



The plans for the Norwood Ice Arena include stormwater management systems based on the existing bathhouse at Hawes Pool. The PBCC is looking into whether the new, larger bathhouse will cause conflict between the two projects.

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## Potential conflict between bathhouse and rink

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

Per a motion by Town Meeting member and Permanent Building Construction Committee (PBCC) member Francis Hopcroft during the Annual Town Meeting in May, the \$800,000 project to replace the bathhouse at Hawes pool came under the jurisdiction of the PBCC.

And during a May 28 PBCC meeting, Hopcroft mentioned a potential conflict between the bathhouse project and the Norwood Ice Arena project, which will be located adjacent to Hawes Pool.

**Rink**

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## Economic Development Comm. joins industrial zoning talks

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

When the Economic Development Committee reconvened on May 27, it continued discussions happening around Town Hall regarding the revitalization of industrial properties in Norwood.

Town Planner Paul Halkiotis summarized a recent meeting between the Planning Board and several property owners, brokers, and developers about three such properties: 84 Morse St., the Norwood Commerce Center on Endicott Street, and Plimpton Press.

Halkiotis said several owners of old industrial mill buildings in town - which

are mostly located in manufacturing zones - who have reported high vacancy rates, had approached Halkiotis about wanting to reinvest in the properties and acceptable uses.

Many of the buildings, Halkiotis said, had hazardous waste contamination issues, are situated in a flood plain, or other constraints on future development.

Halkiotis pointed out that because the properties aren't being used to their development potential, Norwood isn't capitalizing on their full tax potential. Halkiotis said if there are ways the Town can create favorable conditions, they

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The Economic Development Committee discussed its role in helping to revitalize old industrial properties, such as Norwood Commerce Center, pictured above.

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The current rink plans, Hopcroft said, called for disposal of storm water directly behind the existing bathhouse.

Chairman Ed McKenna suggested that the rink committee would have responsibility of not conflicting with the bathhouse, since the bathhouse is already there now.

Chris Everly pointed out that the rink plans factor in the 800 square foot footprint for the existing bathhouse, but do not account for the proposed increase in size of the bathhouse to 2,000 square feet.

"The rink may work with the current bathhouse, but the expansion of the bathhouse may not work with the rink's plan or it may influence where the bathhouse can expand," Everly said.

The state found that, due to a bathing load of around 400, the bathhouse was not up to code and should have had 10 showers - five for the men's room and five for the women's room - along with the same number of sinks, changing areas, and an adequate number of toilets for each.

Recreation Department Director Gerry Miller said the current facility - built in 1960 - the needed amenities to bring the facility up to code would likely increase the footprint to around 2,000 square feet.

Hopcroft noted that the stormwater disposal area could actually be in the parking lot, and the pipe could feed left or right from the rink. He said the rink committee was planning to use underground water chambers, which he felt could sit alongside the utilities the rink committee

plans to run there. Hopcroft said the current plans appear to call for the disposal area to be as close as two feet behind the existing bathhouse.

Ted Callahan noted that the grading on the side of the rink near the ponds by Hawes Brook would require due diligence, since the ground "gets spongy now" in the spring without any influx of stormwater.

Everly said the project would require some interface with the rink committee from the early planning standpoints to avoid any problems and overlapping conflicting interests.

When Everly asked about the current schedule for rink construction, Paul Riccardi said they were still waiting for \$3.5 million to come from the state before they could begin.

"If that doesn't come, nothing happens," Riccardi said.

McKenna said a subcommittee, instead of one member, should oversee the project. He nominated Bill Kinsman for his plumbing experience and also Bob Silk to make up the subcommittee. Both members accepted the positions.

Miller said the process to bring a new bathhouse to Hawes Pool has taken several years. He said the department viewed the facility with Health Department Director Sigalle Reiss, Building Inspector Mark Chubet and plumbing inspector Ed Forsberg, and relayed their findings to the state inspector who oversees pool amenities.

"We did not intend to make this a huge monster," Miller said.

A local architect then drew up a rendering of a potential bathhouse that was up to code, but

the price tag climbed higher than the Town officials wanted. They began to look at prefab structures, which also grew bigger price-wise with potential features.

The PBCC determined that the first steps would be to outline what they wanted an architect to do, and then go out through the state procurement processes to hire an architect. They would not need an Owner's Project Manager (OPM), since the project comes in at well under the \$1.5 million threshold that requires an OPM to oversee operations.

McKenna said the project would not likely be able to start until the current swim season is over. Considering the tight space in the area between the pool and the proposed rink project, and the winter construction period, McKenna suggested they might have to utilize a modular structure for the bathhouse.

Howie Weinstein - who supervises the pools for the Recreation Department - said that the pools would open at the end of June and close just before Labor Day. Miller said there was some flexibility in opening dates and having Father Mac's Pool meant they could close Hawes Pool earlier - or open it later - if the project required it.

Miller said Father Mac's is usually closed before Hawes due to lifeguards returning to school and the number of operations at Hawes Pool each day, but the schedule could be reversed.

Chris Everly said if they wanted to avoid beginning in fall or early winter, the project could perhaps begin in March and finish by the beginning of June, before the pools are set to open.

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Resident Katherine Kalliel said the contractor trucks parked in view of the Highland Cemetery are a disturbance to families with loved ones buried there.

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# Residents express concerns over ongoing cemetery upkeep

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

Many Norwood residents were pleased with how the Highland Cemetery was prepared for the recent Memorial Day Services, though some of those same residents felt more could be done throughout the year to keep the cemetery manicured.

For the past two years, resident and Town Meeting member Linda Rau has written a three page email to the Town, detailing her concerns regarding the cemetery's upkeep.

"I'm kind of concerned about the estate," Rau said.

"It's pretty weedy, the grass doesn't appear to have any fertilization, and the root system, you could just pull it right up."

Rau said the cemetery crew appeared to work "around the clock to get it into shape" before Memorial Day, planting flowers and mowing the lawn, but has noticed a pattern in how the work is done.

"None of that seems to progress past Memorial Day," she said. "There used to be shrubs at the corner of the avenues. I'm not sure if they died or what, but they haven't been replaced."

Rau noted that she is not "pointing fingers" and that she

has been in contact with Town officials, including Public Works Superintendent Mark Ryan. Instead, Rau said she is simply trying to find out what has changed in recent years.

"I'm wondering what stopped, where did it stop, where did schedules that were adhered to go, when did they stop being adhered to," Rau said.

Another resident with concerns about goings-on at the cemetery is fellow Town Meeting Member Katherine Kalliel.

For at least two years now, Kalliel has voiced her concerns at Town Meeting regard-

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# OPINION

## Not the Planning Board's finest hour

This newspaper has taken both for and against positions on proposed residential projects over the years, sometimes at odds with a percentage of our readership, something we really dislike doing. However, we think our role is to look at the benefits of projects to the town as a whole, not just cheerleading the efforts of neighbors in specific neighborhoods trying to thwart the development of vacant or underutilized commercial and industrial properties. This shouldn't in any way suggest that the concerns of residents living in these neighborhoods are insubstantial or pointless. On the contrary, neighbors banding together is noble and a keystone of the democratic process. We just don't believe they are always right.

In the case of the Regal Press proposal at 129 Guild St., this newspaper supported the efforts by the Duffy family to rehabilitate their existing industrial property after listening to all of the "facts" and the long history the family has had working with the Town as owners of multiple properties. Contrary to the arguments of neighbors, this newspaper considered the plan as a benefit to the town for a multiple of reasons, not the least of which was the idea that the units were to be small, totaling 40, and 25 percent of those would be affordable and available first to Norwood residents, and the plan met the required parking minimums, though it was easy to believe that many of the new residents would have no cars since the location is right on the train and bus routes. Additionally, all 40 of the units would count toward Norwood's subsidized housing inventory. On the surface, all appeared to be reasonable, though local residents felt the proposal was too dense and parking too limited. As a representative of the project stated just prior to receiving unanimous approval from the Planning Board at its August, 2014 meeting, "this project is basically ready to build. The next thing is a building permit."

Well, as it turns out, not all was what it appeared to be, specifically the amount of available parking. It turns out the proposal assumed parking availability at an MBTA parking lot of which the Regal Press had a leasehold interest. Or so everyone thought.

Once it was discovered no one could place their hands on said lease, the project was placed on hold, with the Duffy family continually telling the Town it would provide documentation of a parking agreement with the MBTA. As of the May 12 meeting of the Planning Board, no proof of anything was provided despite this being the latest deadline of many imposed by the Planning Board. In fact, Mark Bobrowski, the lead agent for the project didn't even show up to request an additional extension, the group sent a sacrificial lamb in the form of an associate who could just stand there with nothing but a weak apology of Bobrowski having to be somewhere else that night.

With neighbors in attendance at the May 12 meeting outraged that the owners would have the gall to request another extension, it could be reasonably assumed the Board would say "enough" and tell the ownership group to go back to the drawing board, a decision this newspaper would have wholeheartedly supported. Instead, after allowing neighbors to vent their frustrations, the Board granted another two month extension on a 4-1 vote, with only Debbie Holmwood saying with conviction that the extension just wasn't right. Good for her.

Residents have been decrying for a long time that Selectmen and the Planning and Appeals Boards have been weak when dealing with developers to the detriment of the residents they are supposed to represent. We have not believed this to be true. However, this seemingly spineless act by the Planning Board to fail to hold the Regal Press owners to deadlines established previously lends credibility to residents' concerns.

Regardless of how much merit any project has, allowing developers to thumb their noses at policies, procedures and decrees established by precedent will continually perpetuate the notion that Norwood has no backbone. It really is time to dispel the myth.

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# Letters to the Editor

**THANK YOU,  
BOB THORNTON**

*To the Editor:*

As you may know, the Town of Norwood recently completed a Special Town Meeting and the Annual Town Meeting, which sets the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015. I am Tom McQuaid and I have the pleasure of being the new Town Clerk & Accountant for the Town of Norwood.

I am writing to publicly thank Bob Thornton for his guidance and hard work during the transition of the office. Bob served as Town Clerk & Accountant for 36 years, beginning at age 26. Although Bob was very young when he began with the Town, he brought with him four years of experience working for one of the "Big 4" accounting firms. Positions with these firms are usually reserved for those who have proven themselves to be in the top tier of their colleagues academically. Bob worked for and achieved such status by attending Brown University, a world-renowned "Ivy League" college. He subsequently earned his Master's in Business Administration from Babson College in Wellesley, the world's leader in the education of entrepreneurs for the future.

Bob participated in many successes over the years for the Town of Norwood, including designing our annual budgeting process and balancing 36 budgets. Two things I would like to highlight are his vision for the Town's future and his love of the Schools. Early in his Norwood career, Bob recommended to Town Meeting that the retirement contribution be over-funded by \$2 million per year. This foresight has positioned Norwood well as it is the 11th best-funded system of the 105 towns reporting to PERAC for calendar year 2014. Without this foresight, our annual appropriation would need to be \$4 million per year higher.

The second area I want to highlight is Bob's love of education and the Norwood Public Schools. Bob served on the School Facilities Task Force, which studied a possible solution to renovating and / or replacing the long-standing structure. At the conclusion of the four-year study, members of the Committee decided a new "Model School" should be sought and be financed with a debt exclusion that will go away after 20 years. Not only did Bob support this idea, he went to the local airways and made the specific case that our

parents' generation paid for the elementary schools and that it was our time to step up fund a new High School. His appearances and pleas to his fellow townspeople were instrumental in the successful passage of the debt exclusion. Bob also came up with the idea of forming a Committee to study efficiencies in the Schools and Town to help verify if the Schools are providing a competitive product and adequately funded. This study is still underway. And finally, even during his retirement, Bob devised a way, and worked with Jim Hayden, the Superintendent of Schools, and myself to provide an additional \$1 million of funding for the Schools in Fiscal 2016.

Soon, the Finance Commission and the Town will dedicate the Finance Committee room to Robert M. Thornton as a lasting legacy to his contributions. But there is no greater lasting legacy than the ones Bob helped to develop through his love and dedication to the Town.

With warmest appreciation for your friendship and guidance,

*Thomas J. McQuaid,  
CPA Town Clerk  
& Accountant*

## Library Events

### TITLES ON TAP BOOK GROUP

Join the staff of the Morrill Memorial Library at Napper Tandy's of Norwood on Tuesday, June 23 at 7:30 p.m. for another meeting of Titles on Tap. This social group is designed for readers in their 20s and 30s and the young at heart, and is a casual way to meet up with fellow book lovers for a fun night out. June's title will be "Grasshopper Jungle" by Andrew Smith, an award-winning 2014 YA novel about friendship, survival, coming-of-age, and six-foot-tall praying mantises with insatiable appetites. Copies are available to pick up at the Reference Desk, so come out to meet, discuss, eat, drink, and be merry! Visit our [blog](http://titlesontap.wordpress.com) [titlesontap.wordpress.com](http://titlesontap.wordpress.com) or follow us on Twitter @titlesontap to learn more.

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Finding a wealth manager who suits your needs can be a daunting task. In fact, many consumers have a hard time figuring out where to begin.

Sometimes, a few simple questions can set off one on the right path. Asking a wealth manager what makes working with him or her a unique experience can help you understand how they work and if their style meshes with your own. Further, asking a financial advisor to talk about any specialties they might have can help uncover skills you might find useful.

Ultimately, how do you find an experienced wealth manager who you feel comfortable working with? One who has high retention rates? One who has undergone a thorough complaint and regulatory review? One who has tenure in the industry?

*Boston* magazine and Five Star Professionals partnered to find wealth managers who satisfy 10 objective eligibility and evaluation criteria. Among many distinguishing attributes, the average one-year client retention rate for this year's award winners is more than 96 percent.

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6. One-year client retention rate.
7. Five-year client retention rate.
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9. Number of client households served.
10. Education and professional designations.

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# Summer Concerts set to begin

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**Sam Nickerson**  
*Staff Reporter*

The Concerts on the Common Committee has prepared its full summer program, running every Sunday at 7 p.m. from June 28 to Sept. 26, but residents will have to wait just a little longer for a full lineup to be revealed.

Concerts on the Common Committee chairman Paul Eysie said they were bringing a combination of new bands, old bands, and some audience favorites back to the Walter J. Dempsey Memorial Bandstand on the Town Common this year.

The Committee plans to reveal the lineup when they make their presentation to the Board of Selectmen this month.

“Contracts have been signed. The T’s have been crossed and the I’s have been dotted,” Eysie said. “We have a great program for the residents this summer.”

Eysie said the lineup does focus on big bands, as it usually does, which he said do not only appeal to the older crowd, but are becoming favorites of the younger generations as well.

In addition to the big bands, Concerts on the Common Committee members Olga Abdallah and Dolores Elias are in charge

of the annual Pops Night, which they are responsible for putting on each year.

Eysie said it’s been difficult to pick one favorite act over the years - he credited Band Coordinator Beverly Armour with consistently selecting fantastic lineups - but each member has 10 or 12 concerts that they remember as “top notch.”

The summer series has become a favorite free activity for Norwood families, but also one of the most in demand gigs, as the Committee has nearly 50 requests to fill the 10 or so Sundays that make up the season.

“We want the best and we won’t settle for less,” Eysie said.

Eysie said the Committee is busy throughout the year and relies on a community-wide effort to put on the concert series.

For example, he mentioned the hard work of Raffle chair Linda Thomas, who reaches out to local businesses and restaurants for donations to raffle off each night of the series. Publicity Chair David Tuttle puts the program together and gets the word out, and fundraising chair Barbara Kinter works around the clock to raise around \$25,000 through private donations by individuals, businesses, and organizations, Eysie said.

Eysie said the Committee has enjoyed a successful winter concert series in recent years, but “there is nothing like the summer concerts.”

“You’re out in your own hometown with your neighbors and friends on a summer night,” he said.

This will be the series’ 22nd season of concerts. Eysie said the bandstand was built following an initiative by Town Manager John Carroll 23 years ago, and the committee formed afterwards to “bring life to the bandstand.” The Concerts on the Common Committee was then formed, which Eysie has chaired for the last 22 years.

“The concerts, very much like the friends of St. Nick or the Circle of Hope, show the type of people that are in Norwood,” Eysie said. “They’re giving, caring, contributing to the residents in town. All these organizations, committees, the volunteers are not paid, they seek private donations. It’s all people that care about the community.”

Running concurrently with the summer concert series is the Carillon concert series, which takes place each Monday evenings at 8 p.m. beginning on June 29 and running through Aug. 17, with a special afternoon performance on July 4.

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ing the storage of construction vehicles right near the cemetery, in plain view of where some of her loved ones are buried.

Kalliel said she had believed the vehicle placement to be a temporary solution, and with the Public Works project and the Town’s purchase of additional land, she hoped the vehicles would be stored elsewhere.

Town Manager John Carroll has said that the vehicles by the cemetery are not in fact Town of Norwood vehicles, but belong to contractors. He also said they would likely remain near the cemetery as the contractors are needed.

Carroll told Kalliel at Town Meeting that the Town had planted trees along the border of the cemetery and where the trucks are parked to block the view. Kalliel said the trees “don’t block the view at all truly” because they need more time to grow, but the angle at which the trucks are parked may not prevent the trees from ever blocking the view.

“I think it’s a beautiful cemetery and I’m very pleased that my family is there,” Kalliel said. “I would hope that the town officials would consider moving the construction vehicles so that’s not what we see when we pay our respects.”

Rau said she’s noticed a decline in the condition of the grounds over the past three years or so and believed that the cemetery was well taken

care of under past management.

Currently, the cemetery grounds fall under the care of superintendent Paul Ranalli. Rau said she has reached out to Ranalli, but scheduling conflicts have prevented them from connecting. Ranalli, who is in his fourth year as cemetery superintendent, did not respond to requests for comment by the Norwood Record’s deadline.

Ryan did discuss his responses to Rau during the May 26 Selectmen’s meeting.

“In my opinion it’s never looked better,” Ryan said. “Can we improve? We can always improve. I couldn’t disagree more with some of the comments.”

Ryan said he speaks with Ranalli just about daily regarding how the cemetery is cared for, and said Ranalli “does an incredible job up there.”

Ryan said the department spends more and more on flowers each year, but now works with a wholesale provider to acquire more flowers for less money. He said Ranalli’s crew spends a lot of time trimming trees and bushes, taking care of the trash barrels and street signs, hanging plants from the signs, and staining the benches each year.

Rau said that perhaps if the Town wanted to make more improvements to the cemetery, they would have put forth a more aggressive budget. She said the cemetery department’s \$511,388 budget for the up-

coming fiscal year, along with the \$54,645 budget for cemetery improvements did not indicate any big changes.

Ryan said the budget is adequate to handle the cemetery’s annual average of 200 interments and Ranalli’s long list of improvements.

Rau said she understood that the winter was difficult, but did not excuse the conditions before Memorial Day, including the grass being up to her ankles.

“I’ve lived here all my life. Family and friends are buried up there,” Rau said. “A lot of stuff looks like it’s caving in, maybe it’s not a good root system? Around some of the graves, it just looks neglected.”

Rau also said she has received calls from other residents who are concerned about the cemetery’s condition since the Selectmen’s meeting.

Rau said there was probably not much they could do about the vehicles, but was interested in knowing about the old management plans for the cemetery.

“Norwood is a cemetery town. People don’t move out of here, families’ ancestors are buried there and it’s always been a beautiful place,” Rau said. “It’s sacred ... it’s respectful to keep it as best as you can. It reflects the attitude of the whole town and the people in the town, how they respect their ancestors and how they respect the town.”

# Annual Town Meeting concludes

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

Town Meeting concluded its May Annual Town Meeting on May 30 after five nights of deliberations and votes.

On the final night, Town Meeting finished the budget for the 2016 fiscal year, which amounted to \$171,068,814.

Town Meeting first approved \$41,976,154 - raised largely from receipts - for the Light Department.

District Seven member Kevin Pentowski asked if the Light Department could charge various local government departments lower rates in order to lower the utility budgets in those departments. Light Department Superintendent James Collins said they were required by law to charge Town departments the same amounts they charged other commercial accounts.

District Eight member Ed Ferris asked about the Department's depreciation budget - which, outside of a \$2,194,743 'control' line item, had 16 line items with \$0 requested - and whether many of the line items, which had received funding in the past, were still being used.

District Seven member Ed Lynch asked the same of the \$743,116 Depreciation and Capital Improvements portion of the \$6,721,753 Broadband budget.

Collins said the numbers in the previous fiscal year budgets reflect the actual expenses into each line item. Town Manager John Carroll also said that depreciation covers equipment and gear, since "everything depreciates" over time, and that the light department is required by law to set aside depreciation

money, which is fixed at 3 percent of the value of the plant.

John Hall of District Six said the depreciation numbers appeared to be more of a "roller coaster" than the trends he's used to.

Collins said that in the last year the Broadband department moved money into the programming budget from the depreciation account in order to avoid higher customer rates due to an increase in the programming fees from providers.

Collins also said the Light Department uses the account for capital projects, such as customer equipment installation, contractors, Internet equipment upgrades, power supply replacement projects, and others.

Francis Hopcroft of District One said this was an issue of transparency, and asked why none of the capital projects had been before Town Meeting.

Selectman Bill Plasko said it might have been a matter of brevity for printing and ease of review by Town Meeting members. Finance Commissioner Joe Greeley said more information could be provided next time.

Gerri Slater of District Four asked about Broadband's \$579,000 advertising budget, including how many customers were coming in through advertising, referring to the line item as a "fairly large expense."

Collins said the budget does include around \$200,000 in franchise fees, and Carroll said the budget includes residential and commercial marketing consultant commissions, as well as the various means of advertising, including print, television, Internet, and direct mailing.

Carroll said they were in a "constant battle" with Comcast and Verizon and needed to be

"very, very aggressive." Carroll also noted the department was profitable and picking up more broadband customers in Norwood than competitors.

Slater and Ferris said including the franchise fees within the advertising budget appeared "not transparent" and should be on a different line.

The Broadband budget was approved by Town Meeting. Town Meeting also approved \$333,212 for Airport Incidentals, and \$16,684,793 for interest and debts.

The Town approved \$944,473 to cover assessments for Norfolk Agricultural School and Blue Hills Regional School. Around 25 students from Norwood attend the Blue Hills School, and Norwood pays a \$919,437 assessment.

The Stabilization Fund was given \$370,000 and the Reserve Fund was granted \$125,000.

Town Meeting approved \$12,837,500 for group insurance, which less than the original estimate of \$13,037,500. Finance Commissioner Alan Slater said this reflected the number of "actual people joining various plans," and the result was the \$300,000 that was split between the Town and Schools. The Schools took \$165,000 to restore staff reductions, while the Town allocated \$135,000 for the purchase of three additional police vehicles.

Town Meeting also approved housekeeping articles 7-10, while Article 6 - which sought to raise money for unpaid bills - was indefinitely postponed, as there were no unpaid bills.



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# Development *continued from page 1*

might have incentive to reinvest in their properties.

When committee member Alan Slater asked about the uses allowed in the manufacturing zones under the current zoning bylaw, Halkiotis said what owners and developers want most is not currently permitted: residential use of properties in the manufacturing zone.

"Residential is the biggest demand in our area of the state," Halkiotis said, noting the controversial nature of additional residential units in Norwood. Halkiotis said he did not think multi-family housing should replace the old mill properties, but proposed mixed-use development, by which properties could be split into residential, commercial, and office usage according to percentages.

Halkiotis said he believed Norwood might have an unusually high percentage of land zoned for manufacturing use, and said a change in the zoning bylaw to allow additional uses could be proposed down the line, but that process would take more time and work.

In the meantime, Halkiotis said the Town could create an overlay district over several manufacturing sites that would leave existing manufacturing uses in place, but would allow for additional uses that could lead to more mixed-use development.

Committee member Denis Drummey said the maps outlining the different zones could be misleading, as much of the manufacturing-zoned land may be wetlands or other terrain unable to be developed on.

Chairman Bill Plasko said

good planning doesn't result in manufacturing districts near the center of town, but old New England towns often sprang up around major industrial sites and grew unplanned from there.

Drummey said developers Cathartes Private Investments - who are interested in the Norwood Commerce Center property - could be a "godsend" to Norwood, as they do mostly commercial development and work with a number of older buildings in Somerville and Boston neighborhoods that resemble parts of Norwood.

Halkiotis said he believed the Norwood Commerce Center owners now had the property under agreement for a sale, as did the owners of Plimpton Press.

Halkiotis also said he had been in talks with several larger companies seeking to relocate their operations to Norwood.

One such company - a printing business that also operates a marketing and mailing operation, with clients such as Blue Cross, CVS, American Express, and which printed the ballots for the previous state elections - is interested in moving into the old Polaroid site near the border with Westwood.

Halkiotis said the company is looking to consolidate some of its other operations in other towns, and has leases expiring in the near future. A move to Norwood would bring in around 100 jobs, though initial negotiations with the property owners did not yield a deal.

Plasko said that not only did they want to buy existing property from Campanelli - the devel-

opers who purchased much of the property in the area, and are behind the Upland Woods project - but they would also plan to add a 90,000 square foot warehouse facility.

The committee discussed enticing the company with tax increment financing agreements, and member Stephen Costello spoke in favor of state 43D laws, which allow for local expedited permitting processes. Under the 43D laws, municipalities must cap their permitting process at 180 days for sites within specific 43D target areas outlined by the community.

Unlike with 40B developments, Costello said Norwood would "still have control in that zone, it just says, 'giddy up.'" Creating a 43D area would require a Town Meeting vote.

Halkiotis said he also met with an existing manufacturing company in Norwood, though it is scaling back and freeing up 40,000 square feet of building space. There is also a substantial amount of undeveloped land around the building and the idea of a hotel was discussed - as the property is "near a major highway where hotels like to locate," Halkiotis said.

Plasko said he tried to convey to various businesses that Norwood was "pro-business, (and) this Town works quick," but the committee agreed that they had to first evaluate potential consequences and economic impacts before enticing a business to establish itself in Norwood.

"I wouldn't jump at new businesses without understanding, 'is it a plus or minus within that particular community,'" Costello said.

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# Sports

## Mustangs limp into postseason after 4-0 loss to Braintree

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

Braintree ace Zack Delvecchio tossed a two-hit shutout of the Mustangs in their regular season finale on Thursday as the Super 8-bound Wamps cruised, 4-0.

The Mustangs mustered just six base runners on the afternoon, and were one strike away from being no-hit until Connor Flynn doubled in the top of the seventh.

After clinching a tournament berth on May 18 with a 5-0 win over Natick, Norwood dropped its final four games to finish the season at 10-10, outscored by opponents 19-4 during the skid.

“Clearly, we’ve lost our focus,” said manager Kevin Igoe following the game. Braintree (18-2), which was runner-up of the inaugural Super 8 tournament a year ago, was one of four teams unanimously selected to this year’s tournament (St. John’s Prep, Wachusett, and St. John’s Shrewsbury were the others). “We think we’re



Despite a solid outing by starting pitcher Sean Mellen, the Norwood baseball team was unable to generate any runs as the squad fell to Braintree. Head coach Kevin Igoe hopes the team can snap its four-game losing streak when they face-off with New Bedford in the playoffs.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

**Baseball**  
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## Norwood softball team edges Notre Dame Academy of Hingham in regular season finale

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

Norwood softball coach Carol Savino wasn’t looking for a blowout-turned-nail-biter in her team’s regular season finale.

The Mustangs held a 6-1 lead entering the bottom of the sixth inning, but allowed a pair of runs in each the sixth and seventh innings before managing to close out the win.

Because the Mustangs were able to secure the victory over the Notre Dame Academy of Hingham (NDA) Cougars on Friday afternoon, 6-5, she can overlook the negatives and see the advantages of having a close call right before the tournament.

“We had two 10-run games prior to this one,” said Savino, noting the level of competition in the post-season will be drastically



Shortstop Alyssa Chamberlain, far right, recorded eight putouts during a win over Notre Dame Academy of Hingham. The Mustangs ultimately were victorious in a 6-5 nailbiter.

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tougher. Norwood, which finishes up the regular season at 19-1, had shutout Brookline and Braintree earlier in the week by

matching 10-0 scores. Friday was their second victory over the Cougars this season, the first being a 14-1 shellacking on April 24.

“It’s a big win for us.”

Norwood sent seven hitters to the plate in the top of the first inning, but scored only one run on an

Erin Garczynski sac fly. They would double that output in the bottom of the second, thanks to their No. 8 and No. 9 hitters, Janelle Kelleher and Emily Bonoccorso. Kelleher led off the frame with a double, followed by a Bonoccorso infield single (Kelleher stayed put at second).

Siobhan Reen then grounded out to shortstop, but Kelleher and Bonoccorso each advanced one base. However, Bonoccorso overran second and became caught up between second and third. While a rundown ensued, which resulted in her returning to second safely, Kelleher booked it for home and scored before NDA could realize what was happening. Bonoccorso later stole third, and scored when

**Softball**

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# Mustangs top Braintree 16-14 in playoff opener

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

Norwood advanced to the Division 1 south quarterfinals for the second straight year after grinding out a 16-14 victory over the Braintree Wamps on Tuesday.

Kacie Smith led the eighth-seeded Mustangs in the No. 8 vs. No. 9 matchup with five goals, giving her 299 for her career, while Sammy Hayes and Maura O'Neill chipped in with four and three goals, respectively. Rachel Noah, Val Quinlan, Coley Hayes and Erin Kelly all had one goal each for Norwood.

"I knew that it would be an awesome game," said head coach Caitlin Harrington after her team knocked off Braintree for the third time this season. The Mustangs edged the Wamps on March 31, 13-10, and again on April 10, 17-15, which despite the spread out dates, happened to be Norwood's first two games of the season. "There's a reason that they're 9 and we're 8."

Unseasonably cool temperatures (just 46 degrees at the start of the game) didn't disrupt the pace of play one bit, with a staggering five lead changes in the first half.

Braintree's Katie Yaxter opened scoring with a goal 2:58 into the contest, but the next three belonged to Norwood. Quinlan connected with Smith for the equalizer at 4:10, Smith dished off to Kelly for a goal at



Coley Hayes scored a goal in Norwood's victory over the Braintree Wamps on June 2.

5:28, and Smith was on the receiving end of a beautiful floating pass from Hannah Benson in transition at 7:04.

From there, the Wamps went on a mini-3-0 run of their own, retaking the lead on a Haley Baker goal at 10:50 of the first half. O'Neill tied the game at 4-4 at 11:16, getting a shot off in the nick of time as two Braintree defenders crashed into her on either side.

The Wamps took a 7-6 lead at 19:17 of the first half, prompting Harrington to move

O'Neill into the faceoff draw. Although just a temporary move to provide a spark, O'Neill went 4-for-5 in draw controls between assignments in each half.

"She did a really good job. She has that tenacity where she's going to go after every ball," said Harrington. Quinlan, the normal draw specialist, went 12-for-24 on the afternoon.

The Mustangs scored on each of the first two draws O'Neill took. Coley Hayes

scored while Norwood was man-down with 2:44 remaining, giving her team a lead it wouldn't relinquish. They led 9-8 at the half.

Norwood came out firing in the second, scoring the first four goals in a span of 3:11. Quinlan, back on the draw, won it clean to Smith, who flipped it to Sammy Hayes for the first goal to make it 10-8. Smith netted the next two herself, the latter getting her to career goal No. 299, and Sammy Hayes bookended the attack to give the Mustangs a five-goal cushion, 13-8.

To its credit, Braintree did not fade away. They ended the game scoring six of the final nine goals, pulling within one at 15-14 with still over nine minutes to go in regulation.

Sammy Hayes was one of the main reasons the Wamps didn't inch closer any sooner. Braintree pulled within two, 14-12, and had thwarted a Norwood trip to its offensive end. Wamps goaltender Molly Devlin controlled the ball behind her net, but the elder Hayes was able to force the ball loose from her grasp after relentlessly cutting off her running lanes, which bought the Mustangs another three minutes of zone time, capped off by Noah's goal.

"Sammy, she is doing such a great job," said Harrington. "All season, just making plays happen. Even if she doesn't have the assist, she's creating

those scoring opportunities. She's a really smart player."

Norwood goalie Alex Dimitriou made a save to keep it a one-goal lead for the Mustangs with about seven minutes left in regulation, which set the stage for Sammy Hayes' fourth goal of the afternoon at 19:50, which snapped a six-minute scoring drought for Norwood.

From there, it was a perfectly-executed ball-control offense that allowed the Mustangs to move on to the second round.

"We've spent a lot of time working on running to the ball, just very simple back-to-basic skills," explained Harrington. "Getting rid of the ball before the double [team] sets up. I think that they played very smart. They looked like a seasoned team."

The Mustangs are now faced with the daunting task of facing the defending Div. 1 State Champions, the Westwood Wolverines, a team that has not lost a game since the 2013 Div. 1 south finals to Notre Dame Academy of Hingham.

"I think it'll come down to trying to keep possession of that ball," said Harrington, well aware of how accomplished the No. 1 Wolverines are. The game is set to be played tonight at Westwood High School at 6:30 p.m. "Really working on our cuts and creating passing lanes. They're very, very good at shutting it down right off of our transition."

## Baseball *continued from page 9*

better than we are. We showed a little bit of grit today, but not where I want it to be. They're very sound, not going to get much better than them. But I don't like the energy."

Sean Mellen got the start for the Mustangs and was more than serviceable, going 4 2/3 innings and allowing four runs (three earned) on five hits while striking out nine and walking two. But Delvecchio was on another planet, allowing just the two hits with two outs in the top of the seventh while striking out seven and walking one.

"They're almost too relaxed, which may be good," Igoe said of his team. Norwood didn't exactly light the world on fire in the regular season last year, either, finishing 11-9. But once the tournament began, they won five consecutive games before losing in the Division 1 State Championship to Leominster, 6-1.

"I'm the one pressing. We'll erase the blackboard, and whoever gets us [in the tournament], we're going to give it everything we've got."

The game was scoreless into the fourth inning, when Scott Creedon, Braintree's No. 9 hitter, laced a two-out triple into the gap in right-center field, scoring two runs.

Connor Columbus hit a solo home run to straightaway centerfield the next inning, roughly 360 feet from home plate on the first pitch of the at-bat to give the Wamps a commanding 3-0 lead. An additional run crossed the plate later in the inning after Mellen hit Matt Gillis with the bases loaded to force in a run.

Brian King came in to relieve Mellen after that, and got Creedon to fly out to left to avoid any further damage. King would also pitch a scoreless bottom of the sixth inning to keep the Mustangs from falling any further behind.

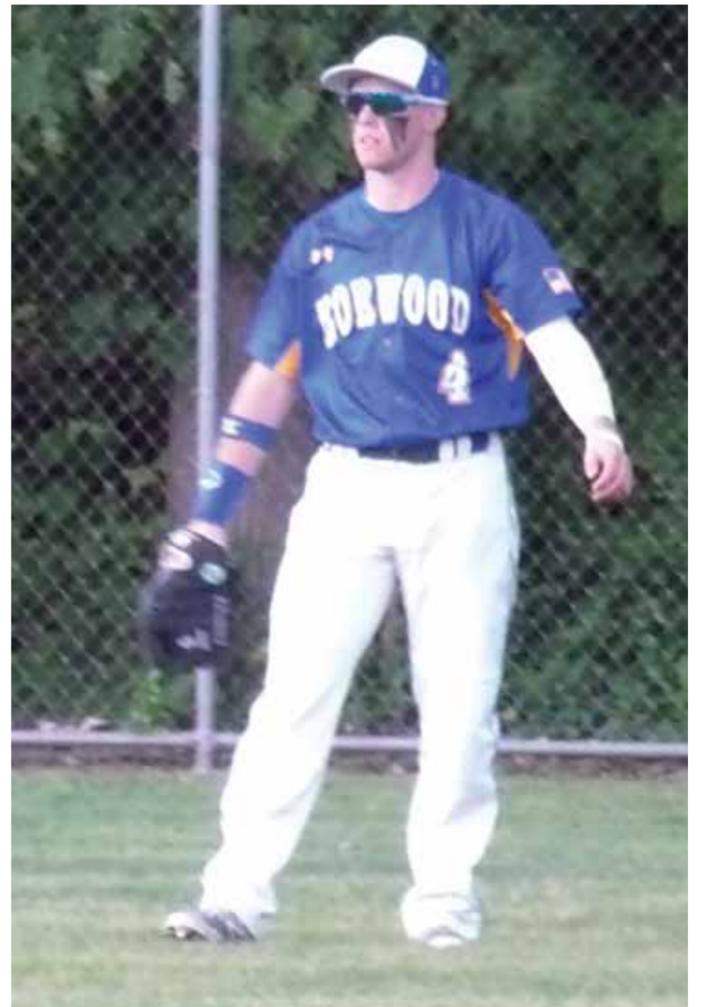
With three outs to go for a no-hitter, Delvecchio struck out pinch hitter Jake Vail on a full

count to begin the top of the seventh. Another pinch hitter, Mike Flynn, grounded right back to Delvecchio, who trotted over to first base himself to tag the base for the out.

Connor Flynn stepped in with two outs, and drilled a 2-2 pitch to the gap in left-center field, spoiling Delvecchio's bid for a no-no in the process. Paul Galvin then singled, bringing yet another pinch hitter, Chris Quinn, to the plate. With Johnny Ryan representing the potential tying run on deck, Delvecchio struck Quinn out to end the game.

Norwood, landing the No. 10 seed in the Div. 1 south sectional, will take to the road for their first-round tournament game, traveling to New Bedford to take on the No. 7 Whalers on June 4 at 6:30 p.m. Igoe said he plans on having senior Johnny Ryan making the start on the mound.

"We know what it takes," said Igoe. The Mustangs also faced a team from the Big Three Conference in the tournament last year, Brockton, in the Div. 1 south sectional quarterfinals, knocking out the Boxers by a score of 8-0. "Don't look back. That's what I tell them."



Outfielder Jake O'Rourke has been a stalwart in Mustangs lineup this season.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

# Diving into baseball's Super 8 championship

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

When I first took this job last September, I knew all about the Super 8 of hockey.

I had no choice, being from Hingham. The Harbormen were in it every single year it seemed, and even broke through and won a title in 2010.

I also knew it was the de facto Catholic Conference Invitational. Catholic Memorial and BC High dominated during my younger years, and more recently, Malden Catholic rose to prominence. This year, St. John's Prep became the fourth Catholic Conference school to win the Super 8, increasing the conference's total number of victories to 22, out of the 25 tournaments played.

What I didn't know when I took this job last September was that there was another Super 8: the Super 8 of baseball. I did my homework and discovered it was a relatively new phenomenon—last year was the first year the tournament was held. The 2014 field looked like this:

**1. Newton North Tigers, 19-1 (Bay State)**

**2. St. John's Prep Eagles, 16-4 (Catholic Conference)**

**3. Bridgewater-Raynham Trojans, 18-2 (Old Colony)**

**4. Silver Lake Lakers, 19-3 (Patriot League)**

**5. Braintree Wamps, 17-3 (Bay State)**

**6. Lincoln-Sudbury Warriors, 18-4 (Dual County League)**

**7. Lowell Red Raiders, 16-6 (Merrimack Valley)**

**8. Catholic Memorial Knights, 14-6 (Catholic Conference)**

Two things immediately jump out to me. First off, only two parochial schools were in the field—St. John's Prep and Catholic Memorial. It seems an appropriate number, in order to spread that wealth around to the schools that can't bring in prospective athletes from beyond the borders of their respective towns. And of local interests, a pair of Bay State Conference schools were not only in the tournament, but played each other in the title game, with Newton North defeating Braintree, 6-2, to become the inaugural Super 8 baseball champions.

Furthermore, only Lowell and CM had more than five losses. I can remember some

hockey Super 8's with teams barely above .500 sneaking into the field. Almost always a Catholic Conference team, of course.

Flash forward to this year's field:

**1. St. John's Prep Eagles, 18-2 (Catholic Conference)**

**2. Bridgewater-Raynham Trojans, 18-2 (Old Colony)**



Jake Levin

**3. Braintree Wamps, 18-2 (Bay State)**

**4. Xaverian Hawks, 14-6 (Catholic Conference)**

**5. Wachusett Mountaineers, 16-5 (Midland)**

**6. St. John's-Shrewsbury Pioneers, 16-6 (Central Mass.)**

**7. BC High Eagles, 11-9 (Catholic Conference)**

**8. Newton North Tigers, 16-6 (Bay State)**

Well that didn't take long.

It's just year two of baseball's Super 8 and the Catholic coronation has begun, with half the field comprised of parochial schools. Perhaps most troubling is the inclusion of BC High, barely a qualifier for the tournament at two games above .500. To be fair, they won eight games in a row after starting the season 3-9. But this should be about the entire body of work, not less than half of the season.

That's also five of the eight teams with at least five losses, compared to just two such teams a year ago.

North Andover (17-3, Merrimack Valley), Peabody (17-5, Northeast Conference), Westwood (20-0, Tri-Valley) or East Bridgewater (16-2, South Shore League) all had records so far superior to the BC High that the argument of "strength of schedule" shouldn't even be a factor. Westwood didn't lose a single game!

That's all semantics, but in reality, it's far from a gloom-and-doom scenario if you're a fan of Mustangs baseball.

Notice how the same two Bay State Conference teams have been included in both brackets? A case could be made the Tigers were included in the field simply because

they won it all last year. Would they get the same benefit of the doubt if they were in another league?

Norwood faced off against three teams in this year's Super 8 field, going 0-4 with two losses to Xaverian (2-0, 4-1) and a loss each to Newton North (7-6) and Braintree (4-0). Losing the four games by a combined 10 runs is far from desirable, but it's at least respectable.

In the case of the Hawks, it's interesting that the Mustangs hooked up with them for not just one but two non-league games this season. Even though the schools are separated by less than three miles, Xaverian has very little to gain by playing Norwood even once a season, let alone twice. But they did, out of respect for the Mustangs baseball program that lost in the Division 1 State Championship a year ago.

Norwood is a baseball town, situated in the strongest baseball conference outside of the Catholic kingdom. One of these years, the Mustangs are going to have a shot at a Super 8 title.

## Sotball *continued from page 9*

the throw to the base wound up in left field.

Leading 4-1 entering the sixth, Garczynski and Taylor Reed had back-to-back two-out singles, and scored what wound up being monumental insurance runs after Abi Tierney grounded to second and reached on an error, followed by a Kristen Flynn single to make it 6-1.

NDA got two back in the bottom of the sixth with an

inside the park two-run home run, cutting their deficit to 6-3. But Mustangs pitcher Katie O'Donnell got two outs in as many pitches to begin the bottom of the seventh, seemingly sending the Cougars quietly into the night.

On what could have been the third out on just the third pitch of the inning, a ground ball bounced just high enough over Flynn at

third that she couldn't come down with it, giving NDA a lifeline. The next batter tripled, followed by a single, and it was all of a sudden a one-run lead for Norwood, with the winning run at the plate for the Cougars. But O'Donnell was able to induce a groundball to shortstop, where Alyssa Chamberlain was perfectly positioned to make her eighth defensive put-out of the afternoon, and stepped on second base to force out the Cougar runner.

The Mustangs survived, 6-5.

"I think it's important to jump on teams early," said Garczynski after the game, happy with the win while aware of the task that lies ahead. "We played very good defense. They tried bunting and playing small ball, but I think we did a very good defensive job on them."

In terms of the big picture, Savino wasn't at all surprised the regular season played out the way it did.

"We had a very good team at 15-5 last year," said Savino. The lone setback for the Mustangs to this point this season was a 2-1 loss to Newton North on May 6. "Everybody was back. So what did you expect? That battery, Katie [O'Donnell] and Erin [Garczynski] and the third baseman [Flynn] have been

starting since freshman year.

"And like I told those three, it's all up to you guys. 'You can win the Herget league.' They did. 'You can win a state championship,'" Savino said.

Norwood draws the No. 3 seed in the Division 1 south sectional, and will face the winner of No. 14 Franklin vs. No. 19 Somerset-Berkeley (played yesterday, after the Record's deadline) on June 4 at 3:30 p.m. at the Cleveland School.



Head coach Carol Savino, pictured left, has been impressed with the way her team built off last year's 15-5 record. This season, the team has improved by four games, going 19-1 as they prepare for postseason play.

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### Customer Service Representative

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# SENIOR NEWS

**AFTERNOON DANCE:** No afternoon dance with John Rampino  
**ARTS & CRAFTS:** Offered every first Thursday of each month at 11 a.m.

**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. New class will be announced soon.

**BINGO:** Every Wednesday, from 12:45 to 3 p.m. \$5 to get started. We have begun a new game, for \$1, with a winner take all prize! You must be here by 12:45 p.m. to play the new game!

**BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC:** Hellenic Health Care will be available for blood pressure screening on the first Wednesday of each month. Ellis Nursing Home will offer blood pressure screening on the second Wednesday of each month. The Walpole VNA will provide blood pressure screening on the third Wednesday of each month at 11:30 a.m.

**BOOK CLUB:** Our next Book Club will be meeting on June 15 10 a.m.

**BRIDGE:** Our Bridge Club meets on Thursdays at 9:15 a.m. in the Library. The Tuesday group has been cancelled.

**COMPUTER CLUB:** The Computer Club meets each Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the Library/Computer Room. Computer users at all skill levels are welcome to attend.

**COUNCIL ON AGING:** COA Meeting will be held Thursday, June 4 at 2 p.m.

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

**DIABETES WORKSHOP:** The Diabetes Workshop will meet June 25 at 11 a.m.

**EXCEL CLASSES:** Excel classes have resumed. Please sign up.

**FOOT DOCTOR:** Dr. Cormier will be out for six weeks. Aiming to resume mid-July.

**GLEE CLUB:** Glee Club meets every Tuesday at 11:15 a.m.

**HANDCRAFTERS:** Handcrafters meet every Monday from 1 to 3 p.m.

Line Dance Classes are held each Tuesday.

Advance Class begins at 12:30 p.m. and Beginners Class begins at 2 p.m. All are welcome

**MASSAGE THERAPIST:** Karen Tracy is here on the first Monday of each month. Please sign up at front desk. Massages are \$30 for half an hour.

**NORWOOD RETIRED MEN'S CLUB:** The Board of Directors meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center (Except July and August). The Club Membership meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Norwood Elks Lodge, at 10 a.m.

**OIL PAINTING:** No Oil Painting class is offered in March.

**PROPOPE:** Is held on the third Wednesday of each month at 1 p.m.

**SCRABBLE:** Thursday afternoon at 1 p.m. Come and join us for a game.

**SHINE:** Our SHINE Counselor, Carol, is here to help you with your medical insurance needs on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Please call 781-762-1201 for an appointment.

**SQUARE DANCE:** Please join our Square Dance Class every Tuesday at 9 a.m.

**TRIAD:** Please join us on Monday, June 22. Our speaker will be: Social Security

**WATER COLOR:** The next session is scheduled for Thursday, June 11 at 9 a.m. Payment of \$20 must be made at time of sign-up.

**WAXING** Cancelled until further notice.

**WHIST:** Whist players meet on Tuesdays at 12:45 p.m. in the library.

**WHIST PARTY:** Whist parties will be held on the fourth Friday of each month 1 to 3 p.m.

**FRIENDS DANCE-** Friday, June 19 at 7 p.m.

**\*\*Attention\*\*** Pickle Ball Demonstration

Please come out and join us for a NEW game that is being introduced here at the Norwood Senior Center on Thursday, June 5, 2015 at 1 p.m. An instructor will have a display and all will receive a try at it!

**TRIPS**

**July 13:** Foxwoods Resort & Casino 10\$ Voucher Lunch, 10\$ Voucher to play, Transportation provided, \$25 p.p.

**Aug. 11:** The Bobby Darling Show, Lobster Bake, York, Maine. Transportation, Lunch, Show, \$84 p.p.

**Sept. 23:** The Beach Boys Show, Venus De Milo, Swansea. Transportation, Lunch, Show \$80 p.p.

\*We are Offering an Overnight TRIP in August to the new 9/11 Museum in New York City, three nights at a great price!

Please contact Naemah for details or stop into the Norwood Senior Center for a flyer.\*

**EVENTS:**

Wheel A Fortune: Thursday, June 11 at 1 p.m. Popular T.V. Show Game Team up and earn points to win a prize.

Summer Cookout & Flag Day Presentation: Friday, June 12 at 12 p.m.

**TRIAD:** Monday, June 22 at 1 p.m. Social Security. Traditions Luncheon: Thursday, June 25 at noon. Maximum Sign-Up \$50. Sign-up at front desk.

**Mini-Bus Trips:** Tuesday, June 9 - Boston Public Library, Tuesday, June 16 - Twin River, Tuesday, June 23 - Market Basket, Tuesday, June 30 - Castle Island.

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# DEATHS

## BOMBARD

Jean (Stasis), 79, of Norwood, on May 24. Beloved daughter of the late John P. and Katherine (Narusky) Stasis. Relative of the Sokolinski, Norwicki and Stasis Families. Funeral Service will be held on Thursday morning June 4, 2015 at 10:30 a.m. at the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home 1248 Washington St., Norwood. A visiting hour will be held one hour prior to Funeral Home Service from 9:30-10:30 a.m. Burial will be at Highland Cemetery Norwood.

## CLEARY

Florence E. (Grande), 90, formerly of Norwood, on May 30. Beloved wife of the late C. James Cleary and sister of the late Leo Grande. Dear mother of James Cleary of Weymouth, Joan McElwee of Foxboro, Paul Cleary of Norwood, Susan Archer of Mashpee and Stephen Cleary of Marlborough. Loving grandmother to 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. A long-time resident of Norwood and then of North Falmouth, Florence was active in the Catholic Church and other local charities. Funeral arrangements by the Chapman Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, West Falmouth. Private Interment at Highland Cemetery in Norwood, MA will take place at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations, in her memory, may be made to the C. James Cleary Memorial Scholarship Fund at Stonehill College, Office of Advancement, 320 Main St., Easton, MA 02357.

## HUDSON

Kathryn M., of Norwood, on May 27. Kathy enjoyed cooking and reading. Beloved daughter of Lorraine (Pelrine) Hudson, with whom she lived in Norwood and the late Richard Hudson; devoted sister of Marilyn Hudson of Norwood, Joseph Hudson and his wife Catherine McDonough of Hyannis, John Hudson and his wife Melissa of Norfolk, and the late Richard Hudson, Jr. and Christopher Hudson; the loving aunt of Danielle Hudson of Florida, Charlie McDonough of MA, and Richard and Nicole Hudson of Norfolk; and the cherished niece of Marilyn Tessier of Westwood, and Joyce Pelrine of Canton. Interment will follow the

Mass in Highland Cemetery, Norwood. Funeral arrangements by the Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood.

## MCKAY

Daniel Peter, 71, a long time resident of Norwood, on May 24. U.S. Army in 1964 where he was stationed in Germany. Known to his friends and family as "Danny," he was a kind and gentle man with an endearing sense of humor that lasted until the very end. Beloved father to Heath Daniel McKay of Boston and Danielle McKay Berejik, his son-in-law Philip Berejik and his three adoring grandchildren, Anthony, Michael and Sofia Berejik, of Needham. His fatherly love and devotion to his family was infinite. The memories he has made and the love he shared will be forever cherished. He also leaves behind his brothers, Bruce McKay of Griswold, Conn., Kenneth McKay of Wrentham and his sister Patricia Dulkis of Brockton, as well as two generations of nieces and nephews. Danny was born in Cambridge to the late Edward McKay and the late Thelma Geer McKay Brown, and was a devoted stepson to the late Fredrick F. Brown. He graduated from Norwood High School, Class of 1963 and he attended Franklin Institute of Technology. Danny had a distinguished career as an electrician and technician. He was employed at Industrial Metal in Norwood, Franklin Electric Co. in Franklin and most recently Gordon Food Service in Taunton (formerly Perkins Paper and Calgon) where he worked for over 30 years.

Among those who will miss Danny most are all of his friends at the North Walpole Fish and Game Club. The NWFGC is where he spent a great deal of his free time doing many of the things he loved most, whether it was fishing, cooking up a delicious meal, mixing a good drink, or sharing in a laugh with great friends. In lieu of flowers please make donation in his name to the American Heart Association, 300 5th Avenue Suite 6, Waltham MA 02451. Or the NWFGC scholarship fund. Arrangements by Kraw Kornack Fuuneral Home, Norwood.

## MULLER

Francis X. "Frank," 85, of Norwood, on May 24. Beloved son of the late William P. Sr. and Helen (Keenan) Muller of Boston, MA. Beloved husband of Ann M. (Nancy) Thompson Muller for 65 years. Devoted and loving father to Karen M. Durant and her late husband Kevin T. of West Roxbury, Paula M. Durant and her husband Robert B. of East Walpole, Robert F. Muller (Boston P.D.) and his fiancée Gale Martin of Norwood, Jack Muller and his wife Maria of Norwood, Nancy E. French and her husband John G. Sr. of Denville, N.J., Joseph G. Muller and his wife Ellen of Walpole and Kristin P. Muller and her partner Paul Colangelo of Malden. Cherished and loving grandfather to 14 grandchildren Christopher R. Muller, Jennifer O'Brien, Beth Muller & Julie Muller - Kevin II, Michael & Dennis Durant - John J. & Eric Muller - Courtney, Jaqueline & John French - Emily & Julia Muller. Great-grandfather to Sydney. Frank was predeceased by his five siblings, Mary, William, Thomas, Eleanor and Kathleen. He is also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. Frank was a retired employee of Blessed Sacrament Church in Walpole. Member of the John J. William Council 1308 K of C in Roslindale, Norwood Retired Men's Club and Norwood Senior Center. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Burial will be at St. Francis Cemetery Walpole, MA. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in his name to the Alzheimer's Association, 480 Pleasant St., Watertown, MA 02472.

## SERRATORE

Maria (Serratore) of Norwood, 89, on May 28. Beloved wife of Tommaso Serratore, loving mother of Antonio, Giovanna and Connie all of Norwood, also survived by seven grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Sister of Giovandomenico of Norwood and the late Angelo, Giovanna & Antonio. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw - Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment at Highland Cemetery.

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## ENJOY ART IN THE PARK

The Norwood Art Association's 37th Annual Sale and Exhibit will take place Saturday, June 13, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., on Norwood Town Common. See all kinds of wonderful original art by local artists — paintings, prints, photographs, cards, and more! Enjoy live music, raffles, and spring specials. Come find a gem for your home or office, and meet this year's Norwood High School/Norwood Art Association Scholarship Winner. (Rain date is Sunday, June 14.)

## BLUE HILLS ADULT EDUCATION FREE CLASSES

On Thursday June 18, at 6:30 p.m. Located at 800 Randolph St., Canton. HiSET Preparation Program. Pass your HiSET Test and

receive your High School Equivalency Diploma Classes are held on Tuesday & Thursday Evenings. Registration, please bring photo ID, come to door #10. Call 781.828.5800 ext. 325 www.adulted.bluehills.org. Funded by the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

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and Thursdays, June 16, 18, 23 and 25; Session 2: Tuesdays and Thursdays, Aug. 4, 6, 11 and 13. Cost is \$25 for four classes or \$10 for a single class. Register at www.ganaliyah.com. For more information call 781-444-8522.

## THE CATMOBILE

Which offers low cost spay/neuter for cats only, is coming to Petco located at 1210 Providence Highway in Norwood on June 13. For the month of June, kittens under 6 months old will be spay/neutered for the low price of \$20 due to the Petsmart Charities "Precious, Not Parents" campaign. Pet parents who wish to take advantage of this offer must mention the campaign when they call to

**Tuesday May 26**

0245 phone - Kids gathering spoken to Location/address: Fr Mac's - Vernon St Caller reports kids out on playground equipment. N665,n662 responded and moved group along.

0725 phone - Unwanted party services rendered Location/address: Highland St Caller states there are 2 people who have been living off him and wants them removed. N662,n661 responded and spoke with all parties involved. Civil matter. Unwanted couple packing up belongings as officers standby.

0733 phone - Road hazard state DPW/Norwood DPW Location/address: Entrance & Exit - Rose Ct Caller reports broken glass at entrance/exit of Rose Court. DPW notified and will handle same.

0804 phone - Larceny Location/address: Boch Honda - Bos-Prov Hwy Manager reports rims and tires stolen over night.

0932 911 - Well being chk gone on arrival Location/address: CVS Pharmacy - Nahatan St Caller reports man walking around not looking right. Wearing A white button shirt and blue hospital pants.

1020 phone - Vandalism Location/address: Four Points Sheraton - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports his vehicle was damaged in the parking lot.

1038 walk-in - Community police services rendered Location/address: Norwood Police Dept. - Nahatan St Due to special circumstances, n661 installs a car seat.

1058 phone - Assist citizen services rendered Location/address: Highland St Units stand by while property is removed.

1219 phone - Animal complaint spoken to Location/address: Ocean State Job Lot - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports a dog in the car with windows cracked but concerned because of outside temperature.

1220 phone - Larceny Location/address: BMW Auto body - Carnegie Row Caller reports 2 sets of rims taken overnight.

1351 911 - Runaway child services rendered Vicinity of: Oldham School - Prospect St Green striped shirt and khaki pants ran away from school.

1420 phone - Found syringe services rendered Location/address: Pleasant St + Allen Rd

1459 phone - Susp activity gone on arrival Location/address: McDonalds - Broadway St Caller reports a silver minivan and a blue car hanging in the parking lot.

1545 phone - Report of fire fire dept notified/resp Location/address: Lenox St + Plimpton Ave Caller reports the fence and bushes on fire.

1546 phone - Well being chk services rendered Location/address: Dean St Caller reports not having talked with her sister today and she did not go to work. Made comments of harming herself in the past. All is well.

1636 phone - Assist citizen assisted party Location/address: Cedar St Caller reports that someone threw a baseball at her brother. N669 spoke to both parties and it was determined that it was accidental. Caller is satisfied.

1735 walk-in - Assist citizen spoken to Location/address: Winter St Ongoing harassment. Party advised.

1759 911 - Fire alarm police & fire notified/ Location/address: Respite House - Beacon Ave Caller reported structure fire. Norwood fire responded. nothing found.

1946 initiated - Assist citizen spoken to Location/address: Balch School - Washington St Officer out with woman seeking advice about wild animals. Party advised.

2207 911 - Malicious damage Location/address: Pleasant St Caller reports that some-

# Police Logs

one slashed the tires on his vehicle.

2226 initiated - Motor vehicle stop arrest(s)made Location/address: Dean St + Glendale Rd Pc MA 145zs1. N662 places one male under arrest. Arrest: Kelley, William F Address: 33 George St Apt. #3 Norwood Age: 28 Charges: warrant arrest

**Wednesday May 27**

0002 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Willow St Caller reports kids yelling in the apartment above her. residents are packing to move. They will cease for the night.

0249 911 - Assist citizen services rendered Location/address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Caller reports her daughter is intoxicated and is walking with her to take her to hospital for treatment. She is seeking assistance to get her there. N665,n678 responded. Upon arrival, mother had called back and was already inside getting her the help she needed.

0621 phone - Vandalism Location/address: Lenox St Caller reports trucks vandalized at A to Z Landscaping and Commonwealth Appliance.

0702 911 - Assist citizen fire dept notified/respo Location/address: Heather Dr Request for lift assist. NFD responded and handled same.

0724 phone - Parking violation parking ticket issued Location/address: Hampden Dr + Plymouth Dr Anonymous caller reports a blue vehicle ( partial plate 155) has been parked every night for a few days in handicapped parking with no placard. N679 responded.

0948 911 - Death at home Location/address: Lane Dr NFD, Norwood B.C.I.,M.E.,C.P.A.C.,funeral home all notified.

1008 walk-in - Complaint of mv spoken to Location/address: Ryan Dr Party in lobby with information that the resident may be driving unlicensed and also driving with children in the car. N661 reports neither of these violations were observed by the reporting party or police. N661 to email the dept to watch for same.

1042 cellular - Hit and run complaint/summons Location/address: St Timothy's Church - Nichols St Report MA co n54702 hit a gate to parking lot and left. Bolo to car , South district and areawide 3. Westwood locates same Edgewood Dr Westwood.

1150 other - Warrant service services rendered Location/address: Village Rd W Request to serve a warrant. N662 reports subject does not live here. Court notified. Court requested a check at 1064 Village Rd. West. N662 reports that address does not exist. Court notified.

1301 911 - Report of fire fire dept notified/respo Location/address: Monster Mini Golf Of Norwood - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports smoke coming from establishment. NFD and 665 sent.

1427 walk-in - Susp activity Location/address: TJ Maxx - Nahatan St Customer reports she was followed by another customer and he tried to take a picture of her.

1436 cellular - Found syringe services rendered Location/address: Washington St N661 properly disposed of same.

1647 911 - Assist citizen spoken to Location/address: Cadillac Of Norwood - Bos-Prov Hwy Subject unhappy with service at dealership. Party advised.

1650 911 - Disturbance Location/address: Washington St Caller reported problem with neighbor, children fighting.

1707 911 - Report of fire police & fire notified/r Location/address: Montagano, Mark - Nichols St Caller reported fence on fire near vehicles. Norwood fire responded.

1824 phone - Threats spoken to Location/address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Staff reports that a psych patient is making threats towards other patients. Parties advised. Subject being treated.

2002 911 - Unwanted party services rendered Location/address: Kennedy's Public House - Bos-Prov Hwy Manager reports that an unwanted former employee is on the property and causing a scene. Party was escorted off the premises.

2024 phone - Complaint of mv no violation Location/address: St George Ave Caller reports that a non-residential vehicle is parked on the

street and making trash pickup difficult. No problems found.

2030 911 - Assist other agency services rendered Location/address: [Ded] Pacella Dr Intoxicated female reported she was in the woods hiding from family members at the above address. Dedham Police notified.

2153 phone - Noise complaint services rendered Location/address: Dean St + Tamworth Rd Caller reports loud work outside. N679 spoke to him, he will stop for the night.

2245 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Rogers Cabinets - Pleasant St Caller reports loud noise coming from the rear of the building. Party advised.

**Thursday May 28**

0213 911 - Noise complaint area search negative Location/address: Nahatan St + Nichols St Caller reports hearing yelling in the area of Nahatan St. and Nichols St. N662,n661 checked the area. Nothing found.

0706 initiated - Community police services rendered Location/address: Ledgview Dr Officer Easter transports winner of contest "ride to school In a police car" to St. Catherine's School in n662.

0944 phone - Well being chk taken/referred to other Location/address: Edgewood Dr Boss reports his employee made some suicidal statements. Westwood PD notified and will handle same.

1429 phone - Well being chk transported to hospital Location/address: The Common Cafe And Patisserie - Washington St Passing pedestrian requests check of a male that staggered from bus stop and then went into the cafe. NFD transports to hospital, mc8 reports complications from a past seizure.

1626 walk-in - Harassment Location/address: Coakley Middle School - Washington St Party in the lobby to report her son is being harassed in school.

1739 911 - Disturbance spoken to Location/address: Cross St Caller reported disagreement with roommate. Parties advised.

1826 phone - Mischief (kids) spoken to Location/address: Fairview Rd Caller reports three teenagers in the woods, possibly Smoking marijuana. N677 reports they are smoking cigarettes, no drug law violations.

1927 phone - Larceny Location/address: Parkway St Caller reported two stolen bikes.

2126 911 - Susp activity gone on arrival Location/address: Lansdowne Way Caller reports a white female and a white male acting suspiciously in a black pick up truck and reports that vehicle has left the area. N664 searched the area with negative results and spoke with the resident.

2202 phone - Mischief (kids) gone on arrival Location/address: Eagle Shoe Repair - Day St Owner received information that several kids have gathered behind his business and may have accessed the roof using the fire escape.

2330 911 - Noise complaint police & fire notified/r Location/address: Hill St Caller reports a loud noise near his apartment. N669 reports that is a fire alarm. NFD notified and responded.

**Friday May 29**

0008 911 - Citizens complaint Location/address: Rock St Caller reports mom and daughter arguing loudly. Officers respond and report mom was disciplining daughter.

0103 initiated - Motor vehicle stop arrest(s)made Location/address: Morrill Memorial Library - Walpole St NJ reg# ree43n. As a result of stop, n662 placed male in custody for "oui". N661 transported female in protective custody, st. Mil: 62714.4@ 1:16/end. Mil: 62715.4 @ 1:19. N678 stoodby for tow by center autobody. Arrest: Smith, Dwayne D Address: 730 West St Amherst, Ma Age: 22 Charges: oui liquor or .08% Stop/yield, fail to Possession of marijuana under an ounce Eedi l special regulation

0246 911 - Abandoned call spoken to Location/address: Albemarle Rd Upon callback, answering service came on. N661,n678 responded. Officers spoke with homeowner and they checked home for her as well. Homeowner advised to call her phone carrier.

0820 other - Community police services rendered Location/address: Carpenter St N677 transports to the Callahan School the winner

of "a ride to school in a police car" contest. 0900 initiated - Assaults complaint/summons Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Report of fight. Sro Murphy to file complaints.

0914 phone - Larceny Location/address: Olde Derby Rd Report 4 tires taken overnight.

0921 phone - Disturbance Location/address: Balch School - Washington St Secretary reports problem with a parent a 1/2 hour ago.

0932 phone - Well being chk spoken to Location/address: Broadway Report party walking around the strip mall, still has a Hospital bracelet and hospital pants on. Units locate same and hospital reports he was discharged, sent on his way.

0949 phone - Susp person area search negative Location/address: Murphy Memorial Field - Pleasant St Report that a subject exited the woods and sat on the swing-set next to a 4yo child and then went back into the woods. N678 reports the subject did not do or say anything criminal.

1338 other - Serve summons legal service made Location/address: Lane Dr N494 serves subject in-hand.

1732 911 - Complaint of mv spoken to Location/address: Hillcrest Rd Report of ma pc 422f16 operating erratically. N662 spoke with that party.

1753 911 - Mischief (kids) spoken to Location/address: Oldham School - Prospect St Report of two juveniles that were on the roof. N661 spoke with the guardian of that child.

1851 911 - Disturbance civil matter Location/address: Infinity Of Norwood - Bos-Prov Hwy Dispute between customer and salesman. N677 reports those parties have been advised and all are satisfied.

1908 911 - Disturbance services rendered Location/address: Alandale Pkwy Father reports his son has been drinking. N662 reports that party fled the house prior to officer's arrival. N662 located that party, he is not intoxicated and will not be returning to the home for the rest of the evening.

1950 phone - Assist citizen services rendered Location/address: Ace Coin Laundry - Washington St Manager believes she has recorded drug transactions on the store security camera. Bicycle officer reviewed those tapes, they do not contain any footage of drug transactions.

2003 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Pleasant St Resident reports that there has been tree work going for 12 hours. N661 reports that tree company was packing up upon his arrival.

2008 911 - Report of fire police & fire notified/r Location/address: Nichols St Report of a fire in a backyard. NFD notified and responded. N661 reports that is a fire pit that is being tended to, no issue.

2037 phone - Mischief (kids) spoken to Location/address: School St Resident reports on going issues with two young children running through the neighborhood unattended. The mother of those children was spoken to and is now aware of that issue.

2149 initiated - Kids gathering spoken to Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St N665 comes across kids gathering. They were sent on their way.

2203 phone - Alarm-burglar accidental alarm Location/address: National Sleep Therapy - Pleasant St Radio tamper. Upon arrival, Officers speak with the building manager who reports the smell of burning wires. NFD notified and responded. N677 reports the building manager accidentally set that alarm off when he shut off the electrical breaker.

2312 911 - Report of fire police & fire notified/r Location/address: Jefferson Dr Caller reports a fire in a yard. NFD notified and responded. N662 reports that is a fire pit and it is under control.

2335 phone - Assist other agency services rendered Location/address: Sherwood Dr Walpole P.D requests mutual aid for a report of six to seven male parties arguing in a parking lot. Walpole P.D responded as well. N662 reports that was one loud male party and he has been sent home for the evening.

**Saturday May 30**

0101 911 - Hang up call spoken to Location/address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Patient on unit # 33 ( rm# 3307) reports she needs help. Upon speaking to a unit m, he reports everything is under control. N665 re-

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## Legals

### NOTICE OF HEARING ON TREE REMOVAL

In accordance with Section 3 of Chapter 87 of the Massachusetts General Laws, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held on Friday, June 5th at 8:30 am in Room 24 of Norwood Town Hall, on removal of a 20" tree located on the northerly side of Cottage St. and distant easterly therein 71 feet from the easterly sideline of Prospect Street.

All persons interested in the foregoing are hereby notified that they may be present and heard at said meeting, if they so desire.

Norwood Tree Warden

*Norwood Record, 5/28/15, 6/4/15*

### NOTICE OF HEARING ON TREE REMOVAL

In accordance with Section 3 of Chapter 87 of the Massachusetts General Laws, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held on Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am in Room 24 of Norwood Town Hall, on removal of a 22" tree located on the northerly side of Cottage St and a distant easterly therein 111 feet from the easterly sideline of Prospect Street.

All persons interested in the foregoing are hereby notified that they may be present and heard at said meeting, if they so desire.

Norwood Tree Warden

*Norwood Record, 5/28/15, 6/4/15*

### Public Hearing Notice Norwood Planning Board

Pursuant to Mass. General Law 40A Section 9 and Sections 7.4 Major Projects and 10.5 Site Plan Approval of the Norwood Zoning Bylaw, the Norwood Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on June 15, 2015 at 7:15 PM at the Police & Fire Department Community Room, 137 Nahatan St., to accept public comments on the proposed Norwood Ice Arena. The Town of Norwood is proposing to construct a 34,000 square foot indoor ice arena next to the Coakley School located at 1315 Washington St. The subject property is shown on the Assessor's Maps as Map 8 - Block 1C - lot 16. The applicant is the Town of Norwood. The property is located in the General Residence Zoning District. Plans of the proposed development are on file in the Planning Board Office and may be reviewed during normal business hours.

Paul Donohue, Clerk

*Norwood Record, 5/28/15, 6/4/15*

### 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 **June 16, 2015 at 7:15:00 PM** on the request of Kurt Hultgren (Cases #15-12) with respect to property located on **33 Morrill Road**, in a **S2- Single Residential District**.

The application requests:

This Application requests a Special Permit under Sections 5.4.4 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow 16' x 18' single story addition, (master bedroom and bath) to the rear resulting with 16.5' side yard setback and 18" rear yard setback to a pre-existing, non-conforming single family home having less lot area, frontage, side yard and rear yard setbacks as required.

And, any other relief the Board may deem necessary

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 between 8:30 a.m. to 3p.m.

BOARD OF APPEAL

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

*Norwood Record, 05/28/2015, 06/04/2015*

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeal of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING** in **ROOM 12** of the **Municipal Office Building** on **June 16, 2015 at 7:45:00 PM** on the request of EIP Oceana Way, LLC (Case # 15-14) with respect to property located on **10 Oceana Way**, in a **LM- Limited Manufacturing District**.

The application requests:

This Application request a modification of a Special Permit granted by ZBA decision dated May 23, 2014. (Case No. 14-09) to permit the relocation of an existing fitness center from its existing permitted location at 10 Oceana Way to a second building to be constructed on the site, provided such second building is authorized by the Board, together with such other and further relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

This Application requests a Variance under the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to allow: The construction of a second principal building, having a gross floor area of 4,000 square feet, on a lot having 3.6 acres of land, together with such other and further relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

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 between 8:30 am to 3 pm.

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### GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH ANNUAL PLANT SALE

It's that time of year again! The tent is up on the front lawn of Grace Episcopal Church, which means the annual plant sale is in full swing. Annuals and some perennials will be on sale beginning Memorial Day weekend and then Saturdays and Sundays through the middle of June. Hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., weather permitting. The church is located at 150 Chapel St.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

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Church is located at 100 Winter St. in Norwood. For more information or to register, please email [FCC1736VBS@gmail.com](mailto:FCC1736VBS@gmail.com)

### NPA ANNOUNCES LIGHTS, CAMERA, SUMMER 2015 WORKSHOP DATES

NPA is excited to be offering its popular Middle School Summer Workshop- Lights, Camera, Summer! It is open to children entering Grades 6, 7 and 8. The workshop runs from 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. at the NPA-TV Studios in Norwood High School. At 10:30 a.m. on Friday of each week a premiere of the show prepared during the week is held and guests are welcome to attend.

This year NPA is offering three one-week workshops. Children may sign up for one week. Class size is limited and is on a first come, first serve basis. Registration will open on Wednesday, June 3 at 10 a.m. No early registrations will be accepted. To register, call Sarah Sullivan at NPA at 781-551-0338 or e-mail [sarah@npatv.org](mailto:sarah@npatv.org). Week 1: July 6- July 10 Week 2: July 13 - July 17 Week 3: July 20 - July 24 Visit [www.npatv.org](http://www.npatv.org) for current schedules and more information. You can watch NPA-TV on Comcast: Channels 8, 12 & 22, Norwood Light Broadband: Channels 22, 23 & 24, and Verizon Channels 33, 34, & 35.

### NORWOOD RETIRED MEN'S CLUB NEWS

The next meeting of the Norwood Retired Men's Club held Tuesday, June 9, will be the last meeting before the summer vacation. No meetings in July and August. This meeting will have representatives from the Norwood AAA to explain how they can help

their members as a Registry of Motor Vehicles. The Cape Cod Canal Cruise summer trip will leave from the Norwood Elks at 8 a.m. on Monday, June 22. Meetings will resume the second Tuesday in September (Sept. 9). For more information write to the NRMC at PO Box 155, Norwood, MA 02062.

### NORWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS COORDINATED FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM

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sponded and confirmed same.  
0242 initiated - Susp activity under investigation Location/address: BMW Gallery - Bos-Prov Hwy N662 reports vehicle in BMW Auto body lot on Carnegie Row has a gray suv up on blocks with lug nuts on ground. Logs checked show it was reported on 5/26/15 - call# 15-6644 @ 12:20. N662 reports there is a clear set of prints on side of vehicle. Photo taken. Refer to bci. ( 15-643-of)  
0329 initiated - Susp vehicle Location/address: Norwood Subaru Inc - Bos-Prov Hwy N662 reports suspicious vehicle pulled into lot behind Subaru dealership. ( MA. Reg# 9973g0)n677 responded. Party states he had permission to take tires from dumpster that were no good. N662 asked him to put them back and get something in writing from dealership stating he is allowed to do so. ( fio'd)  
0945 phone - Noise complaint no violation Location/address: Fulton St + Railroad Ave Resident reports a neighbor's dogs barking for several hours. N662 reports all is quiet upon his arrival.  
1051 911 - Parking violation no violation Location/address: Wilson St Resident reports vehicles parked near her driveway making it diffi-

cult to get in and out. N669 spoke with several residents, it is an ongoing issue during sporting events. all parties satisfied.  
1103 phone - Assist citizen assisted party Location/address: Lansdowne Way Resident requesting advice from an officer regarding issues she is having with her daughter. Mc8 advised that parent.  
1509 phone - Stolen bicycle Location/address: Cedar St Resident reports her son's bicycle was stolen some time last evening.  
1723 phone - Citizens complaint services rendered Location/address: Workmen's Hall - Wilson St Caller reports a possible dk male in the parking lot. Units spoke to the subject, he was not intoxicated and was moved along.  
1739 911 - Unwanted party Location/address: Dominos Pizza - Washington St Manager reports that a former employee is causing a scene and being disruptive. Party was removed, the manager will write a letter of disinvite.  
1822 911 - Unwanted party gone on arrival Location/address: Dominos Pizza - Washington St Caller reports that a male party is causing a disturbance near her store.  
1852 initiated - Larceny Location/address: Neponset St N662 was flagged down by a female party reporting larceny of her antique dolls.  
2226 911 - Susp vehicle gone on arrival Location/address: Belmont St Caller reports an unknown sp van parked in her neighborhood.  
2358 phone - Well being chk services rendered Location/address: Washington St Caller requests a well being check on her cousin who suffers from psychiatric issues. Party checked ok. Transport to the station to make arrangements to be picked up.

### Sunday May 31

0223 phone - Stolen bicycle Location/address: Norwest Dr  
0946 phone - Found syringe services rendered Location/address: Washington St + Cottage St N665 disposed of it properly.  
1219 phone - Well being chk spoken to Location/address: Norton Dr Caller requesting a check on her brother. brother spoken to and is ok, waiting for a friend to come pick him up.  
1327 walk-in - Missing person Location/address: Gay St Walk in party reports a missing relative. Party was located at the hospital.  
1504 911 - Report of fire police & fire notified/r Location/address: Highland St Caller reports smoke coming from her neighbor's yard. Units searched the yard, smoke was caused by an outdoor grill.  
1813 phone - Susp vehicle spoken to Location/address: Langdon Rd Resident reports a white jeep has been parked in front of her home for the last two hours. N662 reports that party was lost and has been sent on her way.  
1818 911 - Drunk person protective custody Location/address: Chateau Restaurant - Bos-Prov Hwy Party reports his friend is intoxicated and trying to drive his vehicle. N665 placed that male party under protective custody. N665 released that party to a friend.  
1852 911 - Disturbance services rendered Location/address: Dunkin Donuts - Nahatan St Caller reports he had a verbal altercation with a motorist and that they have followed him into a parking lot. N679 spoke with all parties involved, that matter was resolved.

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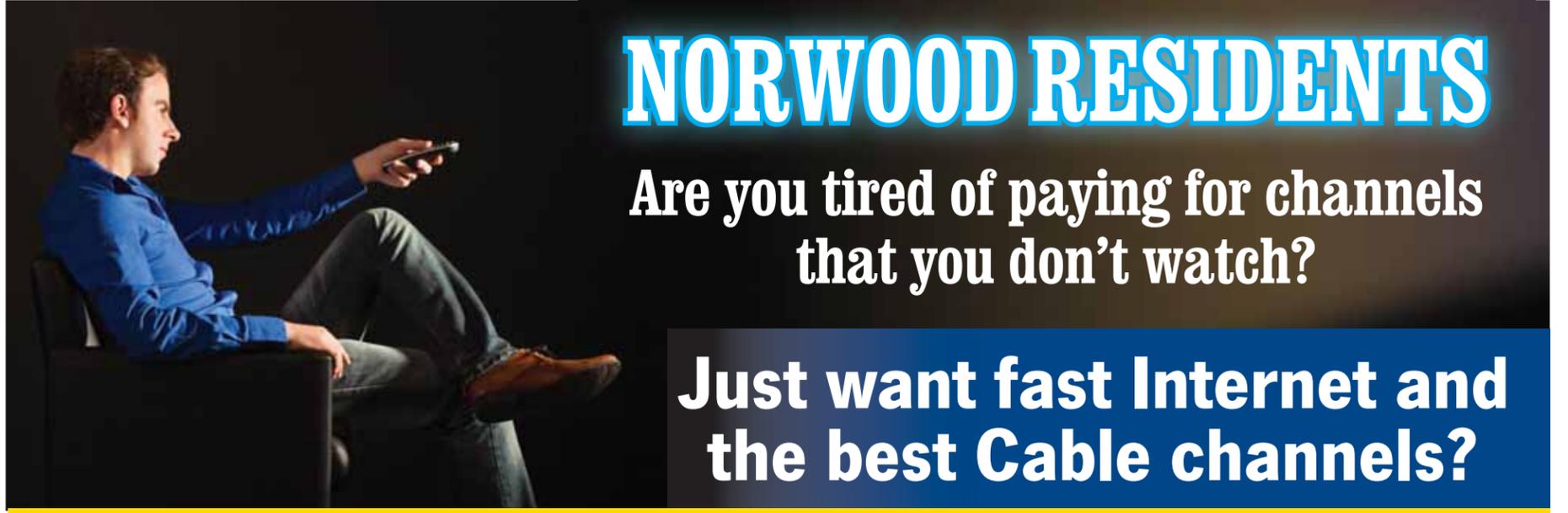
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