

## Fire Chief planning lawsuit Selectmen state Howard not welcome on property

**Vinaya Saksena**  
Staff Reporter

The town's longtime fire chief, who went on medical leave earlier this year, is preparing to file a lawsuit against several town officials over the manner in which they have allegedly treated him, while the selectmen have instructed him not to return to work.

In a lengthy statement issued last week, Fire Chief Michael Howard said he planned to take legal action against several town officials, whom he claims have obstructed his return to work. He also said his family was seeking help paying legal costs incurred over the matter, which he said were expected to increase as he mounts his legal case against the aforementioned officials.

Chief Howard said he was still working out details of his legal action, but that he expected to have the action filed in Dedham Superior Court soon. He said those he planned on taking legal action against included Board of Selectmen Chairman Michael J. Lyons, Selectmen William Plasko Sr., Paul Bishop and Allan Howard, Town Manager John Carroll, Human Resources



Fire Chief Michael Howard

Director Michelle Pizzi, Deputy Fire Chief and Acting Fire Chief Ron Maggio, Acting Deputy Fire Chief/Captain George Geary, Fire Department Lieutenant Paul Butters and Business Manager Kathy Bane.

The Chief said he had been dealing with an unspecified medical condition "since late November, 2011," which his medical team had determined was "directly related to and caused by my job as Fire Chief." He said his illness worsened in April, forcing him to take leave under the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA).

Chief Howard said things became more complicated af-

**Howard**

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This B-17 Flying Fortress bomber was among the World War II-era aircraft brought to the Norwood Memorial Airport for a special display this weekend by the Collings Foundation.

PHOTO BY PAUL ELDRIDGE

## Behind the scenes at Collings

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Staff Reporter

The Norwood Memorial Airport hosted a unique group of historic military aircraft last week, in some cases offering rides on the planes.

The Airport hosted a B-17 Flying Fortress bomber, a B-24 Liberator and a P-51 Mustang, which arrived on Friday and remained on site for public viewing until Monday morning. These aircraft were brought in by the Collings Foundation, a non-profit dedicated to preserving, displaying and celebrating historic military aircraft.

The Collings Foundation was started by its namesake, Bob Collings, on a relatively limited scale. According to B-24 Crew Chief Whitney Coyle, however, the Foundation's scope grew over time, as news spread of what they were doing and interest grew as a result.

"They started with a couple of airplanes," Coyle said. "Eventually, it started to grow."

Eventually, Collings managed to purchase a B-17, which Coyle cited as a sign that, for Collings, things were taking off – in every sense of the term. Today, the Foundation takes its planes

all over the country, wherever there is interest.

Collings' aircraft have been restored both functionally and visually, and have been decorated with decals used by American pilots during World War II. Coyle said that in some cases, the decals have been changed more than once to represent different individual bombers.

The B-24, for example, had previously featured the "Dragon and His Tale" decorative scheme, but now bears the less suggestive "Witchcraft" emblem. Coyle said this was the only B-24 in the world still flying.



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# Planning Board releases some funds to Roche

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Staff Reporter

The Planning Board voted unanimously Monday night to release some of the bond funds it had been withholding from a developer pending the results of his attempt to develop a subdivision on Wilson Street, though not as much as the developer had hoped.

After an extensive discussion with that developer, John Roche, and numerous abutters, the Planning Board voted unanimously to release \$18,000 of a \$50,000 sum that had been given to the town by Roche. Roche said the funds released would go towards paying Dennis Clifford of Clifford Construction for work performed at the site.

The Planning Board initially voted on a motion by member Joseph Sheehan to release \$23,000 to Roche, as rec-

ommended by Town Engineer Mark Ryan. However, that motion failed by a 3-2 vote, with only Sheehan and Alfred Porro voting in favor.

Board member Debbie Holmwood said she would feel better if more of the money was withheld, noting that several residents had voiced concern about the effect Roche's property was having on them despite his efforts to rectify the situation, and that it was not certain that the remaining funds would cover remediation costs. A motion by Paul Donohue to release \$18,000 was approved unanimously, though Holmwood said she viewed the motion as a compromise and Chairman Ernie Paciorkowski had initially noted that the Board usually voted in favor of Ryan's recommendations due to their own lack of expertise.

"I would like to hold more, but I'm trying to compromise," Holmwood said.

The decision came after the Board reviewed a statement by Ryan regarding Roche's property, indicating that he felt enough progress had been made in addressing town officials' and abutters' concerns for \$23,000 of the bond money to be released. Charles Wright, who had been serving as a spokesperson for several abut-

ters with concerns about the property, said he had not seen the statement until that evening, and later said he wished to contest it.

Wright said he wanted to know if he should take his grievances regarding Ryan's findings to the Zoning Board of Appeals or elsewhere. Paciorkowski said he was not certain what the proper channel for such complaints was, but that he would attempt to find out, saying he did not want to provide Wright with incorrect information.

"We're not going to forget you," Paciorkowski said. "We're going to do everything we can to remedy [this]. Whatever's in our jurisdiction, we will do."

As had occurred on a previous occasion, several abutters spoke unfavorably of Roche and his development, saying drainage issues caused by the development, combined with his alleged disregard for tree care, was adversely affecting property values. One speaker noted that many of her neighbors were elderly and on small fixed incomes, and thus would be affected by the situation in ways that Roche would not be.

"We're not about ruining Mr. Roche," said Kathie Wright. "Unfortunately, we don't have the kinds of assets that Mr. Roche does."

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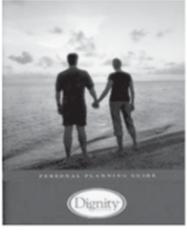
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**Correction**

A story in the Sept. 13 issue of the Norwood Record, "Committee recommends Chamber funding," gave an incorrect figure on a state-level tax credit received by the Steel Art company. Norwood CDF Programming Coordinator gave the amount of the credit as \$148,879, not \$879,000. We regret the error.

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*Grateful thanks. —J.R.G.*

# Weed work won't wait

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Staff Reporter

The Board of Selectmen narrowly decided against postponement of pesticide application in the area of the Callahan Elementary School, after discussing the matter with a concerned resident.

Roosevelt Avenue resident Jerry Shea came before the Board during a presentation by Department of Public Works (DPW) Superintendent Mark Ryan. Ryan had told the selectmen that the DPW had begun using organic pesticides where it was feasible to do so, but noted that fields that had been treated with synthetic materials would have to be weaned off of them gradually.

Shea expressed concern about plans to apply pesticides to fields around the Callahan School this week, saying he and many of his neighbors had not been informed of the plans. He asked that the application be postponed until neighbors could be properly notified.

Ryan and Board of Selectmen Chairman Michael Lyons noted that it was common for notification to go out to all residents in the event of a spraying, but that the substance in question was not applied via spraying. Given that it was ap-

plied in a much safer, more direct fashion on the ground, Lyons and other selectmen initially said they did not see why it was an issue.

Ryan and the selectmen said they believed it was the School District's responsibility to notify those affected by the application. They said the District had notified households with children at the Callahan School, which they believed satisfied legal requirements for notification.

Shea noted that many of the neighborhood's residents were elderly and thus more vulnerable than others to sickness caused by airborne chemicals. He said they should be given time to make preparations, including the removal of window-mounted air conditioning units if they felt it necessary.

Selectman Helen Abdallah Donohue expressed some sympathy for Shea's concerns, saying that although there was no apparent danger to residents and no requirement that anyone without children in the school be notified, it would have been courteous to do so. When Shea pointed out that there were conditions under which such notification was required, Ryan said they did not appear to apply to this particular work, but Donohue said she felt the contractor doing the application

should have notified residents.

For this reason, Donohue made a motion to postpone the application until proper notification could be sent out. Lyons seconded the motion, but it failed to pass, with only the two of them voting in favor of it.

"If I get sick, I'll let you know," Shea told the selectmen as he left the room.

Shea quickly wished Ryan a good day as he left the room. He later returned to apologize for his behavior, though the selectmen said no apology was needed.

### Neighbors (still) frustrated

The selectmen also heard from several residents of Wilson Street regarding concerns about a recently constructed development there, which had been the subject of a Planning Board hearing the previous night. Charles Wright, who spoke for several other residents, said they were frustrated with what they saw as inadequate oversight by the town on

### Selectmen

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# OPINION

## TM should look in the mirror

The trouble at the Norwood Fire Department has transcended disturbing. It has now entered a Twilight Zone relative to who is and isn't in charge, who is allowed on the property and who isn't and finally, the potential danger this exposes Norwood residents to.

No one person or group owns sole responsibility for this mess because there is plenty of blame to go around. However, Town Meeting (TM) should take a collective look in the mirror and accept that it has orchestrated much of where the Department finds itself, despite repeated warnings by town officials that things are terribly awry.

For whatever reason, TM has placed the Fire Department on a pedestal. Starting with approving one of the greatest boondoggles in the history of the state of Massachusetts, the 24-hour shift, better known as the Sleep-For-Pay program, TM has continually supported over-budget spending by the department without demanding real accountability. About a year ago, Selectmen went before TM to try and reign in what appeared to be an out of control department and its unions by requesting Chief Howard report to Town Manager John Carroll, as the Police Chief and virtually every other department currently does. TM again sided with Chief Howard, feeling a "Strong Chief" was important because the lives of Norwood residents were at stake. One TM member actually said, "You make a mistake with the Fire Department, and people die."

Well, the reality is that this decision by Town Meeting has placed the lives of Norwood residents in more danger now than it ever has been. The Strong Chief of the Norwood Fire Department is now no longer allowed on the property. In a statement read on television Tuesday evening, Selectmen Chairman Michael Lyons said that despite Chief Howard declaring he is now fit to return to duty after an extended medical leave, the town has authorized a "security deployment" to prevent him from returning to his building. In Selectman Lyon's statement, he made it clear that the Chief's medical condition was "non-physical" in nature, leaving most to assume his mental or emotional stability is what is in question.

After reading a VERY lengthy press release issued by Howard to the media that the Norwood Record has made available for all to read on its website, norwoodrecord.com, it could certainly be interpreted that Howard is still either extremely paranoid, or that everyone else really is out to get him.

In his statement, Howard lists Carroll, Selectmen, members of his executive staff, members of the firefighters' union and his business manager as those on a much longer list who are out to get him.

The following is directly from Chief Howard's press release: "This is only a short list of the people that have and continue to put me and my family through great pain and suffering by harassing our family. They are knowingly and deliberately involved in unfair treatment, personal attacks, slander, defamation, discrimination, harassment, retaliation, public humiliation and embarrassment while speaking to the Citizens of Norwood, active and retired Officers, Firefighters and Fire/Rescue/EMS Dispatchers who continue to work at the Norwood Fire/Rescue Department."

Some of these people Howard has on his list are the same ones who stood and advocated for him as Strong Chief at Town Meeting.

Unfortunately, his statements are reminiscent of Humphrey Bogart sitting in front of a Navy Tribunal as Captain Queeg in the Caine Mutiny insisting that someone really did eat the strawberries while he continually swirled ball bearings in his hand. It was a painful scene in the movie, but what is now happening at

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2012 from 4:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.

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## Library Events

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### GENEALOGY SEMINAR

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"Jump Start Your Genealogy Research" with Joe Petrie at the Morrill Memorial Library on Wednesday, Oct. 3 at 7 p.m. Returning to the Norwood Library by popular demand, Mr. Petrie will give a PowerPoint presentation, provide handouts and answer questions.

Joe Petrie is a retired Adjunct Professor of Computer Science at MassBay Community College. He is also a member of the New England Genealogical Society, the Family History Society of Newfoundland and Labrador, and the Cape Breton Genealogy and History Association. He has extensively researched his own Canadian ancestry as well as his wife's Irish roots, and enjoys sharing his knowledge of and passion for this subject at numerous libraries and organizations.

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The other two films in the series are "Dive!" on Wednesday, Nov. 14 and "Bag It" on Monday, Dec. 17. Sign up for these free film and discussion nights at the library Reference or Information Desk or call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222. The library is accessible to the physically challenged.



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# Schools pleased with MCAS scores overall

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The results of the most recent round of MCAS tests are in, and they look pretty good overall, in the opinion of the man running Norwood's schools.

Superintendent of Schools James Hayden said last week that he was pleased with the performance of local students on the MCAS exams in the most recent round of testing. He said Norwood students continued to perform well on the exams, even as the means by which they were evaluated had undergone changes.

"Norwood has a lot to be proud of," Hayden said. "Our students are working hard and doing well."

According to Hayden, Norwood schools scored in the highest two ranges possible on the MCAS: levels one and two, with most scoring in the latter category – meaning that they are not narrowing the gap towards total proficiency, but doing well. He said the Oldham and Prescott Schools made Level 1, while the Balch, Cleveland and Coakley Elementary Schools made Level 2.

Hayden noted that Norwood's MCAS goals had

been revised, as previous goals set for it and other communities – in Norwood's case, a goal of 100 percent proficiency by 2014 - had been determined to be somewhat unrealistic. Instead, he said, Norwood is now expected to reduce its proficiency gap by 50 percent by 2017.

According to information published online by the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (ESE), 74 percent of Norwood students scored "Proficient or Higher" on the English Language Arts portion of the MCAS, compared with 69 percent of students across the state. The percentages scoring in that category on the Mathematics portion of the MCAS were 62 percent for Norwood and 59 percent statewide, while those numbers were 57 percent and 54 percent, respectively, on the Science and Technology/Engineering portion of the test.

Five percent of Norwood students scored in the "Warning/ Failing" category – the lowest score category – in English Language Arts, ten percent in Mathematics and eight percent in Science and Technology/ Engineering. Statewide, the numbers in that category were nine percent, 15 percent and 13 percent, respectively.

Students' MCAS scores are being mailed to parents this week, Hayden said. He said the School Committee would be discussing the results in greater detail during its meeting on October 10.

Norwood's elementary school principals recently presented information on their revised school improvement plans for the next two years, all of which were approved by the School Committee. Hayden said most of the improvements the School District intended to make a result of the most recent MCAS scores were already incorporated into those plans.



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## Selectmen *continued from page 3*

the activities of developer John Roche.

Wright said residents had seen water coming onto their property since Roche's subdivision project had been built. They provided the selectmen with several photographs they said documented this problem.

Wright alleged that remedies to such problems offered by Roche had proven insufficient, and questioned whether or not some of them had been performed to code. He said that Town Engineer Mark Ryan and Building Inspector Mark Chubet had visited the area on many occasions, but alleged that real enforcement action had been lacking.

The selectmen said they wished they could be more helpful, but that their enforcement abilities were limited under the law. Donohue noted that under "common law," the mere fact that other residents were

finding water coming onto their property appeared to be unacceptable, as such developments were not supposed to cause harm to others' property.

Town Manager John Carroll said he would be willing to help any way he could, and that he would be willing to discuss the matter with Ryan, Wright and the rest of the involved parties. One resident raised the concern that Roche could sell the property in a short period of time, ending the possibility of having him rectify existing problems. Carroll, however, assured the residents that he was serious about doing something.

"Let me try to work on it," Carroll said.

### Food truck rules ready

Selectman William Plasko Sr. informed the rest of the Board that he had finished preparing proposed regulations for food trucks in town. He had offered to do so when the mat-

ter came up at a previous meeting.

Donohue had some questions about the regulations, but said she found them solid and easy to understand overall. Plasko said he was not necessarily looking for a decision on the regulations that night, and the Board decided to make a final decision on them at another meeting in the near future.

## Opinion

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the Norwood Fire Department is very real and extremely difficult to watch play out.

Currently, the Department is without its appointed Chief, is being run by an interim Chief who already stated he doesn't want the job and has no town authority watching over him and the day-to-day activities of the Department because of the Strong Chief vote by TM. Much needed lifesaving equipment purchases have been put on hold because no one is in charge and the guess here is that when all is said and done, the Town will need to allocate hundreds of thousands of extra dollars to supplement a fire department budget that no one currently accepts responsibility for.

These are the real life consequences of TM's vote to support a Strong Chief Fire Department. Asking a part time Board of Selectmen to oversee a department as large as the Fire Department is unrealistic and unreasonable. In the decades John Carroll has been in charge of departments within this town, nothing like this has ever occurred. It is time TM recognize its mistake and abolish the Strong Chief Fire Department.

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• Noble and Greenough School	Dedham	11-18 years (7-12)	Sat., October 13 – 9-12 pm ♦ Tue., Dec. 4 – 6:30-9 pm	781-320-7100	nobles.edu
• Commonwealth School	Boston	13-18 years (9-12)	Sun., October 14 – 3-5 pm ♦ Tue., Dec. 4 – 7-9 pm	617-266-7525	commschool.org
• Dana Hall School	Wellesley	11-18 years (girls 6-12)	Sun., October 14 – 1-3 pm	781-235-3010	danahall.org
• The Newman School	Boston	13-19 years (9-12)	Sun., October 14 – 2-5 pm	617-267-4530	newmanboston.org
• British School of Boston	Boston/Brookline	18 mo-18 years (Tod.-12)	Wed, Oct. 17, Dec. 5 – 9:30-11 am ♦ Sat., Nov. 3 – 1-3 pm	617-522-2261	britishschoolofboston.org
• Jackson School	Newton	5-12 years (K-6)	Wed., October 17 and Wed., November 14 – 9-11 am	617-202-9772	jwpschools.org
• Meridian Academy	Brookline	11-18 years (6-12)	Wed., October 17 & Wed., November 14 – 7 pm	617-277-1118	meridianacademy.org
• The Rashi School	Dedham	5-14 years (K-8)	Wed., October 17 – 7:30-9 pm ♦ Sun., Nov. 18 – 10-11:30 am	617-969-4444	rashi.org
• St. Sebastian's School	Needham	12-18 years (boys 7-12)	Thurs., October 18 – 5:30-8:30 pm ♦ Thurs., Dec. 6 – 7-8:30 pm	781-449-5200	stsebastiansschool.org
• Dexter School	Brookline	4-18 years (boys PreK-12)	Sat., October 20 – 11-1 pm ♦ Sun., Nov. 4 – 1-3 pm	617-454-2721	dexter.org
• Southfield School	Brookline	4-18 years (girls PreK-12)	Sat., October 20 – 11-1 pm ♦ Sun., Nov. 4 – 1-3 pm	617-454-2721	southfield.org
• Dexter/Southfield (PreK&K)	Brookline	4-6 years	Wed., December 5 – 9:30-11:am (PreK & K only)	617-454-2721	same as above
• Thayer Academy	Braintree	11-18 years (6-12)	Sat., Oct. 20 – 10 am (Upper) & Sat., Nov. 3 – 10 am (Middle)	781-664-2221	thayer.org
• Belmont Day School	Belmont	4-14 years (PreK-8)	Sun, October 21 & Sun., Dec. 2 – 12-3 pm	617-484-3078	belmontday.org
• Brimmer and May School	Chestnut Hill	4-18 years (PreK-12)	Sun., October 21 (Lower School) 1-3 pm, (MS/US) 2-4 pm	617-738-8695	brimmerandmay.org
• The Cambridge School of Weston	Weston	14-18 years (9-12)	Sun., October 21 – 1-4 pm	781-642-8650	csw.org
• Chapel Hill-Chaucy Hall School	Waltham	14-18 years (9-PG)	Sun., October 21 & Sun., November 4 – 1 pm	781-314-0800	chch.org
• Fenn School for Boys	Concord	9-15 years (boys 4-9)	Sun., October 21 & Sun., November 18 – 2-4 pm	978-369-5800	fenn.org
• The Fessenden School	West Newton	4-15 years (boys Pre K-9)	Sun., Oct. 21 & Sun., Dec. 2 – 1-3 pm ♦ Thurs, Nov. 15-6:30-8 (P&K)	617-630-2300	fessenden.org
• Shady Hill School-Lower School	Cambridge	4-10 years (PreK-4)	Sun., October 21 – 2-4 pm	617-520-5200	shs.org
• The Advent School	Boston	4-12 years (PreK-6)	Wed., October 24 – 9-11 am ♦ Sun., Nov. 18 – 2-4 pm	617-742-0520	adventschool.org
• Kingsley Montessori School	Boston	2-12 years (PreK-6)	Wed, October 24 – 8:45-11:15 am ♦ Sun., Dec. 2 – 1-3:30 pm	617-226-4931	kingsley.org
• Beaver Country Day School	Chestnut Hill	11-18 years (6-12)	Thurs., Oct. 25 – 7 pm ♦ Mon., November 12 – 8:15 am	617-738-2725	bcdschool.org
• Fayerweather Street School	Cambridge	3-14 years (PreK-8)	Sat., Oct. 27 – 1-4 pm (PreK-8) ♦ Sat., Jan. 12 – 9:30-11:30 (PreK-2)	617-876-4746	fayerweather.org
• BB&N Middle and Upper School	Cambridge	12-18 years (7-12)	Sat., October 27 – 9-12 pm	617-800-2136	bbns.org
• BB&N Lower School	Cambridge	4-12 years (PreK-6)	Sat, October 27 – 1:30-4 pm	617-800-2471	bbns.org
• The Rivers School	Weston	11-18 years (6-12)	Sat., October 27 – 9:00-12 pm	781-235-9300	rivers.org
• Cambridge Montessori School	Cambridge	21 mos. to 14 years (T-8)	Sun., October 28 – 1-3 pm	617-492-3410	cambridgemontessori.org
• Boston University Academy	Boston	13-18 years (9-12)	Sun., October 28 & Sun., December 2 – 1-3 pm	617-353-9000	buacademy.org
• Delphi Academy	Milton	2.9-13 years (PreK-8)	Sun., October 28 & Sun., December 9 – 1-3 pm	617-333-9610	delphiboston.org
• Meadowbrook School	Weston	4-14 years (Ir.K-8)	Sun., Oct. 28 – 1-3 pm ♦ Tue., Dec. 4 – 9-10:30 am	781-894-1193	meadowbrook-ma.org
• Newton Montessori School	Newton	15mo-12 years (Todd.-6)	Sun., October 28 – 12-2 pm ♦ Thurs., Nov. 15 – 9:30-11am	617-969-4488	newtonmontessori.org
• Waldorf High School of Mass Bay	Belmont	14-18 years (9-12)	Sun., October 28 – 1-3 pm	617-489-6600	waldorfhighschool.org
• Dedham Country Day School	Dedham	4-14 years (PreK-8)	Thurs., Nov. 1 – 5:30-7:30 pm ♦ Fri., Nov. 9 – 8:30-10:30 am	781-329-0850	dedhamcountryday.org
• Cambridge Friends School	Cambridge	4-14 years (PreK-8)	Sat., November 3 – 1-3 pm	617-354-3880	cfsmass.org
• Milton Academy K-8 Division	Milton	5-14 years (K-8)	Sat., November 3 – 1:30-3:30 pm	617-898-2509	milton.edu
• Carroll School	Lincoln/Waltham	6-15 years (1-9)	Sun., November 4 & Sun., January 27 – 12-4 pm	781-259-8342	carrollschool.org
• Charles River School	Dover	4-14 years (PreK-8)	Sun., November 4 – 2-4 pm & Wed., January 9 – 9-10:30 am	508-785-8213	charlesriversschool.org
• The Chestnut Hill School	Chestnut Hill	3-12 years (Beginners-6)	Sun., November 4 – 1-3 pm	617-566-4394	tchs.org
• The Park School	Brookline	4-15 years (PreK-9)	Sun., November 4 – 12-3 pm	617-277-2456	parkschool.org
• Lexington Montessori School	Lexington	21 mos-14 years (Todd-8)	Sun., Nov. 4 – 1-3 pm ♦ Thurs. Jan 10 – 9:30-11:30 am	781-862-8571	lexmontessori.org
• Newton Country Day School	Newton	10-18 years (girls 5-12)	Sun., November 4 – 1-3 pm	617-244-4246	newtoncountryday.org
• Nashoba Brooks School	Concord	3-14 years (PS-8)	Sun., Nov. 4 – 1-3 pm ♦ Thurs., Jan. 10 – 6:30-8 pm	978-369-4591	nashobabrooks.org
• Inly School	Scituate	18 mo-12 years (Todd.-8)	Thurs., November 8 – 9 am ♦ Thurs., Dec. 6 – 7 pm	781-545-5544	inlyschool.org
• The Winsor School	Boston	10-18 years (girls 5-12)	Fri., November 9 – 8:30-12 pm	617-735-9503	winsor.edu
• Tenacre Country Day School	Wellesley	4-12 years (PreK-6)	Sun, Nov 11 – 1-3 pm ♦ Tuesdays, 11/20 - 1/29 drop in 8:15-9:15 am	781-235-2282	tenacreeds.org
• Shady Hill School-Middle School	Cambridge	11-14 years (5-8)	Wed., November 14 – 7 pm	617-520-5200	shs.org
• Lesley Ellis School	Arlington	2.9-12 years (PS-6)	Sat., November 17 – 10-12 pm	781-641-1346	lesleyellis.org
• Adams Montessori School	Quincy	15 mo -12 years	Sun., December 2 & Sun., Feb., 10 – 1-3 pm	617-773-8200	adamsmontessori.org
• Fay School	Southborough	4-15 years (PreK-9)	Sun., December 2 – 1-4 pm	508-490-8201	fayschool.org

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This sign, recently erected in front of the Willett Early Childhood Center, was found destroyed by vandals sometime this weekend.

COURTESY PHOTO

# Willett sign vandalized

**Vinaya Saksena**  
Staff Reporter

A sign recently erected in front of a local school building has been destroyed by vandals, according to a member of the school's Parent Teacher Organization (PTO).

A sign in front of the Willett Early Childhood Center was found heavily damaged by custodial staff Monday morning, according to Willett PTO Treasurer Gina Naumann. She said police had apparently noticed the vandalism at

some point during the weekend.

"What was left afterwards was two smaller pieces," Naumann said. "It was basically broken into five pieces. And then they found four or five more pieces" in the woods nearby.

According to Naumann, the sign was installed earlier this year in honor of former Principal Ginny Ceruti, commemorating over twenty years of service. Naumann said the sign was paid for by families with children in the Willett, at a cost of \$2,450.

Naumann said she hoped those who destroyed the sign would be found and that those people – or their family if they are juveniles – could be made to pay the cost of replacing the sign. In any case, she said, the PTO hoped to replace the sign soon.

"Ideally, I'd like to find the people that did it and make them pay for it," Naumann said. "It's a big sign, and they really had to work at it to break it. But in the meantime, it will be replaced."

Naumann hoped the incident would motivate people in Norwood to be more vigilant about protecting such pieces of public property. She noted the sign's maker, Sign Language Signs, had reported having to replace another sign it had made on several occasions due to vandalism.

Legal

### NORWOOD PLANNING BOARD Public Hearing Notice

Pursuant to Mass. General Law Chapter 40A, and 10.5, 6.1.12, and 6.1.3M of the Norwood Zoning Bylaws and The Norwood Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, October 15, 2012 at 7:15 P.M. in Room 12, Norwood Town Hall, 566 Washington Street, concerning a Major Site Plan Approval and Special Permit for MS International, 1050-1080 University Avenue, Norwood, MA. (Map 22, Sheet 5, Lot 3). The applicant MS International, 1080 University Avenue, Norwood, MA and the owner is 1080 University Avenue LLC, 2095 North Batavia Street, Orange, CA 92865. A copy of the plans and accompanying reports are on file in the office of the Planning Board and may be reviewed during normal business hours.

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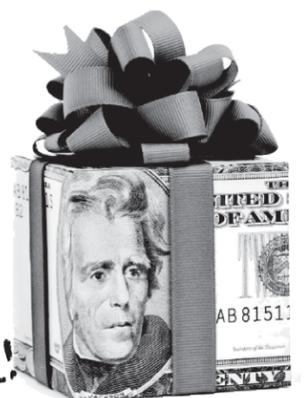
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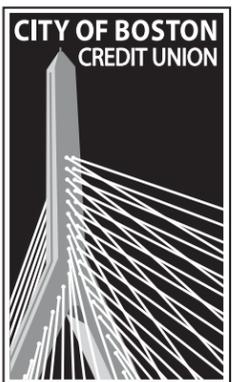


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# Legals

## 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 **October 9, 2012 at 7:45 PM** on the request of **Alan Symmes Revolution Automotive Services Inc.** (Case # 12-34) with respect to property located on **445 Walpole Street**, in a **GB-General Business District**.

The application requests:

This Application requests a **SPECIAL PERMIT** under Section 3.1.5 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow automotive repair within a General Business district. Applicant is looking to relocate to a new existing 32'x46' addition within an adjacent building.

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

### BOARD OF APPEAL

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

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The application requests:

This application requests a Special Permit under Section 3.1.5F.9 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow an animal veterinary hospital in a Central Business Zoning District.

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.

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—Lord Acton

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# Public meeting on rink next week

**Vinaya Saksena**  
Staff Reporter

An informal, informational meeting will be held early next week for those interested in finding out more about plans for an ice hockey rink in Norwood.

Michael Thornton, a local hockey parent, said the meeting will take place Monday, with municipal and school officials on hand to discuss the project. He said the meeting would be an opportunity for residents – particularly those living in South Norwood, where the facility will likely be

constructed – to learn about and weigh in on the process.

As proposed, the rink would be built at the current site of tennis courts next to the Coakley Middle School, with the courts to be re-located further back on the school property. A Department of Conservation and Recreation official said the site looked promising.

State Rep. John Rogers told local officials this summer that he would be seeking state funding for the rink project. The legislature included \$5.569 million in its supplemental budget, with Governor Deval Patrick ultimately signing the bill after it

was approved in August.

“We’re so [excited] to have that happen,” Thornton said. “It’s exciting beyond belief.”

Rogers’ office said a committee charged with coordinating the rink project with state officials will meet Thursday. Chairing it will be recent Norwood High School graduate and former NHS hockey player Matt Brown, who was paralyzed in an accident during a game in 2010.

The meeting on the proposed rink will take place Monday, Oct. 1 at 7:00 p.m. in the Coakley Middle School’s auditorium.

## Howard *continued from page 1*

ter May 3, when his doctor gave him medical clearance to return to work. He said Pizzi sent him a notice stating that he would have an appointment with a doctor on May 21 to determine if he was ready to return to work.

Chief Howard alleged that on May 11, Lyons asked to come to his home for a discussion, which he later said was “unofficial.” The Chief said Lyons asked the date of his town medical evaluation and said the town had received a six-page letter with complaints about the Chief.

Chief Howard said he asked to see the letter, but never did see it. He also said Lyons later indicated that the town had received a three-page letter from Geary detailing alleged misuse of funds by Chief Howard when paying Fire Department invoices - allegations Chief Howard claimed firefighters had reported hearing publicly in the Fire Station as well.

Chief Howard said Lyons advised him that he should not go to his medical evaluation, and should instead consider Accidental Disability Retirement. Chief Howard also alleged that Lyons told him he would write a letter placing him

on administrative leave if he passed his “Fitness for Duty” exam, and schedule a disciplinary hearing to remove him as chief; and that the selectmen “don’t want me to come back to work as the Fire Chief.”

Following requests for comment, the selectmen issued a statement after an executive session Tuesday night, which Lyons read during the televised conclusion of the meeting. The statement outlined a disagreement over whether or not Chief Howard’s illness was caused by his work, as well as the parties’ failed attempts to reach an agreement regarding pay and the selectmen’s response to allegations made by the Chief.

“As many of you know Fire Chief Michael Howard has not been actively performing his duties as Fire Chief for several months as he has struggled with health issues which are not of a physical nature,” the selectmen’s statement said. “This Board has now come to the conclusion that it is in the best interest of the Town of Norwood and the Norwood Fire Department that Chief Howard not return to active duty.”

The selectmen said they had offered an agreement by which Chief Howard could be fully paid through May 14 of 2014, at which point he would be fully vested in the state’s Public Employee Retirement Sys-

tem. They said the Chief refused to sign the agreement, and made counter offers, “which the Board considered to be wholly unacceptable.” They also said he had not proven that his illness was work-related, and questioned claims made in the statements he sent to the press.

“Many of these statements border on lies and defamation of character,” the selectmen said. “While we respect Chief Howard’s constitutional right to create such a press release we certainly believe that its tone and content are disrespectful and insubordinate.”

Lyons said Chief Howard had provided a letter from his doctor saying he was fit to return to work Wednesday, and that he had sent the Chief a letter acknowledging this and indicating that an examination would be scheduled to determine his fitness to return to work. In that letter, which was included in the selectmen’s statement, Lyons indicated that Chief Howard was “NOT authorized to return to work” in the meantime.

Lyons added that Chief Howard had called his cell phone, saying he intended to report to work at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday. Lyons said he had “emphatically” told the Chief not to do so. Chief Howard was not seen arriving at the Fire Department at the stated time.

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# Sports



TJ George carries the ball up the sideline in last weekend's game against Wellesley. The Mustangs would fall to Wellesley 29-22.

PHOTO BY PAUL ELDRIDGE

## Mustangs stopped in final seconds by Wellesley

Kevin Stone  
Staff Reporter

Stunningly, it happened again.

After erasing a 22-8 half-time deficit, the Norwood football team couldn't pull out a win against Wellesley last Saturday in their home opener in the final seconds of the game.

It was the second straight week that Norwood lost in the games' fleeting moments.

Trailing 29-22, the Mustangs faced a first and goal with just under 30 seconds to play. After three tries, the Mustangs were faced with a fourth-and-goal from inside the one-yard line, but a bobbled snap on the final play gave Wellesley a huge Bay State win while the Mustangs stunningly fell to 0-3.

"In both instances (the Natick game as well) the other team just made more plays than we did when they had too. Bottom line," said head coach John Sarianidies. "We came out flat and they jumped on us early. I thought the effort to get back into it in the second half was good but we just couldn't finish. It's tough

but we have to turn the page and go try to get a win next week."

Norwood fell behind 7-0 early, but a sack in the end zone for Ryan Igoe got Norwood on the board with a safety with 6:47 left in the first quarter.

After Wellesley then went up 14-2 in the second quarter on an 18-yard TD pass to John Wilson, the Mustangs responded with 9:12 left in the half on a nine-yard TD run Tyler Gover after an impres-

sive drive. Wellesley would again find the end zone on another long TD pass by quarterback Chris Sani and the 22-8 lead at the half seemed insurmountable. But things were actually just getting started for the Mustangs.

Wellesley fumbled the second half kickoff and Norwood recovered but couldn't move the ball. It would prove to be a huge blown opportunity as

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Norwood players run out onto the field before the home opener against Wellesley.

PHOTO BY KEVIN STONE

## Field Hockey improves to 7-1

Kevin Stone  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood field hockey team is continuing to make a statement to the rest of the Bay State Conference.

After a clean sweep of games last week, the girls entered this week at 7-1 overall, and an impressive 6-0 Bay State League.

Here's a look at all three games last week.

Tues. 9/18  
Norwood 4  
Bellingham 0

"Overall, I thought we played a solid game against Bellingham. Our non-league contests have always been close against Bellingham so it was nice to see us control play and grab an early lead," said head coach Allison Penza.

Allison Ryan would score the first of her two goals at the 23:51 mark in the 1st half and then her second at the 18:35 mark assisted by Jenny O'Donnell.

"We went into the half up 2-0. In the first half, we came out strong and our mids, Sammy Hayes, Kayla Garczynski and Sheila Carroll did an excellent job of controlling midfield play and working the ball to our forwards," said Penza.

"We knew that we would have to continue to play with intensity knowing that Bellingham would look to come out strong in the second half. We continued to do a nice job of possessing the ball and limited Bellingham's offensive chances. Sheila Carroll would increase our lead to three when she converted at the 25:16 mark of the second assisted by Allison Ryan. The fourth and final goal of the night would be scored by Freshman Forward Hannah Benson assisted by Allison Ryan with 17 minutes remaining. I really felt this was an important win for our team especially with tough league games against Wellesley and Natick later in the week. It was nice to see the team set the tone for the week with a decisive win against Bellingham," explained Penza.

Wed. 9/19 Norwood 2  
Wellesley 1

"This was a huge win for not only this season but for our program," said Penza. "We have played Wellesley tough over the past few years but we have been on the losing end of most of those contests. I knew if we came to play we could definitely beat Wellesley but it was going to take a total team effort for the full 60 minutes."

It was 0-0 at the half, and Norwood had the better of the offensive opportunities but were unable to capitalize. "We started the second half out strong and finally were able to crack the Wellesley defense with a goal by Soph. Sammy Hayes assisted by Sr. Lauren Harrington," she explained. Wellesley tied the game at one just about two minutes later. The girls continued to play strong and didn't allow the Wellesley goal to deflate them. Allison Ryan would score the winning goal with less than eight minutes remaining. Smart decisions and good defensive play would secure the win for Norwood.

"This was a huge win for us as one of our goals this season was to compete for the top spot in the league and in order to do that we would have to at least take 1 of the season series against the Raiders. I was so proud of how our team played to be able to put in the effort they did after playing the night before really showed me what this team is made of."

Fri. 9/21  
Norwood 2 Natick 0

"I was a bit nervous heading into our game on Friday against Natick. With such an emotional win against Wellesley, I was hoping the team could regain their focus and not suffer at letdown against Natick. I thought we came out a bit flat but slowly started to pick up the intensity and after numerous offensive opportunities," Penza noted.

The Mustangs finally a goal by Freshman Maura

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Norwood players huddle together before last Saturday's home opener against Wellesley. The team couldn't score in the final seconds and fell to the Raiders.

PHOTO BY KEVIN STONE

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the third quarter ended with the score still at 22-8 and Norwood staring an 0-3 start in the face with just 12 minutes to play.

A 37-yard touchdown pass from John Nardelli to TJ George with 10 minutes to play and an extra point from Ryan Greeley left Norwood down 22-15. The defense, which had been stifling all day got the ball back for the of-

fense with just over seven minutes to play.

Nardelli again led his team down the field, and with 6:14 left again hooked up with George for a score, this time a 15-yard slant over the middle and somehow, the game was tied at 22-22.

Unfortunately, just over two minutes later a 69-yard TD pass for Sani gave Wellesley the lead again at 29-

22. To their credit the Mustangs again drove the ball down the field and set themselves up to with a chance to force overtime before the fourth-and-goal debacle.

"Obviously it's a tough loss but we have no other choice but to turn the page and get ready for Brookline," said a disappointed Sarianidies.

## Swim team tops Dedham in rivalry meet



Captain Eddie Hernon helped Norwood to another win with his strong performance in the 500 freestyle against Dedham.

**Kevin Stone**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood swim team continues to impress after another big win last week over a local rival.

Norwood improved their record to 3-1 yesterday with a big victory over Dedham last week 96 - 74.

"Our goal for this meet was to put together our strongest relays, and, as a result, several relays qualified for sectional and state tournaments," explained head coach Kim Goodwin.

Captains Eddie Hernon and Evelyn Metta went 1 - 2 in the long distance event, the

500 yard freestyle. Juniors Marguerite Lee and Tessa Maguire swam personal best times in their events.

"We had some others who showed their versatility by swimming events that are not

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**Swimming**

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## Golf team sits at 3-2 after recent play

**Kevin Stone**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood golf team is hanging around.

Earlier this season, new head coach Jim Murphy said that "he had a lot of leadership and experience that he believed in," when talking about his squad. After nearly two plus weeks of golf, the Mustangs are continuing to give their coach reason to believe.

After last week, the chippers and putters from Norwood sat at 3-2 entering this week.

The squad got a big Bay State Conference win over Natick at home at Norwood Country Club on Wed 9/19 69-39. Junior Greg Stoney had the low round, a 2-over par 38. Sophomore Mike Murphy shot

39.

On Thursday Norwood beat local rival Dedham back at Norwood CC 67.5 - 40.5. Junior Walker Alexander led the way with a 38.

The momentum from the win at Natick was evident for the Mustang golfers, as they continued to swing the clubs well.

"It was nice to take both of our matches on the week especially being at home for both. We are in good position at this point but have some tough matches coming up," he said.

While golf season is the shortest of any of the fall sports, it seems that this Mustang golf squad is making the most of their 2012 campaign.

## Girls Soccer thinking positive despite tough start

**Kevin Stone**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood girls soccer team doesn't have a win yet, but that's not the whole story.

The Lady Mustangs are a young squad still trying to find themselves, and have continued to battle in every game they have played this season.

Under the leadership of senior captains Britney Cadiz and Alayna Fogg the squad is continuing to work hard and continues to improve according to head coach JJ Oliver.

Sophomore forwards Julia Capponi and Kacie Smith each have two goals and one

assist so far this year for Norwood.

It was a tough week last week for Norwood. On Wednesday the girls lost 5-1 to Wellesley, though the game was closer than it appeared. Kacie Smith scored the only goal, assisted by Jessica Murphy. On Friday, the Mustangs then lost 3-0 to Natick in what was the team's first ever game on the turf at the High School.

"This was by far our best effort of the season," said Oliver despite the loss. "It was tied most of the first half

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O'Neill to go up 1-0. The girls would head into the second half up 1-0 but "knew we were going to have to play a lot better than we did in the 1st half if we wanted to beat this gritty Natick team," Penza explained.

"They started off the second half much better and went up 2-0 on a goal by Sr. Jenny O'Donnell about 5 minutes into the half. I thought as the game went on we played smarter and more like we had in previous games. Although not our best game of the season, I was glad we were able to fight through this game and get a

solid win to set up our battle with Walpole (this past Monday) for first place in the league. Allison Ryan, Sheila Carroll, Kayla Garczynski and Sammy Hayes had outstanding games on the forward and back lines."

Scoring Leaders for the Mustangs as of 9/25:

Allison Ryan - 11 goals and 3 assists - 14 points

Jenny O'Donnell - 5 goals and 3 assists - 8 points

Hannah Benson - 8 goals and 1 assist - 9 points

Sammy Hayes - 2 goals and 5 assists - 7 points

Kayla Garczynski - 4 goals and 3 assists - 7 points

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their specialties as well," noted Goodwin on her teams versatility and willingness to compete.

Junior Anthony Rodriguez, Nick Gaetani, Charlotte Rivard and Senior Captain Alex Metta all came away with wins. Juniors Matt Piasecki, Shannon Bonner, Rachel Mullen, Katherine Osborne, and sophomore Meg Norton continue to improve, scoring points for the Mustangs. The divers (Kristen Folan, MacKenzie Begley, and Brianna Whalen), as in the first 3 meets, outscored their opponents and "continue

to be a strength for our team," according to Goodwin.

The win over Dedham was important not only for the standings, but also because of the rivalry between the two schools and towns, dating back many years.

Norwood's lone loss last week came to Wellesley while the team was undermanned. Never the less, this years Norwood swim team has picked up both it's competitiveness and leadership roles up right where they left it last year. The future continues to be bright for the Mustang pool-ers.

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and we were just down 1-0 most of the second half. We just couldn't get any bounces and they put us away at the end," he explained. "We're 0-6, but do believe based on how hard we're working and the amount of improvement I've seen, we are improving faster than our opponents. So, hopefully that will translate in

to more success as the season goes on," said an encouraged Oliver.

The Bay State Conference is notorious for its strength in girls soccer, and for a team with quite a few young players it is not easy to come away with a victory. The team is hopeful that their first is right around the corner.

## West Side Story comes to Norwood



*Maria (played by Sarah Maloney) grieves for her fallen love, Tony (Anthony Rodriguez), who has just been shot by Chino (Randy Hernandez) as other cast members look on, during a climactic moment in a production of West Side Story. This shot was taken during a performance of West Side Story in the auditorium of Norwood High School on Saturday, Sept. 22.*

PHOTO BY VINAYA SAKSENA

## SENIOR NEWS

**ALTERATIONS AND MENDING:** Bring your alterations to the Senior Center on the first Monday of each month between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m. Please attach your name and telephone number to each garment.

**BASIC COMPUTER COURSE:** A four-part basic computer course is frequently offered to those who wish to learn how to use a computer. Sign-up at the front desk.

**BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC:** Hellenic Health Care will be available for blood pressure screening on the first Wednesday of each month, at noon. Ellis Nursing Home will now offer blood pressure screening on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at noon.

**BOCCIE and HORSESHOES:** Our Bocce Courts and Horseshoe Pits are now open for use! Please call to schedule a time. **BRIDGE:** Our Bridge Club meets on Tuesdays at 9:15 a.m. and Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Library.

**COMPUTER CLUB:** The Computer Club meets each Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. in the library/computer room. Computer users at all levels are invited to attend.

**CRIBBAGE:** Our seniors meet every Monday at 12:45p.m. to play cribbage.

**DIABETES WORKSHOP:** The Diabetes Workshop will resume on Thursday, Sept. 27th, at 11:00 a.m.

**FOOT DOCTOR:** Dr. Cormier is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 18th from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$25.00. Please call for appointment.

**MASSAGE THERAPIST:** Karen Tracy is here on the first Monday of each month. Please sign up at front desk. She will not be here in Sept. Massages are \$30.00 for half an hour.

**MINI FIX-IT SHOP:** The workshop will be open from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. Please, no televisions.

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

**PING PONG:** Our ping-pong table is available for anyone to play. Just ask at the front desk.

**SCRABBLE:** Our Scrabble players meet in the library every Thursday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. Come and join them for a game.

**SHINE:** Our SHINE Counselor, Carol, continues to assist you on Tuesdays from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Please call 781-762-1201 for an appointment. **WHIST:** Whist players meet to play Whist on Tuesdays at 12:45 p.m., in the library.

**WHIST PARTY:** Please note Whist parties will be held on the 4th Friday of each month from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

**Wii GAMES:** We have a Wii Game Console available for anyone that would like to try it. It has bowling, tennis, golf, and other games. Just ask at the front desk for help.

**Sept. 25:** Hearing Testing, Dr. Mario, 10:30 a.m. to Noon. **Sept 27:** New Horizon Dietician, The Meaning of Wellness - 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25: Wrentham Outlets.

## DEATHS

### FAGAN

Barbara E. (Lambe) on Sept. 19. Beloved wife of the late Thomas J. Fagan. Devoted mother to Kevin T. Fagan and his wife, Mary, of Norwood, Patricia E. Pacetti and her husband, John, of Waltham, Doreen F. Collins and her husband, John, of Sumter, South Carolina and Colleen M. Fagan and her fiancé, Michael Medina of Waltham. Grandmother of Kristine M. Trautsch and her husband, Michael, Katie R. Player and her husband, Chance, and Kelly E. Collins. Great Grandmother of Anna Claire Trautsch. Also survived by nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangement by The Joyce Funeral Home, Waltham. Burial will follow in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton. Memorial donations may be made to Saint Luke's Church, Renovation Fund, 132 Lexington Street, Belmont 02478.

### HOLLAND

MARY C. (Dole), 82, of Norwood, on Sept. 23. Beloved wife of Lawrence R. Holland. Devoted mother of Lawrence R. Holland Jr. US Navy of Virginia and the late Francis "Frank" M. Holland. Sister of the late Frank, George and Robert Dole. Grandmother of Gibson Holland. Daughter of the late Frank and Catherine (Foley) Dole. Funeral arrangement by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Saturday Sept 29, at 8am followed by a funeral mass at 9am in St. Catherine of Siena Church Norwood. Visiting hours will be held on Friday Sept. 28, from 4-7pm. A Private Burial will be at a later date at the Mass. National Cemetery Bourne. At the conclusion of the funeral mass the family would

like to invite everyone back to the Holiday Inn in Dedham.

### LEARY

Candace B., 64, of Norwood, on Sept. 23. Candace was born in Middletown, CT on November 26, 1947, daughter of the late Leslie and Arline (Crowell) Brooke. She was raised in Ivoryton, CT, and graduated from Valley Regional High School in Deep River, CT, with the class of 1965. She worked in marketing department for The Gillette Company in Boston for ten years and, during that time, earned her Bachelor of Science degree in business administration from Suffolk University.

Mrs. Leary resided in Quincy, then Hingham for ten years before settling in Norwood more than twenty years ago. She owned and operated the former Farioli's Market with her husband, John, for nearly fifteen years. She subsequently worked as a paralegal for the law offices of Quinlan & Sadowski in Norwood for five years then Fedele & Murray in Norwood for six years. More recently, Mrs. Leary worked as Assistant to the Executive Director at the Exploration School in Norwood.

Mrs. Leary was an active Norwood town meeting member for fifteen years and was also a long-time columnist for the The Daily News Transcript. She was known for her popular musings in the newspaper's "Midpoints" column. Mrs. Leary was a member of the Parents Music Association of Norwood High School while her children attended. Candace was a creative woman who enjoyed poetry and loved to sing anything from jazz to musicals.

She is survived by her two children, Brooke Leary and her husband Michael Morita, of Seattle, WA, Christopher Leary of

Manchester, CT; three sisters, Arline Cardoso of Middletown, CT, Pamela Stevens of Old Saybrook, CT, Robin Austin of Westbrook, CT; one brother, Michael Brooke of Westbrook, CT; many nieces, nephews, cousins and her furry companions, Harley and Rebecca.

She was predeceased by her husband of twenty-nine years, John J. Leary, in 2003; and by her brother, Leslie Brooke.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, Sept. 28, at 11:00 a.m. at the Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole Street, Norwood. Burial will be private. Calling hours will be held on Thursday, September 27, 2012 from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial contributions be made in her memory to the Exploration School or to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

### TIGHE

John M. formerly of Norwood, on Sept. 17. Beloved husband of the late Doris M. (Young) Tighe. He was also predeceased by his much-loved sister, Margaret "Peggy" (Tighe) MacDonald, and their parents, John J. and Catherine (Mulrey) Tighe. He is survived by several nieces & nephews. Funeral arrangement by The Kane Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Easton. Interment with military honors will follow in Highland Cemetery, Norwood. In lieu of flowers, donations in Jack's name would be appreciated to either MSPCA-Angell Memorial Hospital, 350 South Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02130 or Alzheimer's Association, 480 Pleasant St., Watertown, MA 02472.

# Lead found in water supply of two local buildings

**Vinaya Saksena**  
Staff Reporter

Lead has been found in water in two local buildings, including a public school for young children, but that is no cause for alarm, according to Norwood Superintendent of Schools James Hayden.

The Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) recently notified officials in charge of the affected buildings that lead was found in the water supply at the Willett Early

Childhood Center and the Norwood Christian Pre-school. As worrisome as that may sound, Hayden said last week that he was not worried about the findings.

Hayden said the lead-positive results were part of the latest round of tests conducted by the DEP. He said the tests were done statewide, and that all of Norwood's public schools were included in the testing.

"They test our water all the time," Hayden said. "We're keeping a watchful eye on this, because we want our children to be safe."

Hayden said the level of lead found in the water var-

ied from time to time, due to the amount in the water mains at a given time, but that he had been told it was in a safe range. He added that the Board of Health kept tabs on matters like this locally, and would inform him if lead levels in a school building's water were problematic.

Nevertheless, Hayden said a plumber had been contacted to look into the lead levels at the Willett building. In the meantime, however, he said staff and students could safely make normal use of the water. Likewise, Town Manager John Carroll did not seem concerned about the DEP's latest lead findings at the Willett, noting that this had occurred in 2010. He said he believed that no significant levels of lead would be found in the water after it was run for a few minutes, allowing it to be flushed out.

"We don't have lead in our drinking water," Carroll said. "The lead comes from faucets."

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## Police Logs

### Tuesday Sept. 18

- 0112 initiated - Noise complaint area search negative Location/address: Norwest Dr Caller reports hearing 2 males talking very loud and something being bounced off building. N677,n662 responded and area checked. Nothing found.
- 0744 initiated - Report of fight complaint/summons Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Officer Mahoney reports fight in front of school n662 responded and assisted. NFD responded as well.
- 1207 phone - Susp activity services rendered Location/address: Norwood Depot - Railroad Ave Mother reports her son is threatening to break every window in her car that is parked at Norwood Depot, spot 229. Officer checked residence on Alandale Pkwy, not there. 09/18/2012 1537 mv still ok.
- 1330 phone - Susp activity gone on arrival Location: Wilson St Pk Caller reports small blk mv parked in driveway of Wilson St Pk, nh tags. Male appears to be videotaping.
- 1530 phone - Susp activity Location/address: Ellis Ave Resident reports 2 blk males dressed in black have been walking up and down street, disappeared behind neighbors house and now they have a backpack and canvass tote between them. N662 reports back door kicked in at #51. Bolo to cars and south tactical. MBTA-bus, MBCR-train notified. Canton, Randolph, and Dept. Of corrections k9s respond. Walpole pd notified-they check tracks and at 1658 hrs stop 1 male Rte1/Union-mc6 takes information and releases same.
- 1940 911 - Motor vehicle accident arrest(s)made Location/address: Monroe St Caller reports a car drove into a neighbors yard. N662 and N663 responded. Two calls just before 911 reported ma reg. 241ns9 driving over curbs in Shaw's lot. Same car located on Monroe Street. Negoshian's Tows ma pc 241ns9. N662 places subject under Arrest and transports to station. Arrest: Mavrellis, James P Address: 11 Malvern Rd Norwood Dob: 09/28/1952 Charges: oui liquor or .08% Negligent operation of motor vehicle
- 2058 phone - Susp person area search negative Location/address: Norwest Dr Passing pedestrian reports male walking around complex to left of clubhouse. Report acting "creepy", pulling sleeves up/down, only walking in darkened areas. W/m,6",brown zip sweatshirt,jeans.
- 2241 911 - Disturbance spoken to Location/address: Adams St Report someone banging on her door. N679 reports no one in staiwell, halls etc, spoke to caller, may have been the wind.

### Wednesday Sept. 19

- 1130 walk-in - Susp activity services rendered Location/address: Concord Ave Resident in station to report what appears to be a tent set up in woods. End of Concord Ave, over tracks then on other side of hill. Off Kehoe to check it out. Off Kehoe and Off Harkins checked it out, no signs of anyone living in it, just kids with a make shift tent. Officers dismantled it as best they could.
- 1141 911 - Shoplifting arrest(s)made Location/address: Home Depot - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports altercation on rte 1 outside of Home Depot. Home Depot called to report shoplifting. As a result of this call, shoplifter brought to station for crime and a warrant. Arrest: Anderson, Maliek Address: 63 Armadine St. Apt. #2 Dorchester Dob: 01/02/1973 Charges: larceny over \$250 Warrant arrest
- 1426 phone - Unwanted party spoken to Location/address: Norwood Airport Inc - Access Rd Caller reports w/male in flight level terminal acting strangely, he was asked to leave earlier but. Has returned. Subject checks ok, sent on his way.
- 1821 walk-in - B & E of motor vehicle Location/address: Napper Tandy's - Day St Black bag taken from parked mv. Soft style briefcase.
- 1855 phone - Harassment gone on arrival Location/address: Oldham School - Prospect St Caller reports kids being harassed by landscaper in KNK Landscaping truck. Caller gone, no kids and landscaping truck no longer there.
- 1900 phone - Mischief (kids) spoken to Location/address: Bridge - Cedar St Caller reports congregating in tunnel and on tracks. One Youth appears to be putting rocks on the tracks. W/male, Blonde hair, tan top, jeans.
- 2203 phone - Assaults arrest(s)made Location/address: Pleasant Pl Caller reports his 15 yo daughter was physically assaulted by an acquaintance. As a result of this call, juvenile brought to station under arrest for assault and battery. S/m 64101.7 @2229 hrs 64102.8 @2232 hrz. Juvenile arrest Age: 15 Charges: A&B A&B A&B with dangerous weapon

### Thursday Sept. 20

- 1150 walk-in - Susp activity spoken to Location/address: Morrill Memorial Library - Walpole St Custodian in station with brief case that was reported stolen last evening. Off E Farioli took report. Off Lear left supplemental narrative.
- 1441 radio - Message delivery unsuccessful service Location/address: Sturtevant Ave Library has issued letter of disinvite, request it gets served by officer. Subject not home, message left for him to contact NPD.
- 1859 phone -Soliciting Location/address: Brewster Dr Caller states that there is a solicitor in the neighborhood who she believes is suspicious. A officer will be checking the area Officer states that there was not anyone in the area.
- 1906 phone - Kids gathering gone on arrival Location/address: Roosevelt Ave Caller states that across from her residence, there are 3 kids who are in the backyard of what she believes is a vacant house Officers were unable to find anyone in the area

# The Record Book

**SKATING RINK MEETING**

Cordially invites the Norwood public to attend an informational meeting at the Coakley Auditorium, located in the Coakley Middle School, 1315 Washington Street in Norwood, on Monday, Oct. 1, at 7 p.m. This event is hosted by the South Norwood Committee. The purpose of the meeting is to provide information and to answer questions related to a skating facility proposed for construction in South Norwood. Administrative representatives from the Norwood school system and general government will be on hand to help facilitate discussion related to recent state procurement of \$5.569 million for the proposed Norwood skating rink, approved by state legislators, and signed by Governor Deval Patrick.

**CHARLWELL HOUSE ANNUAL CRAFT SHOW**

On Saturday Oct. 27, from 10am-3pm for the Annual Craft Show. Come to the Charlwell House, 305 Walpole Street, Norwood. There will be raffles, a bake sale, white elephant table and talented crafters selling their wares as well as Pony rides for the kids. Don't miss this event!

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS**

On Saturday, Sept. 29, at 10:00am at the First Congregational Church. We will gather under the maple tree on the side lawn, and bring all creatures great and small to be blessed. Visitors are always welcome at the First Congregational Church, located at the corner of Route 1A and Winter Street in Norwood. All Christians - and even many non-Christians - claim St. Francis of Assisi as role model. He is the patron saint of ecology and animals in Roman Catholicism. We admire his gentleness, his joyousness, his belief in the goodness of God's creation and his reverence for all living things. We will invoke the spirit of Francis for our Blessing of the Animals.

**THE NORWOOD ROTARY CLUB SALUTE TO OUR VETERANS**

On Friday Nov. 2, at 7pm at the Elks Hall, 152 Winslow Ave. The Norwood Rotary Club will present "Salute To Our Veterans", a patriotic musical program featuring "The Singing Trooper" Sgt. Dan Clark. Donation \$15.00. Proceeds will benefit Norwood Veterans and their families and other Norwood charities. Light refreshments will be served. Cash bar available. For tickets call Linda 781-821-8800 or Marion 781-762-6046.

**THE NORWOOD CIRCLE OF HOPE FOUNDATION PRESENTS**

Beatles tribute band Beatlejuice The Norwood Circle of Hope invites you to join the invasion! A British invasion that is on Saturday, Nov. 17. They present Beatles tribute band Beatlejuice. For over 16 years Beatle juice has been the #1 choice for Beatles fans looking to get their fix of the Fab 4. Faithfully reproducing some of the greatest songs ever written, Beatlejuice covers every era of the Beatles catalog and on to the solo careers of the boys from Liverpool. This will be an evening of fun filled music that will have you on your feet dancing and singing along all while helping a good cause as the Circle of Hope

Foundation starts its 14th year of providing assistance to residents of Norwood. Tickets are \$40 per person and go on sale Thursday, Oct. 4. Tickets include the show, dinner and a guaranteed good time. The show will be held at the Norwood Elks Hall and the starts at 7:00 p.m. Tickets and more information are available by calling (781) 762 - 3549 or (781) 769 - 8415. Advance ticket sales only. # # #

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S SOCIAL**

The social will take place on Sept. 27 at 12:30 p.m. at the Old Colonial Café, 171 Nathatan St., Norwood. All former members and guest are welcome. Tickets are \$30.00 and checks may be made payable to Norwood Catholic Club and mailed to Ann White Scoble, 312C Bahama Drive, Norwood, MA 02062. The deadline for purchasing tickets is Sept. 24. For further information please call Ann White Scoble (781) 762-6487 or Dolly Parker at (781) 255-0228.

**THRIFT SHOP HOURS** The Norwood Committee Thrift Shop has resumed its regular hours. The shop located at 1194 Washington Street is open for business on Wednesdays 6:00-8:00pm, Thursdays 9:30am-3:00pm & Saturdays 9:30am-12:30 pm. On Mondays & Wednesdays from 9:00-11:00am the shop is open for donations only. Please visit us on Facebook at WCC Thrift Shop for our weekly sales.

**NHS ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME INDUCTION CEREMONY**

The Norwood High School Athletic Hall of Fame Committee will induct a new class of eight on Sunday Sept. 30, in the "new" Norwood High School at 245 Nichols Street. The event will start at 11:00 a.m. reception with refreshments followed by the induction ceremony from noon to 2:00. The 2012 inductees are: Fran Harrington '45, John Cieri '53, Tom Shea '68, Rick Kief '77, Bill Brigham '88, Kristin Cieri '88, Khalid Riley '94 and Orlando A. Scafati 1946 - 1970. Tickets are \$10 per person and must be purchased in advance by calling Nora Glynn 781 551 8585.

**CASEY'S 5K FAMILY FUN RUN/WALK**

On Saturday, Sept. 29 at 10 a.m. at St Timothy's Church, 650 Nichols St., Norwood. Entry fee (pre and post) \$20.00. Tee shirts to the first 100 registered runners. Awards to the first 3 overall male and female finishers. Computerized timing, water stops and post race food. All proceeds to benefit the Casey Marsh Fund. For more information please contact Kevin Sweeney at 781-769-6247 or Jim Henry at 781-255-9609.

**MOMS CLUB OF NORWOOD IS SEEKING NEW MEMBERS**

Are you a mom who works part-time or is a stay at home mom? Are you looking to meet new people? You are in luck because The Moms Club of Norwood is seeking new members. We do lots of fun family activities every week and once a month we find time to hangout for a mom's night out! The cost is \$25 per year. If you or anyone you know is looking to meet new moms/children then please contact Angela M a c L e a n momsclubofnorwood@yahoo.com and I will email you an application.

**DIAMOND CLUB FALL BALL REGISTRATION**

The Norwood Diamond Club is sponsoring Fall Baseball for "Babe Ruth" age boys who played Babe Ruth this past season or will be eligible to play next spring (players born between 5/1/96-4/30/00). The league is looking for both players and coaches. Each team will play 12 games over 6 weekends beginning in Sept. There is an end of the year cookout. The cost is \$125 per player. Registration forms are available at the Civic, or contact Ed Hickey 617-759-3472, Tracey Black 781-762-9931, or Bill Marchant 781-762-5411.

**TEMPLE SHAARE TEFILAH DINNER AND EVENING SERVICE**

Will have a dinner followed by an evening service on Friday, Oct.19. The dinner, costing \$9, will be at 6:30 p.m., followed by the Kabbalat Shabbat service, open to all, at 8 p.m. Please call dinner reservations in to the Temple office by Tuesday, Oct.16, Tel. 1-781-762-8670.

**FUNDRAISER WALK FOR THE ECUMENICAL COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY OF NORWOOD**

A fun 3-mile walk around Norwood benefiting the Ecumenical Community Food Pantry of Norwood is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 13. The entire community is invited to participate in this worth-

while event to help feed the hungry of Norwood. All pledge money raised by the walkers goes directly to the Norwood food pantry to help stock the pantry and meet holiday food needs. Walkers are also encouraged to bring a non-perishable item as a registration donation.

Sign up sponsors for your walk and take the challenge of walking, running or strolling along a 3-mile route around Norwood. Sponsor sheets have been distributed to select locations around town including houses of worship, the library and Town Hall and are available through the Grace Episcopal Church website www.gracenor.org (under the newsletter link) or by calling the church at 781-762-0959.

The walk begins at 9 a.m. on Oct. 13 with registration starting at 8:30 a.m. All pledge money will be collected the morning of the walk and will go directly to the Ecumenical Community Food Pantry of Norwood. The walk route starts and ends at Grace Episcopal Church, located at 150 Chapel Street.

The Ecumenical Community Food Pantry of Norwood serves approximately 300 families in Norwood and Westwood. Established in 1989, the food pantry is an all-volunteer organization dedicated to helping those in need in the Norwood and Westwood communities. The pantry operates year round and has been housed at Grace Episcopal Church since its inception. Food donations are always welcome and can be dropped off at the pantry

on Thursdays from 8:30-9:30 a.m. and on Saturdays from 7:30-11:00 a.m. Drop-off boxes are also located at Morrill Memorial Library, Roche Bros. Westwood supermarkets and local houses of worship. Volunteers are always needed and food drives benefiting the pantry are always welcome. For information on how to help, call the food pantry at 781-769-0425.

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS AT GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

Grace Episcopal Church, 150 Chapel Street, will observe the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi on Sunday, Oct. 7 with Blessing of the Animals at the 10:00 am worship service. The church welcomes pets of all kinds and the community is invited to bring their pets to be blessed. This special service marks the Feast of St. Francis, the saint who was especially close to animals. His feast day reminds Christians of the beauty and importance of God's creations and the responsibility to take care of them.

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The Town of Norwood, acting through the Permanent Building Construction Committee, as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed bids for the Town Hall Exterior Restoration, for the Town Hall building located at 566 Washington Street, Norwood, MA, in accordance with Contract Documents prepared by Gienapp Design Associates, LLC, 20 Conant Street, Danvers, MA 01923.

General bids and filed sub-bids may only be submitted by Bidders which have been pre-qualified for this project in accordance with MGL c149 §44D1/2 and 810 CMR 9.00 and MGL c149 §44D ¾ and 810 CMR 10.00, respectively.

Bidding procedures and award of the Contract will be in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 149 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as amended.

The estimated cost of the project is \$2,500,000.

Each general bid on this Contract must be accompanied by a copy of a Certificate of Eligibility issued by the Massachusetts Division of Capital Asset Management showing that the bidder has the classification Historic Masonry and capacity rating to perform the work required. In order to be eligible to bid on this Contract, a general bidder must be certified for the estimated project cost of \$2,500,000. Each general bid and sub-bidder must also be accompanied by a Contractor Qualification Statement Update. The Awarding Authority will furnish copies of the Contractor Qualification Statement Update form to any bidder on request. All sub-bids on this contract must be accompanied by a copy of a Certificate of Eligibility issued by the Massachusetts Division of Capital Asset Management showing that the bidder has the sub-trade classification and capacity rating to perform the work required. Any bid (whether general or sub-bid) submitted without the appropriate Certificate of Eligibility and Contractor Qualification Statement Update shall be invalid.

Sealed bids shall be submitted on a form furnished by the Awarding Authority and clearly identified as a bid, endorsed with the name and address of the bidder, FSB section and the name of the project, and **submitted to:**

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received no later than the times set forth below, when they will forthwith be publicly opened and read aloud at this location.

Sealed bids for the sub-trades designated below will be received until **11:00 am, Tuesday, October 16, 2012.**

Sealed bids for the General Contract will be received until **11:00 am, Wednesday, October 24, 2012.**

All bids may be mailed or hand-delivered to the above specified receiving address prior to the time specified hereunder, in accordance with the procedures set forth in the INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

Filed sub-bids will be required and taken for the following classes of work:

SECTION 04 1000 – MASONRY RESTORATION (Also Includes, Unit Stone Restoration, and Unit Limestone)

SECTION 07 5000 – COLD APPLIED BUILT-UP ROOFING (Also Includes Slate Roofing and Sheet Metal and Flashing)

SECTION 07 9200 – JOINT SEALANTS AND WATERPROOFING

Each general bid and each filed sub-bid shall be submitted and will be considered in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders and the other Contract Documents, and shall be accompanied by a bid bond (a) in form satisfactory to the Awarding Authority substantially conforming to the sample contained in the Contract Documents, (b) with a surety company qualified to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and (c) conditioned upon the faithful performance by the principal of the agreements contained in the bid; or cash; or a certified check; or a treasurer's check; or by cashier's check; issued by a responsible bank or trust company, made payable to the Town of Norwood, in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the bid amount.

Bid Forms and Contract Documents will be available **after 11:00 am on Wednesday, September 26, 2012** at the Town of Norwood Purchasing Office.

There is a plan deposit of \$200 per set (maximum of 2 sets) payable to the Town of Norwood. This deposit will be refunded for up to two sets upon return of the sets in good condition within thirty days of receipt of general bids. Otherwise the deposit shall be the property of the Awarding Authority.

As an alternative to obtaining hard copy sets of bid documents, bidders may email requests for electronic copies of the bid documents by contacting the Purchasing Department at [PBilotta@norwoodma.gov](mailto:PBilotta@norwoodma.gov) or [CCarney@norwoodma.gov](mailto:CCarney@norwoodma.gov). A PDF file will be emailed back to the requestor at no cost. All planholders, whether hard copy or electronic copy recipients, must provide two (2) email addresses to receive notifications and update information (including addenda) on this project. Addenda will be sent via email to all planholders.

Documents will not be available via mail or shipping.

Copies of the FORM FOR GENERAL BID and the FORM FOR SUB-BID are available at no cost at the above-named location and the Town's website.

Each bidder is advised to visit the site of the proposed work, become fully acquainted with conditions as they exist, and thoroughly examine the Contract Documents. Failure of any bidder to visit the site, and to examine the Contract Documents shall in no way relieve the bidder from any obligation with regard to the bid as submitted.

A pre-bid conference will be held at **11:00 am, on Thursday, October 4, 2012** at the project site, Room 24, 566 Washington Street, Norwood, MA.

For confirmation of pre-bid conference date and time, please contact **Michael Nee, Gienapp Design** at 978-750-9062 x13, Email: [mnee@gienappdesign.com](mailto:mnee@gienappdesign.com). Arrangements for site visitation, at other times during the bidding period, may be made by contacting Cathy Carney, Director of Purchasing, (781) 762-1240 x107 or [ccarney@norwoodma.gov](mailto:ccarney@norwoodma.gov). Site visits other than the pre-bid conference are for visual access only; bidding information will not be provided at those times.

The successful Bidder will be required to provide a Labor and Materials Payment Bond, and Performance Bond each bond being in the amount of 100 percent of the Contract Amount. Bonds must be written with a company qualified to do business in Massachusetts and acceptable to the Awarding Authority.

The minimum wages to be paid for all labor on the project are established in a schedule issued by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, in accordance with Section 26A - 27D, of Chapter 149 of the M.G.L., as amended, said schedule being made a part of the Contract Documents and is included therein.

Section 6(f) of Chapter 64H of Massachusetts General Laws exempts Massachusetts sales tax on building materials and supplies to be used in the project, and bidders shall not include in their bids any amount therefor.

The successful Bidder must agree to commence work as stipulated in the receipt of Notice to Proceed, and complete the work in accordance with the times established in the Contract.

The Awarding Authority will reject general bids when required to do so by the above-referenced General Laws. In addition, the Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any or all general bids if it be in the public interest to do so. Attention of all bidders is directed to the requirements of the Supplemental Equal Opportunity, Anti-Discrimination and Affirmative Action Program of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which is incorporated in the Contract Documents.

Town of Norwood  
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3rd Floor  
566 Washington Street  
Norwood, MA 02062

By: Permanent Building Construction Committee, Town of Norwood

Norwood Record, 9/27/12

# Police Logs *continued from page 12*

1941 radio - Motor vehicle stop arrest(s)made Location/address: Ga-zebo - Town Common - Washington St Mv stop (MA reg 2451d1) Operator was placed under arrest, on a warrant, and for driving on a suspended license ( MA. Reg# 4251d1) Negoshian's towed same.) Arrest: Preacher, Benjamin F Jr Address: 95 Washington St Walpole Dob: 03/23/1970 Charges: warrant arrest License suspended, op mv with Uninsured motor vehicle Unregistered motor vehicle

## Friday Sept. 21

0518 phone - Well being chk Location/address: Centennial Dr Caller states she is being harassed by people who are watching her in her apt. N677,n665 responded. Request for NFD to respond and female went willingly for evaluation.

0735 phone - Animal complaint area search negative Location/address: Winter St + Prospect St Caller reports baby pit bull (tri-color) running loose. N662 searched the area unable to locate pup.

0846 911 - Breaking and entering services rendered Location/address: Fisher St Caller reports when she went down stairs to do laundry, her basement door was open and she was unable to close it properly. She believes someone may still be in the basement. House swept by officers, no one inside. Cat in basement, and door was not forced.

1709 walk-in - Larceny arrest(s)made Location/address: Nahatan St Female in station report a male took \$20.00 from her purse and then pulled her friends pocket book from her and assaulted her with it. Off Costa transport female in station to scene where individuals are stopped. S/m 34763.2 @1730 hrs e/m 34763.6 @ 1713 hrs. As a result of this call one brought to station under arrest. Arrest: Bonner, Steven M Address: homeless homeless, ma Dob: 12/31/1990 Charges: larceny under \$250 A&b with dangerous weapon

2150 phone - Mischief (kids) spoken to Location/address: Madelyn Rd + Cameron Rd Kids harassing motorists as they pass by. Kids spoken to and sent on their way.

2221 phone - Mischief (kids) gone on arrival Location/address: Earle St + Jefferson Dr Caller reports group of kids running through yards, caller doesn't think they live there.

## Saturday Sept. 22

1211 911 - Assist citizen Location/address: Norton Dr Female 911 caller requesting help. Possible b&e, difficulty speaking with female over the phone. N665, n664, n663 and N676 respond. N665 reports female states her home was broken into and she was assaulted. Female describes suspect As Hispanic male around 6 feet tall wearing a black hoodie. Description put out to cars. Female transported to Norwood Hospital. Detective Ryan and n665 investigate.

1301 phone - Assist citizen gone on arrival Location/address: Oldham School - Prospect St Female worried about young child sitting in vehicle at youth sporting event. Caller did not want to be identified. (MA 91891b) n679 sent and reports child no longer in vehicle all appears to be in order.

1805 phone - Susp activity spoken to Location/address: Spot - Broadway Report past drug activity. N666 to forward info to bci.

2348 phone - Loud party spoken to Location/address: Hemlock St Report people outside being loud. N664 reports party breaking up upon arrival.

## Sunday Sept. 23

0059 911 - Report of fight Location/address: St Paul Ave + Washington St Caller reports fight going on at end of street. N664,n679 responded. Officers report argument between two females and two males. One had left the area upon arrival.

1342 911 - Report of fight n Location/address: Village Rd W Report kids,8-12yoa, from complex, got in a fight. N679 spoke to all, including parent/guardians, advised them about harassment prevention order.

## Monday Sept. 24

0013 phone - B& E of motor vehicle Location/address: Jake and Joes Sports Grille - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller states a back-up monitor has been stolen from his car. N662 responded.

0308 911 - Susp activity Location/address: Wilson St Caller states there is a male party taking things out of 108 Wilson St. And putting them in a truck next door. N662,n665 responded. N665 stopped driver of truck by St. Tim's ( MA. Reg# 612hw2). N662 spoke with home owner who states he works for him and will check to see if anything is missing. Fio'd

0615 phone - Vandalism Location/address: Willett School - Westover Pkwy Janitor reporting vandalism to school property sometime over the weekend. N666 responds.

0800 phone - Breaking and entering Location/address: Golden Living Center (formerly Emerald Court - Washington St Office window open and door kicked in. Safe missing.

1409 phone - Threats civil matter Location/address: Fashion Carpets Inc - Broadway St

1657 911 - Report of fight Location/address: Spruce Rd Report of a fight at the home, injury. NFD sent. Mc6,n679 to home. Bolo to cars for MA pc 345rj6, 2 subjects, that left area. N664 checks Olde Derby Village and the surrounding area. N677 checks South Norwood area. Mc6, n679, n666 Eventually speak to parties that left at 990 Washington St.

1658 911 - Report of gas leak police & fire notified/r Location/address: Chapel St Report odor of natural gas, inside building. NFD and management will handle same.

1709 phone - Shoplifting arrest(s)made Location/address: CVS Pharmacy - Nahatan St Report shoplifter has left and is walking in parking lot. Units locate on tracks behind strip mall on Broadway. N662 Places subject under arrest and transports, with n665 following, to the station s/m 64281.6 1731 hrs; e/m 64281.9 1733 hrs. Arrest: Morales, Lelis J Address: 30 Dean St Apt. #11 Norwood Dob: 11/13/1980 Charges: shoplifting by asportation Trespass Resist arrest 2306 cellular - Susp person area search negative Location/address: Savin Ave Report person wearing hat/ski mask style, dark long sleeved shirt, gloves, dark pants ,seems to caller to be a lot of clothes for weather, walking towards Cedar St. Units remained in area awhile-go.

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## Norwood Bank Donates \$5,000 to Norwood Housing Rehab Program

Norwood Bank has donated \$5,000 to the Norwood Housing Rehab Program. This program has been administered by the Planning Department since 2004. Since that time 37 homes have been rehabbed including 4 emergency projects. The program is funded by a Community Development Block Grant which originates from HUD and is awarded by the State's Depart-

ment of Housing and Community Development through a competitive grant application process. The program assists homeowners who meet location and income requirements by providing them with the necessary funds to improve their living conditions. Funds are used to repair code violations and improve energy efficiency. Some of the most common projects include roof repairs,

updating of electrical systems, replacing faulty heating systems, new windows, insulation, and elimination of asbestos and lead paint. Norwood Bank's donation has been targeted to the control of lead paint within the home. This donation also allows the grant funds to stretch further thereby allowing more projects to be completed.

## NORWOOD RECYCLING DAY

Norwood's Recycling Day will be held on September 29, 2012 at the Composting Facil-

ity off Winter Street from 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM. Please bring proof of residency.

Residents may bring recyclable and bulk materials such as tires, electronics, refrigerators, air conditioners, scrap metal and propane tanks. Some fees apply. Doc Shredding will be providing secure document shredding services at \$5.00 per box. New to this year's event is Styrofoam collection. Residents may bring Styrofoam, which is marked with the recycling symbol and the number 6 to Recycling Day for collection. For a complete list of items collected see the Recycling Matters Newsletter that was sent to all residents in the August electric bill or visit the town's website at [www.norwoodma.gov](http://www.norwoodma.gov).

The town will not be collecting any hazardous waste at

this event; those materials are collected only once a year on the Household Hazardous Waste Day in May. Latex paint can be disposed of in regular trash pick up only when it is completely hardened. Depending on the amount of paint, it can be hardened by leaving the container open or by adding paint hardeners. The Norwood Health Department has packets of paint hardener available to Norwood residents for \$2.

For more information visit [www.norwoodma.gov](http://www.norwoodma.gov) or call the Health Department at 781-762-1240.

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