



## Fish and Game at Cleveland?

*The F.A. Cleveland Elementary School held its Early Childhood Fair this past Saturday and young and old were entertained by a raccoon puppet show and balloon creations.*

*(Above Left): Marcus and Jane Gurtowski with their mom, Tricia, were fascinated by balloon art. (Above Right): Katie Downs and her nana, Alice Downs, enjoyed everything about the fair. (Left): Kelly Morris listens closely while Burt the Raccoon tells her a secret. (Right): Nate Taris tries to land the big one while doing a little fishing.*

PHOTOS BY PAUL ELDRIDGE



## Fire substitution account running low Selectmen grill Chief for answers

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

The Fire Department does not have enough money in their substitution account to last the remainder of Fiscal Year 2010. As of the latest payroll cycle, \$40,734 remains in the account.

“Short of drastic action... we will not make it after the first payroll period in March,” Fire Chief Michael Howard said, indicating that he is submitting a letter to request a reserve fund transfer to help cover additional substitution costs.

The drastic action in question is taking vehicles and apparatuses out of service, which would be the result of a reduced shift. Each shift has 14 technicians and firefighters working, and they are each assigned to a certain apparatus, be it an ambulance or a fire truck. If the number of technicians working is reduced, so is the number of vehicles

on the road. For example, if only 12 technicians work, one of the town’s ambulances would be out of service.

“Any time we drop below 14 on a shift, we replace those who are out,” Howard said.

There are four shifts at the Fire Department, and these shifts contain additional employees to cover for those who are out. Two of the shifts have 16 technicians, while two have 15 technicians. The department lost two full time employees during the FY 2010 budgeting process.

“These two positions have had an effect on overtime,” Howard said, acknowledging that this was just one reason for the deficit.

When fewer than 14 technicians on any given shift are able to work, others are called in as substitutes. People can

**Selectman**

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## Schools cut \$1 million and still short Concerned about further cuts

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

The School Committee cut the department’s preliminary Fiscal Year 2011 budget by over one million dollars at their Feb. 3 meeting. This brings the school’s proposed FY 2011 budget down to \$35,767,898.

This is still higher than the \$34,003,303 budget proposed by the town-wide Budget Balancing Committee. The town has \$61,824,187 to split among the schools and general government department, and the committee has allotted 55 percent of this to the school department. This represents a 2.4 percent increase from the school department’s FY 2010 budget. Prior to learning the status of state aid, the Budget Balancing Committee gave \$33.6 million to the schools, a 1.2 percent budget increase.

“It looks brighter,” School Committee Chairman Paul Samargedlis said.

“We’re still cutting, but we’re cutting less.”

The committee made several phase one cuts, totaling \$1,006,400. While cuts were made from a variety of areas, the two largest came from portions of the budget allocated for salary account adjustments and supplies, materials and textbooks.

A total of \$460,000 cut represented salary account adjustments. The Collective Bargaining enablement was reduced by \$243,000, reducing that budget by one-third. Money in that portion of the budget is used as a placeholder for the negotiation process.

“It’s difficult to put a value on that,” said School Committee member Dick Kief, because it is a placeholder.

However, the value of other placeholders in the budget became clear, allowing for cuts in different areas. The

**School Budget**  
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# Town and Country

Hi Guys,

## HEALING THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS...

Have been sent from Our Town to Norwood High hockey player, Matt Brown and his family. Matt was seriously injured during a recent game. We pray for Matt's full recovery!



Jackie Saber

## TOWN ELECTION...

Our Town's, Allan Howard, is running again this April, but not in the Boston Marathon which he has run and completed three times. He is running for a seat on the Board of Selectmen.

As of today, Allan is the only individual that has taken out papers to run for a seat on the Board, tossing his hat into the ring against incumbents, Helen Donahue and Mike Lyons. He has held many positions on Norwood Town committees over many years, and is presently a member of the Finance Commission. Good Luck, Allan.

## WELCOME HOME MICHAEL...

Michael Eysie is now home from an extended hospital stay. We are thrilled that you are on the mend and wish you a super speedy recovery, Mike!

## ROBINS, ROBINS, EVERYWHERE...

Have you seen them? They are roving like gangs in many neighborhoods. Many of us think that the American Robin migrates south in the winter and flies north in the spring. My 'Birds of North America' book states that the Robin's live year round in the lower 48. It further

states they survive in cold weather by dining on moist woods or fruit-bearing trees. I guess we must look for another sign of spring.

## IN MEMORY...

Our Town's sincere condolences to the families of Sarah Grasso, Sonny Eysie and Michael Pender, due to their passing. I would also like to mention the death of 'Tom' Cusack. Tom was a 17 year member of the Norwood Fire Department's Professional Dispatchers, and a veteran of the Vietnam War. Tom was a wonderful person. We also send our condolences to his family and to the NFD. Memory eternal to all.

## NEWS BITS...

Chair of our government's Financial Services Committee, Barney Frank, was warned by the Bush Administration over quite a few years that there was trouble brewing within Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac. He and Chris Dodd refused to listen, blaming it on partisan politics. Frank then sent the word to lending institutions to give loans to just about anyone, NINJA. (No income, no job, no assets) Hence, the loss of

homes, etc. Now, after horrific damage has been done to the lives of American people, and our economy, Frank wants to shut down Fannie and Freddie and somehow revamp the entire financial picture. Frank is right man for the job, isn't he? Fool me once...Fool me twice...

The new government of 'hope and change' does nothing, but continue to raise the financial tab on the American people higher and higher. On the stump, Obama PROMISED that Earmarks and lobbyists would NOT be part of his administration. Earmarks are alive and well along with lobbyists, as new ones were brought on board the first week after Obama's inauguration.

Lastly, the only 'hot air' regarding global warming is simply the 'hot air' coming from Al Gore and his henchmen. It is harmless to let Gore think he invented the internet, but the myth of global warming is a fraud on the American people.

## FACT...

GOD created this earth and everything on it. No one can prove that HE didn't. We don't have to prove that HE did, because of the simple fact that we are here. HE gave us everything we need for our earthly survival. Why aren't we drilling for oil on our coasts to supply our own people for our own needs? Why is much of the oil in the Alaskan pipe line going to Japan? So many why's...

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## NORWOOD YOUTH SOCCER

Registration for the Norwood Youth Soccer, (NYS) Spring 2010 season is now open at [www.norwoodsoccer.com](http://www.norwoodsoccer.com) for the in-town Intramural Program. Registration deadline is Saturday, Mar. 6. Note, NYS reserves the right to close any age



group at any time due to roster restrictions. Complete details on how to register and how to present payment is available at [www.norwoodsoccer.com](http://www.norwoodsoccer.com). This includes a grid showing birth date, year born and player mapping.

## TM Vacancies

The Norwood Town Clerk's Office wishes to inform the residents of Norwood there are vacancies for the office of Town Meeting Members in the following Town Meeting Districts. There are currently Twenty-One (21) 3-Year Term vacancies; and Three (3) Two-Year Vacancies (To Fill A Vacancy); and One (1) One-Year Vacancy (To Fill A Vacancy). The following Town Meeting Member seats are now available for the Annual Town Election to be held on Monday, Apr. 5, 2010.

District 1:	3 Year Term	(1 Seat)
District 2:	3 Year Term	(1 Seat)
District 3:	3 Year Term	(3 Seats)
District 4:	3 Year Term	(1 Seat)
District 5:	3 Year Term	(4 Seats)
	2 Year Term	(3 Seats) (To Fill A Vacancy)
District 6:	3 Year Term	(1 Seat)
District 7:	3 Year Term	(5 Seats)
District 8:	3 Year Term	(3 Seats)
	1 Year Term	(1 Seat) (To Fill A Vacancy)
District 9:	3 Year Term	(2 Seats)

Any current Town Meeting Member whose term is expiring on Apr. 5, 2010 who did not file the required "intent to seek re-election form" with the office of the Town Clerk must do so by Tuesday, Feb. 16, 2010 at 5:00 p.m. Anyone else interested in running for the office of Town Meeting Member must file nomination papers signed by at least ten (10) registered voters in their District. Last day for filing with the Board of Registrars is Tuesday, Feb. 16, 2010 at 5:00 p.m. If you have any question, please call the Town Clerk's Office at 762-1240, ext. 152 or 153.

# Planning Board questions CPA

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

Town Planner Stephen Costello presented the Open Space and Recreation Master Plan to the Planning Board at their Feb. 8 meeting. This is the third version of the plan, and it took community input to see what citizens of the town want the open space to be used for. The plan outlines a few of the town's goals, such as acquiring more open space, improving existing property and perhaps installing a path to link a few properties together.

The board approved the firm majority of the plan, but an appendix featured in it caused some controversy. Appendix F suggested that the Open Space Committee look into and educate themselves about the Community Preservation Act (CPA) as possible source of funding for open space projects.

Planning Board member E. William Bamber did not like the idea of using the CPA as a source of funding because it is an additional tax, and called Costello a liar for including in the plan. He was under the impression that the CPA would not be mentioned, and that including it in the plan suggests that the town is in favor of using it as a source of funding.

Planning Board member Thomas Wynne also spoke out against the tax, citing the tough economic times and recent problems with state funding dropping off.

"Even in good economic times, I don't have any faith in the state," Wynne said, citing both the CPA and Quinn Bill funding drop-offs as reasons why. He added, "I just can't go along with a new tax rule on the books."

When enacted, the CPA tax was matched 1:1 by the state, a 100 percent return. By 2009, towns were seeing a 35 percent return, and this number is projected to drop to 23 percent for 2010.

"It's going down, down,

down," Bamber said. "If you put \$100 in taxes, you could get \$23 back. Big deal."

Costello and members of the Open Space Committee stressed this does not mean the town will use the CPA as a funding source, only that they are exploring it as a possibility. The document cannot levy taxes on the people of Norwood. Rather, the CPA is a local option tax and requires Town Meeting approval. Costello pointed out that 219 communities have voted on this tax, and 77 have voted against it. If Norwood wants to be the 78th community to reject the tax, they should at least educate themselves about the local option and discuss it. The two members of the Open Space Committee on hand had a similar sentiment.

Open Space Committee member Linda Rau said that they just want to educate the community about the act. In order to preserve the town's open spaces, they need funding. She wants the town to be aware that this is just one of several potential sources of money. Other sources include overrides, borrowing money at Town Meeting and grants.

Rau added that voting on the CPA wasn't on the table yet. It was merely an appendix featured in the Open Space and Recreation Master Plan. She said it was included in the document as an option to explore for potential future use, and that it does not bind the town to accepting the CPA.

"All it is is information," Costello said. "It doesn't bind the town to do a damn thing."

Ernest Paciorkowski, a member of both the Planning Board and Open Space Committee, adding that the document was not asking the board to support the CPA, just the plan. He said funding is going to be an issue, and without some sort of funding, none of their proposed projects will get done. Projects mentioned at the Feb. 8 meeting included a installing a community garden at

the former location of a skate park behind the Balch School, repairing the bath houses at Father Mac's and Hawes and creating a path to link a few open space areas.

Costello said, "we're not advocating the Ellis [Pond] be surrounded by a path," only that they want to connect a few areas in town, such as the Willett School Babe Ruth field parking area and Father Mac's.

Still, the notion of the CPA was a concern. Bamber believed that discussing the tax in the appendix and listing it as a potential funding source sends the wrong message to the state, as it indicates the town will be in favor of discussing it at a later date.

Wynne added, "it's a tax. Why would we want another one? There are funding mechanisms out there right now."

The board voted 4-1 to recommend the Open Space and Recreation Master Plan should all references to CPA be removed, with Paciorkowski opposed. This makes the Planning Board the second board to accept the plan in some form. Previously, the Conservation Commission accepted the plan in its entirety. The next group to look at the plan and make comments on it will be the Board of Selectmen.

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## Editorial

# In your "Face" with the Record

A big announcement from the new social media-friendly Record.

Last October the Record made the bold — some say stupid — decision to charge a fee to read our content online. Since then, the almighty New York Times has come out with a plan to charge frequent web readers a fee to access their content. No, this isn't a, "we told you so" piece, but it does illustrate that even the "newspaper of record" is still trying to find a way to survive in this new media world.

In the four months since The Record's new website went online, we haven't exactly made a killing, but we do have a dedicated group of readers who feel that what we do is worth the \$12 a year that we charge.

The reality is that our old website — like most news websites — lost money. As a free weekly newspaper that makes its living off the ads we sell, the website was a loss leader that couldn't be sustained. If anyone needs proof of how hard it is to run a free and profitable newspaper in this market, check out the Potter's Field of recently deceased publications.

To many, our decision to go pay-for-play seemed like a luddite-like response to a war that we couldn't possibly win. That may be the case, but we here at the Record are looking to make our peace with the "inner-webs" and embrace the "tubes" that carry the information to and fro.

In order to extend an olive branch to you, O holy Internet, and to our readers who have missed our online presence, last week we entered the Brave New World of social media and started up . . . wait for it . . . the Bulletin and Record fan page on Facebook. Remember, though still confusing to some, we were the original owners of The Norwood Bulletin, and still have Boston city newspapers called Bulletins.

Yes, yes, we know. Right now all of you out there with your text message capable underwear, your iPhone apps and Twitter accounts that give you instant access to all your friends' comings and goings are laughing at us for devoting an entire editorial to the announcement that we now have something that even your goldfish has.

The fact of the matter is, we miss interacting with our readers the way having a full website allowed us.

Our Record fan page went online Thursday. Since then, we have 40 fans without even telling anyone about it.

Right now, we have a few discussion topics up there, some pictures of our reporters and office staff, but not much. Eventually we'd like to put some featured stories from our papers up and maybe even some blogs from our reporters about what's going on in the neighborhoods they cover.

We're hoping that you, our readers, will let us know what you'd like to see.

However, there are a few posts that we PROMISE you will not see on our Facebook fan page.

Herein lies the Record's Facebook Declaration of Principles:

We declare that you will never see posts about how great/bad the weather is. We will never post messages about how cute our kids are or whether they are too sick to attend school. We also will never tell you about our pets.

We will never ask you to join Farmville. After all, friends don't let friends play Farmville.

We will never post vague, attention grabbing statements.

We will never ask you to post something to prove your faith and we will never post quizzes that tell you things you should already know.

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## Letters to the Editor

### COMPARISON NEEDS ANOTHER LOOK

To the Editor:

(RE: Jan. 28, 2009 Editorial): Some quick points to consider when comparing Norwood Fire Department Ambulance Services to towns like Dedham with private services:

1. The Norwood Fire Department staffs two ambulances, an Advanced Life Support ambulance and a Basic Life Support ambulance. When one ambulance is on a run, the other is immediately available to provide emergency medical assistance to the people of Norwood. Dedham runs one private ALS ambulance.

2. Dedham runs an additional piece of apparatus with their ALS ambulance, as does Norwood (Required by OEMS), on medical calls. The cost of doing this is negligible, but Dedham does not capture any revenue from the medical transport. Norwood does.

3. Cross trained firefighters/emt's man the Norwood Ambulances, Dedham private ambulance personnel function only as emt's. This important fact had an impact last week when an "all hands rescue" was called for at a house fire on Pleasant Street. A mother and her five children were reported to be trapped on the 2nd and 3rd floors of the house on fire. Engine and ladder crews dropped all suppression and ventilation functions in order to perform immediate search and rescue duties. While this took place Norwood Ambulance 2's cross trained ff/emt's arrived on scene and were able to attack the fire and extinguish

it. If this did not happen the risk of home destruction would have been much greater, instead fire damage was limited.

4. Many of the men and women who man the Norwood Fire Department ambulances were born and raised in Norwood. They are committed to the people of the town they grew up in. It may be the boy you coached in baseball or it may be the girl who grew up in your neighborhood but, when you call for an ambulance in Norwood a familiar face may show up offering comfort, care and medical expertise.

Isn't that worth something?

*George Morrice Norwood  
Fire Department Member*

### ALL ABOUT MONEY

To the Editor:

Thank you both for the article and the editorial regarding the cellphone antennas. There is a ZBA meeting on Mar. 2, 7:30 p.m. and they will be reviewing this issue as well.

It seems that they need approval from both the ZBA and the BOS before they can move forward and install these antennas and monopoles on the water tank site.

What aggravates me most of all is that there are plenty of other places to put these things. Why do they need to put a "communications mega-complex" in the middle of a residential neighborhood? The answer, of course, is money. It's cheaper to stick them there than to actually find a more suitable place and erect the tower there. Our town officials need to look out for our interests first. Our town manager seems uninterested in doing that, to say the least.

Lastly, wasn't the cap on the consultants for this issue \$10,000 from a prior BOS meeting? If I heard correctly, are we up to over \$22,000 right now in consultants on this issue?

*Thank you.*

*John Marsoobian, Jr*

## STUFFING THE CHILDREN

To The Editor:

Having graduated from Norwood High School in 2007, I have experienced many of the same things kids in the public school system are experiencing today. Most notably is the food. The choices, mainly between forms of chicken, pizza, and other processed foods, don't leave many healthy options for growing kids. So, on a daily basis, these types of foods are portrayed as acceptable by supervising faculty, school boards and parents. This, however, cannot be entirely blamed on the school system. The major influences range from agribusiness all the way to government policies. I am grateful for my parents' attempt to save my view of food with family dinners. Hopefully the readers of this paper will be able to save their own children's view.

Schoolchildren of the Corn  
Chicken patties, chicken rings,  
Popcorn chicken, what are these chicken things?  
Corn with chicken is what it is.  
Corn with chicken and all these adjectives.

The kids are fed this because it's are cheap,  
Not because it's supposedly meat.  
Then we must ask why the kids are fed,  
This thing we call meat, covered in bread.

It starts in the place where the corn is all grown.  
In the Midwest they are planted; rows upon rows.  
This artificially cheap commodity is made this way through subsidies.  
It is done for the benefit of only a few big companies.

The way it's used may come as a shock.  
It's just a cheap way to unnaturally feed our livestock.  
Antibiotics and hormones are mixed in galore,  
Even after many professionals deplore.

So our corn-fed chicken that cannot be sickened,  
Is made into shapes, but they still need to be cheapened.  
Binders and fillers should do the trick.  
Using the cheap corn is their logic.

The shapes must then be covered in bread.  
And yes you guessed it, corn too is embed.  
They are then dipped in ketchup that too has been altered,  
With high-fructose corn syrup that was cunningly cultured.

Corn is the new food elected by Congress.  
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Think twice before eating, you have been forewarned.

*Jeff Powers*

### NOTE TO READERS

As most of you have probably noticed, this newspaper has not provided sports reporting for the last few weeks. This is due to changes being made in formatting and personnel. We fully anticipate commencing sports reporting within the next couple of weeks. We thank you, in advance, for your patience. We consider Norwood sports a vital piece to our success in Norwood.



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# Norwood schools not exempt from bullying

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

Sites like Facebook, Twitter and YouTube have changed the way people communicate, and while it is easier than ever to get in touch with someone, it's also easier than ever to torment them.

The phenomenon came to the forefront last month after Phoebe Prince, a 15-year-old South Hadley High School student committed suicide. Officials believe that cyber-bullying in the form of nasty emails, text messages and Facebook posts were a contributing factor to her suicide.

Cyber-bullying is not new, it has reared its ugly head in Norwood before, and school officials are prepared when it happens.

"It comes up more than one occasion," Coakley Middle School Principal Zeff Gianetti said. "It's relatively frequent."

Gianetti described both face to face and cyber-bullying as common at the middle school level. Cyber-bullying on sites like Facebook tend to start outside of the school, but the actions can have an affect inside the building and affect a student's behavior while at school.

"Students cannot access Facebook from school," Gianetti said, as the school has an internet filter that prevents students from using social networking sites during the school day, meaning the bullying issues that start on Facebook start outside and permeate into the school community.

Ann Keegan, Department

Chair of Health and Physical Education at the Norwood High School, shared this sentiment, saying, "it may not happen at school, but it can affect [students] at school."

The administration can do what they can to curb bullying inside the building, but cyber-bullying is a different beast, as it occurs outside of the school environment.

"We can't control kids outside of the school day," she said. "It's up to parents to be vigilant in monitoring what sites their children use."

Keegan also stressed the importance of parental involvement.

"Parents need to know what to do with the computers at home," Keegan said, adding that parents might be unaware of some of the issues.

Facebook is an interesting case, as many middle school students who use the Web site are in direct violation of the site's Statement of Rights and Responsibilities, which all users agree to when joining.

"Most of our children, according to Facebook's policy, shouldn't even be on Facebook," Gianetti said.

This is because the Registration and Account Security portion of said statement reads "You will not use Facebook if you are under 13," though numerous middle school students are ignoring this rule. Cyber-bullying is also part of this statement, which reads "You will not bully, intimidate, or harass any user," and "You will not use Facebook to do anything unlawful, misleading, malicious, or discriminatory.

According to both Gianetti and Norwood High School Assistant Principal Sean Kane, Facebook is where most cases of cyber-bullying in Norwood occur.

Kane said that while the schools can help with cyber-bullying, parents need to be involved, as cyber-bullying is often part of a person's private life.

"Schools can't oversee all the aspects of a student's life," Kane said, adding that parents can take steps up to help combat cyber-bullying.

Cyber-bullying is more common at the Coakley Middle School than at the high school, Norwood High School Principal George Usevich said. Nonetheless, precautions are in place to help deal with it should it arise, and the portion of the student handbook regarding bullying applies to cyber-bullying. According to the handbook, students who engage in any act of bullying are subject to disciplinary action, and can face suspension or expulsion. In addition, law enforcement officers are notified of bullying incidents.

Police Chief Bartley King expressed concern over cyber-bullying at the Feb. 2 Board of Selectmen meeting. The Norwood Police Department works with the schools and

**Bullying**

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Application has been made to the Licensing Board of the Town of Norwood for transfer of the Wine & Malt Beverage License from Jellyman, Inc., dba Bistro 712, to Buffalo Dreams, LLC, dba Fusion Bistro 712, Annie Sann, Manager, of the licenses under Section 12, Chapter 138 and Chapter 140 Massachusetts General Laws, as amended, for the sale of Wine and Malt Beverages to be drunk on the premises located at 712 Washington Street, Norwood, Massachusetts which is in the Central Business District. Description is as follows: This restaurant is a street level storefront with 1600 square feet and front and rear exits.

Public hearing on this application will be held on Tuesday, March 2, 2010 at 7:15 p.m. in the Harry B. Butters Chambers, Room 34, Norwood Town Hall.

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school department's Director of Finance and Operations Ralph Dumas initially placed \$200,000 in the budget for lane changes and step corrections. This number was taken from the FY 2010 budget, and the school only needs \$88,000 for FY 2011, resulting in a \$112,000 cut.

Dumas also made a correction regarding personnel salaries in the budget. Two positions were duplicated in the budget, and the removal of the duplicated amount reduces the budget by \$67,000. An addition \$38,000 was cut in the form of retirement adjustments.

In addition, \$380,000 was cut from the supplies, materials and textbooks portion of the budget. This cut brings this portion of the budget down to level funding.

Level funding still presents a few problems, as it does not account for any enrollment increases or inflation, Interim Superintendent of Schools Jeffrey Granatino said. It also doesn't take into account past

cuts, which can be seen in the Fine Arts department. While it is technically level funded, some members of the committee did not agree with that term.

"I don't want to say it's level funded," School Committee member Mark Joseph said. "This program's taken several hits."

In FY 2008, the fine art's budget was \$37,000. This number fell to \$30,000 in FY 2009 and \$28,000 in FY 2010.

Level funding affects other departments as well. The \$19,000 reduction in athletic spending means students most likely have to use old equipment, such as the high jump mattress, helmets, uniforms and more. Level funding at the elementary and secondary school levels limit the amount of instructional materials in the classroom. At the middle school level, the cut will mean the science and foreign language departments would no be able to fully implement their textbook replacement cycles. Still, the cuts were doable, and the committee unanimously voted to do so. However, this does not mean these cuts are final.

"There still may be movement in the figures," Kief said, and Samargedlis added that the cuts can be amended should the need arise.

No further cuts were made at the meeting, though they did examine other portions of the budget. The phase two budget reductions called for removal of several new faculty and staff positions. These cuts would have reduced the budget by \$264,673, but after hearing from school principals, the committee did not want to act upon them without further information.

The positions in question included an English Second Language teacher, a .6 reading teacher and a .5 librarian at the Coakley Middle School, a .5 SPED teacher at the Prescott School and a .4 math teacher, a .6 English teacher a visual arts teacher, a foreign language teacher and a .4 social studies teacher at Norwood High School. These are all new positions, meaning should these cuts be made, no existing positions will be lost.

"Some of these positions would definitely enhance the learning environment for students," Granatino said.

Norwood High School Principal George Usevich described the math position as the top priority for the high school, and the foreign language teacher as their number two priority.

"We just can't continue to run with our existing staff," Usevich said of the math department.

This is because of an MCAS requirement. If a student scores "Needs Improvement" or lower on their MCAS, they will be required to take math courses in their junior and senior year.

This means more students will take math during all four years of their high school tenure, and this will lead to larger class sizes. In addition, the current eighth grade class has 285 students, and this will increase the class size at the high school. Usevich also expects that the new Norwood High School will attract additional students to the district.

A foreign language teacher is also necessary, Usevich added. This is because of projected class sizes for next year. He anticipates that next year, 280 students will be enrolled in Spanish 2. Currently, 9 courses of Spanish 2 are offered, and if this continues next year, there will be an average of 31 students per class.

"In today's day and age, 31 [students] is very high," Usevich said.

He wants to offer 13 Spanish 2 courses, and at this number, each class would have an average of 21 students.

Spanish 3 also poses a problem. Usevich expects 204 students will enroll in the class, creating an average of 25 students per class. He wants to offer 10 sections of Spanish 3, and if this is done, it will reduce the number to about 20 students per class.

Offering these courses is important, as many colleges require three or four years of language courses in high school for admission. Committee member Joseph said Usevich was in a unique position because his students go to college after graduation, and the school is obligated to prepare them for this.

While world language is not a requirement for graduation from Norwood High School, Usevich acknowledges the importance of the course.

"Our students are going out into a different world," Usevich said, adding they are entering a global society.

Kief acknowledged a world language course is important, and said he would like to see German or Gaelic offered, but right now, they have to look at numerous areas for potential cuts.

"We have to see where we are," he said. "It would be nice to have all of these things, no question about it, but maybe we can't afford it."

He went on to add, "we are in a unique budget situation. We have to look at these."

Samargedlis pointed out that the \$34,003,303 budget was given to them by the Budget Balancing Committee, but Town Meeting is the ultimate budget authority. He stressed that the committee shouldn't make sweeping cuts just to reach this number.

"There should be no rush to reduce \$1.369 million from our budget," he said, adding that making cuts just to reach that total would be reckless.

"We have an obligation to bring the best school system to Town Meeting," he said.

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The Planning Board granted David Dalzell an extension for his project at 1120 Boston Providence Highway, where he plans on opening a Volvo dealership, but before investing in the project, he wants to see how the Ford's planned sale of the brand to Geely Motors will affect local dealerships.

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# Dalzell gets an extension

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

David Dalzell hopes to open a Volvo dealership- Dalzell Volvo- at 1120 Boston Providence Highway in Norwood. He announced his plans to do so three years ago, and at the Feb. 8 Planning Board meeting, and received a one-year extension. The economy and Ford's sale of the Volvo brand has put work at the site on hold.

"The car business hasn't gotten any better in the past year," Dalzell said. "That goes hand-in-hand with what's happening with Volvo."

Sales of the brand have been on a steady decline in recent years. In 2005, approximately 145,000 units were sold in the United States. By 2009, this number had fallen to 59,000, and Volvo is only bringing 50,000 units to the US this year.

Should Dalzell open his dealership, he would bring approximately 222 cars into town, which he described as not worth the multimillion dollar investment necessary to bring Dalzell Volvo to Norwood.

In addition, Dalzell is waiting to see what the sale of the brand means to his dealership. Volvo was put up for sale in December 2008, and in December 2009, Ford announced that they reached an agreement with Chinese automaker Geely regarding the main terms of a sale of the brand. Dalzell said it is possible the deal will be announced in more detail later this month, and consummated in June.

He is not sure what this sale means for his planned dealership. However, the sale to Geely, China's largest automotive company, would make them the first Chinese car company to have a network in the US.

"I know times are tough, and I recognize the position he's in," Planning Board member E. William Bamber said. "I would see no problem with an extension. I can't see kicking someone when things are down."

He added that Dalzell had shown effort with planning at the site. There was an issue with dust at the site, which resulted in the Planning Board's request to have a row of arborvitae trees between the construction site and Route 1, which Dalzell did.

Other Planning Board members agreed, and unanimously voted to give Dalzell a one-year extension. Under the recently approved fee schedule, there is a \$300 charge for an extension, and Dalzell said he had no problem paying that fee.

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be out for any number of reasons, everything from suffering from a long term injury to taking a vacation with their family. There are also cases when firefighters are called to active duty to serve in the military, and at least one member of the fire department has received the call each year for the past four years.

The Fire Department was allotted \$486,000 in the FY 2010 substitution account, down from \$630,892 in FY 2009 and \$546,077 in FY 2008. Of the approximately \$421,000 spent so far this year, \$151,897 was the direct result of long term illness and sick leave. He estimates that between \$200,000 and \$250,000 of the substitution budget is used to

cover costs associated with long term illnesses.

Selectman Jerry Kelleher noted that Chief Howard came back to the board each year with this problem, and Howard responded by saying there is no mathematical way to determine how much will be needed in the substitution account. Injuries and illnesses cannot be predicted. One can only look at past years, and by doing so, you can see there is a substantial dollar amount attached to the substitution account.

Howard also discussed the portion of his budget dedicated to ambulances and ambulance fees. The program runs at a deficit, but this deficit has fallen in years past. In FY 2009, the emergency medical service

(EMS) ambulance program cost \$1,614,682, and the program brought in \$1,047,364 in fees, meaning the program ran at a net cost (loss) of \$567,318 to the town. The program cost the town approximately \$622,260 in FY 2007 and \$604,872 in FY 2008. He projects that the program will cost the town a net amount of \$571,000 during the current FY.

Selectman Tom McQuaid estimated the town spends about \$1,500 per day for the service, which he described as relatively inexpensive. Board of Selectmen Chairman Bill Plasko thanked the chief for his transparency and for providing detailed numbers about the EMS program.

## Election filing updates

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

Nomination papers for the Apr. 5 annual town election are available in the Town Clerk's Office in Town Hall, and those who hope to run for office have until 5 p.m. on Feb. 16 to submit their papers. Those running for major office, such as the Board

of Selectmen or School Committee, need 50 signatures of qualified voters, while new candidates running for Town Meeting need 10 signatures from qualified voters living in their district. Town Meeting members running for re-election only need to fill out a seeking re-election form.

As of Feb. 9, there is only one contested race for major office in town, and that is the Board of Selectmen race. Long time Finance Commission and Town Meeting member Allan Howard is challenging incumbents Helen Abdallah-Donohue and Michael Lyons for a seat on the board.

Members of other boards, including Alan Slater of the FinCom, Paul Donohue of the Planning Board and Eleanor Travers, Courtney

Rau and Mitch Pentowski have indicated they will be running for re-election, though as of Feb. 9, not all have turned in their papers.

FinCom is in an interesting position. The term of Howard and Slater is expiring. Slater is running for re-election, though no one has stepped forward to run for Howard's open seat. Write-in votes will be accepted, and will all have to be verified before an announcement regarding the seat is made.

There are several vacant Town Meeting seats. There are currently 21 three-year term vacancies, three two-year vacancies (To Fill A Vacancy) and one one-year vacancy (To Fill A Vacancy). In addition, there are 78 Town Meeting whose terms expire this year.

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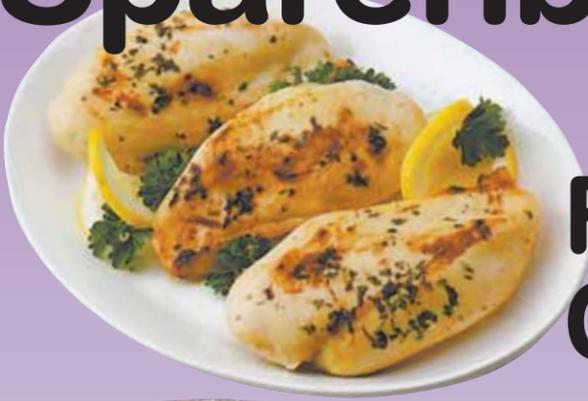
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# Elementary school class sizes a concern for principals

Brad Cole  
Staff Reporter

Due to increasing class sizes, several elementary school principals are looking to add a teacher for the next school year. However, due to budget constraints, this might not happen, and the four proposed new elementary school teachers are being looked at as possible cuts to help balance the Fiscal Year 2011 budget. If cut, it would reduce the school department's FY 2011 budget by \$180,000.

If these four positions are not added, the Oldham, Cleveland and Balch Elementary Schools would all be affected. The Balch School is looking for a first and fifth grade teacher, the Oldham School is looking for a third grade teacher, and the Cleveland School is hoping to hire a first grade teacher.

The hires would help combat increasing class sizes.

Callahan School Principal Bob Griffin said that the elementary schools have had great class sizes in the past, but the numbers are starting to increase.

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helps should such an occasion arises. He pointed out that cyber-bullying someone via texting or on a site like Facebook can be a crime.

"It can be criminal, and sometimes criminal charges can be filed against somebody for texting," he said, adding that there must be three occurrences in order for it to be considered

"The numbers are coming up," Griffin said. "Class sizes are already on the rise."

For example, next year's first grade class at the Cleveland School is expected to consist of 100 students. With four first grade teachers available, that means there will be 25 students per class. Cleveland School Principal Scott Williams wants to reduce this number by hiring a fifth first grade teacher, which would lead to 20 students per class.

"I think it would be disastrous if we had four sections of 25 students," he said.

Balch School Principal John Condlin had a similar sentiment regarding his first and fifth grade class sizes. Without adding a new teacher for those grades, first grade classes would have an average of 25 students per class, while 51 students would be split between two fifth grade classes. One class would have 25 students, the other 26.

"When I walk into a class size of 26, I see a teacher with less contact time with each student because of the numbers," Condlin said.

Meanwhile, the Oldham School Principal Wes Manaday wants to have a new third grade teacher to help with the advancing second grade class, which has been identified as a grade that needs additional support. More than half of the 46 students in this class are in need of additional support of some kind.

"They are the neediest of students in my building," Manaday said, adding, "We really need to put the supports in place for this class."

He went on to add that the Oldham School lost three teachers last year, and is currently operating with just 12 teachers.

Overall, if the committee has to cut the portion of the budget set aside for these additional hires, then the elementary school class sizes will see a slight increase in average class size district wide, with an average of one additional student per class. In addition, it might lead to a possible reassignment of teachers and students.

criminal harassment.

There are School Resource Officers who work with the schools in town to help deal with criminal cases and activity such as this. Safety Officer Richard Giacoppo works with the Norwood High School, while Detective Maureen Murphy-Payne works with the Coakley Middle School. While they can help, King said parents had to be involved in the process.

"Oftentimes, parents aren't even aware this is going on," King said, added they need to get the message out to parents, and that children who engage in cyber-bullying might not have the world experience to fully understand what they are doing.

The Norwood schools and the Metropolitan Law Enforcement Council offer programs to help inform students and their parents about internet safety and cyber-bullying. The Metropolitan Law Enforcement Council will host an internet safety presentation on Feb. 25 at the Coakley Middle School, and parents are invited to at-

tend.

Erin McIntyre, an Assistant District Attorney, has held programs at both the Norwood High School and Coakley Middle School on the subject. Keegan is looking into inviting John Halligan to speak later this year. Halligan's son, Ryan, committed suicide on Oct. 7, 2003, after being bullied by classmates at school and online. Halligan's presentation is about how a family can deal with bullying of all kids and teen depression. Halligan's story can be seen online at <http://www.ryanpatrickhalligan.org/>.

Cyber-bullying even occurs on Wikipedia, a user-edited online encyclopedia. The Norwood entry, <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Norwood,MA>, has been the subject of vandalism over the past few months, and users whose IP addresses trace back to Norwood and Westwood have used the site to make unflattering statements about several Norwood High School students.

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# New High School to feature a replica façade

## Roof work also a priority

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

A replica of the façade at the current Norwood High School will appear on the front of the new Norwood High School, Mike Moisé of Agostini Construction said at the Feb. 5 weekly High School community meeting.

During February vacation, the construction crew working at the site will remove a portion of the current façade. The area in question is about 16-feet long and seven-feet high, and is made of carved wood. The crew on site will take it down and use it to make a mold to create a replica. This replica will be featured prominently on the new Norwood High School.

A piece of plywood will be

placed in the area removed, Moisé said, and this piece will remain there until the school's demolition. District 4 Town Meeting member Anne Haley asked if this piece of plywood could be painted white, and Moisé indicated that this could be done.

Roof work continues at the new Norwood High School site, and Moisé informed the public that masons are working to have the roof installed over the auditorium and library areas of the new school.

Roof detailing work continues over Building A and B, but it is building C and D where the focus is, as preparation for roof installation is ongoing there. The mason recently finished a one-story masonry wall on the roof of the library area, which

will allow the roofer to come in and start work there. Masons are now working on a wall on top of the auditorium. Moisé expects them to be there until early next week working on this wall.

"That wall is being built in anticipation of putting a roof on," Moisé said.

The roofing company is expected to be back on the site in the spring, as are numerous other works involved in the project. Currently, there are about 75 workers on site, but this number will increase greatly when the spring season arrives, Moisé said.

"It'll go up to a 100 [workers] easily," Moisé said.

These workers will be in the form of roofers, slab pour crews and site workers. The slab pour crews alone can be quite large, as they can consist of over 15 employees.



There are plans to use the current facade at the new high school.

PHOTO BY BRAD COLE

# Running for a cause

**Brad Cole**  
Staff Reporter

Norwood residents Lindsay and Sarah McDonough will run in the 114th annual Boston Marathon as part of their effort to raise money and awareness about cystic fibrosis. They are running in honor and memory of Lisa and Dan Palermo, both of whom died of the disease at a young age.

"Cystic fibrosis hits close to home with our family," Lindsay said, adding, "The Palermo family has faced resounding tragedy. They've faced so much tragedy in their lives, [but] they are remarkably strong and positive."

Dan, Lisa and Mark Palermo were siblings, and all suffered from cystic fibrosis. Dan died as a result in Aug. 27 at the age of 18, and the 16-year-old Lisa died 14 months later. Mark, now 22-years-old, holds on and is awaiting a lung transplant.

Mark was approved for a double lung transplant in Aug. 2009, and at that time, a physician at the Cleveland Clinic in Ohio indicated she would like the transplant done within two months. Now, six months later, Mark is still in need of the transplant. He is able to breath, thanks to drugs that open his airways, antibiotics and oxygen, but it is a struggle, and his family waits while Mark continues living with cystic fibrosis.

Lindsay and Sarah want to bring awareness about cystic fibrosis to the public. Cystic fibrosis is a hereditary disease that can cause progressive dis-

ability and an early death. It leads to scarring and cyst formation within the pancreas, difficulty breathing, lung infections and more. They also want the memory of Dan and Lisa to live on, and the McDonoughs thought running in the Boston Marathon would be a great way to raise money and awareness.

One way they will do so is by holding a fundraiser on Feb. 12 at the Norwood Elks. The event will run from 7:30 p.m. until midnight, and will include entertainment, snacks and a raffle. Tickets for the event costs \$10 in advance and \$15 at the door. Money raised will

go to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, a nonprofit donor-supported organization, is to assure the development of the means to cure and control cystic fibrosis and to improve the quality of life for those with the disease.

Lindsay and Sarah hope to raise \$10,000 for the foundation.

"It's a pretty big goal, and we're hoping for the best," Sarah said.

You can donate to the cause by visiting <http://www.cff.org/LWC/SarahMcDonough> or <http://www.cff.org/LWC/LindsayMcDonough>.



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# Deaths

## HOWLAND

Christopher, of Canton, formerly of Norwood, Feb. 2. Late graduate Silver Lake Regional High School, Class of 1981 and employee Town of Norwood Water Dept. Devoted son of Richard and Marianne (Bamford) Howland of Westwood. Loving brother of David Howland and his wife Mary of Braintree and Lynne Howland and Patrick 'PJ' Mulvey of Norwood. Cherished nephew of Alexis Devine of Lowell. Beloved father of Alyssa Howland and Erica Howland of NH. Former husband of Susan Howland of NH. Christopher is also survived by his special friend Rose Santosuosso. Godfather to many and survived by many cousins and four nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements by Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment Highland Cemetery, Norwood. Donations in memory of Christopher may be made to the Doug Flutie Jr. Foundation, P.O. Box 767, Framingham, MA 01701.

## JEANNETTI

Carol (Repetta), Feb. 4, with her family by her side. Loving mother of daughter, Michelle Abbatangelo and her husband Dominic of Westwood and son, Michael Jeannetti of Dedham. Grandmother of Nicholas, Christopher, Jade and Jagger. Daughter of Margaret Poillucci of Westwood. Also survived by late sister, Becky Ranahan of Norwood, brother Robert and wife Constance Repetta, brother Richard Poillucci of Stoughton and sister, Janice Davis of Canton and many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. Fu-

neral arrangements by Cartwright-Venuti Funeral Home, Braintree. A donation may be made to American Cancer Society, 30 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701 in memory of Carol.

## KIMBELL

George B. Jr., 66, of Norwood, Jan. 27. US Army Vietnam Veteran. Beloved husband of Sandra M. (Harrison). Devoted father of Deborah K. Bayha and her husband Rob of Sharon. Brother of Beverly Fardy of Wayland and the late Carolyn Kimbell and Robert Kimbell. Grandfather of Robbie and Carolyn. Son of the late George B Sr. and Jessie W. (Ward) Kimbell. Funeral arrangements by Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton with full military honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to the United Church of Norwood, 595 Washington St., Norwood, MA 02062.

## MAY

Charlotte Nickerson, 100, of Duluth, GA, formerly of Brighton and Norwood, Jan. 31. Born in Norwood, she was the daughter of the late Joseph Edgar and Lottie (Bagley) May. Miss May graduated from Norwood High School, Class of 1928 and from the Household School of Nursing, Class of 1936. She was a pediatric nurse in the Boston area for 51 years. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Estahakee Chapter, Boca Raton, FL. She was the loving aunt of Natalie (May) Wilson, Jane (Laws) Spann, Mary Liberatore, Robert E. Laws and

the late Muriel (Davis) Bryant, Dr. Donald F. Laws and Robert L. May. She is also survived by many great and great great nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements by May Funeral Home in the spring.

## NASH

Rose R. (Dacerno), 82, of Norwood, Feb. 4. Beloved wife of the late Edward J. Nash. Devoted mother of Diane Skinner and her husband Roland, Donna Anderson and her husband Derek, both of Bermuda, Debra Nash-Yeates of Norwood and Denise Maher and her husband John of Franklin. Sister of the late Joseph Dacerno, Mary Gann and Marguerite Harvey. Also survived by seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Daughter of the late Michael and Anastasia (Paladino) Dacerno. Funeral arrangements by Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment Highland Cemetery, Norwood.

## NIXON

Sharlene M., 56, of Norwood, formerly of West Roxbury, unexpectedly, Feb. 2. Sharlene has worked for over 38 years in the healthcare field as a nurse, most recently at the Brigham and Women's Hospital. Sharlene also served in the U.S. Army Reserves for 25 years retiring as Capt. She was a Sigma Tau graduate of Curry College and received her Master's Degree from Anna Maria College. Beloved daughter of the late Frederick and Ann (Flaherty) Nixon. Loving sister of Donna Cooney and her husband William of Westwood, Thomas Nixon, Ret. U.S. Marshall of

AZ and Karen McCarthy and her husband William, Ret. Lt. Det. B.P.D of Norwood. Devoted aunt of Sean McCarthy, Melissa McCarthy, Matthew McCarthy B.P.D., Kara Field and Christopher Nixon. Great aunt of Liam Field. Loving niece of Mary M. Flaherty of West Roxbury. Funeral arrangements by Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood. Remembrances may be made in Sharlene's memory to a charity of your choice.

**Condolences extended to:** Edyth and George Frigulietti on the death of their uncle George 'Uncle Dud' McIsaac, 92, of Hyde Park, Jan. 30.

Marie T. and Anthony Derouen on the death of their father Francis X. Murphy, of Dedham, Jan. 29.

Bridgette Cullen and her husband James on the death of their father William Casey of West Roxbury, formerly of Dorchester and County Cork, Ireland, Feb. 5.

## Civic Center Events

### TOE JAM PUPPET BAND

Big kids Tom and Vinny will be delivering their fabulous kid's music with interactive songs and stories, Wednesday, Feb. 17, 11 a.m., Civic Center gym. Tickets are \$3 per child, \$5 per adult at the door.

### BABYSITTER TRAINING

This American Academy of Pediatrics course (BLAST, Babysitter Lessons and Safety Training) will be held Wednesday, Feb. 17, 12 noon to 3:30 p.m., Civic Center. The class covers how to handle the basics of infant and childcare, how to react responsibly to medical emergencies, perform first-aid for common childhood injuries and set up and run your own babysitting business. Bring a snack and drink. Cost is \$48 per person, ages 11-13. Register online at [www.norwoodrecreation.com](http://www.norwoodrecreation.com) or at the Civic Center.

### HOME ALONE SAFETY

Children will learn telephone and door answering techniques, internet safety, accident and fire protection and first aid techniques at this program, Wednesday, Feb. 17, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, Civic Center. It will also address how to manage your time when you are home alone for short periods of time. The class includes a variety of teaching methods, including video and role playing. For ages 9-11. Cost is \$42 per person. Register online at [www.norwoodrecreation.com](http://www.norwoodrecreation.com) or at the Civic Center.

# The Record Book

## CONSTRUCTION

### DOCUMENTARY AIRS ON NPA-TV

Throughout 2009, Norwood Public Access (NPA-TV) documented the progress on the new Norwood High School construction project. From the Historic Town Meeting and override votes to the Topping-Off Ceremony, Norwood Public Access was there. NPA-TV has now combined all of the footage shot in 2009 into an informative and enlightening two-hour long documentary featuring time lapse videos and interviews with school and town officials, the owner's project manager and workers on the job. Watch the transformation from football field to state-of-the-art educational facility, only on NPA-TV. For more info and schedules, visit [www.npatv.org](http://www.npatv.org).

## EMMANEUL

### LUTHERAN LENTEN EVENTS

Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 24 Berwick St., Norwood, MA, will be offering midweek Lenten worship services each week throughout Lent, Sunday, April 4, Wednesday afternoons, 2 p.m. and Thursday evenings, 6:45 p.m., 24 Berwick St. The Church is also having two Ash Wednesday worship services, Wednesday, Feb. 17, 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.. All are welcome at these Ash Wednesday services as well as Sunday worship services. Child care is provided during both worship services. For any questions or more information, call the church office or Pastor Saling at 781-762-9457.

## CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

The Norfolk Adult Day Health Center will hold its monthly caregiver support

group, Tuesday, Feb. 23, 10 a.m., 595 Pleasant St. This support group is for caregivers of a loved one. Refreshments provided. This group is free and open to the public. Call Marybeth Lynch with questions or RSVP at 781-769-4495.

## ARTISTS' RECEPTION

The Gallery at the Norfolk Adult Day Health Center will be holding an Artists' Reception, Thursday, Feb. 25, 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 595 Pleasant St. Wine and cheese will be served. Notecards of many of the paintings will be available.

## SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS

South Norfolk County Arc (SNCARC) is pleased to announce that it will once again award up to five scholarships to college students who are studying Special Education or a closely related field and who will be juniors, seniors or graduate students in the 2010-2011 school year. The deadline for applications is Friday, Apr. 9, 2010. SNCARC awards scholarships in honor of founders and donors who wished to encourage women and men to enter this important field. Scholarships will be presented at the Annual Meeting of South Norfolk County Arc on Wednesday, May 19, Westwood. In reviewing applications, the committee will give preference to applicants who have not previously received a SNCARC scholarship. If you are interested, write: South Norfolk County Arc Scholarships, 789 Clapboardtree St., Westwood, MA 02090. Applications are available at the SNCARC reception desk or leave your name, address and phone num-

ber at: 781-762-4001, x331 or e-mail [nlewis@sncarc.org](mailto:nlewis@sncarc.org) for an application or more information. Applications are also available online at [www.sncarc.org/images/2010SNCARCapplication.pdf](http://www.sncarc.org/images/2010SNCARCapplication.pdf)

## LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

The First Congregational Church (United Church of Christ) is holding a Lenten Bible Study, focusing on the Lenten section Handel's Messiah, Sunday mornings, Feb. 14 through Mar. 28, 8:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., Route 1A and Winter St. The study will look at the words to the Messiah and the Bible verses they come from and will listen to a traditional version of the Messiah as well as a new rock version. Each class will conclude with a time of silence and meditation and the lighting and extinguishing of the Lenten candles. For more information, call the church office at 781-762-3320.

## ANNUAL NORWOOD JAZZ CLASSIC

The annual Norwood Jazz Classic, featuring local high school jazz groups, will take place Thursday, Feb. 11, 3 p.m., Coakley Middle School. The award-winning Norwood High School Jazz Ensemble, directed by Steven Conant, will be performing. Invited jazz groups from local schools include Westwood, Blackstone-Millville, Wakefield, Methuen, Reading, Oliver Ames, Framingham, Beverly, Medfield, Boston Latin, Stoughton, and King Philip Regional. The groups will be judged for their musical skill by professional adjudicators. Awards will be presented after all groups have performed. Admission is \$6 and all performances are open to the public.

## LINCOLN LOGS

Build a house out of Lincoln Logs like the one Abraham Lincoln lived in, Wednesday, Feb. 17, 11 a.m. to 12 noon, or Thursday, Feb. 18, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., Morrill Memorial Library, Children's Department. This activity will take place in the story time room and is planned for children in grades K+. Use your creativity to build a single cabin or an entire village. No registration required.

## 'OPEN SPACES' ON NPA-TV

NPA-TV announces a new television series that highlights Norwood's conservation lands and open spaces. In each of the three episodes, you will visit some of the most popular spaces in Norwood to walk, fish, and enjoy nature. Each episode will feature year-round scenic footage of each location and includes maps, historical images and on-site interviews with Norwood residents. Open Spaces includes visits to: Ellis Pond, Endean Conservation Land, Hawes Brook & Pool, Hennessey Field, Shattuck Park, William Pezwick Park, and Bade Canoe Launch. A companion book was produced and it can be viewed and downloaded from the NPA-TV Web-site. It includes additional photographs, maps, and historical text on each location by project historian Patricia Fanning. Open Spaces - Norwood was produced by NPA-TV Videographer Bruce. For more information and the schedule, visit the website at

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# Police Logs

## Tuesday, Feb. 2

0147 initiated. Officer initiated, services rendered. N667 confinscates MA reg# 666CP5 for revoked insurance from Pellana Rd.

0344 phone. Rape taken/referred to other. Location: Washington St.

1102 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Margaret St. Caller states elderly female lying in bed is not responding to him. NFD notified. NFD transported to Norwood Hospital.

1159 phone. Dispute, spoken to. Location/address: Winter St. Caller from 40 Walpole St. Complaining of a tree on her property with branches hanging over neighbors property at 87 Winter St. is being trimmed without consent. Caller, Lorraine, wanted to speak to an officer.

1210 radio. Motor vehicle accident, report filed. Location/address: Bos.-Prov. Hwy. + University Ave. Summons: De Oliveira Campos, Farlei. Address: 171 East St. 2 lt., Foxborough, MA. DOB: 03/10/1975. Charges: unlicensed operation of mv.

1331 911. Dispute, spoken to. Caller states that a man in a red Mercedes MA S926 was driving erratically around her and gave a hand gesture. She followed him into the Stop and Shop parking lot off Rt. 1 where a confrontation occurred. The man fled the scene in an unknown direction. Woman did not get the license plate correct. Off. spoke to female party who was upset and needed to vent. No further actions taken.

1422 911. Medical emergency, services rendered. Location/address: Hill St. Caller reports elderly male fell out of bed, and cannot be moved down stairs. NFD notified. NFD assisted party down stairs.

1606 phone. Mischief (kids), group moved. Location/address: McDonalds - Broadway St. Report kids that were asked to leave the restaurant now hanging around in parking lot.

1656 phone. Debris on road, state DPW/Norwood DPW no. Location/address: Chapel St. + Winslow Ave. Report the lens covering for the street light fell off and is in pieces in the road. DPW, ELD notified. N408 (on private detail in area) reports it is not the lens, it is an old toilet that must have fallen off a truck. DPW picked-up same, N666 stood by for same, ELD canceled.

1706 911. Neighbor disturbance, report filed. Location/address: Laurel Rd. Caller involved with argument with neighbor.

1847 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Day St. Resident collapsed, maybe complications from previous surgery. NFD transported.

1902 phone. Assist citizen, spoken to. Location/address: St. Joseph Ave. Caller requested assistance locating 17 year old daughter on a road trip. Party called back and reported she talked to her daughter on the phone. Daughter is in North Carolina and is heading back home. Officer spoke with mother, advised.

2159 911. Domestic, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Hampden Dr. Report argument with husband and he is throwing things. As a result, N666 places subject under arrest and N662 transports to station. Arrest: Gyebi, Kwadwo A. Address: 100 Hampden Dr. Apt. 1D,

Norwood, MA. DOB: 12/25/1972. Charges: assault w/dangerous weapon, assault w/dangerous weapon, threat to commit crime.

2309 phone. Death at home, report filed. Location/address: Evergreen Cir. Caller reported possible death at home. Norwood Fire notified. CPAC, Medical Examiner contacted.

## Wednesday, Feb. 3

0050 911. Report of fight, spoken to. Location/address: McDonald's - Bos.-Prov. Hwy. + Everett St. Manager reports 4 youths outside drive-thru from 2 vehicles arguing and ready to fight. N679, N669 responded. 1 vehicle had already left. Officers spoke with parties in red p.u. ( MA reg# 1KR510) and they stated they were celebrating Someone's birthday, honking horns and being rowdy but no fight. Manager satisfied.

0201 walk-in. Assist other agency, services rendered. Location/address: Hampden Dr. DCF would like to speak with mom with child involved in domestic earlier in evening. N679 assisted.

0539 phone. Animal complaint, spoken to. Location/address: Neponset St. Caller reports neighbor's dog barking and states its an on going issue. Would like an officer to speak with dog's owner. 669 responding. Officer spoke with dog's owner, who stated they will make a better effort to keep dog quiet.

0950 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Cedar St. Third party called to report her friend at 107 Cedar St. possibly having a heart attack. NFD notified. NFD transported.

1050 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Glendale Rd. Caller reports severe back pain and cannot move. NFD notified.

1122 911. Medical emergency, services rendered. Location/address: Worcester Dr. Request for ambulance. NFD transports.

1220 phone. Parking violation, services rendered. Location/address: Day St. Parking violation resolved by off.

1450 walk-in. Threats, report filed. Location/address: Peabody Rd. Threats made to female. Report filed.

1450 phone. Susp. activity, spoken to. Location/address: Jefferson Dr. Caller from JE Son Dr. reports a male climbing through window that she did not know if it was the resident of the house and could not get a positive id on him. Offs. spoke to male on scene. He is a resident. No problems.

1640 phone. Juvenile offenses, spoken to. Location/address: AYR1 - Walpole St. Caller reported juveniles harassing patrons. Officer spoke with subjects, advised.

1650 phone. Kids gathering, spoken to. Location/address: Town

Pizza - Broadway St. Kids gathering in the lot. Officer spoke with kids, moved along.

1715 walk-in. Larceny, report filed. Location/address: Windsor Gardens - Walpole St. Walk-in reported stolen laptop. See report.

1910 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Winslow Ave. Resident fainted. NFD transported.

2025 phone. Found property, report filed. Location/address: Chapel St. Caller reported abandoned bike leaning against a tree for about a month. Officer recovered bike. See report.

2055 phone. Unwanted party, gone on arrival. Location/address: North Ave. Caller reported may be at above address without permission. Officers checked residence, nothing found.

2120 911. Susp. activity, area search negative. Location/address: Zarella, Louis - Emerson Dr. Caller reported he believes someone entered his house without permission. Officers checked residence, nothing found.

2304 911. Disturbance, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Crestwood Cir. Caller reported male party pushed his way into house and fought with female resident. Officers located male party on Nahatan Street. Officers reported one under arrest. Arrest: Keegan, Francis L. Address: 12 Crestwood Cir., Norwood, MA. DOB: 01/29/1965. Charges: a & b. Protective custody.

2334 phone. Report of fight, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Community Living Program (Cluster House) - Winter St. Caller reported two residents fighting. Have since been separated. Officers reported one under arrest. Arrest: Foley, Michael. Address: 103 Winter St., Norwood, MA. DOB: 12/18/1992. Charges: a & b with dangerous weapon, assault w/dangerous weapon.

2352 911. Assaults, report filed. Location/address: Community Living Program (Cluster House) - Winter St. Caller reported resident assaulting staff. N664, N669, N679 responded. Officers report no assault. N664 to file report.

## Thursday, Feb. 4

0101 phone. Suicide/or threat, report filed. Location/address: Olde Derby Rd. Riverside client took overdose of medication. N667, N677, NFD responded. Transported to hospital. Riverside notified.

0354 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Deerfield Rd. Request for ambulance for friend who is throwing up blood. N661, NFD responded. Transported.

0649 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/

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address: Nahatan St. Elder female had fallen. N679, NFD responded. Fire Dept. was able to make entry. As a result, she was transported.

0857 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Yarmouth Rd. Medical assist. Yarmouth Rd. N666 dispatched and responded. NFD responded.

1303 walk-in. Assist citizen, spoken to. Location/address: Senior Center - Prospect St. Party walked in to station, wanted advise on a problem he is having with his friend. Spoken to.

1316 phone. Larceny, report filed. Location/address: Broadway Citgo - Broadway. Manager of Broadway Citgo requests a police officer as a party making a delivery to the store reports that someone entered the back of the truck and took a large quantity of cigarettes. N666 off.

1345 phone. Confused person, spoken to. Location: Venice Restaurant. Party called and reported a female that appears to be confused had just entered the Venice Restaurant. N/S off. d to check it out. No such person in the restaurant.

1433 911. Assaults, spoken to. Location/address: St. Catherine of Sienna School - Nahatan St. Spoke to resident. Explained that she had called the school and explained what had happened to her on Wednesday night. There was no assaults on going and a misunderstanding by the school.

1616 phone. Domestic, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Village Rd. E. Caller reports his wife through water at him and left. N663, N666 respond. One female placed under arrest, see report. Arrest: Smith, Dina Marie. Address: 309 Village Road East, Norwood, MA. DOB: 09/06/1988. Charges: a & b.

1959 phone. Illegal trash disposal, services rendered. Location/address: Chapel St. Caller reported someone dumped a large tool chest/cabinet in driveway. Officer reported locker on roadway. DPW removed item.

2153 phone. Liquor law viola-

tion, report filed. Location/address: [nod 1906] T.G.I. Fridays - Bos.-Prov. Hwy. See report by det.

## Friday, Feb. 5

0256 initiated. Motor vehicle stop, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Balch School - Washington St. As a result of stop, N664 returned with 1 under ar or. Arrest: McGarry, Christopher Ryan. Address: 300 East St. 1, Walpole, MA. DOB: 10/02/1984. Charges: unlicensed operation of mv, stop for police, fail, resist arrest, marked lanes violation, speeding in viol special regulation.

0512 phone. Violation of town bylaw, report filed. Location/address: E. Hoyle St. Complaint of noise coming from loading docks of Norwood Hospital. N662 responded. N662 to leave report.

0729 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Hill St. 83 yr. old female with numbness in arm. N677, NFD responded.

0944 phone. Larceny, report filed. Location/address: Auto Mall Service Center - Bos.-Prov. Hwy. Caller reports past theft, N665 sent. N665 to leave report.

1030 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Dean St. Caller reports husband having trouble breathing, NA1 and 665 dispatched. Transported to hospital.

1404 phone. Animal complaint, could not locate. Location/address: Spruce Rd. NACO reports rabid racoon, N666 to assist N666 reports NACO unable to locate animal.

1417 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: United Church - Washington St.

1433 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Sakalosky - Warthin Cir. Man fell from roof, NA1 responded. Caller reports worker fell from roof, NA1 requests

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## Legals

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Storage Facility Operator's Sale for non payment of Storage Charges pursuant to UCC Section 6A, Par. 7-210, enforcement of the Warehouseman Lien. The following property will be sold at **Public Auction at 3:30 (PM) on February 26, 2010** on the premises of **Brookline Transportation Co., Inc @ 249 Oceana Way, Norwood, MA 02062**. All household furniture, trunks, books, clothes, appliance, tools, antiques, miscellany held for the accounts of: Joanne Hodges, Gail Scho, Richard Vaccari, Marilyn Green, Patty Dunn. Sale per order of **Brookline Transportation Co., Inc, Tel # 617-361-8700**. Terms: Cash. Units sold by the entirety. Sale subject to postponement and/or cancellation. StorageAuctionsUSA.com, Lic # 111.

Norwood Record, 2/4/10, 2/11/10

### 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 **March 2, 2010 at 7:30 PM** on the request of (**Case # 10-09**) with respect to property located on **42 Rosemary Street, in a G-General Residential District**.

The application requests:  
This Application requests a Special Permit under Section 5.4 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow an extension of a single-car garage to a two-car garage. The existing garage is 20' x 14' in front and 19' in rear. The proposed extension will result in new dimensions of 26' x 28' and 33' in the rear and/or any additional release the Board deems necessary.

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

Norwood Record, 2/11/2010, 2/18/2010

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# SENIOR NEWS

## FDA PRESENTATION

There will be an FDA presentation on health fraud and buying prescription drugs on line, Thursday, Feb. 25, 1 p.m. Can you save money?

## AFTERNOON DANCE

There will be an afternoon dance Friday, Feb. 12, 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Music by John Rampino. Cost is \$5.

## OIL PAINTING

The next Oil Painting Class is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 26, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

## WAXING

Waxing services will be available Monday, Feb. 22, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

## CHOKO SAVE AND SAFETY TIPS

There will be a Choke, Save and Safety Tips session Thursday, Feb. 18, 11 a.m. to 12 noon.

## DIABETES WORKSHOP

The Monthly Diabetes Workshop will take place Thursday, Feb. 25, 11 a.m.

## PROPOPE

The next PROPOPE (Prose, Poetry and People) meeting will be Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1 p.m.

## TRIAD

The next TRIAD meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 22, 12 noon.

## BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

Hellenic Health Care will be available Wednesday, Feb. 17, 12 noon to 1 p.m.

## COUNCIL ON AGING

The next Council on Aging meeting will be Thursday, Mar. 4, 1 p.m.

## HISTORY TALK

The next History Talk will be held Thursday, Feb. 18, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. This month will feature 'Part 2, Presidents' First Ladies.'

## INCOME TAX PREPARATION

Income tax preparation has begun. Call the Senior Center to make an appointment.

## YOUNG AT HEARTS DANCE

The Friends of Norwood C.O.A. will hold their next dance Friday, Feb. 19, 7 p.m. to 10:30 p.m., Norwood Senior Center. Music by D.B. Band (Emanons). Ballroom and line dancing. Tickets \$10 each. For questions, call 781-762-5625.

## MINI TRIPS

Tuesday, Feb. 16: Lincoln Park. Cost is \$5 Tuesday, Feb. 23: John Quincy Adams Museum. Cost is \$5.

**UPCOMING TRIPS** Four Celtic Women: Mar. 18, Venus De Milo, Swansea. Cost is \$69. Washington DC: March 24-28.

Single: \$765, double: \$595, triple: \$555. Boston to Bermuda: May 7-14. Nonantum Resort, Kennebunkport, ME, May 19-20. 'Doo Wop at its Best!': June 17, Venus De Milo, Swansea. Cost is \$70 per person. Finger Lakes, NY: Aug. 8-11.

## SENIOR LUNCHES

Senior lunches have returned Monday through Friday, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

## SENIOR SHOWS

'Seniors at the Center' and 'Norwood Postcard' shows will be on alternate weeks with the following schedule: Monday, 2 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m.; Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

**WIDOWED SOCIAL GROUP** The Widowed Social Group is opening its doors to divorced men and women and single people. The group meets Thursdays, 7:30 p.m., Grace Episcopal Church, 150 Chapel St. For more info, call Rita at 781-762-6018.

## SHINE

The new SHINE counselor, Carol, will be available for appointments on Tuesdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to answer any questions you may have regarding your health insurance. Please call for an appointment.

## WHIST PARTY

The whist parties are held on the fourth Friday of every month.

## CRIBBAGE

The seniors meet every Monday at 1 p.m. in the senior center library to play cribbage. If you would like to join, arrive at the center early to be sure you get a table.

**MINI FIX-IT SHOP** Mike Bassile, Bunny Conrad and Bob Brown will be available on the second and fourth Monday of each month. This is a free service except for parts you may need to purchase. Please, no televisions.

## ALTERATIONS AND MENDING

Bring your alterations to the senior center on the first Monday of each month between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Please attach your name and telephone number to each garment.

## FITNESS ROOM

Come and exercise in our new fitness room. We currently have two treadmills, a recumbent bicycle and a recumbent elliptical machine.

## SENIOR BOWLING

The Senior Bowling league meets every Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at the Norwood Sports Center. This is a mixed league and three strings are played for \$6.

## SENIOR SUPPERS

Caritas Norwood Hospital offers a Senior Supper Program consisting of soup, entree and a drink in the cafeteria from Monday through Friday from 4:45 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$4.95.

## Police Logs *continued from page 13*

MedFlight. N679, N661, N669 assisted at airport.

1452 radio. Parking violation, area search negative. Location/address: Prescott School - Richland Rd. Off checked on handicap violations, none showing. Will check back next week.

1530 phone. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location: Concanons. Caller reports male party fell outside, NA1 ad 679 sent. NA1 states no service needed.

1711 phone. Susp. activity, could not locate. Location/address: Deerfield Rd. Caller reports 5 males running through back yards and into the woods. N667, N665 sent. Officers checked the woods. Spoke to girls in the neighborhood, they didnt see anything.

1734 initiated. Mischief (kids), group moved. Location/address: Prescott School - Richland Rd. N665, N667 moves group of 15 youths.

1735 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/

address: Audubon Rd. NFD notified. N667 sent. One party transported to the Norwood ER.

1854 initiated. Assist citizen, no action required. Location/address: Cemetary - Winter St. N663 reports wind damage on John Chute's cemetery plot. Not malicious damage. Log note only.

2118 initiated. Mischief (kids), civil matter. Location/address: Monroe St. + Cross St. N665 sent. See report filed by officer.

2207 initiated. Lost and found, report filed. Location/address: Norwood Civic Ctr. - Nahatan St. See report filed by sgt.

2220 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Lane Dr. NFD notified. N663 sent. No transport.

2257 phone. Malicious damage, services rendered. Location/address: Wood Dr. Caller reports someone hit his door with an egg. Wanted log note only.

**Saturday, Feb. 6**

0325 walk-in. Missing person, report filed. Location/address: Churchill Dr. Resident reporting 15 yr. old son never came home. N663 responded and spoke with father. Bolo to cars. Last seen after school wearing Cleveland Indians ball cap (long hair), green flannel jacket, jeans, tan work boots. Entered into LEAPS.

0716 phone. Repossession, no action required. Location/address: Lansdowne Way. (MA reg# 33GH32) repossessed by North Atlantic Adjustment Bureau.

1107 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Lincoln St. Resident unable to stand up. NFD transported.

1256 phone. Auto theft, report filed. Location/address: Central Market & Travel - Washington St. Report MA pc 5AZ330 stolen while left running in front of business. Bolo to cars. N677 transports owner to/from the station to file report.

1347 phone. Vandalism, services rendered. Location/address: Harding Rd. Resident reports her door egged since 2/5/10, 1700 hrs. Wanted log entry only.

1933 phone. Domestic, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Chapel St. Caller reports fight going on upstairs. N663, N668, N662 respond. As a result, one male placed under arrest, see report. Arrest: Kirby, Christopher W. Address: 27 Chapel St. 3, Norwood, MA. DOB: 01/31/

### St. Jude's Novena

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved and preserved throughout the world, now and forever. Sacred Heart of Jesus pray for us. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day. By the 9<sup>th</sup> day your prayer will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. Thank you St. Jude. My Prayers were answered.

*In gratitude for helping me.*

—C.R.

1982. Charges: a & b, protective custody, destruction of property - \$250, malicious.

### Sunday, Feb. 7

0439 911. Noise complaint, spoken to. Location/address: Washington St. Caller reported kids making noise. Officer spoke with several adults. Parties advised to quiet down.

0545 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Norwich Rd. Caller reports her mother fell. NFD and N666 sent.

1110 phone. Vandalism, report filed. Location/address: Gay St. Report car was egged.

1308 911. Medical emergency, transported to hospital. Location/address: Plimpton Ave. Caller reports child fell, NA1 and 667 sent.

1745 phone. Susp. vehicle, spoken to. Location/address: Callahan School - Garfield Ave. Caller reports vehicle backed up behind the school. Officer spoke to them and sent them on their way.

1919 phone. Neighbor disturbance, spoken to. Location/address: Adams St. Caller reports her neighbor is yelling at her. N667, N662 respond. Spoke to both parties. Matter resolved.

2001 phone. Fireworks, services rendered. Location/address: Nichols St. + Vernon St. Caller reports her neighbor is lighting off fireworks, spoke to complainant. No fireworks upon officers arrival.

2224 phone. Breaking and entering, services rendered. Location/address: Wickham Way. Caller reports his lock was broken off. After investigation, N664 determined it was done by girlfriend who has a key.

### Monday, Feb. 8

0127 initiated. Susp. activity, services rendered. Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St. Officer reported lights on in the new construction area.

0624 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Rock St. NFD in rt. to 207 Rock St., ap. M7, 86 yo male who fell. Transport to hospital.

0629 911. Medical emergency, Police & Fire notified/r. Location/address: Winslow Ave. Report of elder male difficulty breathing, NFD in rt., N664 in rt. Transport to hospital.

0700 phone. Assist other police depart., assisted party. Location/address: Washington St. Boston Police requested stop and hold of Rodriguez, Joseph and Cathryn Drinkwater, last seen in a blue 2008 Dodge Charger pc MA 895DR4. Subjects possibly involved in a shooting in Boston. Male party lives at above address. Officers report two parties held by state police. Don & Wallys towed pc MA 895DR4. Boston Police called back, reported the individuals may have been the target of the shooting and fled the area. Boston Police requesting fio and well being check only. Parties transported to station. Vehicle towed to station.

1033 phone. Animal complaint, spoken to. Location: Highland Cemetery. Woman lets her dog run loose in cemetery. Caller thinks something should be done about it. Off. spoke to woman about dog off leash. She is leaving.

1543 phone. Complaint of m/v, gone on arrival. Location/address: Roosevelt Ave. + Jefferson Dr. Caller reports blue Honda speeding in area, but parked at this time. Bolo to cars. Goa.

1854 phone. Mischief (kids), gone on arrival. Location/address: Jefferson Dr. Kids gathering behind residence and won't move, possibly smoking marijuana. N661 reports kids are gone, spoke to caller.

2124 phone. Complaint of m/v, services rendered. Location/address: Oolah Ave. Report MA pc 513BA5 parked in driveway for 3 days, not a resident's car. Dispatch check-not stolen, check of Verizon for Quincy, Dorchester, and Norwood-no match. Norwood Mastercard number is no good. N669 reports landlord will tow it away on Tuesday 2/9/10.

2337 phone. Domestic, report filed. Location/address: Roosevelt Ave. Caller reports two females yelling at each other. N664, N679, N668 sent.

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### A KNIGHT'S TALE

The Higgins Armory will present 'A Knight's Tale,' Tuesday, Feb. 16, (school vacation week), 11 a.m. to 12 noon, Morrill Memorial Library. The program will feature tales of knights, information about their lives and displays of a knight's suit of armor and his swords. The program is for children in grades kindergarten and older. Register at

the children's desk of the library or call 781-769-0200, x225.

### MARDI GRAS SUNDAY SERVICE

The first Congregational Church will hold a Mardi Gras worship service, Sunday, Feb. 14, 10 a.m., Route 1A and Winter St. The service will feature a New Orleans-style Mardi Gras, complete with Dixieland band, costumes and merrymaking, all in preparation for the complete change of perspective as we enter the somber season of Lent on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 17. For more information, call the church office at 781-762-3320.

### CYSTIC FIBROSIS FUNDRAISER

There will be a Cystic Fibrosis

Fundraiser in memory of Lisa and Dan Palermo, Friday, Feb. 12, 7:30 p.m., Norwood Elks, 152 Winslow Ave. The night will include entertainment, snacks and a raffle. Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$15 at the door. Norwood residents Lindsay and Sarah McDonough are also running the 114th Boston Marathon in an effort to raise money and awareness for Cystic Fibrosis and will be at the fundraiser accepting Marathon donations. To make a donation or purchase tickets, contact Lindsay McDonough at lindsaymcdonough@hotmail.com or Sarah McDonough at 617-538-6367.

### STUMP TRIVIA NIGHT NORWOOD AQUATICS CLUB

The Norwood Aquatics Club is hosting its 1st Annual Stump! Trivia Night, Saturday, Feb. 13, 7 p.m., Norwood Elks Club. Tickets are \$20 each, or tables of 10 for

\$200. The Norwood Aquatics Club provides quality competitive and recreational swimming programs for children ages 5 - 18 years old through financial support of its programs and student/athlete scholarships. There will be a cash bar, 50/50 raffle, music, and raffles. For more information regarding tickets, Theresa Lake at 781-690-3318.

### ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION NOMINATION PAPERS

Nomination papers for the Annual Town Election to be held on Monday, Apr. 5, are available in the Town Clerk's Office. Requirements for filing nomination papers: major offices need 50 signatures of qualified voters; Town Meeting Members need 10 signatures of qualified voters in their district. The nomination papers must be submitted to the Town Clerk's office by 5 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 16.

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<i>Oil, Pesto, Grated Cheese &amp; Tomato</i>		
MAK'S SPECIAL .....	9.25	14.95
<i>Pepperoni, Hamburger, Sausage, Bacon, Ham, Peppers, Mushrooms &amp; Onions</i>		

### HOT SANDWICHES

Served with BBQ Sauce, Mayo, Mustard or Ketchup

SUPER BEEF .....	5.75
REGULAR BEEF .....	5.00
JUNIOR BEEF .....	4.25
SUPER PASTRAMI .....	5.75
PASTRAMI .....	5.00
FISH FILET .....	4.50
HAMBURGER .....	3.35
CHEESEBURGER .....	3.75
KING HOT DOG .....	3.25
SUPER CHICKEN .....	4.75
CHAR-BROILED CHICKEN .....	5.70

### FRESH SALADS

Served with Pita & House Dressing

GARDEN .....	5.00
CAESAR .....	5.50
GREEK .....	5.50
TUNA .....	6.60
CHEF .....	6.60
CHICKEN .....	6.60
CRABMEAT .....	6.60
CHICKEN KABOB .....	7.00
STEAK TIP .....	7.25
CHICKEN CAESAR .....	7.25
STEAK TIP CAESAR .....	7.50



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