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Members of the Norwood Student Government took seats as the Norwood School Committee during last week's meeting.

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## Students and school members unhappy with Pay to Play idea

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood School Committee met on April 10 to discuss several issues facing the district, but the most notable was once again concerning the potential budget cuts that would be required if an operational budget override is not approved by Norwood voters on June 3.

Members of the Student Government came in and sat with School Committee members to run the meeting for a time and discuss how a no vote on the override would affect their education personally.

"I want to be a music teacher, and if I don't have extra curriculars like jazz band, a cappella, or even the summer musical, if you're going to music school that's what they look at,

not what you did in class," said Sophomore Aristides Koktsidis.

"It not only affects the students in the moment but it affects the future of these students too," said Junior Adelene Jeneid. "The clubs, sports, and other activities give us the opportunity to learn skills the classroom doesn't teach."

The School Committee also discussed what would happen to the extracurricular programs if funding was cut, which would require the Town to come up with \$700,000 every year.

"It's really hard to raise money once, but we're not talking about raising it once, if there's no override we're talking about raising it annually," said School Committee member Teresa Marie Stewart. "It's very

**Pay to Play Plan**  
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## "Perfect Storm" brings hundreds

**Mary Ellen Gambon**  
Staff Reporter

The drizzly skies appeared to magically turn brighter at Norwood High School on Saturday morning, April 13, almost exactly when the Easter Bunny strolled toward about 250 excited children awaiting the Town's Annual Egg Hunt.

"This was really the perfect storm," Norwood Recreation Department Superintendent Travis Farley said. "We've had more people here than we've ever had before. The weather let up at just the right time."

"And because of the heavy rain earlier, most of the sporting events were canceled," he added. "A lot of people came here instead."

At least 700 people attended between the registration table, pictures with the

**Easter Hunt**  
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Families from all over Norwood and beyond came out for the annual Norwood Easter Egg Hunt. Officials said this year was the most well-attended event to date and that Norwood families donated the most amount of candy baskets for the kids in the history of the hunt.

PHOTO BY MARY ELLEN GAMBON

## NAC discusses Economic Impact Study Uncertainty regarding BEH

**Matthew MacDonald**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Airport Commission (NAC) held its monthly business meeting on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 10 in NAC Meeting Room at the Airport Commission office.

The meeting ran about 25 minutes, during which two appointments were scheduled.

The main portion of the meeting, however, concerned Airport Manager Russ Maguire's monthly report, during which he touched on the recently completed economic impact study (EIS) conducted by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation

(MassDOT) (through several outside parties) that provided a five year update to its 2014 impact study.

Maguire chose to highlight the 13 percent increase in the Airport's economic activity that was shown in the 2019 study as it related to the 2014 study.

He also noted that, according to the EIS, the Airport's economic activity per year is just over \$59 million, which is measured by the direct and multiplier impact of Airport users.

According to the 2011 MassDOT Statewide Economic Impact Study

posted on the Airport page of the Town website, direct economic impacts include on-site spending and visitor spending, which generally takes place off-site.

According to the study, the multiplier impact is comprised of the re-circulation of money spent locally by airport businesses (indirect impact) and the re-circulation of employee payroll within the economy (induced impact).

"We actually ranked first in the state among the general aviation airports," Maguire said of the Airport's visitor related output/economic activity, while

clarifying that general aviation airports do not operate jointly with either military or commercial aircraft.

He added that – following a similar direct and multiplier format – the EIS determined that the Airport generated approximately 467 jobs with a total payroll exceeding \$19 million.

Encouraged by the study, Maguire further shared his opinion. "This is a pretty mature facility among the general aviation airports, and to see a 13 percent increase on an airport that has been a general aviation airport since 1946 I think says a lot for the Airport."

Maguire also reported that,

**Airport**  
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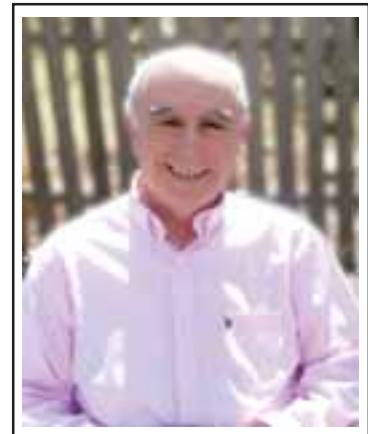
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*Grateful thanks. —F.J.***Some songs for this hallowed week**

It doesn't happen very often that the week of April vacation year embraces Patriots' Day on the front end and Good Friday on the back end. This year it does. This is good news for people who compose school calendars: effectively only three school days are used as spring vacation days, but more importantly it spares the debate whether Good Friday should be a day-off for public school students.



**My Kind of Town/  
Joe Galeota**

available or attendees might be illiterate—this moving hymn seems to be main stream now. The haunting melody and repetitive questioning continue up to the victorious “Were you there when He rose up from the dead?”

As more religions are clamoring for recognition of their holy days by having no school, it seems unlikely that in the future the Friday of Holy Week will always be a day-off; otherwise the school calendars will run into the beginning of July.

A number of school systems, while keeping their schools open, do not mark students formally absent on their religious holidays; sometimes tests cannot be administered to those present or, at the least, those students will be tested on the next school day. Solving the matter for teachers of various religions is another issue.

For those students and teachers who attend Good Friday services many will be able to listen to and sing what at one time was excluded from many congregations because it is an old Negro spiritual, “Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?” Replete with lots of repetition—as spirituals had to be because they were not written down as they were sung in the fields or in churches where hymnals might not be

**Galeota**  
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**Tommy Concannon**

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## For Whom the Bell Tolls

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

Well, it's not bells in the traditional sense. The Norwood Town Hall has a musical instrument that is called a carillon, which uses pegs hooked up to 50 bells in the belfry to allow the user to play musical pieces of most kinds based on their ability to play.

It's a huge instrument spanning about three stories in the Town Hall tower, named after Walter F. Tilton. According to resident carillonneur Lee Leach and Assistant Town Manager Bernie Cooper, it's in dire need of repair.

"The Town Hall's carillon is all part of the building's original design concept, and the carillon was built at the same time," Leach said. "The bells were installed in 1928, and they're 91 years old this year. So I was talking to Bernie about how nine years from now it's going to be the 100th anniversary of the building, and before that, in 2022, is the 150th anniversary of the Town. When you think about it, it's not that far off."

The required repairs are mainly structural. Leach said the proposal will go before Norwood Town Meeting through Community Preservation Fund Committee presentations in May. The whole tower has not seen any repairs or renovations since the



*Lee Leach, pictured below, considers his next song on the Norwood Carillon. Above are the bells he will be ringing to sound out said tune.*

PHOTOS BY JEFF SULLIVAN

1980s. The repairs include restoration of the bell frame, the installation of new bell clappers on some of the bells, and the replacement of guide wires and spring turnbuckles for the instrument. The total request from the CPA Fund is \$120,000.

leave the door open so that if somebody wants to come up and visit while we're playing that's not a problem," he said.

**Carillon**  
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The bells ring out for about a mile in every direction, and residents are often serenaded when Leach, his students or other carillon players come. He said they've had just about every genre of music played on the bells, from Mozart to Motown and most things in between. Leach said anyone can play, and if you can get in touch with him by calling the Town Hall and setting up a time, you can go up to the bells and play a song or start to learn.

"When we have people come in and play I encourage them to

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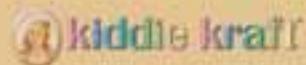


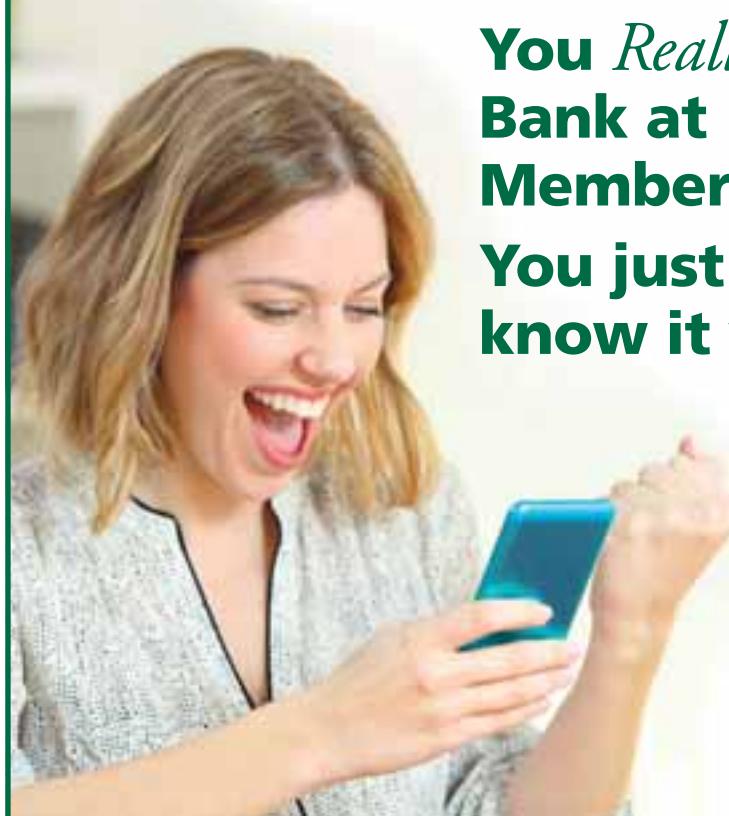
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Farley complimented the

efforts of the Willett Early Childhood Center PTO, who cosponsored the event with the Recreation Department.

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warding events we do every year," he said "Literally all of the candy and prizes were donated by residents. The Willet PTO helped with the marketing and the outreach. They were outstanding."

Recreation Program Director Kate Seastedt said that 8,500 eggs were dropped by more than 30 dedicated volunteers for the community-wide tradition.

Children were allowed to pre-register for the event, or could register on-site for \$5.

"The mix of age demographics makes for a good event," she said, noting that parents bring infants to grade schoolers.

"We had an egg stuffing party at the Civic Center," Seastedt said. We managed to get the eggs stuffed in about an hour and a half.

"But the whole thing will be over in ten minutes," she said of the hunt as she laughed.

The pastel ovals covered the lawn as the eager kids posed

with the Easter Bunny; gave him high fives and danced.

Soon, their joy could no longer be contained. As soon as Seastedt said, "On your mark...," several youngsters burst forward. At that point, the race was on.

"This is definitely the most fun we've ever had, and I've come here for four years," Christine Lamichhane said as she played with her baby, Leela, and toddler, Maya in the tot lot section. "There is more candy here than trick-or-treating, and it's better quality, too."

Maya was fascinated with a "bouncy ball" she found in one egg as she sorted out her bounty.

"Wow!" she squealed. "Look at all of the green Life Savers!"

Lamichhane said she always has fun with her friends and family, but vividly remembered last year's event.

"Last year there had been a terrible snowstorm, and I was really, really pregnant,"

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Lamichhane said. "The next day, Leela was born."

"This is my first time coming, and it was fun," her friend Aaliyah Torres said, holding baby Axton in her arms. "When my son Jace was younger, he wasn't as interested, but now he was dying to go and be with his friends."

"This is the kind of event that makes you really love your community," Heather Ferris said as she walked with her daughter Hannah, 5. "It doesn't matter if it's raining or snowing, we come every year because we know it will be a good time."

Jane Lane came for the first time with her son and her two grandsons. She said she moved to Norwood to be closer to her family.

"This is my first egg hunt, so I didn't know what to expect here," she said. "I love the sense of community. I had no idea it would be so huge."

Despite all of the preparation, the eggs were plucked from the field in about ten minutes by the larger children, as predicted.

"This year's event was a huge success," Farley said. "We had about 150 to 175 kids in the tot lot, and then another 50 to 75 older kids."

"It's a very rewarding for me because I see a lot of people who grew up here returning to the event," he added. "I see the kids I had in the rec. programs now coming back with kids."

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<b>Don Julio</b> Blanco Tequila 750 ml.....	<b>\$39.99</b>		

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through the first three quarters of the fiscal year, more than \$23,000 had been collected in landing fees, with \$30,000-\$35,000 projected for the entire year, "which is substantially higher than our conservative estimate of about \$20,000."

Maguire also updated the NAC on the Snow Removal Equipment (SRE) Building fit-out project, which is getting underway and is scheduled for substantial completion by June 30.

The Town's share of the approximately \$1.5 million project is \$75,000. MassDOT will be adding \$100,000 for a parking lot on the hill adjacent to the administration building.

In the first scheduled appointment of the meeting, Jeff

Adler of DuBois & King updated the Commission on the ongoing construction work for taxiways Alpha and Delta.

Adler anticipated that the project – which had been paused due to the effects of excessive rainfall in November – will resume on taxiway Delta sometime in the summer.

"I can't imagine any time before June, probably July or August, just to make sure that we're operating in the driest conditions," he said of the timetable moving forward.

On April 4, the NAC had held a special meeting to vote on a MassDOT amendment adding a total of \$743,892.38 to the contract to pay for environmental work regarding the project, and for taxiway Delta.

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The Town will add \$5,000 to the project.

Adler also announced that a public hearing for the Airport's technical master plan will be held on April 30 at 6 p.m. in the community room of the Police and Fire Station.

The second scheduled appointment of the meeting had President Christopher Donovan of Boston Executive Helicopters (BEH) scheduled to go before the Commission to comment on complaints of its fuel truck operating in the vicinity of Airport helicopter circles.

When invited to the conference table by Chairman Mark Ryan, Donovan – who was standing off to the side near the windows – stated, "In light of the pending decision by Judge Stearns, I'm not going to be commenting today. Thank you."

Ryan responded, "Oh, you're not?"

"No."

"So you asked earlier to be on the agenda," Ryan continued.

"In light of the pending decision by Judge Stearns yesterday, I'm not going to be discussing anything with the Airport Commission today,"

Donovan responded.

The prior afternoon, an electronic order had come down in U.S. District Court regarding BEH's March 1 motion for Judge Richard Stearns to reconsider his January 23 order enforcing a settlement agreement of what had been a lengthy and contentious lawsuit.

The order set a date for a May 28 evidentiary hearing (please see the accompanying article) and brought about Donovan's decision not to engage with the Commission.

It also brought about some confusion regarding a meeting that had been scheduled for Friday, April 12 in order to discuss a corrective action plan required by a Nov. 2, 2018 ruling against the NAC and the Town by the FAA (Federal Aviation Administration).

As part of the BEH settlement agreement, Donovan – representing BEH – was to have some involvement in the Commission's development of this plan. When asked by Commissioner Kevin Shaughnessy if he would be attending the meeting, Donovan repeated his statement, calling into question whether the meeting would be held.

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The matter was left with Ryan stating that they would have to "stay on track with that."

In the correspondence portion of the meeting, the advertisement for proposals for the 30 year lease of approximately 95,446 square feet of land (lots A, B, and C) to construct an aircraft hangar was filed for information.

Speaking after an executive session regarding BEH had adjourned, Ryan said that this hangar construction – which has been permitted for 7200 square feet (60sf x 120sf) – was one of the planned improvements for the Airport that had initially been approved in 2017.

He explained that when a major investment such as a hangar is made, a lease – which is typically 5 years – is allowed to stretch out up to 30 years in order to amortize debt.

Ryan added that lots A, B, and C are currently leased by FlightLevel for five years and that this lease will expire on Oct. 31. He also confirmed that BEH would be able to bid.

The Airport Commission meets on the second Wednesday of the month at 3 p.m.

## SCHOOL CHOICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

On Wednesday, May 8, 2019, at 7:15 P.M. the Norwood School Committee will be conducting a public hearing to discuss School Choice as outlined in the Education Reform Act of 1993 at the James R. Savage Educational Center, 275 Prospect Street, Norwood, MA in the School Committee Room. All school systems as of July 1, 1994 must participate in School Choice unless the School Committee votes to withdraw.

*Norwood Record, 4/18/19*

## 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 May 7, 2019 at 7:15 pm on the request of Power Lane Development, LLC (Case #19-11) with respect to property located on 0 Power Lane, in a G-General Residence District.

This Application requests a VARIANCE under the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to allow up to two lots in the Power Lane Subdivision to have less than the required Lot Width, or any other related relief the Zoning Board may deem necessary pursuant to Section 4.1.1 and 4.1.3.

Plans are on file with this application in the office of the Zoning Board of Appeal and may be viewed during normal working hours, Monday – Thursday, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm.

BOARD OF APPEAL  
Patrick J. Mulvihill, Chairman; Philip W. Riley, Barbara A. Kinter,  
John R. Perry, Thomas Brady

*Norwood Record, 4/11/19, 4/18/19*

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Cooper said he is most impressed with a player who comes in every now and then and plays a rag, which involves a lot of technical skill to play on the piano, let alone a carillon.

"Playing a rag at high speed, I mean how does he do that without collapsing in agony from his thumbs," he asked. "It's a very physical instrument."

Leach said the instrument is one of only a couple hundred in the world, so when the leaders of

the Town decided a new Town Hall was needed, they thought they would do something relatively unique.

"In my research I learned that Francis Foley, who at that time was really the driver behind the new Town Hall, had this concept that there should be something unique about it that other towns in the area didn't possess," he said. "He had been inspired by the carillons of Europe."

Leach said the technology for

making these types of tuned bells goes back to the 17th century, though the idea of bells themselves goes back to prehistoric times.

"These were made in England by Gillett and Johnston in 1928. Gillett and Johnston started tuning bells in the late 19th century and perfected it in the 20th century," he said.

Leach said he originally learned to play from Sally Slate-Warner, and helps others learn as he can. He said members of the Wellesley Guild of Carillonneurs play with them still. He said he first got involved when there was a Concert on the Common in which a Belgium professional player came to the town years ago and he met Cooper and Slate-Warner and became fascinated with the instrument.

"At that time I asked the question, who else in Town plays this instrument, because I was blown away by this performance, this recitalist who had come from Belgium," he said. "He was on tour and his name was Geert D'hollander, who now plays at the Boch Tower in Lake Wales Florida, and is a world-renown composer as well...They said nobody in Town plays, so I thought that was a shame and that percolated in my mind for a while."

The \$120,000 restoration project is slated to be on the agenda for the May Regular Town Meeting, which starts on May 13 (the Community Preservation Committee items may or may not be voted on at the first night of Town Meeting).

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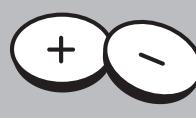
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# Police Logs

**Monday April 8**

0627 Phone - Susp Person Services Rendered Location/Address: Chapel St + Cedar St Caller reports a female dressed in a purple jacket is screaming in the roadway. N665 & N663 responded. Female located and appeared to be ok.

1007 Phone - Report Of Fire Police & Fire Notified/ Respond Location/Address: Cushing Rd Neighbor reports grey smoke coming out of neighbor's garage. NFD reports dryer exhaust.

1050 Other - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Upland Woods Cir N665 courtesy transport 1 female student to Norwood High School S/M 22732 1050 Hrs., E/M 22734 1055 Hrs. 1236 Phone - Assist Citizen Under Investigation Location/Address: Coventry Ln ID used at a CVS attempting to make purchase out of state.

1429 Phone - Larceny \*Report Filed Location/Address: Canton St Stolen card used to ship items to New Jersey.

1627 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/ Address: Hill St Check for client who did not open door for Meal on Wheels today. Party is OK. HESSCO notified.

1842 Walk-In - Fraud \*Report Filed Location/Address: Lawndale Rd Credit card activity on deceased relative's account.

2013 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/ Address: Winfield St Caller concerned about some statements his brother made. Officers spoke to him, he is OK.

2111 911 - Unwanted Party Services Rendered Location/Address: Railroad Ave Party continues to ring tenant's buzzer. Officers sent him on his way.

2132 Phone - Hit And Run \*Report Filed Location/Address: Nichols St Caller reports he heard a bang and looked outside and a street sign was knocked down. BOLO was sent to surrounding cities and towns for a white Toyota suv with front driver's side damage.

2139 911 - Neighbor Disturbance Area Search Negative Location/Address: Adams St Caller from M3 is getting phone calls from a neighbor and she is trying to rest. N667 reports there was no answer in apartment M1 in an attempt to speak with him.

2205 Initiated - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: [Bos] Woods- Mullen Shelter - Mass Ave N669 gives one party a courtesy transport to a walk in that was looking for a homeless shelter, N668 calls multiple shelters and locates a bed. S/M 75526,2204 Hrs, E/M 75547, 2230 Hrs.

**Tuesday April 9**

0142 Initiated - Susp Vehicle \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Norton Dr MA PC 381HZ3. Male party asleep in the car, NFD notified and responded. N667 returned with one male party under arrest for OUI. Negoshians towed the vehicle. Refer To Arrest: 19-138-AR Arrest: Varney, Christopher Burnett Address: 680 Neponset St Norwood, Ma Age: 48 Charges: OUI-Liquor Or .08%, 3rd Offense

0920 Phone - Juvenile Offenses Services Rendered

Location/Address: Norwood High School (Acct# 1377d) - Nichols St SRO will file a report.

1208 Phone - Susp Activity Services Rendered Location/Address: Spruce Rd Party was identified, all is well.

1236 Phone - Threats \*Report Filed Location/Address: [Nod 706] Callahan School (Acct# 1380d) - Garfield Ave

1248 Initiated - Warrant Of Apprehension \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Fairview Rd Female transported to Dedham Court. ST 6862 1306 HRS EN MI 6865.

1258 Phone - Disturbance \*Report Filed Location/Address: [Nod 712] Norwood High School (Acct# 1377d) - Nichols St Investigations require a report on past issue.

1301 Radio - Disturbance \*Report Filed Location/Address: Norwood High School (Acct# 1377d) - Nichols St SRO filing a report on a past issue. SRO will file a report on a past issue.

1313 Phone - Sex Offenses \*Report Filed Location/Address: Norwood High School (Acct# 1377d) - Nichols St SRO will file a report.

1355 Initiated Parking Violation Parking Ticket Issued Location/Address: [Nod 886] Norwood Hospital - Washington St 13 overtime parking tickets issued 19-8235 1436 Phone - Unwanted Party Services Rendered Location/Address: Winfield St Caller reports that his brother has been drinking and he would like him out of his house. Party escorted off the property.

1615 Phone - Well Being Chk \*Report Filed Location/Address: Westover Pkwy Resident made

threats to harm himself on a text. NFD transports for a section 12.

1729 Phone - Susp Activity Spoken To Location/Address: Chapel St Caller reports male party wearing a red sweatshirt taking cans out of her trash on her property. N665 spoke to that party and he was advised to stay off the property.

1751 Initiated - Susp Vehicle Area Search Negative Location/Address: Winnresidential- One Upland - Upland Woods Cir N661 gets flagged down by a passing motorist reports an erratic operator. Search of the area nothing showing.

2143 Phone - Assist Other Agency Services Rendered Location/Address: Norwood Airport Inc - Access Rd Control tower called advising us an aircraft that was suppose to land in Norwood has not checked in with control. N666 located the aircraft he had a flat tire as he landed, all is ok and control tower was notified.

2224 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Ledgeview Dr Caller would like to know if her son is at the dads house, she last spoke to this afternoon. That party is still in Rhode Island and is heading home.

**Wednesday April 10**

0440 911 - Death \*Report Filed Location/Address: Oxford Rd Caller reports her mother is unresponsive. N673 transports two juveniles back to the station. BCI, State PD, CPAC, and Medical Examiner's office notified and responded.

0637 Phone - Susp Person Gone On Arrival Location/Address: Dean St + Pleasant St Caller reports a female is walking in street and screaming. N669, N665 checked the area with negative results.

0655 Phone - Noise Complaint No Action Required Location/Address: Rock St Caller reports construction company starting 10 minutes early. Only wants log note.

0931 Phone - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Cleveland School (Acct# 1381d) - George Willet Pkwy Party advised on a legal matter.

1312 Phone - Assaults \*Report Filed Location/Address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Patient restrained after spitting at a Nurse.

1623 Initiated - Found Syringe Services Rendered Location/Address: Dean St DPW employee flags down N667 reports some syringes on the sidewalk.

1740 Phone - Parking Violation Spoken To Location/Address: Cypress St Resident parks a work trailer out front partially obstructing the sidewalk and the neighbors feel emergency vehicles could not pass. Officer reports it was moved.

1855 Phone - Fireworks Could Not Locate Location/Address: Railroad Ave Caller reports fireworks coming from the house across the street.

2126 Phone - Susp Person Services Rendered Location/Address: Wilson St Caller reports a male party knocked on his door asking to charge his phone, resident there does not know that party. Upon officers arrival that party was picked up and left the area.

**Thursday April 11**

0039 911 - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Buckminster Dr Caller reports banging and yelling going on in upstairs apartment. N666, N663, N662 responded and spoke to couple and states TV was on loud and they turned it down. Everything appeared to be in order. Advised.

0531 Phone - Violation Of Town Bylaw Spoken To Location/Address: Winnresidential- One Upland - Upland Woods Cir Callers from Barberry Lane report hearing the trash trucks on Upland Circle. N662 responded and spoke to driver who will alert the company of the bylaw time.

0534 Phone - Disturbance Spoken To Location/Address: Cross St Caller states there is a female standing across the street yelling. N669, N665 responded and located female who was having an argument on the phone. She was advised.

0817 Phone - Disturbance Services Rendered Location/Address: Adams St Party was spoken to and matter was resolved.

1139 Phone - Susp Vehicle Services Rendered Location/Address: Redwood Dr Party checks out.

1750 Phone - B & E Residence \*Report Filed Location/Address: Davis Ave Resident reports door ajar, pry marks present.

1907 Phone - Unwanted Party No Action Required Location/Address: Olde Derby Rd Caller reports she

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The Town of Norwood is seeking full-time summer helpers to assist in various maintenance jobs around town for the Public Works Department.

**Duties:** raking, litter cleanup, grass mowing, painting and related tasks.  
**Rate:** \$12-\$13/hr, no benefits.

**Requirements:** Candidates should possess a strong work ethic and ability to move 45-50 lbs. Candidates should also be prepared to perform manual labor under varying weather conditions. Applicants must be able to start work no later than Monday, June 10, 2019 and will be expected to work a minimum of nine (9) weeks. Pre-planned vacation time must be disclosed within the application.

Please send completed applications to:  
**Human Resources Department**  
[jobs@norwoodma.gov](mailto:jobs@norwoodma.gov)  
**by 4:00 pm on Monday April 29, 2019**

Applications are available online at [www.norwoodma.gov](http://www.norwoodma.gov) under Employment Opportunities

\*Incomplete applications will not be included in the lottery process and will be returned to applicant.

Candidates will be assigned a lottery number with their application; this will be communicated via email.

An official letter from the guidance office must be included with application. The letter **must** include current graduation expectancy date and good academic standing.

**Selectmen will pull lottery numbers during the live broadcast at their meeting on April 30, 2019.**

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# IN DEFENSE OF YOUTH FOOTBALL

Football is a fantastic sport. The discipline, fitness, respect, sportsmanship, and team building I have witnessed in Norwood Youth Football and Cheer (NYFC) is outstanding. Football teaches you those valuable lessons that players and cheerleaders will keep the rest of their lives. No other sport matches it.

Lately, youth tackle football has gotten a lot of bad press, undeserved and inaccurate. It was disheartening to hear that several area towns aren't able to field a 3rd grade team.

Before parents become scared about letting their sons play tackle, we need to step back and look at the facts. The study cited in the *New York Times* that suggested kids under 12 shouldn't play tackle football or contact sports is fatally flawed. It pooled professional and Division 1 players with others that only played through high school or middle school. Thus, the numbers on concussions or damage is radically skewed.

Many parents allow their kids to ride bikes, ski, sled, ride horses and scooters, which are all statistically proven to be far more dangerous than tackle football. But we don't see the articles about that. In Norwood and surrounding towns, tackling instruction, certified coaches, stricter rules on helmet contact, elimination of kick offs, and improved equipment have greatly contributed to player safety. NYFC has invested over \$25,000 over the last two years on new equipment. There were more concussions on local soccer fields last year than football fields. IN FACT, NORWOOD YOUTH FOOTBALL HAD ZERO CONCUSSIONS LAST SEASON. The way football is taught at the youth level now, it is one of the safer games. There is no more "shake it off and get back in there." Most of our injuries are to fingers and elbows. I respect the opinions of those who worry about head injuries. But I wish

people would be more familiar with what we're doing to prevent them before we create this anti-football rally.

I have four boys who play football – I'm nervous when they go play. But I'm also nervous when they go play lacrosse. They don't play hockey, but I would be nervous about them playing hockey as well, if they did. I help coach my son Caden's tackle football team, and I am far more comfortable watching him practice and play this sport than riding a bike on the road.

So parents, if you are concerned about your sons' safety and do not allow them to play tackle football, I get it. But, by all means, do not allow them to ride bikes, sled, ski, ride horses, and such.

Furthermore, the idea that kids can somehow start contact at a later age doesn't make sense. Positioning, reacting, and muscle memory are skills that need to be developed early on.

There are kids who can really benefit from football. Kids who might not always fit in, who lack self-confidence, and football can really provide a boost of confidence and energy. More lifelong friendships are made on the football field than any other sport because it is a TEAM sport – it takes everyone. A star pitcher or a hot goalie can win a game individually. That does not happen in football. You are part of something special, you are part of a TEAM.

Please join us on **Sunday April 28, 2019 at 9 am** at Norwood High School and learn more about what Norwood Youth Football and Cheer has to offer. Bring your child and participate in the free skills and drill event; meet the youth and high school coaches. I hope you will be able attend.

—Michael Sheehan, President NYFC



## NORWOOD YOUTH FOOTBALL & CHEER



### 2019 INFORMATION

## FREE SKILLS & DRILLS EVENT

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**SUNDAY, APRIL 28<sup>th</sup> / 8:30 am – 9 am Check-in  
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- ❖ MEET THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL COACH MANNY LOPES
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- ❖ REVIEW NYFC EMPHASIS ON SAFETY
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**NICARAGUA:  
THEN AND NOW**

The Morrill Memorial Library's Disastour series continues with the presentation, "Nicaragua: Then and Now," with Dr. David Gullette on Monday, April 22 at 6:30 p.m. Dr. Gullette is Professor Emeritus, Simmons College and President of the Newton/San Juan Del Sur Sister City Project. Gullette has traveled to and worked with locals in Nicaragua every year since 1988. He will discuss the history of the region from the Contra/Sandinista war and Iran-Contra scandal through the recent deaths of protesters and criticism of President Ortega, the former revolutionary turned quasi-dictator. Both Gullette and Technical Services Librarian Lydia Sampson will share stories of travel to Nicaragua over the years for service work and tourism. To sign up for this program, go to the library's calendar page, [norwoodlibrary.org/morrilcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrilcalendar), call 781-769-0200 x110, or stop by the library Reference or Information Desk.

**NORWOOD GROUP  
DISCUSSES  
CITIZENS UNITED**

Can people with opposing views find common ground? Find out with the Norwood Conversations group at the Morrill Memorial Library on Tuesday April 23 at 7:00 pm. Deborah Holmwood and Barbara Hopcroft will share their opposing views on whether states should use Article 5 to push for an Amendment to overturn the "Citizens United" Supreme Court ruling.\* They will continue their conversation with one another and the audience about whether it is possible today to truly listen to another's different points of view. Is Civil Discourse possible, and can we find common ground? Is it part of our civic responsibility?

To reserve your seat, go to [norwoodlibrary.org](http://norwoodlibrary.org) and click on the calendar listing, or call 781-769-0200 x110, or visit the library's Reference or Information desk. Light refreshments will be served.

\* Citizen's United ruling: The majority on the Supreme Court ruled that political spending is a form of protected speech under the First Amendment; the government cannot restrict corporations from supporting or denouncing political candidates.

This program is a partnership between Norwood Conversations and the Morrill Memorial Library, and is hosted by Norwood Conversations. For more information on this group, go to <https://www.meetup.com/Norwood-Conversation-Meetup/>

**MODEL RAILROAD EXPERT  
DESCRIBES SUCCESSFUL  
BUSINESS**

One of the most exciting and interesting programs Norwood's Norfolk County Rail Road Club (NCRRC) has presented during its 20 years at Norwood's Morrill Memorial Library, will be a presentation by Stephan Lamb, founder of Lamb Associates, Lowell, MA, nationally-known custom designers and builders of model railroads of all sizes and all descriptions.

The meeting is in the Simoni Room of Norwood's Morrill Memorial Library, Wednesday evening, 7P.M., April 24. It is free and open to the public. The multi-media presentation describes the unusual story of this interesting firm that since 2001 has specialized in building professional "turnkey" model railroads. Through the years since his company's founding,

# Library Events

Stephan Lamb, a master modeller himself, has assembled a group of talented craftsmen including engineers, artists and mechanical and computer engineers who themselves are master model railroaders. Tonight's meeting also offers local model railroaders a chance to pick up new ideas for their model railroad, regardless of size. Details, contact Ed Sweeney, NCRRC Program Organizer, 781-762-5587.

**FRIENDS OF THE  
LIBRARY BOOK SALE**

The semi-annual Friends of the Library Book Sale will take place on the first weekend of May in the Morrill Memorial Library's Simoni Room. Friday May 3 from 1:00-4:30 pm will be the early-bird sale for Friends of the Library only. If you're not already a Friend, you too can enjoy early access by signing up for membership when you come to the sale. The book sale will be open to the general public on Saturday May 4 from 9:00-4:30 pm. Sunday May 5 from 2:00-4:30 pm will be the much-anticipated Bag Sale, when you can fill a bag with books for just \$5! Please contact the library with any questions at 781-769-0200. See you at the sale!

**MATT BROWN DISCUSSES  
HIS NEW BOOK**

Former Norwood High School hockey player Matt Brown will speak at the Morrill Memorial Library on Monday, May 13 at 7:00 p.m. to talk about his new book, "Line Change: A True Story of Resilience in the Face of Adversity," co-authored by Todd Civin.

Matt Brown's life changed immeasurably on January 23, 2010 when he struck the boards during a Norwood High hockey game. Left paralyzed, unable to use his arms or legs, Matt decided to live life "differently" but never gave up.

Matt's injury and continued recovery have been well-documented in the local media. In his new book, readers can gain an insight into the positive approach Matt and his family have exhibited on his road to recovery. "Line Change," which reached No. 1 on Amazon's list of bestselling new releases, is not just a book about hockey. It is a love story, an inspiration, and a step-by-step manual of the rules needed to overcome any of life's obstacles. To register for this event, please go to [norwoodlibrary.org/morrilcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrilcalendar), call 781-769-0200, x110, or stop by the library Reference or Information Desk. Copies of the book will be available to purchase after the program.

**SOCIAL SECURITY  
SEMINAR AT THE LIBRARY**

Michael Graff, popular presenter about financial services and retirement, will return to the Morrill Memorial Library on Thursday, May 30 at 6:30 pm to discuss social security. His Social Security Seminar is a single session 90 minutes course, offering information

for people nearing retirement and interested in learning more about Social Security claiming options and when to file for benefits. Michael will also review the changes to Social Security that were enacted in 2015 as part of the Bi-Partisan Budget Act. Specific topics to be reviewed include:

- How to properly file for Social Security benefits

- How to maximize the amount you are eligible for
- How to avoid the most common mistakes people make when claiming their benefits
- Collecting Social Security while you continue to work
- Taxation of Social Security benefits
- Social Security information for widows, widowers, and divorcees

Michael Graff, the workshop

presenter, is a veteran of 30+ years in financial services and is a local speaker and practitioner on a variety of retirement planning matters. He is the southeastern Mass representative for the Society for Financial Awareness (SOFA), a non-profit 501(c)3 offering financial education on a variety of topics.

To sign up for this informative program, please visit the library's events calendar at [norwoodlibrary.org/morrilcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrilcalendar), call the library at 781-769-0200 x110, or visit the library's Reference or Information desks.

 **THE COMMONWEALTH OF  
MASSACHUSETTS**  
**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT**  
**TOWN OF NORWOOD**

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables in the Town of Norwood in said County, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Norwood, qualified as the law requires to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Auditorium of the Norwood High School on Nichols Street in said town on Monday, May 13, 2019 at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon to meet and act at said time and place on the following articles.

In the event that all business is not completed on May 13th, said Meeting will be adjourned until 7:30 P.M. Norwood High School Auditorium on the following dates: Thursday, May 16; Monday, May 20; Thursday, May 23; Thursday, May 30.

ARTICLE 1. To hear and act on the reports of Town Officers and Committees.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Collector of Taxes to use the same means as a Town Treasurer may use when acting as collector.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept and enter into contract for the expenditure of funds allotted by the Commonwealth and/or County for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of public ways under the provisions of Section 34, Chapter 90 of the Mass. General Laws, Ter. Ed., and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Treasurer (from time to time) to enter into compensating balance agreements with banks in accordance with General Law, Chapter 44, Section 53F, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, or take any other action in the matter. (On petition of Town Treasurer and Tax Collector)

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 2019 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the use of Revolving Funds in Fiscal Year 2020 in accordance with the provisions of MGL Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 for the purpose of funding programs administered by the various departments, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 7. To see what sum or sums of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation and/or transfer from Surplus Revenue for the purpose of appropriating such sum or sums for wage increases for all Town employees, including the School Department, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise, borrow, or transfer from available funds in the treasury and appropriate for the fiscal year beginning **July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020** for the following purposes, or take any other action in the matter. "All sums voted for salaries are to be expended in conformance with the official budget of the Finance Commission unless otherwise voted by the Town Meeting. All sums voted for New Equipment shall be expended for items listed in the budgets approved by the Finance Commission and voted by the Town Meeting."

1. GENERAL GOVERNMENT
2. PUBLIC SAFETY
3. EDUCATION
- 4A. PUBLIC WORKS
- 4B. UTILITIES
5. HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
6. CULTURE & RECREATION
7. DEBT SERVICE
8. INTERGOVERNMENTAL
9. SHARED COSTS

ARTICLE 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation and appropriate to supplement Municipal Government Operations and School Department Operations, and for a Stabilization Fund for Municipal Government and School Department Operations for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, contingent upon the passage of a Proposition 2 1/2 Referendum Question pursuant to General law Chapter 59, section 21C; or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 10. To see what sum the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Assessors to apply from free cash in the treasury in offset to the amount appropriated to be raised by taxation for the fiscal year beginning **July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020**, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 11. To see what sum or sums of money the Town will vote to raise or transfer from taxation or from surplus revenue or other available funds, or borrow, and to appropriate for the costs of capital projects not otherwise provided for elsewhere on this Annual Town Meeting Warrant, including construction, reconstruction and major renovations and repairs to buildings, facilities, and other public works; the purchase of new equipment; and engineering, design and other costs incidental and related to such capital projects; and for other capital projects not otherwise specified;

And further, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to borrow said sums required for the aforesaid capital projects; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen or other appropriate authority to expend the aforesaid funds for the specified purposes; or take any other action in the matter

ARTICLE 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to meet overdrafts and unpaid bills incurred for the period July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 and fiscal years prior, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 13. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to set aside and reserve for later spending from Community Preservation Fund revenues, pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 44B, for the following purposes:

- Open Space
- Historic Resources
- Community Housing
- Administrative and Operating Expenses
- Budgeted Reserve Account

Or take any other action in the matter.  
(On recommendation of the Community Preservation Committee)

ARTICLE 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to **transfer and appropriate** from the Community Preservation Fund – Administrative Reserve account, established pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 44B, for administrative and operating expenses, or take any other action in the matter.  
(On recommendation of the Community Preservation Committee)

ARTICLE 15. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from the Community Preservation Fund for the following purposes:

Project	Category
1. Restoration and reconstruction of the Eliot Field ("Lower Balch") Playground	Recreational Use of Land
2. Improvements to the Bond Street Playground	Recreational Use of Land
3. Construction of an outdoor pavilion shade structure near the "Lower Pond" at Alevizos Park off Endicott and Walpole Streets	Open Space
4. Restoration of the Memorial Carillon in the Norwood Memorial Municipal Building	Historic Preservation

or take any other action in the matter.  
(On recommendation of the Community Preservation Committee)

Any individual with a disability who needs accommodations related to accessibility/communications or other aspects of participation in town meeting or other related programs should contact: Tony Mazzucco, General Manager, Town of Norwood, 566 Washington Street, Norwood, MA 02062 (781-762-1240) or David Hern, Jr., Town Meeting Moderator, Town of Norwood, 566 Washington Street, Norwood, MA 02062 (781-762-1240). The Town of Norwood does not discriminate on the basis of disability.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in ten public places in this town seven days at least before the time and day of said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen on or before the day and time of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Norwood this ninth day of April, A.D. 2019.

Paul Bishop, Chairman  
William J. Plasko  
Thomas F. Maloney  
Allan D. Howard  
David E. Hajjar

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would like her son to leave. Party was gone prior to officer's arrival.  
1942 911 - Disturbance Services Rendered Location/Address: Walpole St Caller heard screams coming from a neighbor. Officers report that was a person who had a bad dream.

2228 Phone - Animal Complaint Services Rendered Location/Address: - Avon Rd. Dog barks continuously, owner verbally abusive to caller. N665 reports all quiet upon arrival.

## Friday April 12

0220 Initiated - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: North St N669 reports a male party was dropped off at Mobil Station by a "LIFT" driver so he could run in for a soda and the driver left without him. His cell phone and other personal items were in vehicle. Attempts were made to contact Customer Service to no avail. N669 gave courtesy transport to Foxboro. He will follow up with company in the morning.

1039 Phone - Susp Activity \*Report Filed Location/Address: Plymouth Dr Party advised on a SP package.

19-8479 1133 Phone - WELL BEING CHK SERVICES RENDERED Location/Address: Winter St + Spruce Rd Party checks out, all is well.

1249 Phone - B & E Of Motor Vehicle \*Report Filed Location/Address: Cleveland School - Marlboro St Caller reports that her car may have been entered during the night. The car was left unlocked. N666 is responding.

1532 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Party advised on an HPO and sent to Juvenile COurt.

1616 Phone - Disturbance Gone On Arrival Location/Address: Adams St Party yelling at ten-

ant.  
1654 Phone - Disturbance Services Rendered Location/Address: Adams St Caller reports party known to PD yelling and causing a disturbance. Officers spoke to that party and he was given his last warning for the night.  
1725 Initiated - Complaint Of Mv Services Rendered Location/Address: Birch Rd + Pellana Rd N662 locates 3 cars squirting water guns at each other. N662 spoke to the parties involved, it was a senior prank and they have been advised.

1852 911 - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Hampden Dr Caller requesting officer's assistance with son after he arrived home late. Party was advised.

2107 Phone - Disturbance Services Rendered Location/Address: Adams St Caller reports party know to PD yelling and banging on the walls. Officer's spoke to the party and advised him to quiet

2214 Phone - Drunk Driver \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Seven Hens - Washington St Caller reports seeing a party passed out in a Jeep Renegade. NFD notified and responded. N663 placed one party under arrest and transported her to the station. S/M 8337 at 2237, E/M 2238 at 2240. Negoshian's towed MA PC ANG2. P/C: Malvone, Angela Jeanine Address: 10 Howard St Norwood, MaAge: 48 Charges: OUI-Liquor Or .08% Protective Custody

## Saturday April 13

0107 Phone - Trespassing Gone On Arrival Location/Address: Bank Of America ATM - Washington St Security reports male party sleeping in ATM vestibule and would like him removed. N666,N673 responded. No one there or in the area.

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0113 Initiated - Susp Vehicle Spoken To Location/Address: Bank Of America (ATM) - Walpole St N668 reports a vehicle parked next to ATM and driver appears to be sleeping. ( UBER driver taking a break. All set. (Ma. Reg# 4KM251)

0949 Phone - Assist Citizen Under Investigation Location/Address: Weld Ave Neighbor dispute. Officer can only speak with one.

1011 Phone - B & E Residence \*Complaint/Summons Location/Address: Chapel St Investigation results in charges against three.

1209 Phone - Well Being Chk \*Report Filed Location/Address: Rite Aid (Store# 10145) - Walpole St Subject appears confused. Located and transported here. NFD then transports to hospital.

1612 Phone - Well Being Chk \*Report Filed Location/Address: West St Caller reports her co worker will not open the door and she is worried she may be intoxicated. NFD notified to make entry.

1956 Initiated - Assist Citizen Assisted Party Location/Address: Castle Island Brewing Llc - Astor Ave N663 reports party flagged him down to assist with a patron.

2212 Walk-In - Assist Citizen \*Report Filed Location/Address: Yew Dr Walk in reports packages taken from her front porch.

2224 Phone - Susp Vehicle Spoken To Location/Address: Puritan Pl Caller reports a blk Chevy pickup running in front of the residence. N665 spoke to that party they are just dropping someone off.

2310 Phone - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Nichols St Party would like to pick up some belongings. N667 reports party has her belongings.

## Sunday April 14

0105 911 - Assist Citizen Fire Dept Notified/Responded Location/Address: Countryside Ln Lift assist. NFD responded and handled same . 0211 Initiated - Susp Person Spoken To Location/Address: George Willet Pkwy N668 reports male party walking on Geo Willett Pkwy and stops to speak with him. Party known to the Police and just walking home. All set.

1303 Phone - Complaint Of Mv Area Search Negative Location/Address: Winfield St Complaint of a go kart driving on the public road. N666 responding.

1339 Phone - Hit And Run \*Report Filed Location/Address: Winnresidential- One Upland - Upland Woods Cir Vehicle hit in the lot.

1711 Phone - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Savers - Bos-Prov Hwy Manager of the store reports customers are complaining about a male party taking pictures of them. N669 reports it was a autistic child taking pictures he was spoken to by his mom, the store was satisfied.

1828 Phone - Disturbance Area Search Negative Location/Address: Olde Derby Rd Two parties arguing.

2202 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Garden Pkwy Caller reports neighbors are being loud. N667 reports upon arrival all is quite.

## DEATHS

### CONLEY

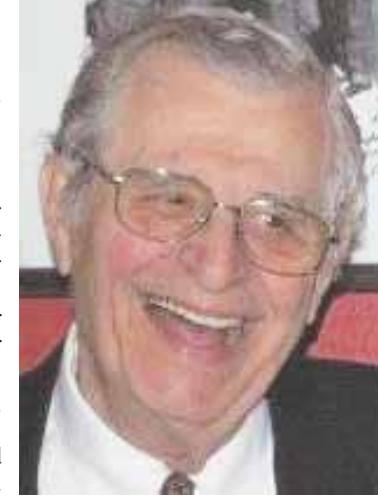
James M. Lifelong resident of Norwood, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his loving family, April 7, 2019. Beloved and devoted husband of 32 years to Doreen (Bilotta) Conley of Norwood. Loving father of Ryan, Luke and James Conley all of Norwood. Dear brother of Mary Conley Perry and her husband David of CA, Margaret Muscato of Norton, Paul Conley and his wife Deborah of FL, and Michael Conley and his wife Laurie of Bridgewater. James will be dearly missed by many loving in-laws, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. James was the son of the late Paul and Sally (McDonagh) Conley of Ireland. James was a co-founder and owner with his partner Matt Walsh of Walcon Construction for many years until working for P.J. Hayes at Southridge Farm where he did what he loved most, carpentry. He had a gift and a love for carpentry. James was a meticulous finished carpenter who was passionate about making sure his work was perfect, down to the very last detail. When James was not working, he cherished spending time in Sunapee, NH, making forever memories with his family. Funeral from the Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole Street (Rte. 1A), NORWOOD. Interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, contributions in memory of James M. Conley may be made to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168.

### HILTON

Joseph E. Of Norwood, formerly of Roslindale, passed away on April 11, 2019, at the age of 84. Beloved husband of Alice F. (O'Laughlin) Hilton for 59 years. Devoted father of Alice A. Stapleton and her husband Jack of West Bridgewater, Carol J. Levitsky and her husband John of North Attleboro, and Joseph F. Hilton of Newton. Brother of Joyce Smith of Norwood and her late twin sister Janet McCarron. Cherished grandfather of John, Jessica, Michael, Sara, Hannah and Zachary. Also survived by nieces and nephews. Son of the late Joseph H. and Anna (Walsh) Hilton. Joseph was a member of the Norwood Knights of Columbus, the Retired Men's Club of Norwood and Brookmeadow Country Club. Joseph was a US Marine Corps. Veteran, serving during the Korean War. Funeral from the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home 1248 Washington St., NORWOOD. Burial with military honors at Highland Cemetery, Norwood. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to the Stanley R. Tippett Hospice Home, 920 South St., Needham, MA 02492. kraw-kornackfuneralhome.com. Family Owned and Operated.

### PARAS

John J. Of Norwood, passed away on April 8, 2019, at the age of 91. Beloved husband of Mary T. (Kelly) Paras. Devoted father of Claire Paras and her husband Glenn Smith of Bedford, John Paras and his wife Melanie of Milford, Brian Paras and his wife Mary of Hopkinton, Gerard Paras and his wife Dianne of Weymouth, Joseph Paras of Norwood, and Caroline Paras of Norwood. Brother of Stella Bulgaris of Randolph, Sofia Paraskevas of Bourne, and Mary Paraskevas of Bourne. John is survived by his grandchildren Alexander & Rebecca Smith, Brendan, Meghan, James, Emily, Jack, and Katie Paras. Also survived by many beloved nieces and nephews. Son of the late James and Artemesia (Papachristo) Paraskevas. Funeral from the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, 1248 Washington St., NORWOOD, MA. Burial with military honors at Highland Cemetery, Norwood. John was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving during WWII and Korea. He also was a 4th degree Knight and PGK with the Knights of Columbus of Norwood. John grew up in the Mission Hill section of Boston. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Northeastern University, and also attended MIT and Wentworth colleges. He worked 35 years as a mechanical engineer for Polaroid Corp. Donations in John's name may be made to Father Bill's Place, 38 Broad St., Quincy, MA 02169. kraw-kornackfuneralhome.com. Family Owned and Operated.



### RYAN

James J. Of Norwood, formerly of Dorchester, passed away, April 8, 2019. Beloved and devoted husband of 33 years to Carol (Manfra) Ryan of Norwood. Loving brother of Gerald P. Ryan and Nayda of Winthrop, William F. Ryan and his wife Margaret of Sandwich. Dear brother-in-law of Marilynn Manfra of Cranston, RI, and her late husband Everett Willis and Michael Manfra of Wilmington. Jim was the loving son of the late Jeremiah and Helen (Waitkus) Ryan. He was the adored son-in-law of the late George and Mary Manfra. Jim is also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral from the Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole Street (Rte. 1A), NORWOOD. In honor of his late mother, donations may be made in memory of Jim to the Alzheimer's Association, 480 Pleasant Street, Watertown, MA 02472 or www.alz.org Gillooly Funeral Home Norwood 781-762-0174. www.gilloolyfuneralhome.com

### SATTER

Robin L., of Plainville, formerly of Norwood, passed away unexpectedly April 3, 2019. Beloved daughter of the late Joel Satter and the late Loretta (Shamblin) Nigro. Loving sister of Marshall Satter of NH, Jill Sudman and her husband Paul of Norwood, David Satter of Westwood. Cherished aunt of Thomas Clancy, Tabatha Antonelli, Dylan Satter, Jeff Sudman, Nicole Santora, Scott Satter, Daniel Sudman and Matt Satter. Dear friend of Valerie Smith. Relatives and friends attended Robin's Committal Service in Highland Cemetery on April 17th at 11AM.



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## THE REALITY OF AGING AND HOW IT TRANSFORMS US

Aging, the Spiritual Journey- a Blessing, a Covenant, and a Grace at St. Catherine of Siena Parish- School Cafeteria, Monday, May 6 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Join Chaplain Timothy Duff for his presentation on the reality of aging and its power to transform us spiritually through the challenges faced throughout the aging process. Seen through the lens of faith, these challenges become beacons of light shining through as blessings, covenant and grace, and deepening the Christ-life within by bringing new meaning to loss, depression, dependency, etc.

Chaplain Timothy Duff, STM, A, ERD and BCC Coordinator of Spiritual Care and Hospital Chaplain at Emerson Hospital in Concord, Ma. Tim also teaches for the Archdiocese of Boston, giving workshops for the Pastoral Care to the Sick and Homebound. He has been a hospital chaplain for eighteen years with extensive experience in the spirituality of aging.

## WCC FREE BABYSITTING COURSE

The Women's Community Committee (WCC) is sponsoring a FREE babysitting course for 6th, 7th and 8th grade Norwood students. The one-week course will be held from 2:45 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday, May 6th through Friday, May 10th at the Coakley Middle School. Registration forms are available at the Middle School, St. Catherine of Sienna School, the Morrill Memorial Library and the WCC Thrift Shop, 1091 Washington Street, Norwood. (Thrift Shop retail hours are Wednesdays 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Thursdays 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.)

Presenters at the 66th annual babysitting course will include the Norwood Police Department's safety officer, a Norwood fire fighter, a registered nurse, a professional babysitter, a nursery

school teacher, and a librarian. Certificates from the WCC (an all-volunteer, non-profit community service organization) and from the Massachusetts Extension 4H will be given to students who complete the course.

## KATHRINE LOVELL FEATURED AT ARTIST DEMONSTRATION

The NORWOOD ART ASSOCIATION holds their monthly ARTIST DEMONSTRATION on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Simoni Room of the Norwood Morrill Memorial Library, located at 33 Walpole Street in Norwood. These demonstrations are FREE and the public are welcome and encouraged to attend! Light refreshments are served and there is a raffle of a piece of art donated by the attending artist.

On Thursday, May 16th, the NAA's featured demo artist will be Kathrine Lovell. Kathrine was born in Sydney Australia, but now resides in Tiverton, Rhode Island. Her family is full of artists from her watercolorist mother to her graphic designer uncle. For additional information or to become a member, please contact Frannie Downey, the Norwood Art Association President, at francesadj@aol.com and visit them on Facebook.

Patriotic Rosary Thursday, May 2, 1:00 p.m. at the St. Catherine of Sienna Church, 547 Washington St. Rte. 1A Norwood. Come join us and pray the beautiful Patriotic Rosary for our Country! For information please call 781-762-4391.

## HISTORICAL COMMISSION TO HOLD WORKSHOP

The Massachusetts Historical Commission will be conducting a workshop on Wednesday, May 1, from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm, at the Morrill Memorial Library. At the request of the Norwood Historical Commission, Christopher C.

Skelly, Director of Local Government Programs, will provide an overview for identifying, evaluating and protecting historic resources here in Norwood. The meeting is open to the public.

## DAR ANNOUNCES GARAGE SALE

The Aaron Guild Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) will be holding their Annual Garage/Estate Sale on Saturday, April 27 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Barlow Lane in Westwood (First house on the right on Barlow Lane just off Route 109). For sale will be household items, jewelry, kitchen utensils, bric-a-brac, toys, books, and small furniture. Come early for the best selection. Call Sunny O'Malley for more information at 781-326-7799.

The proceeds will be used to support DAR's patriotic, historic, and educational endeavors, such as the Good Citizen Award given to four deserving high school seniors, who were chosen as Good Citizens by their classmates and teachers. At graduation in June, each will receive a check from the Aaron Guild Chapter. The chapter also donates the magazine "American Spirit" to four public libraries in the area: Westwood, Walpole, Canton and Norwood. The Aaron Guild Chapter welcomes new members. Call Regent Terry Whetstone at 781-329-8463 for more information if you are interested in joining.

## NAMI TO HOLD MEETING

The NAMI- South Norfolk will hold its monthly meeting in the RANI conference room of the Lorusso Building at Norwood Hospital (800 Washington St., Norwood, MA) at 7 PM on Thursday, May 2. 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 support group is composed of such families who find mutual support and join together to advo-

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

## GARDEN CLUB TO HOST FRUIT TREE EXPERT

If you're interested in sustainability or just want to know which fruit trees would do best on your property, you won't want to miss "Fruit Trees: An Integral Part of Today's Edible Landscape" hosted by the Norwood Evening Garden Club on Tuesday, April 23, 6:45 p.m. at the Carriage House behind the First Baptist Church, 71 Bond Street, Norwood. The public is invited to attend for a small donation. Refreshments will be served. Dr. Wesley Autio, fruit tree expert, professor, and Director of the University of Massachusetts' Stockbridge School of Agriculture will share his vast knowledge of the topic. While many fruit trees (apple, pear, peach, plum, and cherry) can be included in our New England edible landscapes, some species are more suited than others. Dr. Autio will talk about how to determine whether or not your site is suitable for growing fruit trees and how the variety you select will make the difference between success and failure. He will discuss the most important pests you need to know about and how to control them (or live with them), and what you need to know about the basic physiology that controls a fruit tree's response to management. He will also discuss techniques to reduce pruning and improve fruiting, as well as basic pruning and training techniques that can help keep fruit trees in small spaces. For information about the Norwood Evening Garden Club, visit [www.NorwoodEveningGardenClub.com](http://www.NorwoodEveningGardenClub.com).

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Good Friday		Easter Sunday	
<b>Appetizers</b>		<b>Appetizers</b>	
<b>Mushroom Florentine</b>	\$8	<b>Cup of Lobster Bisque</b>	\$5
Sautéed white mushroom caps baked with a blend of baby leaf spinach, garlic-herb Boursin cream cheese and seasoned bread crumbs.		Rich and thick, creamy lobster bisque with a dash of sherry.	
<b>Corrib's Crab Cakes</b>	\$9	<b>Corrib Crab Cakes</b>	\$9
Pan seared homemade lump crab cakes on a bed of greens, topped with lemon-pepper aioli.		Pan seared homemade lump crabmeat cakes on a bed of greens, topped with lemon-pepper aioli.	
<b>Entrées</b>		<b>Entrées</b>	
<b>Baked Scallops &amp; Crab Meat Casserole</b>	\$19.99	<b>Grilled Lollipop Lamb Chops</b>	\$21.99
Sea scallops baked with jumbo lump crab meat, seafood stuffing, lemon-wine and seasoned crumbs, with potato and vegetable. Soup or salad.		Marinated lollipop rib chops, grilled to order, served with Merlot demi-glaze, potato and vegetable. Soup or salad.	
<b>Baked Haddock Oscar</b>	\$16.99	<b>Baked Scallops &amp; Crab Meat Casserole</b>	\$19.99
Fresh native haddock filet, baked with crab meat, lemon-wine and seasoned Ritz cracker crumbs, topped with asparagus and lemon-chive sauce. Served with potato and vegetable. Soup or salad.		Sea scallops baked with jumbo lump crab meat, seafood stuffing, lemon-wine and seasoned crumbs, with potato and vegetable. Soup or salad.	
<b>Mediterranean Style Salmon</b>	\$16.99	<b>Roast Turkey Dinner</b>	\$13.99
Grilled, fresh Mediterranean seasoned salmon filet topped with fresh mango fruit salsa and Feta cheese, served with potato and vegetable. Soup or salad.		Oven roasted turkey breast, served with cornbread stuffing, pan gravy, mashed potato and vegetable.	
<b>Fried Haddock</b>	\$15.99	<b>Grilled Filet &amp; Shrimp</b>	\$20.99
Flash fried haddock filet served with French fries and homemade cole slaw. Soup or salad.		Grilled 8 oz. filet mignon and twin baked stuffed shrimp, mushroom demi-glaze, potato and vegetable. Soup or salad.	
<b>Fried Clams &amp; Scallops</b>	\$19.99	<b>Roast Black Angus Prime Rib au Jus</b>	\$20.99
Native whole clams and scallops flash fried, served with French fries and homemade cole slaw. Soup or salad.		Slow-roasted boneless prime rib, served with potato and vegetable. Soup or salad.	
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## EMMANUEL LUTHERAN HOSTING RUMMAGE SALE

Emmanuel Lutheran Church, corner of Berwick Street and Gardner Road, (just off Route 1A) in Norwood, MA, is hosting a Spring Rummage Sale. The sale will be held on Friday, April 26 and Saturday, April 27 from 9am-1pm. In addition to gently worn clothing, small housewares and books, we are having our special collectibles and antiques table again this spring. On Saturday, at 12:00pm (for the last hour) we will have a bag sale. For \$5.00 attendees can fill a big trash bag.

## HELP NORWOOD LETTER CARRIERS STAMP OUT HUNGER

The Letter Carriers' food drive is held annually on the second Saturday in May in over 10,000 cities and towns in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and Guam. It remains as important as ever, with many people facing economic struggles. Hunger affects about 50 million people around the country, including millions of children, senior citizens and veterans. Letter car-

riers see these struggles in the communities they serve, and believe that it is important to do what they can to help. As in previous years, all food donated in the Norwood community will be sorted and delivered to the Norwood Ecumenical Food Pantry. If you can, please help our neighbors in need by leaving one or more bags of food by your mailbox Saturday, May 11. The food will be picked up as carriers deliver your mail on their regular route. All types of non-perishable food are welcome, including peanut butter, coffee, canned fruit, canned tomato sauces/paste, diced and whole tomatoes, canned meat and hash. The only requirement is that all cans and boxes must be new and in good condition. Anything outdated or opened has to be thrown away for health reasons.

## PREScott SCHOOL GRADUATE AWARD

The C. J. Prescott School P.T.O. will present two special achievement awards in June at the Fifth Grade Musical. The awards will be given to an outstanding girl

and boy who attended the Prescott School in fifth grade, are presently residing in Norwood, and are graduating from high school in June, 2019. The awards will consist of a \$500 check presented to each winner. Application forms are available at the Prescott School and at the Norwood High School Guidance Office. Applications must be returned to the Prescott School by Friday, May 3rd.

## BALCH SCHOOL PTO GRADUATE AWARD

The Balch School is currently accepting applications for the Balch School PTO Graduate Award. This award is presented to two deserving high school seniors who graduated from the Balch Elementary School. Application forms are available at the Norwood High School Guidance Department and at the Balch School Office. The application deadline is 3:00pm May 10. Please call the school office at 781-762-0694 with any questions.

## COMPLIMENTARY EVENTS AT EPOCH DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

St. Catherine of Siena Church, 547 Washington St. A Solemn celebration for Divine Mercy will be held on Sunday,

April 28th. The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available from 1-2:30 pm in the chapel and the school gym. The recitation of the Most Holy Rosary will begin at 2:10pm followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the Church. Celebration of Holy Mass in honor of the Solemnity will be celebrated at 3 pm and will include veneration of the Divine Mercy Image. The presider and homilist will be Rev. John Gavin, S.J. with Rev. Stephen Donohoe, Rev. Thomas Sullivan and Rev. Anthony Medairos as concelebrants.

## 3rd ANNUAL WALK/RUN

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Walpole will hold their 3rd annual Walk/Run on Saturday, May 4. Hosted by Mick Morgan's Irish Pub and Restaurant located at the junction of Routes 1A and 27 on the Walpole-Sharon line. Registration will begin at 9am with the race starting at 10am. If you sign up in March, you can save \$5.00 off the registration fee! All proceeds will be used to support individuals and families in our community in need of food, utilities, rent and other emergency needs. For further information and to register go to [wehelppeople.racewire.com](http://wehelppeople.racewire.com).

# HOLIDAY WORSHIP GUIDE

**Saint Catherine of Siena Parish**  
invites you to join us for Holy Week and Easter

<b>Palm Sunday</b> April 14, 2019 Masses at: Sat. 4 and 5:30 p.m. Sun. 7, 9, and 11 a.m.	<b>Good Friday</b> 9 a.m. Morning Prayer 12 p.m. Stations of the Cross 3 and 7 p.m. Service
<b>Holy Thursday</b> 9 a.m. Morning Prayer 7 p.m. Mass	<b>Holy Saturday</b> 9 a.m. Morning Prayer 8 p.m. Easter Vigil
<b>Easter Sunday</b> April 21, 2019 Masses at 7 a.m., 9 a.m. (Family Mass) and 11 a.m. (Choir Mass)	

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**Easter**

**Sunrise Celebration & Pancake Breakfast 6:30 am**  
Celebration gathering on the Front Lawn of the Church  
FREE Pancake Breakfast to follow at the United Church of Norwood Fellowship Hall

**Easter Family Worship 10:00 am**  
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## JOIN US FOR HOLY WEEK

<b>APRIL 18</b> Maundy Thursday 7:30 p.m.
<b>APRIL 19</b> Good Friday Stations of the Cross 3:00 p.m. Good Friday Tenebrae 7:30 p.m.
<b>APRIL 20</b> Easter Vigil 7:00 p.m. at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Norwood
<b>APRIL 21</b> Easter Worship 8:45 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. with an Easter Brunch 10:00–11:00 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt for Children 10:30 a.m.

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**St. Timothy Parish Triduum 2019**  
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**Holy Thursday – April 18:**  
Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7:30pm

**Good Friday – April 19:**  
Seven Last Words Prayer Service, 9am  
Passion Play, 3pm  
Good Friday Liturgy, 7:30pm

**Holy Saturday – April 20**  
Morning Prayer, 9am  
Easter Vigil, 8:00pm  
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**Easter Sunday – April 21**  
8am, 9:30am, 11:15am

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**HOLY WEEK SERVICES AT GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
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**PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 14**  
8:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist & 10:00 a.m. – Family Holy Eucharist

**MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 18**  
7:00 p.m. – Traditional Maundy Thursday Liturgy with Stripping of the Altar

**GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 19**  
3:00 p.m. – Stations of the Cross for Youth  
6:00 p.m. – Stations of the Cross for Adults  
7:00 p.m. – Good Friday Liturgy

**GREAT VIGIL OF EASTER, APRIL 20**  
7:00 p.m. – Ecumenical Liturgy and Lighting of the New Fire with Emmanuel Lutheran Church and First Congregational Church, celebrated at Emmanuel Lutheran

**EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 21**  
8:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist & 10:30 a.m. – Family Holy Eucharist and Flowering of the Cross. Join us for coffee hour and Easter Egg Hunt immediately following the service

# SENIOR NEWS

**BINGO:** Every Wednesday, from 12:45 PM to 3:00 PM, \$5.00 to get started. We have begun a new game, for \$1.00, with a winner take all prize! You must be here by 12:45 PM to play the new game!

**BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC:** Walpole VNA will be available for blood pressure screening on the first Wednesday of each month. Ellis Nursing Home will offer blood pressure screening on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. The Walpole VNA will provide blood pressure screening on the third Wednesday of each month at 11:30 AM.

**BOOK CLUB:** Our next Book Club will be meeting on April 22, at the senior center.

**BRIDGE:** Our Bridge Club meets on Thursdays at 9:00 AM, in the Library.

**COMPUTER CLUB:** The Computer Club meets every Wednesday at 1:00 PM –

**CRIBBAGE:** Our seniors meet every Monday at 12:45 PM to play cribbage. New Class on Fridays at 12:45 (except the 4th Friday).

**DIGITAL PHOTO ORGANIZATION & EDITING:** will take place the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 11:30 AM.

**DRAWING WITH COLORED PENCILS**– Classes held the first and third Tuesday of the month at 11AM-12:15PM. \$3.00 a session all materials included.

**GLEE CLUB:** Glee Club meets every Tuesday at 11:15 AM. New members are always welcome.

**HAND CRAFTERS:** Handcrafters meet every Monday from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM.

**HEARING SOLUTIONS:** Hearing Aide clinic on Wednesday, April 24, 11:30AM.

**LEARN TO PLAY MAH JONG** -Thursdays and Fridays at 12:30 PM.

**LINE DANCE** Classes are held each Tuesday. Class will be held from 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM.

**MAH JONG:** Mah Jong players meet Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10:00 AM - Noon.

**MANICURES:** Friday April 26, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM.

**NORWOOD RETIRED MEN'S CLUB:** The Board of Directors meets on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 10:30AM, at the Senior Center. The Club Membership meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the Norwood Elks Lodge, at 10:00 AM.

**SCRABBLE:** Thursday afternoons at 1:00 PM. Come and join us for a game.

**SHINE:** We have two SHINE Counselors. Carole is here to help you with your medical insurance needs on Tuesdays from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM. Amy will be here on Fridays from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM Please call 781-762-1201 for an appointment.

**TAP DANCE**-Thursdays at 11:15 AM. All levels are welcome and encouraged to join the fun.

**TRIAD:** Monday, April 22 at 1:00 PM, Selectman William Plasko.

**WAXING** with Erin: April 22, Monday, 9:00 AM – Noon.

**WHIST:** Whist players meet on Tuesdays at 12:45 PM, in the library.

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One hymn most of us will not hear in churches on Easter Sunday is, “Alleluia! Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise.” It’s viewed as too waltzy, as if there is anything inherently objectionable to 3/4 time. Any objection to its inclusion should be based on word content—and the lyrics to this rousing anthem form no basis for prohibition: indeed its message is powerful.

The singing of “I Know My Redeemer Lives” seems to be more widespread in churches of different denominations these days, and right that it should be, because of the startling admission contained in the title. All of which leads—in your scribe’s humble opinion—to the ne plus ultra of Easter music, “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today.” Some congregations relish this triumphant hymn so much that in the weeks following Easter they omit the first verse about “risen today” and start with the second stanza.

May these and many other hymns continue to stir and sustain us in these turbulent days.



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# Pay to Play Plan *continued from page 1*

likely that fine arts, athletics and extracurriculars will not exist as they do today if there's no override."

Stewart said the district's legal counsel has suggested that they set up a 501c3 non-profit revolving fund to try to raise the money if the override fails, but given the timing of the vote on June 3rd, that doesn't leave much time for the district to raise the funds needed by the following September. Also, the committee could not agree on

how those funds should be collected and distributed.

Stewart said fees for programs could help, and it would be legal to deny students who couldn't pay the fees the chance to take part, but she said that is a decision for a later date.

"Whatever the fee is we set some students won't be able to afford it, so how do we approach that?" she asked.

In terms of donations, some members were con-

cerned that allowing residents to donate to programs they favor could be detrimental to those that aren't as popular.

"There's no way we're going to raise \$700,000 in time to save all these programs," said member Myev Bodenhofer. "How can we raise money for a specific thing? I don't want to set up any system saying you can't raise money for a specific thing; that you have to raise money for the whole system. For that to work, we'd have to put out a list stating that this is what we're going to fund first, and then this, and if what you want to support is number 10 on the list,

you're not going to want to support it."

School Superintendent Dr. David Thomson said the situation on his end is bleak as well.

"It's a no-win situation," he said.

Thomson said they have already started appointing local coaches for sports starting in September, but the contract states, as it states every year, is that the hiring is contingent on funding.

"We would need to (fund them) one or two days before the games start," he said.

Thomson said two teachers have now resigned because of fears of the override, a Para-professional of kindergarten and a grade 3 teacher at the Cleveland School.

"They needed commitments and could not wait to see if the override passes," he said.

Norwood Recreation Superintendent Travis Farley also dropped by the meeting to inform the committee of the department's plan to install a wall at the old track behind the Coakley Middle School. He said the track has fallen out of use

and is owned by the Rec Department, not the schools, but given its proximity to the Coakley, he wanted to get the Committee's blessing on the project. He said funding for the \$50,000 wall is being donated by contractor Dellbrook JKS Construction Management, and was the idea of Norwood Girls Lacrosse President Mike Lodge.

"The girls lacrosse numbers are starting to grow, and the thing is if you can't throw and catch, you can't play lacrosse," he said. "A lot of time it's tough to find someone to throw with and the wall is a great way to work on your stick skills."

The wall would be able to service 20 to 25 students at a time and be used for other sports like tennis, soccer or baseball.

"I wholeheartedly recommend this, and my catching abilities are still horrible so I need the practice anyway," said Thomson.

The proposal was voted in unanimously. The next regular School Committee meeting is scheduled for April 25 at 7 p.m. at the Norwood High School Library.

## Special Voter Registration Session

The Board of Registrars will be conducted at the Town Clerk's office, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 P.M.

A mail-in registration form is now available at Norwood Morrill Memorial Library and the Norwood Post Office.

You may also register to vote on-line at [sec.state.ma.us](http://sec.state.ma.us)

Qualifications to register to vote are that the applicants must be 18 years old on or before election day and must either be born in the United States or be a Naturalized Citizen.

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