



Norwood's Salute to Veterans also included reenactors exhibiting a soldier's life from both World War II and the Revolutionary War.

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## Veterans celebration a success

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood 150th Anniversary Committee held its Salute to Norwood Veterans on Sunday, May 22 during the day at four locations, ending with a full concert from the Parkway Orchestra at the Norwood High School.

Dioramas, slides, reenactors and Norwood Veterans all joined together to help tell the stories of Norwood's fighters in past conflicts and wars. The day started with a flag raising by Norwood Boy Scouts Troop 42 and Norwood VFW Post 2452 members.

"We were the Color Guard for the Boy Scouts' Flag Raising ceremony today, and we're the Color Guard from

Post 2452," said resident and former Post 2452 Commander Steve Eosco. "It's great because we're celebrating the Town's 150th and it's just nice to have recognition for all veterans. On Memorial Day, we celebrate those who gave the ultimate sacrifice in war so that we could have our freedoms, but this is nice; it's kind of like recognition of all veterans."

Eosco said fellow VFW member and former commander Russell Walton and his grandson participated in the day by contributing their story boards for all residents to read at the Civic Center.

"I mean, the Civic Center is great; they've got storyboards of veterans who wanted to contribute to that, and Russ has contributed to

that too," he said. "Russ and grandson are both marines. There's a storyboard over there with both of them on it, which is a proud moment."

Walton added he is seeing a few more younger armed service men and women coming into the VFW in Norwood, which is a good thing.

"We ain't getting any younger," he said with a laugh. "We need the young guys to step in and fill our shoes."

Eosco said the VFW is participating in the Memorial Day Parade this coming Monday and will be having an open house at the VFW for anyone who wants to come in and see what they're about.

"And next Veterans Day,

**Veterans Celebration**  
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## School Committee approves European student trips

**Catherine Hurley**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood School Committee voted to approve two trips to Europe for Norwood High School students next spring, the first such trips since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Latin students will travel to Italy with teacher Moriah Holmes, and AP Capstone students will travel to England, Ireland and Wales with Jennifer Orlinski, the history and social studies department chair, in April 2023.

Speaking to the committee on May 18, Holmes said the Italy trip will include visits to Naples, Pompeii, Rome, Vatican City and Venice and stops at museums, catacombs and various historical sites. The trip will be open to about 20 students, with priority given to juniors and seniors in the Latin program.

Despite her excitement about the trip, Holmes expressed concern about how the evolving pandemic may affect travel.

"I am very worried about planning a trip in 2023. I'm not going to pretend that I'm not," she said.

Holmes planned a student trip to Italy for spring 2020, which was later canceled due to the pandemic. This year,



Norwood Teacher of the Year  
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Holmes said she opted to travel through a smaller company for cost and flexibility reasons. The company will offer students cash refunds in the result of cancellation, instead of the travel vouchers students received in 2020.

Orlinski said 35 of her 38 AP Capstone students expressed interest in traveling abroad to England and Ireland next year. Norwood students will share a tour bus with students from Watertown High School, who are taught by Orlinski's former student teacher. It was exciting, Orlinski said, to be presented with a trip opportunity by a former colleague who had already been approved by a local superintendent.

School Committee Chair Teresa Stewart recused herself

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## Planning Board hosting special hospital hearing

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

While Stewart has already begun demolition of the Norwood Hospital site, the company's plans for construction have yet to be approved by the Norwood Planning Board.

The Board had an appointment on Monday, May 23, to discuss the special permit application the hospital has put forth, but attorney represent-

ing the hospital, James Hilliard, said they wanted to push the meeting back so they could possibly be done with the hearing in one meeting.

"We are requesting that the Board have a special hearing so that we can resolve all of the outstanding issues with the hospital and its petition for special permits," he said. "We have been working with the Board's staff for the last month or two

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The Planning Board will be hosting a special hearing to go over everything planned for the new Norwood Hospital in June.

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# Health Department not ruling out mask mandate

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

Health Department Director Stacey Lane gave her report beginning with the current COVID-19 numbers in Town.

“So you can see the breakdown of who’s vaccinated, how many people are vaccinated, how many people have COVID,” she said. “It’s a little behind, as there is a lag because it’s updated on Friday, so you have to wait an extra week, but right now I took a look at the numbers today and we’re trending up.”

According to the most recent data on the dashboard as of publication (go to <https://bit.ly/39EWXuG> for the most up-to-date information), 200 cases were reported as of Friday, May 21. Currently, 24,638 residents are vaccinated, 14,369 are boosted and 3,196 are partially vaccinated. There have been 453 total confirmed COVID-19 hospitalizations, with 57 in Norfolk County,

which is a decrease of 1.7 percent since the previous two weeks. However, between Middlesex County, Norfolk County, Plymouth County and Suffolk, there are 453 such incidents, which is an increase of 6.6 percent.

Norfolk County saw no confirmed COVID ICU cases, however the four listed counties had 52 total such cases.

“And that’s just the tip of the iceberg,” Lane said. “That is not the home tests, and there are lots of people doing the home tests and isolating. These are tests with a nurse, doctor or facility, like an urgent care.”

Board member Carolyn Riccardi asked if Norwood was on a trajectory for a mask mandate.

“Well, each individual Town has the ability to do a mask mandate,” Lane said. “Most aren’t, some are, but we tend to go by what the state says. Even at our highest peak when we had, what, 1,700 cases and we did not have a

mandate.”

Lane said the Town would only initiate a mandate if the state did so. Board Member Joan Jacobs pointed out that holiday festivities could also have played a part in the recent uptick.

“Well, when you’re 30 days after a holiday like Easter, with people getting together in groups from all over the place and with cousins coming from Colorado or wherever, you’ve got a lot of points of entry,” she said.

Board Chair Kathleen Bishop agreed, and pointed out the next big gathering point would be graduations.

“Weddings are back in full effect too, and that could be part of why we’re seeing a bit of an uptick,” she said.

Lane pointed out the fact that many people are not wearing masks anymore to protect themselves and others from the virus.

“It just shows that it does work,” she said.

Lane also discussed the Household Hazardous Waste Day which was held on May 7. She said 306 residents participated.

“Which was a little bit on the low side,” she said. “We did 396 last time. But overall, it went very well.”

In other news, Regional Tobacco Program Coordinator Rotem Aloni gave an update on tobacco and vape product regulation and enforcement. She said the new fines for sale to minors went up from \$100 for a first offense, \$200 for a second and \$300 for a third, and any following offenses to \$1,000, \$2,000 and \$3,000 respectively.

She also updated the Board on suspendable offenses, which are more minor offenses than selling to underage customers. She said things like selling flavored vape products or menthol cigarettes would constitute a three-day suspension for a second offense.

Jacobs said she has heard

of stores putting menthol or flavored products in the back room and selling them illegally. Aloni said she searches both front and back rooms for any signs of such activity, including looking at discarded cartridges and cigarette butts, as well as looking for the actual products.

“I’m going behind the counter in the back room and I look at the litter outside,” she said. “I’m trying to do the best that I can to find anything.”

The Board voted to have three-day suspensions for first offenders of less flagrant violations including selling to a minor (flavored vapes, menthol, flavored cigars etc.) and a maximum of 30 days of a tobacco license violation for repeat offenders. The Board said a violation would count against an establishment on the books for 36 months before it would turn over and they

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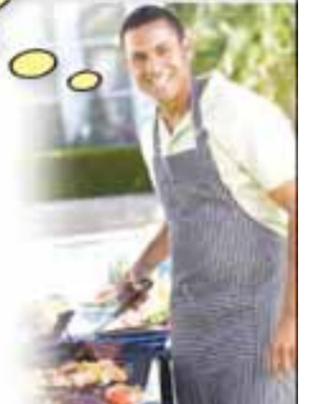
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# Morse Bridge, Workmen's Hall top Selectmen discussion

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Board of Selectmen met on Tuesday, May 24 and voted unanimously to send a recommendation from the Traffic Safety Advisory Committee to the Norwood Planning Board for the Morse Street Bridge.

The issue is that trucks keep hitting or getting stuck under the Morse Street Bridge (an incident that is so common on Boston's Storrow Drive that it is called "Storrowing" by locals [ <http://www.universalhub.com/storrowed>]). Norwood Police Department (NPD) Chief William Brooks said the biggest issue is that most of the trucks are not transport trucks driven by licensed truck drivers, but rather rental trucks with drivers who may be driving a large vehicle for the first time.

"The problem is that with the exception of the tractor trailer that hit last year and actually dislodged the bridge, most of them are rental trucks and those drivers are not used to watching for height warnings," he said. "They just drive right by because they're used to driving sedans and SUVs. That's the problem. So if this is recommending something that would hang over Morse on either side of the bridge that trucks would encounter before hitting the bridge, I am 100 percent for it."

Brooks said there have been two applications, one of which the Traffic Safety Committee recommended. He said the first was to increase signage and put in flashing lights. The other has a more striking response.

"I had hoped that there would be an arm that would cut out on Morse Street on both sides hanging chain or something like that that would make noise when the trucks strike it before they get to the bridge," he said. "I know that's been an application in other places."

Selectman Amanda Grow said she felt even the chains might be ignored, since rental trucks are not always in the best condition and can run a bit loud.

The Board voted unanimously to refer the matter to the Planning Board and that they consider putting a measure in as a condition for the impending development of 83 Morse St., effectively getting the developer to pay for

it. In other business, the Board interviewed Workmen's Club Manager of Record Gretchen Stampfl regarding four incidents over the last year. The first was in April of 2021 when a patron fired a gun at the establishment. Two more included fist fights that took place outside the hall and, the last, in February of this year, when an NPD officer went in undercover to buy a drink. In each case, the bartender working that night did not ask those people if they were members of the club or if a member of the club vouched for them as their guest, which is required under the Town's club liquor license rules.

Selectmen Chair Bill Plasko said he was not inclined to be lenient, and intimated to the Board that while this was the first time the Hall was before the Board of Selectmen, he would want to count the incidents as four separate violations, as they were backed up by the NPD and that Stampfl did not dispute the first three of the four accounts (she said she was not aware of the undercover operation). Selectman Helen Abdallah-Donohue put forth a motion to treat these incidents as one violation, but none of the other Board members supported the motion.

Stampfl admitted they have no formal procedure for checking membership, relying on bartenders recognition of members, of which there are about 70 in the area. Plasko said they were required to log any guests of members into a ledger with the member's name alongside, and Stampfl said she was aware of that, but many bartenders would not do it.

The Board voted to suspend the club license on Friday and Saturday, June 17 and June 18 and the following Friday and Saturday. The motion also included a stipulation that they would waive the June 24 and 25 suspensions if Stampfl comes up with an action plan that would create a membership list, a method of identifying members and sets up instruction procedures and instructs employees on how they need to manage the establishment. They are also required to remove the wording relative to their being a 'Tavern' and having 'billiards' on an exterior sign.

Lastly, Town Manager Tony Mazzucco showed a news video clip from Boston 25 News (<https://bit.ly/3LGQXPj>) telling the story of how last month Norwood Health Department Director Stacey Lane helped save a man's life with CPR after he had suffered a heart attack.

According to Boston 25, Ed Murray was moving his lawn when he suffered a heart attack. His neighbor, Steve Condon, witnessed the incident from his yard and rendered CPR while his wife called 911. Lane, who is also a registered nurse, was driving by and Condon's wife flagged her down. She said she assessed Murray and started CPR once again. Murray regained a pulse when paramedics arrived and was then rushed to Good Samaritan Hospital in Brockton.

"That's our public health director, literally out there saving lives," Mazzucco said. Abdallah-Donohue said this wasn't the first time Lane had jumped into action. She said she and Kathy Ronco worked at the Blood Pressure Clinic at the Italian Club in Norwood for many years.

"In the early 90s, one of the old timers who was coming every week to get his blood pressure taken didn't come," she said. "So Stacey Lane and Kathy Ronco went to the house and saw the man on the floor. They called the Fire Department. The man had passed out and had not taken his medication, and they saved his life. This is old work for Stacey Lane."



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# OPINION

## Members need not apply

Having lived in Norwood for many years I was vaguely aware of a place off of Wilson Street called Workmen's Hall, but didn't really know what it was about. Being a member of the Norwood Elks, I was already as social as I wanted to be and, being as adverse as I am to actual 'work,' the name inspired no further need for investigation. It was just a place off the beaten track.

It turns out Workmen's Hall is a fully functioning pool hall, as far as anyone could tell after watching Tuesday evening's Board of Selectmen's meeting. A place for members and non members alike to hang out, play a little 'stick' and maybe catch a Bruins game on TV. Fair enough. However, being a licensed club, particularly serving alcohol, it really isn't supposed to cater to just anyone who walks through the door, and it was made clear during the hearing that that is exactly what the club was doing. It was almost comical if not for it being potentially dangerous listening to the club manager admit to and agree with Selectmen that there are no real policies and procedures to check membership. In fact membership, for such a large facility and acreage, is only about 70 local folks who, by the manager's admission, are mostly made up of elderly longtime members. According to the manager, they are always looking for new blood. And if their Facebook Page is any indicator, signing up as a member isn't a big priority.

For example, it touts itself on Facebook as a 'Pool & Billiards Hall.' It does mention they are a Social Club once, touting a small lounge, 10 pool tables and that you can play from opening until 6 p.m. for \$5 bucks per person. In another post on July 20, 2021 it posted 'Don't let these rainy weekends get you down. Come play pool for \$5.00 a person from 12-6p.m. \$3.00 domestic beer.' Other posts continually reference pool for cheap and \$3 a brew but nowhere does it mention membership is required or that you need to be a guest of an existing member which, according to the Norwood Police Department, is why the club has been cited four times in the last year or so.

The first was in April of 2021 when a patron fired a gun at the establishment. Two more included fist fights that took place outside the hall and, the last, in February of this year, when an NPD officer went in undercover to buy a drink. In each case, the bartender working that night did not ask those people if they were members of the club or if a member of the club vouched for them as their guest, which is required under the Town's club liquor license rules.

Fistfights and gunshots are serious, though as best as we can tell the club isn't like one of the old 'shoot-em-up saloons' out of the Old West, but it is certainly not heading in the right direction. Imagine if a restaurant or bar in Town was before Selectmen with the same transgressions, except instead of not checking for membership the place was not checking IDs. They'd be rightfully shut down for cause. Come to mention it, is Workmen's Hall checking IDs?

Private club licenses are a bit of an enigma, some dating back to before prohibition. I belong to a sailing club in Florida that has a beautiful bar overlooking the ocean that operates under the 'Honor System.' That's right, members go behind the bar themselves, choose their drinks and then punch into the cash register what they took, no membership number required. No one is overseeing the activity (though there are cameras) just members helping themselves. So, Workmen's Hall, by comparison, is a model club.

We are glad Selectmen didn't come down heavy with their hammer to punish the club. However, we do worry that if things don't improve there are going to be serious consequences. The transgressions are now on the record and if significant changes to the club's operation aren't documented in the near future, consideration should be given to closing the club entirely. There is just too much at stake. Here is hoping new members join and take over the reigns from the old guard who have made it clear they are ready to relinquish responsibility. Otherwise, the future isn't bright for Workmen's Hall except, of course, for the real estate. Imagine what that piece of property is worth and how long do you think it will be before developers step in and detail how their new multi-unit housing proposal is going to provide great benefits to the neighborhood.

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## New school start times

Superintendent David Thomson would like to provide community members with several updates regarding the district's work toward the implementation of the new start times for the 2022-2023 school year.

The Norwood School Committee voted to approve new start times for the district's eight schools during the Feb. 9 school committee meeting, with the changes to be implemented in the fall of 2022.

The new start times for students will be as follows:

#### Norwood High School

- start time of 8:15 a.m., dismissal time of 2:50 p.m.

#### Coakley Middle School:

- start time of 8:45 a.m., dismissal time of 3:20 p.m.

#### Elementary Schools

- start time of 7:50 a.m., dismissal time of 2:05 p.m.

#### Willet School

- start time of 8:10 a.m., dismissal time of 1:40 p.m.

*There are no changes to the Little Mustangs Preschool Academy schedule.*

#### Half-Day Dismissals

Half-day dismissal times have been adjusted in accordance with new school start times. Early release times for Thanksgiving and December breaks are 30 minutes earlier than the regular half-day dismissal times.

#### Norwood High School

- 8:15 a.m. – noon
- Thanksgiving/December break: 8:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Coakley Middle School

- 8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
- Thanksgiving/December break: 8:45 a.m. – noon

#### Elementary schools

- 7:50 a.m. - 11:40 a.m.
- Thanksgiving/December break: 7:50 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.

#### Willet School:

- 8:10 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.
- Thanksgiving/December break: 8:10 a.m. - 10:40 a.m.

#### Little Mustangs Preschool

- dismissal at 11 a.m. with no afternoon sessions -
- Thanksgiving/December break: dismissal at 11 a.m. with no afternoon sessions.

#### Lunch Times

#### Norwood High School: lunch

- one from 11:19 a.m. - 11:46 a.m.
- two from 11:50 a.m. - 12:17 p.m.,
- three from 12:21 p.m. - 12:48 p.m.

#### Coakley Middle School: lunch

- one from 11:28 a.m. - 11:58 a.m.,
- two from 12:20 p.m. - 12:50 p.m.,
- three from 1:12 p.m. - 1:42 p.m.

*Elementary schools: lunchtime blocks at all elementary schools will range between 10:40 a.m. - 11:40 a.m., and will largely be the same time into the school day as they are currently.*

Grab-and-go lunch options are also being explored for early release days at all schools.

For more information and previous updates: The district website has been updated to reflect the vote to change the times for next year. Additional information from the School Start Time Subcommittee, including presentations, family surveys, FAQs and more can be found at <https://www.norwood.k12.ma.us/sc/school-start-time-subcommittee>

## For the Record

### VFW CHICKEN BAKE

The Norwood VFW will be serving a Chicken Dinner on Saturday, June 4. The Chicken Bake will be served from 3:00 PM thru 4:30 PM. This will be served in the Post Lounge Room. The meal will include a one-half Barbequed Chicken, with Corn on the Cobb and a Baked Potato. Dessert is also included to finish the meal. The cost is only \$12.00 per person. Tickets are available to purchase at the VFW. The VFW Post is located at 193 Dean Street in Norwood. The VFW is next to the ROJO's car wash. This meal is a great value for the price.

### OLD PARISH CEMETERY OPEN ON MEMORIAL DAY

The non-profit organization, Old Parish Preservation Volunteers (OPPV) will be opening Old Parish Cemetery from 1-3 pm on Memorial Day, Monday, May 30. Come by and visit the veterans buried here. Veterans from the Colonial Wars, the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812, and the Civil War are interred in this sacred ground. Each will have a flag

and flowers placed on his grave. This is a self-guided tour, but Old Parish Preservation Volunteers will be in the cemetery to answer questions.

The new book, Keeping the Past: Norwood at 150, which has a chapter pertaining to the old cemetery, will be available for sale. Anyone interested in helping preserve this site can join the group working in the cemetery, or visit the group's web site: <https://oldparishpreservationvolunteers.com>

### ANNUAL ART IN THE PARK ON JUNE 11TH

Join the Norwood Art Association for their 45th Annual Art in the Park Show and Sale! After a two year break, the NAA is so excited to say that their annual event will be held on the Norwood Town Common on Saturday, June 11th, from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm, and will include a wide range of works by talented local and regional artists. With over 100 pieces of artwork expected to be judged, categories include oils, acrylics, watercolors, pastels, mixed media, photography and drawing. Also included in the event will be artisan tables with textile, glasswork, pottery, sculpture, jewelry, clothing, artwork and wood. Around the gazebo you can view and purchase the very popular bin work including unframed originals, photographs, and prints created by the artists. Admission is FREE and the show will be

judged by a professional artist, with ribbons awarded in each category and the coveted Best of Show.

To entertain and encourage tomorrow's artists, there will be a Kids' Table with projects and face painting. Attendees will also be able to enjoy live acoustic music by a local musician! In addition, folks will have a chance to meet the winner of the NAA's Inez Reardon Memorial Scholarship in honor of the late Inez Reardon, one of the founding members of the Norwood Art Association. This scholarship is presented annually to a graduating Norwood High School student furthering their education in the Arts. The presentation will take place around noon. An invitation is extended to all who love the arts to join the group. One does not need to be an artist or even reside in Norwood to become a member, just have an interest in the arts and being a part of the growing and thriving Norwood artist community. The NAA is always in need of volunteers of all kinds to assist with planning, setting up and carrying out of many important duties and fun activities throughout the year. Please visit their website at [norwoodartassociation.com](http://norwoodartassociation.com) or check them out on Meta (Facebook) for additional information. In the event of rain, the



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on Nov. 11, after we do the Veterans Day Parade we're going to try to host a welcoming event like the Town does but at the VFW Post on Dean Street," he said. "It's also nice to see memorabilia from before our time in Memorial Hall here too."

VFW member Ken Costello also said they're welcoming residents to the VFW for a chicken dinner on Saturday, June 4 at 3 p.m. for \$12.

Event organizer Anne Haley said the day started with the Pledge of Allegiance and the Star Spangled Banner.

"It's a wonderful start to the day," she said. "We have people already finished, and I'm really enthusiastic about the way it's going. People are happy with what they've seen and it looks like a good day."

Outside on the Norwood Common, World War II and Revolutionary War reenactors set up tents and stations to show residents what it was like living through those conflicts. Haley said she wasn't too worried about them setting up camp for too long, but was worried about their health because the costumes of the period are heavy and woolen.

"I think they'd be good neighbors, but I am worried about them with the heat. We are providing cooling stations for them," she said.

Revolutionary reenactors Chris MacDonald and Eric Trevail said they do this a lot, and their costumes are actually completely linen.

"So they're breathable," MacDonald said. "It's a lot

cooler than you think it is because the garments all breathe.

The pair said they and their troop of about half a dozen reenactors provide educational entertainment for residents in the summer months, especially around the Fourth of July, so they're used to working in the heat. MacDonald said he got into the Revolutionary routine about seven years ago when he was involved with the Colonial Museum in Fall River. Trevail said he's been at it a bit longer.

"I've been doing it for 25 years," Trevail said. "I grew up in Upstate New York and my parents took me to Lake George and Fort Ticonderoga when I was a kid and so I think it just kind of stuck with me."

The pair said kids are most interested in the weapons, but they do also provide getaways where they camp in the style of colonial soldiers. Trevail said sometimes the wildlife can get into the tents, but for the most part it's pretty comfortable.

World War II reenactors Mark LaPoint and Neil Moore have been reenacting for four years now and got into it be-

cause both their grandfathers served in the war.

"One of my grandfathers was in the Royal Air Force and the other was in the 8th Army in England," said Moore. "He was over in the desert campaign."

LaPoint said they would try to convey what it was like for a regular infantry soldier throughout the various campaigns. He said he was set up as a medical officer and would explain the kinds of injuries soldiers could face and how they would be treated on the front lines.

Moore said the kids like to handle the weapons, much like the Revolutionary reenactors.

"Our unit has a fake gun, so they can pick it up and hold it, and we kind of teach gun safety and that these are very heavy," he said. "The gun is very heavy, the helmet is very heavy. They had to wear these ammunition bandoleers which are very heavy and so we want to teach this tactile experience to the kids on what the regular guys had for protection and to work with."

Memorial Day is still on the way. For more information, go to <https://bit.ly/3PFP1tu>.



Eric Trevail with a replication of the original colors of the Massachusetts Colonial 13th Regiment.

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to come to agreements, both back and forth. I believe we're close, but we're not close enough tonight to present this to you."

The Board voted to host a special Planning Board hearing on June 13 at 7:05 p.m. At the time of publication, it was not confirmed whether or not the Norwood Senior Center would be available so the location of the meeting is in flux, but Town Planner Paul Halkiotis said the agenda for the June 13 meeting would be available beforehand and have the correct location on it.

Planning Board member

Robert Bamber said he was not happy about the request.

"I would like to say that we are being rushed," he said. "I would like to see the public's input. I would like to see the input of engineers, everyone involved. I would like not to feel pressured, because this is a big job. It's a \$400 million job. It's going to take a lot to get this down. And to come down with pressure like this is inappropriate. To ask for it to be closed in one meeting is inappropriate."

Board Chair Ernie Paciorkowski said he hoped that no one, Hilliard included,

was under the impression that the hearing would be just one night. But he added that dedicating one night to the project would allow a lot of time to get a lot done.

Board member Debbie Holmwood asked to have the Town's hired consultant, Tetra Tech, on hand during the special meeting. Tetra was hired to be a second set of eyes, as Halkiotis said the Town doesn't necessarily have the expertise to determine what is right and proper for a hospital building on every level and inside every ventilation shaft.

Holmwood said she's just

as expectant as everyone else when it comes to the hospital, but she said she wants it done right the first time.

"I want them to get started; everybody wants the hospital back, but we're going to be looking at this way after I'm dead," she said. "No comments, please."

Paciorkowski said he agrees, and they would also request that Town Engineer Mark Ryan be on hand as well to go through the application with the Board during the hearing.

"We want to try to get as many people in the room as possible, including the public," he said.

Hilliard said he felt a special hearing should take place because of the massive nature of the project.

"We've been discussing this with Paul (Halkiotis) and his staff. We've been exchanging material, and have accomplished, I would say, quite a bit," he said. "There are other issues we need to resolve, and I would hope that between now and the time that we can have this special hearing, we would resolve them. We're not trying to put pressure on anyone. We want to get what we need to build the hospital, and, unfortunately, that hasn't come to pass at this moment. But we believe it can; we believe it will and we believe at a special hearing we can provide both sides, and if it requires an additional hearing, then so be it.

But just so you understand, everyone's been doing what they can do. But the size of this project demands that we be thorough and complete, and unfortunately we just haven't been able to do it in the time we believed we could do it."

Paciorkowski said the Board would do as much as they can to speed the project along, as he said he felt the Town and Steward were both rip roaring to go to get the hospital operational again, both for Steward's business and the Town's financial health and jobs.

"If you were to do this in Brighton, City of Boston, you'd be looking at a year of hearings," he said. "We will do whatever we can, we will accommodate you as best we can, but we're not going to cut corners. We've been waiting for the hospital for a long time, and we want it done right. We want a building there that you people are proud of and one that the Town of Norwood is proud of. A million people drive by that hospital, and it serves 13 communities. So you're going to have people coming in from Wrentham and Foxborough and they're going to see that building."

Holmwood added perhaps its most important architectural feature.

"And it will have Norwood on it," she said.

To check in on Planning Board agendas, go to <https://bit.ly/3MO4B4M>

## School Trips *continued from page 1*

from the vote on the second trip abroad, saying there's a possibility that her daughter could attend.

In other business, Cleveland Elementary School Principal Nancy Coppola presented the school's two-year improvement plan, which includes goals to improve students' social-emotional wellbeing and increase special education inclusion.

"I think that creating an atmosphere of acceptance, understanding and positivity will be key to a successful school year," Coppola said, citing a new school nurse, start time change and her retirement this spring as major changes to the Cleveland next year.

Coppola also touched on the success of the school's last improvement plan, which included the development of a school-wide behavior model and a multi-tiered support system of reading specialists and interventionists. The plan also aimed to re-evaluate the use of physical space, and the Cleveland has since moved the computer lab, library and art room and implemented new classroom furniture, like standing desks, cushioned chairs and stools.

"Students are no longer stuck in the one-desk-model-fits-all," Coppola said, ending her presentation with a reflection on her time as principal.

"Thank you for giving me the opportunity to be the prin-

cipal of the Cleveland for the last five years," she said. "I feel fortunate to work with such a dedicated group of teachers, and caring families and staff. The Cleveland School really has been a family to me."

Superintendent Dr. David Thomson updated the committee on the implementation of new school start times this fall. Individual building schedules, he said, are in progress and lunch and half-day schedules will be shared in coming days. Thomson also congratulated Nora Galvin, who was named Norwood's 2022 Teacher of the Year this month.

The School Committee will meet again on June 1.

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#### TOWN OF NORWOOD ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING on June 7, 2022 at 7:00 PM** on the request of Michael Cabral (Case #22-12) with respect to property located at **42 Mountain Avenue, Norwood, MA 02062, in the General Residence (G) Zoning District**. The hearing will be held at the Norwood Senior Center, 275 Prospect Street, Norwood, MA 02062 and will also be available for remote participation via GoToMeeting:

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/464775693>  
United States: +1 (669) 224-3412  
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This Application requests a Special Permit under the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and Norwood Zoning Bylaw Section 5.4 to allow the conversion of the existing single family structure to a two family structure. The existing structure is nonconforming on lot area.

Any zoning relief that may be required in adherence to the Norwood Zoning Bylaw shall be considered by the Board. Interested persons are encouraged to attend the hearing and make their views known to the Board.

Plans are on file with this application in the office of the Zoning Board of Appeals and may be requested by emailing [sbouchard@norwoodma.gov](mailto:sbouchard@norwoodma.gov) Monday – Friday, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm.

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would see another first violation, if they were found not to be in compliance.

Aloni said the state handles the fines and surprise inspections for selling to minors, but added that her own compliance inspections should be starting relatively soon.

Bishop said she felt tobacco enforcement, at least from Norwood's point-of-view, has been lax compared to pre-pandemic enforcement. She said this is definitely something they want to

keep an eye on.

On that note, Drug Free Communities/Impact Norwood Program Director Aubrey Ciol gave a presentation on her group's efforts to lessen substance abuse by youths in the Town, and she said the most recent survey information is hopeful.

"I am extremely pleased to report that all our substance abuse rates in the middle school and the high school went down," she said.

Ciol said vaping among middle school students

dropped by 8 percent, which she said was a "dramatic" drop, and that alcohol use dropped by 2.1 percent and cannabis use dropped .1 percent. In high school, vape use dropped 18 percent, alcohol dropped 4 percent and cannabis use dropped 8.7 percent.

"So that was great to see and I was curious as to whether or not that was maybe because of COVID, but all of that data was the past 30 days, and so those are really good numbers," she said.

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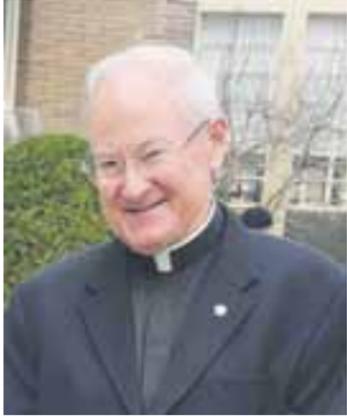
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Rev. Thomas B. Corcoran of Norwood passed away suddenly on May 17, 2022 at the age of 67. Beloved son of late Thomas M. and Cecilia M. (Lynch) Corcoran. Brother of Stephen J. Corcoran and his wife Lisa of Norwood, Joanne Regan and her husband Michael of Norwood and Martin T. Corcoran and his partner Thomas Caravella of Provincetown Ma. Father Tom was also blessed with several nieces and nephews. Stephen T. Corcoran of Attleboro, Ashley Corcoran Eddy and her husband James Eddy of Wrentham Ma. Michael T. Regan, Cecilia K. Regan, Julia S. Regan, and Sean M. Regan all of Norwood Ma. Father Tom grew up in Norwood and was a member of the class of 1973. He graduated from Bentley College in 1977, Majoring in Business and Accounting. He held positions in several high-profile Fortune 500 Companies before deciding his true calling was becoming a Catholic Priest at the age of almost 40. Father Tom entered Pope St. John XXIII National Seminary. He said his first mass at St. Catherine's of Siena his home parish in May 1998. Since 1998, Father Tom has served many parishes before returning to his beloved family of St. Catherine of Siena in Norwood as senior priest in residence. He served faithfully until his retirement saying his final mass May 1, 2022. He had planned to enjoy his retirement, but the Lord had other plans calling him home only 2 weeks later. He will be sorely missed by the many friends, parishioners and family he kept in touch with over the years. Arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood, MA. Burial at Highland Cemetery, Norwood. In lieu

of flowers donations may be made in his name to Regina Cleri Residence 60 William Cardinal O'Connell Way, Boston, MA 02114.

#### GRIFFIN



CAROLYN Jean (Costello), Born in Hyde Park, MA on March 19, 1943 to James and Alice Costello, Carolyn was the youngest of 3 girls. Carolyn's family, including her sisters Kathleen and Patricia moved to Norwood in 1952. Carolyn attended Norwood High School with her lifelong friends Denise, Judy, and Joanne and graduated from the "school on the hill" in 1960. She went on to work at Liberty Mutual, attended Burdett Business College and secured a job at EPSCO. On a cold December evening in 1962, Carolyn met her husband Daniel J. Griffin at a house party on Bonney Lane in Norwood. They married in 1965 and bought their first home on Hill Street, across from Carolyn's mom and dad. Carolyn and Dan soon became the parents to 2 girls, Leanne and Julie, and later moved to Victoria Circle, where they then raised their daughters. Carolyn immersed herself in her community. She regularly volunteered for the FISH program, RESPITE, the Catholic Women's Club, Food Pantry, at St. Catherine's school as a home economics cooking teacher, bazaar artist, helper at bingo, CCD teacher, and Girl Scout leader, and served as a Eucharistic Minister for St. Timothy's. When not volunteering or caring for her two girls, Carolyn took on various jobs. She worked downtown at Liggett's Rexall Drugs counter, was a town census taker, served

## Deaths

as a milk lady at the Oldham School, and worked as an administrative assistant at North Hill in Needham. Carolyn's unique gift to walk into any store and connect with 6 friends and make 5 others while she stood in the checkout line was unmatched. Her friendly demeanor and ability to remember names helped her to become a successful salesperson, selling Stanley Home products, Avon and then real estate in Norwood for over 20 years. When not in Norwood with family and friends, selling homes, at her Tuesday Bowling/Card group, participating in the Art Association or Norwood Evening Garden Club, Carolyn could be found traveling to Longboat Key, Alaska, Ireland, California, Arizona, or with her feet tucked in the sand sitting in her chair on a Cape Cod beach. Cape Cod was Carolyn's home away from home. She enjoyed sharing her summers with her family, taking bike trips to Windmill Beach, playing golf, taking a drive after dinner to Cape Cod Creamery for a frozen pudding waffle cone, and a stroll with Dan to "Kathy's" beach to watch the sunset. Carolyn's love for gardening and eye-catching colors was showcased in both her South Yarmouth and Norwood gardens. Her creativity was apparent in the window boxes and potted plants that adorned both homes, and was artistically captured in many of her beautiful paintings. Among Carolyn's many interests was her love of music. Carolyn was known as a great wedding dancer, for her car concerts of Old Cape Cod, and for her piano playing. Carolyn also made scrumptious baked goods, including the best Whoopie pies and lemon squares and always had baking ingredients laid out on her counter to make a cake for a friend that was ill or someone who she thought just might like to have a cranberry swirl coffee cake to go with their afternoon tea. After a life full of smiles, laughter and a courageous journey with Alzheimer's, Carolyn leaves behind her husband of 57 years Daniel, her furry canine compan-

ion Piper, daughter Leanne Griffin Cordischi, her son-in-law Steve Cordischi, granddaughters Amelia, Tricia and Erica, and her younger daughter Julie Griffin Cherella, her son-in-law Steve Cherella and step-granddaughter Kori, her sister Kathleen, cousin Janet, nieces, nephews, extended family and friends, of whom she loved with all her heart. A funeral mass will be held on Wednesday, June 1, 2022 10:30am at St. Timothy Parish 650 Nichols Street Norwood, MA 02062. Burial will follow at Knollwood Memorial Park 319 High Street Canton MA 02021. Arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood, MA. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you do acts of kindness in Carolyn's memory.

#### TILLSON



A kind man with a booming laugh and a big heart, Garry Eugene Tillson passed away at his home in Norwood on May 4, 2022. The son of Harold Eugene and Violet Garland Tillson of Winthrop, Maine was born on September 13, 1943, in Gardiner. In addition to excelling in his classes, Garry made many friends as a four-year member of Winthrop High School's basketball team, football team and Glee Club before graduating in 1962. In 1965, Garry followed his passion for military history and joined the Navy. During the three years he was stationed in bases worldwide, Garry enjoyed some of the proudest moments of his life until he was seriously injured in an automobile accident while serving in the Azores in 1968. After being flown to Bethesda Naval Hospital in Maryland for treatment, Garry

was transferred to the West Roxbury VA Hospital in West Roxbury, MA for extensive physical therapy. As much as he enjoyed living in Massachusetts, Garry realized he needed more help. He returned to Winthrop, ME to live with his mother and receive additional rehabilitation services at the VA Hospital in Augusta, ME. It was the last time Garry Tillson would depend on anyone for anything. Despite the severe limp that impacted his mobility, Garry resolved to regain his independence and create a new life for himself in Massachusetts. In 1972, Garry graduated from Suffolk University in Boston with a bachelor's degree in Business Administration and immediately joined the Internal Revenue Service. Over his 40-year career as a tax auditor, Garry's "take charge approach" to his job, combined with his abilities to motivate and develop other technicians, earned him multiple Sustained Superior Awards and the Director's Award. After retiring in 2012, he enjoyed traveling and the camaraderie of his friends. At family gatherings, Garry was beloved for his immense kindness, sharp wit, keen observations about all Boston sports, and free tax advice. He will be missed by his sister Jan Fraser and his brother-in-law Bruce Fraser of Kennebunk; nephews Ronnie Tillson and Brian Fraser; nieces Beth Hipsley and Brenda Darroch; and several great nieces and nephews. While future generations will not have the pleasure and privilege of knowing him, Garry's family vows to share their many happy memories of him. Most notably, his dinner table wisdom that all Thanksgiving Day delicacies should be mixed and enjoyed together because "it all ends up in the same place." A graveside celebration of his life will be held at the Glenside Cemetery in Winthrop, Maine on May 28th at 1pm. Arrangements are in the care of the Roberts Funeral Home, 62 Bowdoin Street, Winthrop, where memories, condolences, and photos may be shared with the family on the obituary page of our website at [www.khfuneralhomes.com](http://www.khfuneralhomes.com)

#### "POP GOES THE CULTURE"

"Pop Goes the Culture: The History of Asians in American Pop Culture" presented by journalist and author Gil Asakawa, on Tuesday, May 31 at 7:00pm on Zoom.

The Morrill Memorial Library will close out Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month with a deep dive into Asians in pop culture, presented virtually by journalist and author Gil Asakawa on Tuesday, May 31 at 7:00pm on Zoom. In the pre-talkie early years of Hollywood, two of the biggest silent movie stars, Sessue Hayakawa and Anna May Wong, were Asian. Portrayed as exotic and inscrutable, these stars graced the silver screen with great success. But suddenly and within a short period of time, all the major Hollywood movie studios began hiring white actors instead of actual Asians and gave them the "yellowface" treatment with taped-back eyes and makeup. Fast-forward to today, and Asians have attained an amazing level of stardom and success both on TV and the big screen. How,

when, and why did all those

cultural shifts come about? This virtual presentation covers more than a century of how Asians have been portrayed in Hollywood, on commercials, and on stage.

We are partnering with these libraries: Ashland, Cary (Lexington), Maynard, Somerville, and Wayland to bring this program to our community. This program has been generously sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Registration is required to receive the Zoom link; note that registration will go through the Ashland Public Library, as the host of the webinar. Please sign up by visiting the Morrill Memorial Library's website, [norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar), calling us at 781-769-0200 x2, or visiting the Reference Desk.

#### PRIDE PICNIC

The Town of Norwood, Progress Norwood, and the Morrill Memorial Li-

## Morrill Library Events

brary are pleased to be co-

sponsoring the second annual Norwood Pride Picnic. The event is scheduled at the Town Common on Saturday, June 4 from 2 to 4pm, with a rain date of June 10 from 5 to 7pm. All residents are invited to attend, bring their own food, and join other LGBTQIA+ friendly residents for a community picnic.

"The Town of Norwood is excited to be co-sponsoring the Norwood Pride Picnic this year," Town Manager Tony Mazzucco said. "We want to make sure Norwood is a welcoming place for all residents. So grab some takeout from a local restaurant and join us at the Common."

Clayton Cheever, Library Director, shared his pride "Libraries are one of the most obvious and grand examples of how life is improved when we come together and create spaces for everyone to be their best selves. It is with great pride that the library joins the town and Progress

Norwood in creating a welcoming place for all members of our community. We look forward to celebrating with Norwood's LGBTQIA+ community at the annual picnic and invite everyone to join us at our virtual and in-person Pride programs."

Cheever continued, "On Monday, June 6 starting at 7:00 p.m. we are hosting a zoom presentation by historian and Executive Director of The History Project, Joan Ilacqua, who will walk us through the history of the Massachusetts LGBTQ+ community from the Puritans to the present. On Tuesday, June 21 starting at 7:00 p.m. we have an in-person program "Drag: Behind the Makeup" where participants will get to talk with drag performers and gain insights into the present-day Massachusetts Drag community."

More library programs are still being planned, so keep an eye on their online calendar: <https://www.norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar/>. The library will also

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have a table with a family friendly activity and LGBTQIA+ books to check out at the Pride Picnic.

Nora Zaldivar, Progress Norwood Steering Committee Member, is looking forward to another inclusive event. "Last year, we had over 100 residents attend, and it was great to see the support for our LGBTQIA+ family, friends, and neighbors," she said. "Residents came up to us and said they had never felt this welcome in their community, so I'm excited that the Town and the Morrill Memorial Library are co-hosting with us this year."

If anyone would like to get involved with organizing the event, please email [progressnorwood@gmail.com](mailto:progressnorwood@gmail.com).

The event can be found on facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/events/948670729135312>.

**VIRTUAL PRIDE MONTH PRESENTATION**

Virtual Pride Month presentation "Milestones in Massachusetts" with Joan Ilacqua, Executive Director of The History Project, on Monday, June 6 at 7:00pm on Zoom.

In honor of Pride Month, the Morrill Memorial Library is honored to host Joan Ilacqua, Executive Director of The History Project, on Monday, June 6 at 7:00pm on Zoom for "Milestones in Massachusetts," a discussion about the history of legal prosecution and protection of the LGBTQ+ community in

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Massachusetts from the Puritans to the present. Massachusetts was both the first state to legalize same-sex marriage and the first state to support transgender protections through popular vote. This presentation will highlight early laws against queer activity, LGBTQ+ movement building throughout the 20th century, and the continued fight for rights in Massachusetts.

The History Project is Boston's LGBTQ+ community archives. Founded in 1980 by archivists, activists, and historians, The History Project documents, preserves, and shares LGBTQ+ history. Learn more at [historyproject.org](http://historyproject.org).

This program is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Registration is required. Please sign up by visiting the Morrill Memorial

Library's website, [norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar) or by calling 781-769-0200 x2. Zoom details will be sent out the day before and the day of the program.

**"DRAG: BEHIND THE MAKEUP"**

Live Pride Month event "Drag: Behind the Makeup" with drag performers Loo D'Flyest Priestly and Ivanna, on Tuesday, June 21 at 7:00pm in the Simoni Room.

In honor of Pride Month, the Morrill Memorial Library is excited to host drag performers Loo D'Flyest Priestly and Ivanna, on Tuesday, June 21 at 7:00pm, live in the Simoni Room for "Drag: Behind the Makeup." Have you ever wondered what it's like for performers to transform into their drag characters? Join Loo and Ivanna

while, over the course of the evening, they answer questions and chat with the audience while applying their makeup and getting into character.

Loo and Ivanna's company, House of Hors (HoH), is a Pioneer Valley-based company with a focus on bringing fun and accessible events to the Massachusetts Queer community and beyond. Performers provide a safe space for creativity, laughter, and self-expression, making an experience you will never forget.

This program is generously supported by the Friends of the Library. It is recommended for attendees aged 14 and older. Registration is required, as space is limited.

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**TOWN OF NORWOOD ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING on June 7, 2022 at 7:00 PM** on the request of Ryan Rourke Reed (Case #22-11) with respect to property located at **89 Wilson Street, Norwood, MA 02062, in the Single Residence 2 (S2) Zoning District.** The hearing will be held at the Norwood Senior Center, 275 Prospect Street, Norwood, MA 02062 and will also be available for remote participation via GoToMeeting:

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United States: +1 (669) 224-3412  
Access Code: 464-775-693

This Application requests a Special Permit under the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and Norwood Zoning Bylaw Section 5.4.4 to allow the construction of a two story addition to the existing nonconforming single family residence. The existing structure is nonconforming on frontage and side yard setbacks. The proposed addition would continue the existing side yard nonconformity.

Any zoning relief that may be required in adherence to the Norwood Zoning Bylaw shall be considered by the Board. Interested persons are encouraged to attend the hearing and make their views known to the Board.

Plans are on file with this application in the office of the Zoning Board of Appeals and may be requested by emailing [sbouchard@norwoodma.gov](mailto:sbouchard@norwoodma.gov) Monday - Friday, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm.

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**Docket No. NO22P1263PM**

CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF CONSERVATOR OR OTHER PROTECTIVE ORDER PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304 §5-405

**In the matter of: Paul J. Jordan**  
**Of: Norwood, MA**

**RESPONDENT**  
**(Person to be Protected/Minor)**

**Norfolk Probate and Family Court**  
**35 Shawmut Road**  
**Canton, MA. 02021**  
**781-830-1200**

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by

**Norwood Healthcare of Norwood, MA**

In the above captioned matter alleging that **Paul J. Jordan** is in need of a Conservator or other protective order and requesting that:

**Candace Jordan of Norwell, MA**  
(or some other suitable person) be appointed as Conservator to serve **With Corporate Surety** on the bond.

The petition asks the Court to determine that the Respondent is disabled, that the protective order or appointment of Conservator is necessary, and that the proposed Conservator is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court.

**You have the right to object to this proceeding.** If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of **06/22/2022**. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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

**WITNESS Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court**  
Date: May 18, 2022  
Colleen M. Brierley,  
Register of Probate

*Norwood Record: 5/26/22*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court Department  
**Norfolk Division**  
**Docket No. NO22P1216PM**

CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF CONSERVATOR OR OTHER PROTECTIVE ORDER PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304 §5-405

**In the matter of: Guido Ciannavei**  
**Of: Norwood, MA**

**RESPONDENT**  
**(Person to be Protected/Minor)**

**Norfolk Probate and Family Court**  
**35 Shawmut Road**  
**Canton, MA. 02021**  
**781-830-1200**

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by

**Health & Social Services, Consortium of Norwood, MA**

In the above captioned matter alleging that **Guido Ciannavei** is in need of a Conservator or other protective order and requesting that:

**Audrey Baron of Chelmsford, MA**  
(or some other suitable person) be appointed as Conservator to serve **With Personal Surety** on the bond.

The petition asks the Court to determine that the Respondent is disabled, that the protective order or appointment of Conservator is necessary, and that the proposed Conservator is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court.

**You have the right to object to this proceeding.** If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of **06/15/2022**. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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

**WITNESS Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court**  
Date: May 13, 2022  
Colleen M. Brierley,  
Register of Probate

*Norwood Record: 5/26/22*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court  
**CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**  
**NO21P13069EA**

**Estate of: Harold M. Gibbons**  
**Also known as: Harold Gibbons**

**Date of Death: 02/04/2021**

**Norfolk Probate and Family Court**  
**35 Shawmut Road**  
**Canton, MA. 02021**  
**781-830-1200**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for S/A - **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by

**Daniel W. Nye of Medfield, 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:

**Daniel W. Nye of Medfield, MA**  
**be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. **You have a right to object to this proceeding.** To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M. on the return day of **06/22/2022**. 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. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court**  
Date: May 16, 2022  
Colleen M. Brierley,  
Register of Probate

*Norwood Record: 5/26/22*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court  
**CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**  
**NO22P1290EA**

**Estate of: Barbara Ann Vezina**  
**Also known as: Barbara A. Vezina**

**Date of Death: 02/17/2022**

**Norfolk Probate and Family Court**  
**35 Shawmut Road**  
**Canton, MA. 02021**  
**781-830-1200**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by

**Lori A. Hamlin of Norwood, 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:

**Lori A. Hamlin of Norwood, MA**  
**be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.**

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**WITNESS Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court**  
Date: May 19, 2022  
Colleen M. Brierley,  
Register of Probate

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**Monday, May 16**

0947 Phone - Warrant Service \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Hill St Units attempt to serve warrant. N499 places subject under arrest and N674 transports to station. Arrest: McNulty, Robert V Address: 122 Hill St Apt. #B Norwood, Ma Age: 47 Charges: Warrant Arrest

1601 Phone - Larceny \*Report Filed Location/Address: Village Road W Rims stolen from the property.

**Tuesday, May 17**

0024 911 - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Olde Derby Rd Caller reports that her downstairs neighbor is being loud. N677 spoke to resident who will quiet down for the night.

0726 Phone - Well Being Chk Police & Fire Notified/Respond Location/Address: Greenleaf Rd Caller requests a check of 97 yr old father. Caller received a Lifeline alert stating that male party fell and now they can't get in touch with him. N667 state party was checked out by NFD and is OK.

0901 Phone - Be On The Look-out Services Rendered BOLO for subject wanted on a warrant and is a missing person, officer safety for wielding a machete, last pinged 0814 Hrs 792 meters from 36 St. George Ave. 1450 911 - Neighbor Disturbance Spoken To Location/Address: Roosevelt Ave Resident reports after parent disciplined son, he then come to home and was banging on her storm door. N679 spoke to resident, parents of son, and son-all advised. Resident will recall police if behavior escalates.

1523 Phone - Larceny \*Report Filed Location/Address: Broadway Catalytic convertor removed from the vehicle.

1955 Phone - Mischief (Kids)

Spoken To Location/Address: Johnson Pl Caller reports kids throwing rocks towards his fence. MBTA notified. N678 and N667 responding. 53 Alandale Pkwy also complained about same kids. Kids located at Windsor Gardens MBTA station. Kids were identified and sent on their way. N678 will notify parents. No damage reported.

**Wednesday, May 18**

0057 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Norwest Dr Caller reports loud party at neighbor's apartment. Officers spoke with the resident who agreed to turn the music off for the night. 0141 Initiated - Motor Vehicle Stop \*Report Filed Location/Address: Washington St + Day St MV Stop, MA Reg # 2HBZ71. N668 requests PBT. Arrest made, Negoshian's towed the vehicle. N677 transported female party in custody to the station (SM 57011, 0207 hours. EM 57012, ET 0209) N679 provided a courtesy transport to the passenger to 13 Dean St. (SM 23932.4, ST 0222 hours. EM 23933.3, ET 0226 hours) Arrest: Palmarin, Briana K Address: 71A Clark Ave Apt 3 Chelsea, Ma Age: 30 Charges: Marked Lanes Violation \*C89 S4a OUI-Liquor Or .08% C90 S24(1)(A)(1) Negligent Operation Of Motor Vehicle C90 S24(2)(A)

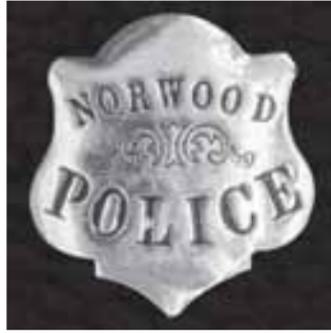
1819 Phone - Noise Complaint Area Search Negative Location/Address: Rock St Caller reports loud music. N669 reports all quit upon arrival.

1826 Phone - Malicious Damage \*Report Filed Location/Address: Oldham School (Acct# 1382d) - Prospect St Caller reports kids damaging trees. Called in by the custodian.

1910 Phone - Susp Person Spoken To Location/Address:

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# Police Logs



Engamore Ln Caller reports a male party is looking through vehicles and pulling on door handles. That party claims he was looking for his brother's car and was not sure where he parked it. He was spoken to and sent on his way.

2036 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Nichols St Walk in requests police presence during the return of an item that was bought earlier. Seller and buyer conversations throughout the day have been tense. N674 responding. N674 stood by while exchange was made.

**Thursday, May 19**

1411 Phone - Well Being Chk \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Olde Derby Rd Department clinician to check on resident whom may be off his medication and may be violent. N669 request NFD. N665 reports NFD transported to hospital.

1442 Cellular - Assaults \*Report Filed Location/Address: 491 Block - Walpole St Report 2 kids getting off school bus are in a fight, 1 is injured, 1 ran away. NFD sent.

1546 Cellular - Well Being Chk Services Rendered Location/Address: 111 Block - Sumner St Report 3 males holding a 4th male, possibly just that the 4th male has traumatic brain injury and they are trying to get him back to May Institute. N666 reports handled internally and employee is driving him back to Randolph.

1720 Phone - Larceny \*Report Filed Location/Address: Pleasant St Theft of catalytic converter.

2007 Radio - Mischief (Kids) Spoken To Location/Address: Balch School Acct# 1379d - Washington St Caller reports kids throwing rocks at Port a John, near the baseball field, aggressively. N679 and N666 responding. N679 reports no damage and kids were spoken to.

2228 911 - Threats Assisted Party Location/Address: Engamore Ln Party reports his friend may have been threatened online and was concerned for her. That friend was no longer present at residence, had gone home to Westwood. Caller advised.

**Friday, February 20**

1005 Phone - Susp Person Gone On Arrival Location/Address: Sunnyside Rd Caller reports a male party wearing a purple jacket walking around looking at houses. N661 searched the area and surrounding side streets.

1108 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Hill St Walk in seeking an officer's assistance with retrieving a vehicle he owns from a property. He believes the person that lives at this residence where the van is parked will not give him the keys. N661 reports that

resident was not home but will meet the officer at the station. N661 spoke with all parties involved. Agreed to pick up the vehicle tomorrow (05/21/22) at 10:00am. See Call#: 22-13133 0953 Hrs. 5/21/22.

1316 911 - Animal Complaint NACO/WACO notified Location/Address: Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports geese trying to cross route 1 and seem stuck

1404 Walk-In - Susp Activity \*Report Filed Location/Address: Washington St + Cottage St Walk in reports a male party possibly exposed himself toward his girlfriend and daughter.

1416 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Bos-Prov Hwy Report MA PC 2RFX38, engine running, doors locked, infant in car, no adult around. NFD sent. N664 reports car left before officer's arrival, spoke to caller, child was sleeping and not in any distress, N664 will call car owner. 1732 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Adams St Party in lobby reports daughter's ex-boyfriend drove by house and yelled towards daughter, then turned around and drove by speeding. N664 reports on-going issue and advised to seek a 209A or H.P. Order.

1735 Phone - B & E Of Motor Vehicle \*Report Filed Location/Address: Orleans Rd Caller reports their van was broken into Wednesday night, power tools taken.

1901 Phone - Well Being Chk Area Search Negative Location/Address: 6th St + E Cross St N661, on grant assignment, receives information that there is a small boy standing outside asking for his dad. Numerous areas checked and expanded search to Pleasant Park. Child is not in area upon arrival. Spoke to numerous pedestrians, they did not observe the incident.

2152 Initiated - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Washington St + Vernon St Officer checks on male party at bench, he is moving along.

2227 Phone - Civil Dispute Civil Matter Location/Address: Alandale Pkwy Resident upset that her neighbor parked their van in front of her house and now she has parked her vehicles in front of his house. Officer states ongoing issue between them for several years. Caller advised.

2242 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Lansdowne Way Caller believes neighbor upstairs is doing laundry to intentionally create noise. Officer reports all quiet upon arrival. Caller advised to speak to leasing office.

2251 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Philbrick St Report of a possible argument going on inside. Officers spoke to occupants through the door who state there was some loud music and a small verbal argument.

**Saturday, May 21**

0953 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Hill St N667 keeps peace while keys to vehicle are handed over and vehicle was removed from property by its owner. See Call#: 22-13051 1108 Hrs. 5/20/22.

1003 Phone - Animal Complaint \*Report Filed Location/Address: Johnson Ct Report dog vs. dog attack. N.A.C.O. Deputy Officer notified and responding. N663 sent to insure all parties were separated and assist N.A.C.O.

1256 Phone - Susp Activity \*Report Filed Location/Address: Courtyard By Marriott - River Ridge Dr Report at 0600 Hrs. a male, whom was outside building smoking cigarette, also appeared to be masturbating.

1533 Phone - Disturbance Services Rendered Location/Address: Shaws Supermarket - Nahatan St Service desk reports a female refusing to leave store unless police come and give her a ride. N661 courtesy transports to 300 Buckminster apartment building S/M 21142.4 1541 Hrs., E/M 21145.5 1551 Hrs.

1949 Phone - Susp Activity \*Report Filed Location/Address: Lenox St Caller reports he returned home and it appears his locks were changed. N664 reports someone jammed something into the lock, was able to clear it enough for the reporting party's keys to work.

2038 Phone - Runaway Child Returned Home Location/Address: Nahatan St Party at 80 Nahatan street reports a child approached them saying they had just left their residence. Child lives at 66 Queensboro Court, guardians arrived on scene.

2101 911 - Mischief (Kids) Services Rendered Location/Address: Ridgewood Dr Juveniles playing ding dong ditch. Officers located those juveniles, parents were notified.

2327 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: David Terr Resident reports a female running in and out of a house saying "help me." Officers spoke to her and state that was a teenager who did not want to pack for a trip.

2343 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Tremont St Loud music coming from backyard. Music turned off.

2346 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Callahan School (Acct# 1380d) - Garfield Ave Report of a female sleeping on top of a picnic table. N664 states party was not sleeping, was sitting there after a walk. Moved along.

**Sunday, May 22**

0355 Phone - Motor Vehicle Accident \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Washington St 911 call reports MVA 331 Washington Street. N667 returning with one in custody, Vehicles towed by Negoshians from the scene. NLD responded to check light pole Arrest: Martin, Ronald G Address: 15 Pinewood St Hyde Park, Ma Age: 41 Charges: OUI-Liquor Or .08% C90 S24(1)(A)(1) Child Endangerment While OUI C90 S24v Negligent Operation Of Motor Vehicle C90 S24(2)(A) Number Plate Violation To Conceal Id Marked Lanes Violation 0831 Phone - Animal Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Hawes Pond - Washington St Report party was walking her dog, not on leash, and as a result both subjects are now in an argument. While on phone there were statements about shooting/killing the dog. N663 reports disagreement over dog on leash, parties were separated. 1728 Phone - Susp Activity Spoken To Location/Address: Norwest Dr Caller reports five males with what appear to be firearms shooting into the woods. Parties were located at the basketball court with Red Ryder BB guns. Advised not to shoot them in the Complex.

1730 Phone - Animal Complaint Area Search Negative Location/Address: Bos-Prov Hwy Report of duck trying to cross Route One.

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show will be held on Sunday, June 12th, but the NAA is hoping for sunny skies and lots of art lovers, browsers and buyers to help celebrate the 45th anniversary of this annual occasion to be held during the year of Norwood's 150 Celebration!

**MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP TO MEET**

The South Norfolk Mental Illness Family and Friends Support Group will hold its monthly meeting at The Grange, 28 Rockwood Road (Route 115) in Norfolk, MA from 7-9 pm on Thursday, June 2. Mask if you will. Mental illness is a label for a variety of diseases of the brain. Often it strikes in late adolescence, devastating the afflicted person and the family. The South Norfolk Mental Illness Family and Friends Support Group is composed of such families who find mutual support and join together to advocate for their loved ones. We welcome all families in the South Norfolk Area who are dealing with mental illness and their loved ones. For further information call Ray at 508-668-2941.

**NEPONSET RIVER WATERSHED ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES ANNUAL MEETING**

The Neponset River Watershed Association's Annual Meeting will take place at Castle Island Brewing in Norwood on Wednesday evening, June 8 at 6:30 pm.

NepRWA members, volunteers, and supporters are invited to attend the Annual Meeting to learn about the organization and the accomplishments of 2021 and hear about the changing role of environmental journalism from award-winning journalist, Bruce Gellerman of WBUR-NPR Boston. We'll also get some first-hand reporting about the history of the Neponset Superfund site.

"This year we are delighted to be meeting in person and look forward to catching up with friends from near and far," said NepRWA Executive Director, Ian Cooke. "We also look forward to hearing Bruce Gellerman's thoughts about environmental journalism and media, what he sees for the future of the area."

Annual Meeting tickets can be purchased at [www.neponset.org/annualmeeting](http://www.neponset.org/annualmeeting)

Additionally, NepRWA is in the process of hosting its annual kayak raffle, sponsored by PaddleBoston, and the winner will be chosen at the end of the Annual Meeting. Attendance at the meeting is not necessary for participation. Kayak tickets can be purchased at [www.neponset.org/kayakaffle](http://www.neponset.org/kayakaffle)

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| <b>Korbel</b> 750 ml.....   | <b>\$10.99</b> |
| <b>Barefoot</b> All Types! 1.5 lt.....                                    | <b>\$9.99</b>  |
| <b>Woodbridge</b> All types! 1.5 lt.....                                  | <b>\$10.99</b> |
| <b>Cavit</b> Pinot Grigio, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, & Riesling 1.5 lt..... | <b>\$9.99</b>  |

## Beer Specials

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|--|----------------|
| <b>Bud &amp; Bud Light</b> 30 pack cans..... | <b>\$24.99</b> |
| <b>Lite</b> 30 pack cans.....                | <b>\$24.99</b> |
| <b>Coors Light</b> 30 pack cans.....         | <b>\$24.99</b> |
| <b>Goose Island</b> 15 pack.....             | <b>\$14.99</b> |
| <b>New Castle</b> Brown Ale 12 pack.....     | <b>\$10.99</b> |

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| <b>Samuel Adams</b> 12 pack.....                    | <b>\$15.99</b> |
| <b>Sierra Nevada</b> 12 pack.....                   | <b>\$14.99</b> |
| <b>Jack's Abbey</b> 12 pack.....                    | <b>\$14.99</b> |
| <b>Castle Island</b> Keeper 4 pack 16 oz. cans..... | <b>\$11.99</b> |
| <b>Castle Island</b> Fiver 4 pack 16 oz. cans.....  | <b>\$13.99</b> |

## Liquor Specials

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|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>Smirnoff</b> Vodka 1.75 lt.....   | <b>\$19.99</b> |
| <b>Grey Goose</b> Vodka 1 liter..... | <b>\$29.99</b> |
| <b>Absolut</b> Vodka 1.75 liter..... | <b>\$25.99</b> |
| <b>Svedka</b> Vodka 1.75 liter.....  | <b>\$16.99</b> |

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| <b>Captain Morgan</b> 1.75 lt.....            | <b>\$22.99</b> |
| <b>Jose Cuervo</b> Silver & Gold 1.75 lt..... | <b>\$31.99</b> |
| <b>Glenfiddich</b> 12 year old 750 ml.....    | <b>\$43.99</b> |
| <b>Grand Marnier</b> 750 ml.....              | <b>\$29.99</b> |

**Sale Dates: Thursday, May 26<sup>th</sup> – Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup>**  
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