood Evening Garden Club, contact Susan Pearson at 508-668-4039 or visit www.NorwoodEveningGardenClub.com.

ANGEL FOR HOPE CARNIVAL

Please join the Fun On Feb. 1, from 3:30-7:00 for Cheryl's ANGEL FOR HOPE Carnival. The afternoon will be filled with Carnival games, snacks and Prizes. All will be indoors at the NORWOOD ELKS on Winslow Ave. in Norwood. This event is hosted by Cheryl Germano who is a 2013 contestant of the Circle of Hope's Dancing with the Norwood Stars. All proceeds will benefit the Circle of Hope Foundation whose

mission is to provide assistance to Norwood residents who are in need due to a catastrophic medical occurrence. For more information or to make a donation go to www.escadahair.com/angelforhope

FEBRUARY 17TH DEADLINE FOR NYS SPRING INTRAMURAL REGISTRATION

The Norwood Youth Soccer deadline to register for the Spring 2013 Intramural program U5 to U9 is Feb. 17. A \$10 late fee becomes effective after this date. All players who register late will be placed on a wait list, and will not be guaranteed a spot on any roster. If you registered and need to complete payment, please be sure to do so prior to the deadline, or you will be wait listed. Please visit "www.norwoodsoccer.com" and click "Registration" for more information.

NORWOOD HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION'S TEAM TRIVIA

Norwood High School Alumni Association's third annual Team Trivia night. Friday, Jan. 25, at the Elks Hall at 7:00 pm. \$20.00 per person tables of 10 available. Some full tables still available. This fundraiser is to benefit our scholarship foundation. The Norwood High School Alumni in a non-profit organization dedicated to the betterment of student life at the high school. Please contact Jerry Miller or Paula Pelagi for additional information. They can be reached through the Norwood Civic on Nahatan Street, Norwood, MA.

NORWOOD ADULT ESOL PROGRAM

State funded English as a second language program and our funding covers the following areas: Norwood, Stoughton, Sharon, Canton, Waltham, Walpole, & Dedham. Free ESOL Classes! Norwood Adult ESOL Program, 190 Vanderbilt Avenue Norwood, MA 02062. Call 781-769-

5848 or email eborgenicht@bluehills.org Call to make an appointment to register.

WCC THRIFT SHOP RELOCATES

The WCC Thrift Shop has officially moved to its new location at 1091 Washington Street! Although the Shop will be closed for business in January, donations will be accepted on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays between 9:00AM & 11:00AM. Donations of new and/or gently used, clean clothing, household items, decorations, toys, games are desired. The all-volunteer non-profit Women's Community Committee operates the Thrift Shop and proceeds are used to support local charities.

NORWOOD RETIRED MEN'S CLUB VALENTINE PARTY

The 10th annual Valentine's Day Dinner Dance will be held on Feb. 12, the second Tuesday of the month. Those interested in signing up may do so at the January meeting or you can call Joe Cattafe at 781-762-4995 or George Wallace at 781-326-9273. The cost is \$25 per member and member's guest.

4TH ANNUAL STUMP TRIVIA NIGHT

The Oldham School is pleased to announce its 4th Annual Stump! Trivia Night, presented by Norwood Bank. The event will be held on Saturday, Feb. 9th at 7:00 p.m. at the Norwood Elks. Tickets are \$20.00 each, or tables of 10 for \$200.00. Our goal as a PTO is to raise much needed money to support afternoon enrichment programs at Oldham Elementary School for all grade levels. There will be a cash bar, 50/50 raffle, Red Sox ticket raffle, and door prizes. For more information call Laura Tolman at 781-769-0586 or Tolman@norwoodlight.com.

CONCERTS ON THE COMMON COMMITTEE PRESENTS WINTER CONCERT SERIES

The Town of Norwood Concerts on the Common Committee is offering something new in January with four free concerts to help you make it through the long cold winter. Concerts will be held over four consecutive Sundays at the Norwood High School on Jan. 27th. The S.O.S. Big Band will perform before the winter

series concludes on Sunday, Feb. 3rd with the Roy Scott Big Band. All performances are 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. at the new Norwood High School and will be held rain, shine or snow, unless it is a really big storm! Hot chocolate and goodies will be served at intermission. For more information please call the Norwood Town Hall at 781.762.1240 or visit <http://www.norwoodma.gov/>.

Legals

NOTICE OF INITIAL SITE INVESTIGATION AND TIER II CLASSIFICATION

601 PLEASANT STREET
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RTN 4-23744

A release of oil and/or hazardous materials has occurred at this location, which is a disposal site as defined by M.G.L. c. 21E, § 2 and the Massachusetts Contingency Plan, 310 CMR 40.0000. To evaluate the release, a Phase I Initial Site Investigation was performed pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0480. As a result of this investigation, the site has been classified as Tier II pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0500. On January 18, 2013 Norfolk Asphalt filed a Tier II Classification Submittal with the Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP). To obtain more information on this disposal site, please contact Brian G. Snow, LSP at OHI Engineering, Inc., 44 Wood Avenue, Mansfield, Massachusetts 02048 - Tel: (508) 339-3929.

The Tier II Classification Submittal and the disposal site file can be reviewed at the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Southeastern Regional Office at 20 Riverside Drive, Lakeville, MA 02347, 508-946-2700.

Additional public involvement opportunities are available under 310 CMR 40.1403(9) and 310 CMR 40.1404.

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TOWN OF NORWOOD ZONING BOARD OF APPEAL PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeal of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING** in **ROOM 12** of the **Municipal Office Building** on **February 5, 2013 at 7:30 PM** on the request of Revolution Automobile Services (**Case # 13-05**) with respect to property located on **445 Walpole Street**, in a **GB-General Business District**.

The application requests:

This Application requests a SPECIAL PERMIT under Section 6.4.12 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow an additional sign approximately 72'x32' to an existing standing nonconforming sign.

Plans are on file with this application in the office of the Zoning Board of Appeal and may be viewed Monday - Thursday between 8:30 AM to 3 PM.

BOARD OF APPEAL
Patrick J. Mulvehill, Chairman; Barbara A. Kinter, Philip W. Riley, John R. Perry, Harry T. Spence

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeal of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING** in **ROOM 12** of the **Municipal Office Building** on **February 5, 2013 at 7:15 PM** on the request of **Maurice Fraone (Case # 13-04)** with respect to property located on **68 Garfield Avenue**, in a **G-Residential District**.

The application requests:

This Application requests a Special Permit under Section 5.4 and 5.4.4 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow a second story dormer to a pre-existing, non conforming single family home having lot area of 7,500s.f. were 10,000 s.f. is required and a 10.5 foot side yard where 15 feet is required, And, any additional relief of Board may require.

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

PROJECT: Norwood Municipal Light Department Transmission Line Replacement
LOCATION: Norwood and Sharon
PROPONENT: Norwood Municipal Light Department

The undersigned is submitting an Expanded Environmental Notification Form ("ExNF") to the Secretary of Energy and Environmental Affairs on or before January 31, 2012

This will initiate review of the above project pursuant to the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act ("MEPA", M.G.L. c. 30, ss. 61, 62 62H). Copies of the ENF may be obtained from: Doug Vigneau of Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc. 2 Washington Square, Union Station - Suite 219, Worcester, MA 01604 (508-752-1001)

Copies of the ENF are also being sent to the Conservation Commission, Planning Board and Public Library in Norwood and Sharon where they may be inspected.

The Secretary of Energy and Environmental Affairs will publish notice of the ExNF in the *Environmental Monitor*, will receive public comments on the project for 30 days, and will then decide, within seven days, if an Environmental Impact Report is needed. A site visit and consultation session on the project may also be scheduled. All persons wishing to comment on the project, or to be notified of a site visit or consultation session, should write to the Secretary of Energy and Environmental Affairs, 100 Cambridge Street - Suite 900, Boston, Massachusetts 02114, Attention: MEPA Office, referencing the above project.

By Doug Vigneau, Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc.

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DEVINE

John J., 72, formerly of Norwood, on Jan. 18. US Army Vietnam Veteran. Beloved husband of Gertrude E. (Hockman) Logue. Also survived by his former wife Janet E. (Orlando) Devine of Foxboro. Devoted father of Pamela DiGiacomo and her husband Randall of Walpole, John Devine Jr. and his wife Shanda of Foxboro, Paula Allen and her husband David of Attleboro, Pamela A. Logue of Brighton and Brian A. Logue of Franklin. Brother of Catherine Ostrom of Norwood, Bridget Kramer of Wrentham and the late Margaret Turgeon, Mary Donaruma and Anna Jacobson. Cherished grandfather of Joseph DiGiacomo, Molly Devine, Finn Devine and Auren A. Logue. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Burial will be at Highland Cemetery, Norwood. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to the North Walpole Fish & Game Club Scholarship Fund, 40 Brook St. Walpole, MA 02081.

DOWLING

Theresa W. (Holleran) of Norwood, on Jan. 19. Beloved daughter of the late Joseph Holleran and Mary (Woolley), she was the beloved wife of 58 years of William J. Dowling of Norwood, loving mother of William J. Dowling, Jr. and his wife Carolyn of Marblehead, Theresa and her husband Andrew Williams of Merrimack, NH, cherished grandmother of Christopher and Jeffrey Dowling and John and Michelle Williams, the dear sister of the late Joseph Holleran and Mary Ross and aunt to many nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements by the Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment will follow at Highland Cemetery, Norwood.

DYKE

Robert J., 61, formerly of

DEATHS

Norwood, Dec. 25. Beloved husband and best friend Phyllis of Pocasset and son David M. Dyke of Florida. Brother of John and wife Nancy, Linda and her husband George all of Norwood, Sandra Fitzpatrick of Foxborough and the late David M. Dyke. Son of the late Robert James and Marie (Campbell) Dyke. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. A graveside service was held at National Cemetery, Otis AFB on Tuesday, January 22 at 11:30. Funeral arrangements by the Alexander F. Thomas and Sons Funeral Home, Walpole.

LORUSSO

Mary C. (Lorusso), 97, of Norwood, on Jan. 16. Graduate of Norwood High School. Beloved wife of the late Carmine "Charlie" Lorusso. Devoted Mother of Phyllis

M. Silva and her husband Joseph of Bellingham, Eleanore L. Shea and her husband Michael of Buzzards Bay, Frances Drumtra and her husband Larry of Bellingham and the late Donald Lorusso. Stepmother of Madeline Rodgers of FL. Cherished grandmother of 4 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild. Sister of many late brothers and sisters. Daughter of the Late Anabel & Philomena (Russo) Lorusso. A graveside service will be held on Tuesday Jan. 22, 2013 11am at the St. Francis Cemetery, Walpole MA. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home Norwood, MA. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her name to Mary McCarthy Hospice House 73 Service Rd. East Sandwich, MA 02537.

MCGINN

John late of Co. Tipperary, Ireland, formerly of Co. Tyrone, Northern Ireland and Norwood, on January 11. R.I.P. Beloved husband of Teresa of Golden, Tipperary and devoted father of Jacinta Murphy of Norwood, Katherine Burke of Walpole, Marcella Arch of Norwood, Sean McGinn of Boston and the late Treacy. Loving Grandpa of Hannah, Emma, Cassie and Lucy. Services were held in Augher, Co. Tyrone, St. Padre Pio, pray for him.

QUINTILIANI

Domenic of Norwood, on Jan. 19. Beloved husband for 52 years to Carol Ann (Cocco) Quintiliani. Devoted & loving father of Ronald Quintiliani and his wife Susan of Norwood, David Quintiliani of Canton, Domenic Quintiliani Jr. of Avon and Melissa Holm and her husband Erik of Medfield. Cherished "PAPA" to Brianna, Adrianna, Nicole, Alicia, Madelyn, Isabella & Tyler. Dear brother of Gerardo Quintiliani and Anita Ventura both of Brighton. In addition, he is survived by many nieces & nephews. Son of the late Rinaldo and Loretta (DeRubeis) Quintiliani. Funeral arrangements by the Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment will follow at Highland Cemetery, Norwood. Expressions of sympathy may be made in his memory to the Leukemia Discovery and Treatment C/O MGH Development Office, 165 Cambridge St., Suite 600, Boston MA 02114; or N.E. Hematology, 2014 Washington St., Newton MA 02462; or St. Catherine's Church.

TIERNEY

Joseph R. "Joe" formerly of Norwood, on Jan. 3. Joe was born in Boston's Hyde Park neighborhood in 1931 to the late Joseph E. Tierney and Alvina (Obey) Tierney. After graduating from Hyde Park High School, he married his high school sweet heart Dorothy Cronin in 1950. He retired from a successful career with Beneficial Finance Corporation in 1989 after which they spent time being with family, traveling and enjoying retirement. He was active in the Hyde Park High Alumni Organization and Rotary International. In their 62-year of marriage, they raised three children - Kathy, Karen and Jim, who are married and provided three grand-children and four great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his three sisters Betty, Anne, and Jean and their families. Funeral services were private and a memorial service is being planned for the spring.

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