

Zoning Board denies Forbes Hill

Jonathan Lourie
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Staff Reporters

Residents broke into applause at the Oct. 6 Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) meeting when the board voted to deny the Forbes Hill 40B project on Upland Road.

The project, which is classified under the state's 40B status, was blocked under federal law stating that such a project can be denied if a town proves either that it has 10 percent of its housing listed on the state subsidized housing inventory or has 1.5 percent of its land used for affordable housing purposes.

"Gentlemen, we'll see you in court."

- ZBA member Patrick Mulvehill

"Town officials have worked very hard to research whether we had the appropriate land mass to meet the 1.5% requirement," said Philip Riley, Chairman of the ZBA. "While several calculations were made with different results, they all meet the 1.5% requirement."

"It's a start down the proper path (we) need to take, this housing obscenity needs to end," said Kevin Pentowski, district seven town meeting member. "We went out there and knocked on doors; visited the group homes. If we hadn't taken initiative, it would have ruined this town."

The Forbes Hill project, spearheaded by Davis Marcus Partners,

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BEH claims misconduct at airport

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

Boston Executive Helicopters (BEH) is moving forward with a lawsuit against the Norwood Airport and Town Officials that alleges 10 counts of misconduct towards the company preventing it from operating and expanding its business.

According to legal documents filed by BEH's attorneys, BEH requests a trial by jury and relief from the court finding that BEH meets minimum standards for a Fixed Base Operator (FBO) permit, the Norwood Airport Commission (NAC) has acted beyond its authority in denying the FBO permit, and that BEH be awarded damages and be allowed to act as an FBO and sell fuel to other operators at the airport.

The complaint alleges that BEH has been denied an opportunity "to compete freely and fairly for an FBO business, and



Boston Executive Helicopters has filed a lawsuit against Norwood Airport leadership, the Norwood Airport Commission, and the Town of Norwood alleging mistreatment and discrimination in its pursuit to become a fixed base operator at Norwood Airport.

PHOTO BY SAM NICKERSON

has lost millions of dollars of business in the meantime." BEH's attorneys state that the NAC has "authorized and granted" a monopoly to current FBO FlightLevel.

"We have tried over the last five years

to meet every request from (NAC Chair) Mark Ryan, (Commissioners) Kevin Shaughnessy and Michael Sheehan as

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True Value Hardware holds opening ceremony



A number of town officials, including members of the Board of Selectmen, Town Manager John Carroll, and Assistant Town Manager Bernie Cooper, along with Norwood True Value leadership held a ribbon cutting to celebrate the Washington Street store's official opening this weekend.

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Norwood officials endorsing town wide facilities manager position

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

Norwood officials, including the town-wide Facilities Manager Committee and the Committee of 21 plan to push for the town to pursue a town-wide Facilities Manager position and supporting department.

Chairman of the Facilities Manager Committee, Alan Slater, said the Committee has been making a lot of progress in identifying the nature of the position, the cost involved, and what other communities do in regards to similar positions.

"Everyone is trying to see whether they feel this is something which is good for the Town," Slater said. "To date, people are very positive on that."

Slater said the cost issue would be among the greatest determinants in whether the Town should pursue eliminating the School Department's building and grounds department and bring both school and

general government facilities management under one roof.

"Preliminary numbers that we have are positive," Slater said. "The bottom line is, it's certainly not a budget buster."

Slater and the Committee are aiming to have a draft report on the topic by the end of this calendar year.

At that point, the Committee would like to meet with the Selectmen and the School Committee to present their findings, and if the findings and feedback are positive, they would like to bring the matter before Town Meeting in May.

The Committee aims to hire a facilities manager and support staff that ideally would already be working in Norwood on both the school and general government sides. Currently, the general government does not have a dedicated facilities manager, while the Schools have Building and Ground Director Paul Riccardi. The Committee has said in meetings it looked closely at what Riccardi does as a model for the position.

Town Meeting member and Committee of 21 member Peter McFarland asked if such a position would work with not only the Capital Outlay Committee, but also the Finance Commission and the Town Planner when it comes to capital projects. Slater said while short and long-term plans are part of the position, the position will report to the Town Manager and the Superinten-

dent of Schools regularly for upkeep, maintenance, and day-to-day projects on municipal buildings and grounds.

Slater said the upcoming report would be brief and the Committee does not anticipate that the new department could be up and running for fiscal year 2017. He said they plan to request Town Meeting set aside a sum of money in May 2016 that would be used to fund the facilities manager position in the future.

Slater said the Committee still had to approach the Personnel Board regarding nailing down a full job description for the position, but if Town Meeting set aside the money, the RFQ and hiring process could be done in 2017 and the department could be off and running by 2018.

Town Meeting member and Facilities Manager Committee member John Hall said it was helpful to think of the job including custodial supervision at one end, capital building at the other and repair in the middle.

Hall, who has researched what nearby towns do in terms of having similar departments, found that some communities do not include custodial duties and others do not include capital budgeting in the position, but all include repair and maintenance.

The Committee of 21 did not take a formal vote but accepted the report made by Slater.

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Selectmen address 40B applications

Board supports denial of one while another files its papers

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

The Board of Selectmen discussed two potential 40B developments during its Oct. 6 meeting.

The Selectmen formally took a position in open session on the 300-unit Forbes Hill project that was submitted four days after the Town's safe harbor expired on Sept. 4, and was being presented to the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) in Memorial Hall as the Selectmen met.

In discussing a letter from the Planning Board to the ZBA, in which the Planning Board said it was not in favor of the Forbes Hill project, Selectman Bill Plasko made a motion to endorse the Planning Board's position based on the belief that the Town of Norwood has reached the 1.5 percent land area dedicated to affordable housing minimum needed to deny such projects.

Plasko said they had discussed legal strategies regarding the issue last week in executive session and felt a motion in open session was in order. The motion also included notifying the ZBA that the legal expense needed to cover the matter would be supported.

The Board approved the motion unanimously, with Selectman Helen Abdallah

Donohue saying she was ready to make this decision two weeks prior.

The Selectmen also received word that Boston-based Avalon Bay Inc. was seeking a project eligibility letter from the Massachusetts Housing Partnership for a 218-unit 40B project at the former Plimpton Press site on Lenox Street. The project would be split between apartments and townhouses.

Plasko said the Town could expect a letter from the Massachusetts Housing Partnership in a week or two, saying "they usually move quickly on these applications," which would ask for the Town's position on the project. At this point, they would have 30 days to review the application and create a position for the Town.

Also during the Selectmen's meeting, Norwood Chief of Police Bill Brooks introduced two of his department's newest officers and discussed its current hiring situation.

Brooks introduced new officers Brendan Green and Kyle Cordero, who are both Norwood residents and military veterans. Both men graduated from the Transit Police Academy on Aug. 19 and have begun field training. Green served in the U.S. Army for four years as a Cavalry Scout stationed in North Carolina, while

Cordero served as a member of the Military police with two trips to the Middle East. Both said they were planning to continue their education.

Brooks said another new officer, Rick McGowan, was attending nighttime firearms training and could not attend.

"We're really at somewhat of a frenetic pace on hiring," Brooks said. Brooks noted that since McGowan, Cordero and Green had graduated from the academy, the department had placed two more officers there.

Three officers have handed in letters of resignation, Brooks said, as they are accepting jobs in the Massachusetts State Police and will attend the State Police Academy in a week or so. Brooks said he and Town Manager John Carroll are trying to fill the three vacancies with candidates who have already graduated from police academy in order to avoid the wait time and send new officers right to field training.

"It's really crucial that we get officers on the street a little bit more quickly," Brooks said, noting that he was expecting some retirements in the winter as well.

Brooks said three employees were also out on

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CATERING TO ALL THE WRONG GROUPS

To the Editor:
 I have lived here for 23 years. Recently, I have been sad and disappointed. However, since the new 40B announcement, I am hopping mad.

Norwood now sells guns, has a drug problem, will be selling marijuana and is catering to a group of people who want a hockey rink; all at the expense of neighborhoods and the acquisition of open space.

Instead of fundraising, seeking state funding, and/or using town money for a rink, or paving downtown, we should have bought land over the years at Upland Road and Polaroid (or elsewhere). This beautiful area could have been used by ALL town members for walking trails, a challenge course, a dog park, cross country skiing, picnic and playground areas, etc... Now it will be ruined with apartment complexes.

Personally, I believe Campanelli had a 40B in mind from the minute they got the land. They just bided their time. And I could be wrong, but is this same

Campanelli group that built problematic subdivisions in late 50's early 60's in Brockton and elsewhere?

Does the town even take conservation seriously? I can think of many trees being taken down the last several years, but none replaced. Has anyone done a thorough assessment for endangered species of flora and fauna around Upland? Keep in mind that displaced wild life from these projects will move into the neighborhoods. We don't even encourage the benefits and use of solar in town for homeowners. The new DPW buildings are constructed for it, but it will not be installed until some future date. Check these last two out.

This housing issue is almost decades old in Norwood. It came up back in the 90's. Town government got a warning but chose to do nothing. Doesn't the town get it that every time a single family home or apartment building goes up; it reduces the proportion of affordable housing? Thus putting us in a perpetual quest for an elusive 1.5% and leaving us ripe for more 40B's and 40R's. The only other solutions are single family home acreage zoning changes and increasing property taxes.

Furthermore, we seem too focused on courting business and builders to keep taxes down at the expense of our schools and neighborhoods. WOW if taxes were raised, building might not be as profitable for the builders who don't live here! Gee, some of that tax money could put solar on the DPW buildings; go toward buying open space, and supporting our schools.

Do we want Norwood to become known for selling guns, drugs, a weak school system, and a haven for apartment complexes and affordable/low income housing??? I hope not, but fear it is too late.

A. Mackiewicz
 Norwood

filled, enjoyable day for all.

Although Norwood Day seems to function like a fine-tuned machine, it needs all of its staff and volunteers to make it go smoothly. The following is a list of volunteers and Recreation staff who have helped make Norwood Day so successful: Ernie Paciorkowski, Dan Burns, Paula Pelaggi, Linda Rau, Lee Kennedy, Fran Harwood, Mike Lyons, Kevin McDonough, Martha Colamaria, Linda Berger, Howard Weinstein, Dolores Elias, Dorothy Prevoir, Pat Schick, Claire Murphy, Andy Murphy, Tom McCarthy, Bob Griffin, Reggie Regan, Jack Chamberlain, Mike Halpin, Mark Brown, Joe Malinn, Jean Taylor, Tony Greeley, Billy Dunn, Michelle Pizzi, Mary Taggart, Katie Taggart, Debbie LeDuc, Marcello D'Aloia Megan White, Linda Reilly, Joe Greeley, Bernie Cooper, David Benjamin, Craig Riley, Norwood Public Access and the Norwood High Freshman Football. A big "Thank You" for your help and support to make Norwood Day truly the Big Party that it has become.

Finally, to all who attended and made Norwood Day what it is, it makes the work a lot easier when you see thousands of smiling faces

Jerry Miller
 Superintendent Norwood Recreation Department

THANKS FROM THE FRIENDS OF NORWOOD COA

To the Editor:
 We would like to thank everyone who came to our 15th Anniversary Dinner at the Senior Center. Yes, 15 years ago we started and today we have a Senior Center to be proud of; and seniors that were here at the start are still coming. We had good times and bad times but you all stood strong and that's why we are here today.

Our recent Anniversary party was like a Family get-together and trust me—we are a Family. Westbury Farms catered the affair and we thank them for doing a class a job. The entertainment was great with Mel Simons. He had people laughing constantly.

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Field user fees draw ire of athletic league heads

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

Some youth sports organizers feel that the fees the Town of Norwood assesses to organizations that use its athletic fields have grown to be too much.

According to Recreation Department Director Gerry Miller, the Town charges \$20 per athlete for use of the fields by organizations such as

with one child \$185 to play little league, but it gets lower if families register more than one child. He said it used to be much lower in years past, when the fees weren't as high.

Cotter said the fees started out around \$5 per child, before jumping up to \$10 and eventually \$20 in a 15-year span.

Youth sports organizations such as NLL and Babe Ruth are dependent on fees assessed to the families in order to survive,

said that between the Recreation and Public Works departments, the Town spends \$350,000 per year in order to maintain the fields.

This maintenance includes irrigation, mowing, fences, fertilizing, putting down lining,

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"I'm all for paying teachers, the police, fire departments, but these are your kids you're gouging."

- NLL president Mike Cotter

Norwood Little League (NLL), Babe Ruth Baseball, and Norwood Youth Football.

These fees are set by the Board of Selectmen based on recommendations from the Recreation Department and the Public Works Department.

NLL president Mike Cotter believes the fees are prohibitive for the nonprofit leagues and sees it as the Town "double dipping."

"We have to raise our fees (as a result)," Cotter said. "We own two of our own fields. The Town has nothing to do with them. We pay electrical, water, maintenance, and landscaping without any help from the Town. So we pay \$6,000 a year to use three Town fields."

Among the Town fields used by NLL and other organizations, such as AAU, are Murphy Field on Pleasant Street and the Oldham School field.

One of Cotter's problems with the fees is that they go back into the Town's General Fund and not directly to the fields.

"We already pay taxes as residents," Cotter said. "Those three fields that are maintained by the Town, it's 20 bucks per kid for the same thing."

Cotter said it costs a family

but fear low participation if the cost is too high.

In 2014, NLL had an income of almost \$86,000, but had expenses nearly \$10,000 higher than that, including \$5,740 for field fees and around \$28,000 in its own field maintenance.

"I wrote a letter to the Selectmen last year, saying we put in for Ernie Boch Funds," Cotter said. "I was disappointed we didn't get selected. The groups that got selected, I have no argument. I said, 'next year, I'm hoping you can do something for us with our expenses.'"

Cotter said the Selectmen did not appreciate the letter he sent and was even called out by some for asking for money. Cotter said he sent NLL's financials to the Selectmen and said he did not intend to pick a fight, but would like to see the fees reduced back down to \$10.

"I'm all for paying teachers, the police, fire departments, but these are your kids you're gouging," he said. "It's not like it is adult softball."

Norwood Youth Soccer averages around \$15,000 per season in fees, meaning that it pays that much to the Town for both fall and spring seasons.

Miller said the Town usually takes in around \$50,000 in these fees each year. He also

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and other costs associated with field maintenance, Miller said.

Miller conceded that the flat fee could add up with more participants per family, but said he hasn't pursued raising the fees just yet - even though he said some Selectmen would be in favor of it.

Miller said that between 15-20 years ago, the Town was going through budget constraints and maintenance problems,

which left the fields in "atrocious conditions," so bad that programs from other communities would refuse to play on Norwood fields.

A Fields Committee was formed and a study called the Gale Report found that a well-irrigated, well-maintained field could sustain an average of 400 uses per year. Miller said three fields at the Coakley Middle School were averaging 1,000

uses per year.

As such, the idea to assess a field per user fee was put into place. Now, Miller said, the fields are all irrigated and well-maintained, and other communities often inquire about Norwood's field maintenance regimen due to their excellent condition.

"We can take pride in our fields and the maintenance program is doing wonderful," Miller said.

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long-term disability and this had caused a "financial crunch" at the department that had required some adjustments.

Brooks also reported on the status of the traffic issues stemming from lights at Everett Street and Route 1

North. During commuter hours, the traffic backup caused drivers to head into lower Neponset Street and Washington Street, and when these backed up, into residential neighborhoods.

Brooks said he had officers doing extra enforcement in the

area, but found the problem was more due to volume than speed. Signs had been erected barring drivers, except for buses and local traffic, from entering the neighborhoods, and the Department of Transportation was making adjustments to the traffic signaling.

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Airport Lawsuit *continued from page 1*

well as (Airport Manager) Russ Maguire, no matter how outlandish, and despite the fact no other operator at Norwood Airport has ever provided most of the requested information," BEH president Christopher Donovan said.

The defendants include Norwood Airport, the Town of Norwood, the NAC, and Maguire. In addition, the complaint also seeks judgment against commissioners Kevin Shaughnessy, Martin Odstrchel, Sheehan, and Ryan as individuals. The complaint accuses the individuals as having "conspired with one another and FlightLevel...as to harm competition for FBO services at the Airport in order to harass BEH, injure its business, and misappropriate its business and property."

"Since there is now pending litigation, I can only say that the Norwood Airport Commission has been fair and consistent with BEH and the ball is in their court to provide the Commission with the requested industry standard information," Ryan said. "The delays are on their part."

Donovan said BEH paid to have a third party professional review of company principle finances - a minimum standard for

an FBO permit that has stalled the approval of BEH's application - with the reviewer picked by the NAC. According to Donovan, that reviewer found that BEH was qualified and meets all minimum standards to be issued the permit, but the NAC did not approve the permit or find the company financially stable based on what was provided.

"It is clear to BEH that no matter what we do and provide we will never be given a fair and impartial chance by Ryan, Shaughnessy, Sheehan and Maguire," Donovan said. "We have millions of dollars invested in Norwood Airport and they allowed us to build what they are now saying is a useless facility and they will never approve our operation."

According to the court documents, filed Oct. 2 and served to all parties by Oct. 6, the counts include declaratory judgment against the NAC regarding FBO application standards, misuse of power, and discrimination against BEH. The other counts include breach of contract and promissory estoppel/detrimental reliance by the NAC, and counts ranging from due process and equal protection violations to violation of the state civil rights act and attempting monopolization by all defendants.

The documents include recent legal proceedings, in which the Town was ordered by a judge in Norfolk County Superior Court in September to provide public records requested by BEH in the form of emails dating back as far as two years that include mention of BEH or Donovan.

The documents also include allegations and prior findings from the Federal Aviation Ad-

ministration (FAA) that the airport violated its federal and state grant assurances, despite the airport's use of federal and state funds for projects at the airport.

At its Sept. 30 meeting, the NAC voted to rescind its Feb. 12 lease offer to BEH of nearly 12,000 square feet of space on the airport's West Apron. BEH had said this was not enough space to provide full FBO services, especially compared to FlightLevel's holdings, and said the offer included "unreasonable conditions not required of FlightLevel."

According to the documents, the NAC is also slated to consider revoking BEH's permit to operate commuter and on-demand services on Oct. 21 after an incident involving tipping of jersey barriers erected by FlightLevel with the alleged blessing of Town officials in a property dispute with BEH. The court documents said that Donovan and employees were cleared of criminal wrongdoing alleged by the Town after the show cause hearing.

BEH's attorneys said the company is not the first to be treated as such by the NAC, stating that the airport took similar action in 2010 when tenant Boston Air Charter sought to become an FBO. FlightLevel is the Norwood Airport's only FBO.

The complaint also alleges that Donovan and BEH owner Moshe Yanai were harassed and threatened by Maguire and that the NAC enacted taxiway restrictions in front of its facilities when no similar restrictions are enforced for other tenants.

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would include the construction of 300 rental units, a pool and clubhouse, seven buildings and multiple covered garages.

According to real estate advisor Ed Marchand, the project has the potential to increase affordable housing units from 8.2 percent to 10.61 percent in Norwood, thus barring any further 40B developments.

In addition, the project could generate "\$200,000 in tax revenue annually and on a one time basis, generate \$350,000 to \$400,000 in building permit fees."

However, for many, the negatives outweighed the benefits.

"I'm here to get more information, but I'm concerned with the number of units and its effect on the community," said longtime Norwood resident Carol. "Traffic is becoming a bigger issue on Walpole Street and with 300 additional units it will get worse. Our town can't keep up."

One of the largest concerns from 40B opponents is the project's impact on the tax base.

"It could destroy our taxpayer base," said Pentowski. "If

this was to be filed, we would surpass our 50 percent homeowners to rentals ratio, right now we are hovering at 49 percent. Once we have more renters than homeowners, our school system is finished. Furthermore, all these housing units were put in to commercial [zoned] property, so it's taking away higher tax returns from businesses as well."

The decision may have come as a surprise to some, but the developers were expecting it.

"We anticipated that the town was going to invoke the 1.5 percent rule," said Paul Marcus, CEO of Davis Marcus Partners. "We plan to follow through with whatever regulation we have to in order to see this project through."

Riley said he would consider a motion from the ZBA denying the developers the comprehensive permit for the project based on the Town's 1.5 percent calculations.

"Gentlemen, we'll see you in court," ZBA member Patrick Mulvehill said while making the motion, which was accepted unanimously.

Sports

Mustangs unbeaten streak ends with 34-14 loss to Walpole

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

Undefeated no more are the Norwood Mustangs, losers of a 34-14 decision to the Walpole Rebels last Friday night at Walpole High School.

In a game that was all square at 14-14 well into the third quarter, Norwood (3-1) ran out of steam against a Walpole team (also 3-1) that's ranked No. 16 in the ESPN Boston Top 25 poll.

"It's hard to come over here and play a team like that and turn the ball over," said head coach Jim Tighe following the Mustangs' first defeat since Nov. 15, 2014 vs. the Milton Wildcats, who just happen to be next up on Norwood's schedule. "I thought the kids played hard, it got away from us at the end. There were a couple of fumbles that we thought we had, but we didn't have 'em."

Tighe said that Norwood expected to win the game, which would have broken a drought against Walpole that extends back to early part of the 21st Century.

"We expected to win," said Tighe, downplaying the closeness of the game early on as a confidence booster. "It didn't work out. No real excuse, they played well. They're a good team."

The game couldn't have

started out any better for the Mustangs. They received the opening kickoff and completed an eight play, 91-yard drive on a 2-yard touchdown pass from Joe Leanos to Zac Pungitore. Sixty-five of the yards on the opening drive were accounted for on a Sean Mellen catch-and-run on a quick slant, bringing Norwood inside the 5-yard line of Walpole. Jay Wladkowski's kick on the PAT was good, and the Mustangs led 7-0.

The Rebels committed three penalties on their ensuing possession, a block in the back, which cancelled out a 10-yard run, and two false starts. Richie Watson punctuated the miscues by sacking Walpole quarterback Charlie Audiore on third-and-15, forcing Walpole to punt. The punt itself was an adventure, too, with the snap sailing high over the head of punter Alex Caskie. Caskie retreated about 15 yards to the ball, barely getting the kick off, but ultimately getting a good bounce and placing the Mustangs at their own 37.

Faring much better on their next defensive set, holding Norwood to a three-and-out, Walpole awoke offensively behind the dynamic rushing attack of Audiore and tailback Lovevindjy Salvant.

"Audiore and Salvant were the players of the game," said



From left to right, Norwood captains Joe Mazzotta, Joe Leanos, Steve Lussier, Jake Vail and Zac Pungitore, shaking hands with their Walpole counterparts prior to the game.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

Walpole head coach Barry Greener. Audiore started the game for the injured Tyler Berkland, while Salvant replaced starter Steve Cuqua on the team's second possession, following an ankle injury to Cuqua. The duo combined for 237 yards on the ground (four carries, 91 yards for Audiore and 26 carries and 146 yards for Salvant, who had a trio of rushing touchdowns).

"With a lot of help from their friends," added Greener.

"But those guys, they're playmakers."

The Rebels tied the score on a 7-yard touchdown pass from Audiore to Nate Porack, and took the lead in the second quarter on a 2-yard run by Salvant. At halftime, Walpole led 14-7.

Pungitore, who's scored at least one touchdown in each of Norwood's first four games, did his best in the third quarter to ensure Walpole wouldn't pull away. He had a 40-yard

punt return to set up the Mustangs at the Rebels 30, and soon after found himself on the receiving end of another touchdown pass from Leanos, tying the score at 14-14. Through four games, Pungitore has five receiving touchdowns, as well as an interception returned for a touchdown on defense.

After trading possessions a few more times, Walpole took

Football

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Walpole Porkers halt field hockey winning streak at 3 games

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

The Walpole Porkers came to town and snapped Norwood's three-game winning streak, edging the Mustangs in a 3-2 contest.

Goal scorers for Norwood were Coley Hayes and Maura O'Neill. Previously, the team outscored opponents Natick, Canton and Weymouth by a combined 11-1 margin.

"Walpole's a phenomenal program, everyone knows that," said head coach Allison Doliner after the game. The Porkers have won 11 state titles, most recently in 2013, and had an undefeated regular season record last fall before being upset in their first playoff game. "They [Norwood] played a complete game there, that was 60 minutes. Right down to the

final buzzer, we were bringing it down there."

Hayes, who scored the first goal of her varsity career last season vs. Walpole, got the Mustangs out to a 1-0 lead at 19:25 of the first half. Doliner has had no shortage of praise to heap upon the junior throughout the first half of the season.

"Can't say enough about Coley Hayes, again, on both sides," said Doliner. "So many huge stops on defense, she comes back and scores the first goal of the game...she really does such a good job of not letting the game and the adrenaline get to her, and just playing like it's any other game."

The goal for Hayes was set up by a Val Quinlan steal back in the defensive end for Norwood. Quinlan worked the vertical passing game for the

Mustangs, shooting the ball up-field for Casey MacDonald, who passed it further for Bryn Garczynski, who drew a corner. Hayes scored off of the corner after both Quinlan and Garczynski had shots that failed to cross the goal line, crashing the net off a rebound for the tally.

The Porkers knotted the score at 1-1 with just 1:26 to go in the first half, after Norwood failed to clear a corner. Goalie Janelle Kelleher made the initial kick save, but couldn't recover in time to stop the rebound from finding its way past her. The score held at 1-1 at the half.

A two-minute span in the second half wound up being the difference in the game, favoring Walpole. The Porkers scored a pair of goals in a span of 1 minute, 51 seconds, the

first coming off of three consecutive corner chances. Interference was called against MacDonald moments after the first goal (the 5-yard rule, which means that a defensive player cannot be within five yards of the ball during a free play) and Walpole capitalized on the numbers advantage to go ahead 3-1.

O'Neill made things interesting later in the game, with 1:55 left, to be exact, after the Porkers failed to clear their defensive end, a Walpole defender swinging and missing like a baseball player at the ball.

Hayes led one last rush for the Mustangs, but with the clock dwindling, the Porkers were able to seize control, and escape Norwood with a 3-2 win.

"This was a busy week, too," said Doliner. "The girls,

out of all three we played this week, that was definitely their best game."

Back in form vs. Westwood

Norwood got right back to its winning ways on Monday vs. the neighboring Westwood Wolverines, with Kelleher posting a shutout in a 2-0 Mustangs victory.

Playing on the turf of Norwood High School's football field rather than the grass of the front lawn, O'Neill (19:45) and MacDonald (22:16) both scored for Norwood within a three minute span towards the end of the first half, each goal assisted by Quinlan.

The Mustangs' previous

Field Hockey

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Norwood Swimming falls by a hair to Marshfield despite improvements

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

Norwood fell short by a length in a meet against Marshfield last week, losing 92-89 in its closest contest yet this season.

It's nevertheless an upward trend for the Mustangs (0-3), who lost their first meet to Natick by 23, 102-79, and dropped their second meet to Wellesley by 13, 97-84.

Head coach Jennifer Rodger and assistants Kate Curtin and George Stamides agree that the team has improved immensely over the course of the three meets thus far, and believe a breakthrough for the team is just around the corner.

"I would say our 200-freestyle relay going second, third [and] fourth was huge," said Rodger of one of the highlights of the meet last Thursday at Westwood High School, the home pool of Norwood swimming. Brendan Hurley, Julia Kiley, Caitlan Shaughnessy and Austin Reardon comprised the group that came in second in the heat.

Emerson Kerns and Liana Aspinwall placed first and second in the diving, giving Norwood the win in that portion of the event. Kerns has already qualified for sectionals, and needs a total greater than or equal to 192 to qualify for state, which he made last season.

Rodger said one major emphasis at practice recently has been "out-touching" opponents, which can affect times and placements in races. A swimmer's race ends once they touch the sensory pad located at the end of each lane, and hitting the pad harder at the end can ensure the timing is correct, and perhaps a higher placement in a close heat.

"The close score, 89 to 92, came through with a lot of the out-touching," said Rodger. "The seconds, thirds and fourths compared to a fifth [place finish]. A couple of races, their team did take first, but we usually came back with a two-three, and that really did help us out."

The 500-freestyle was such a race where that was the case. Shannon Carey and Ben Wong swam the 500 for

Norwood, placing second and third in the race, respectively. Carey finished with a time of 6:46.24, Wong with a time of 6:47.11, in the longest such race on the schedule of any given meet. Grace Gillis and Reardon also came in second and third, respectively, in the 200-freestyle.

Gillis swam a personal best 1:11.39 in the 100-backstroke, and is now just two seconds away from qualifying for sectionals.

Brendan Hurley qualified in the 50-freestyle with a time of 26.02

"These kids have been improving so much from the first day of practice, the first meet," said Curtin. "They keep dropping times, which is what you want to see."

There's also a deeper pool of swimmers for the Mustangs this season, with the roster growing from 18 at its peak in 2014 to 24, a 33 percent growth.

"Hopefully, as we continue on in the season, they'll continue to improve and drop time, and we'll have more exciting meets like this," said Rodger.



Maura O'Neill, left, fights for the ball in the Norwood offensive end during last week's game vs. Walpole.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

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three wins have all been via shutout, with Kelleher playing five out of a six possible halves in the games.

Norwood's defense, which was somewhat of a question mark due to inexperience at the beginning of the season, continues to strengthen.

"They're doing really, really well out there," said Doliner after the Westwood game. "Erin Murphy with a few big clears out of the circle, Coley again, come up with it down there and come the whole length of the field. Hannah Gillis, she had a great game back there today at right back."

Doliner added that Kelleher continues to get more comfortable in net, and also lauded the

play of freshman Rosie Campbell, a defender who's been opening eyes with her play on the back end.

"She played youth, but to go from youth straight to varsity, it's huge," Doliner said of Campbell. "It's a completely different game, different pace, and she's stepping right up and coming up big when we need her to."

The Wolverines had five corners in the second half, compared to just one for the Mustangs, but couldn't fit the pieces of the puzzle together that were necessary to solve the defense.

Norwood played at Milton High School on Tuesday night, a rematch of the Mustangs' season-opening 3-3 tie, in an even held after the Record's deadline.

Boys Soccer drops another to Milton

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

After being trounced by Milton on opening night, 5-0, Norwood soccer coach Jason Andrews was hoping for a better result in the rematch on Tuesday.

While the outcome wasn't much different, a 6-1 win for the Wildcats, Andrews came away from the match feeling more positive than he did after the first meeting, particularly with his team's effort in the second half.

"I honestly don't know," said Andrews of what sparked his team's improved play in the second half. The Mustangs got their lone goal in the second half, courtesy of Cam Ryan, and outshot Milton 5-1 over the final 40 minutes. "I told them that they just weren't playing up to their capabilities. What I suggested was that when you're losing, you need to play harder to win, not play worse to keep losing. Which sounds so simple...I related [that] when I played, when I was losing, I wanted to come back."

The game was played at Father Mac's, the return game of the home-and-home Norwood annually plays with its Bay State-Herget Division rivals.

Milton came out blazing hot, scoring its first two goals in the 6th and 8th minute to grab control of the game early. The second goal was the result of an errant goal kick from Steve Tribuna, accidentally clearing the ball directly to a Milton striker. Tribuna did have eight first half saves before being replaced by backup Daniel French in the second half.

Andrews called a timeout after the second goal, and Norwood responded with several long-distance pass attempts to connect with speedy striker Saurav Kandel, to no avail.

Tribuna made a series of saves in the 23rd minute to keep the game, at the time being, from turning into a blowout, and Norwood was able to garner a corner kick in the 29th minute to try and create some pressure. But the corner led to nothing but a quick Wildcats clear out, and seconds after the kick Milton scored its third goal to make it 3-0. They followed with goals in the 35th and 38th minute of the first half to take a 5-0 lead heading into the break, and hit two posts in the waning minutes which prevented their advantage from being even larger.

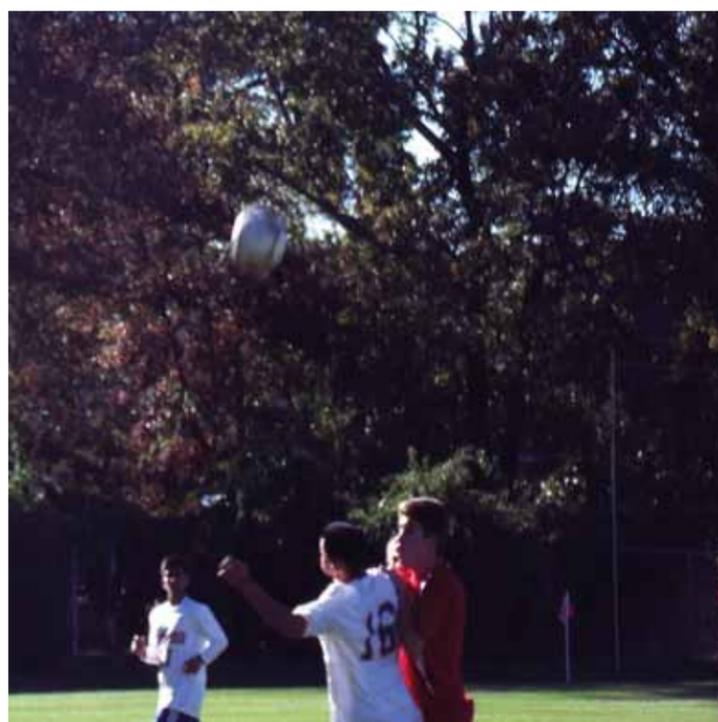
Ryan scored the Mustangs' lone goal in the 21st minute of

the second half, a play made possible by Adam Gold. Gold carried the ball up the right side of the field, connecting with Guillermo Rower further up the right. Rower centered the ball towards net, where Ryan came up with it in traffic and put Norwood on the board.

The Wildcats scored a garbage-time goal in the 38th minute of the half, leaving Father Mac's with a 6-1 victory.

"It was a tail of two halves, really," said Andrews. "It was a better performance today because some of their goals from the first half today were on mistakes; we made a couple of big mistakes."

The Mustangs are next in action this afternoon at Framingham High School for a Bay State Conference crossover game with the Flyers at 3:45 p.m. Their next home game is on Tuesday at Father Mac's, against what Andrews referred to as a "much improved" Dedham team.



Robert Bernal of the Mustangs contests a ball in the air against a Milton Wildcat player during Norwood's 6-1 loss on Oct. 6. Norwood dropped its season opener to Milton by a score of 5-0, and coach Jason Andrews saw much improvement in his squad's play in the rematch. Norwood received its lone score from Cam Ryan, who scored in a second half push by the Mustangs to outshoot Milton 5-1.

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Joe Leanos of the Norwood Mustangs lines up before a play during the team's 34-14 loss at Walpole last weekend. Norwood held No. 16 ranked Walpole to 14 points into the third quarter, but could not keep pace.

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Football

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over at its own 20 with 3:37 remaining in the third quarter. Salvant and Auditore slashed their way downfield, their legs accounting for all 80 yards on the drive, culminating on a 27-yard run by Salvant to put the Rebels on top for good, 21-14.

Auditore, doubling as a safety, caused Norwood problems on the defensive side of the ball as well. He picked off Leanos twice in the game, the latter of which came on the Mustangs' final possession of the third quarter. Walpole remained on top 21-14 heading into the fourth quarter.

Ball security remained an issue for Leanos in the game's final quarter. He threw his third interception of the night with 9:48 to go in the fourth, and fumbled the ball on third-and-12 from his own 19-yard line inside six minutes to go. Despite the turnovers, Leanos still boasts an outstanding 10-to-4 touchdown-to-interception ratio for the season.

The Rebels took a 27-14 lead on their first play from scrimmage following Leanos's fumble, a 15-yard run by Salvant (the PAT was blocked), and sealed the victory on a Ferry Armand 8-yard run following Norwood turning the ball over on downs inside its own 20.

The schedule gets no easier for the Mustangs, as they'll host Milton (4-0) on Friday night, under the lights at 7 p.m. It's the second year in a row Norwood will host a Friday night game on Columbus Day Weekend; they lost last year's contest, 35-6, to the Wellesley Raiders.

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Therese Aileen, 31, of Norwood passed away on Sept. 27. Born in Boston she was a longtime resident at the Crystal Springs School. Beloved daughter of Edward S. Jr. and Margaret A. (Curran) Curran of Norwood. Loving sister of Stephen J. Curran and his wife Jennifer of Norwood, Megan E. Curran of Hyannis, Thomas Curran of Dorchester and Allison M. Curran of Plainville. Cherished granddaughter of Constance M. Curran of Norwood and the late Peter J. Curran and Edward and Marguerite Curran. Also survived by five nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment will be at Highland Cemetery Norwood. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in her name to Crystal Springs School, 38 Narrows Road, Assonet, MA 02702.

FLYNN

Joseph L., 90, of Norwood on Oct. 1. In World War II Joe flew out of England as an aerial gunner and bombardier in the 467th Bomb Group. Joe was the Past Commander and active member of VFW Post 722 in Jamaica Plain. A graduate of Bentley College, Joe was an accountant, business manager and hospital finance director in and around the City of Boston. Beloved father of Joe (Major, U.S. Army Ret.) and his wife Karen of Sierra Vista, Ariz. Maura (Captain, BPD Ret.) of West Roxbury and James and his wife Ellen of Norwood. Beloved Grampy to Jimmy, Kristen and Mike. Former husband of Mary of West Roxbury. Beloved brother of the late Anna Bachman, John, Margaret, Walter and Catherine O'Connor. Funeral arrangements by the William J. Gormley Funeral Home, West Roxbury. Interment Massachusetts National Cemetery Bourne, MA. In lieu of flowers remembrances in memory of Joe may be made to Cops for Kids with Cancer, PO Box 850956, Braintree, MA 02185.

FRAONE

Vincenzo, 83, of Norwood, on Sept. 29. Beloved husband of Concetta (Michienzi) Fraone. Devoted father of Giuditta "Judy" Monterosso and her husband Francesco of Norwood and Giovanni "John" T. Fraone and his wife Effie of Mansfield. Loving brother of Maria Bretti of Italy, Giovanna Bretti of Norwood, Francesco Fraone of Norwood, Carmela Fraone of Norwood, Angela Michienzi of Norwood, Immacolata Fraone of Norwood and Joseph Fraone of Wrentham. Cherished grandfather of Veronica Monterosso, James Monterosso and Marco Fraone. Son of the late Giovanni and Giuditta (Carchedi) Fraone. Vincenzo was a retired Instrument Technician for Masoneilan Corp. working there for many years. He was also a member of the Norwood Italian Social Club. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment will be at Highland Cemetery, Norwood. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute, Pancreatic Cancer Fund, P.O. Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168.

MAGUIRE

Anna C. (Daunt), 99, a lifelong resident of Norwood, on Oct. 4.

Beloved wife of the late Thomas Maguire and mother of Susan Goselin and her husband David of Chelmsford, Sheila Leary and her husband John of Wrentham and Joseph Maguire of Scituate and the late Tom Maguire, Jr. She was the cherished and beloved grandmother of 10 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Anna was the daughter of the late John Daunt and Katherine Eustace Daunt. She is survived by her dear sisters Mary McTernan and Veronica Phalen of Norwood. Anna was predeceased by her brothers John Daunt, Jerome Daunt and her sister Margaret Patriarca. Anna has many nieces and nephews. Anna graduated from Norwood High School, class of 1934, and then Boston City Hospital School of Nursing. She had an exemplary career working at Norwood Hospital for many years until her retirement in 1982. She loved being a nurse and was known for her gentle, competent ways and kindness to everyone she met. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, Oct. 10, at 9 a.m. at St. Catherine's of Siena Church, 547 Washington St., Norwood. Interment will be private. There will be no calling hours. Memorial contributions in memory of Anna C. Maguire may be made to Catholic T.V. P.O. Box 9196 Watertown, MA 02471 or www.catholicstv.com

ROCKETT

Rita J. (Murphy) former longtime resident of Norwood, on Sept. 30. Rita was a graduate of Emmanuel College of Boston and briefly worked for American Airlines before marrying and beginning a family. She was an avid reader and a dedicated solver of crossword puzzles. She was also a loyal follower of the New England Patriots and Boston Red Sox, riding the ups and downs of their seasonal adventures. Her primary passion, however, was always her family, never tiring of hearing of their latest adventures, accomplishments and aspirations. Beloved wife of the late John F. Rockett; loving mother of Geoffrey J. Rockett of Norwood, Christopher F. Rockett and his wife Jean of Harwich and Michael W. Rockett and his wife Deborah of Mansfield; cherished grandmother of Jill Rockett of New York City, Matthew Rockett of Medford and Meredith Rockett and Timothy Rockett, both of Mansfield; devoted sister of the late Lawrence Murphy, John Murphy, William Murphy and Catherine Sullivan. She is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, Oct. 10 at 11 a.m. in St. Catherine of Siena Church, 547 Washington St., Norwood. Inurnment will follow the Mass in Highland Cemetery, Norwood. There will be no calling hours. Memorial contributions in memory of Rita J. Rockett may be in memory to the Lower Cape Outreach Council, 19 Brewster Cross Rd., P.O. Box 665, Orleans, MA 02653 or www.lcoutreach.org.

WARNER

Geraldine R. (Hawkins), 84, of Norwood, on Oct. 1. Beloved wife of the late Richard H. Warner. Devoted mother of Michael Warner of Placida, Fla., Phillip Warner of Lebanon, Maine, and Patty Flynn and her

husband David of Norwood. Loving grandmother of Jennifer Chandler, Brittany Warner, Matthew Warner, Lindsey Flynn, and the late Jonathan Chandler. Great-grandmother of Trenton Goodale. Sister of Philip Hawkins and the late Betty Hart. Also survived by many adored nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements by the

Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood. Private interment will be held at a later date in the Sarasota National Cemetery in FL. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy in Gerry's memory may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or visit www.stjude.org.

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NHS student receives national award

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

Norwood High School produces a number of well-rounded graduates each year, many of whom receive various awards for their work while in Norwood before going off to college. One such example is Norwood high student Mike James, who was recently inducted into the National Society of High School Scholars (NSHSS).

The NSHSS recognizes top scholars who also demonstrate leadership and community commitment. The announcement this summer that James was inducted into NSHSS was made by Society founder Claes Nobel, of the family who established the prestigious Nobel Prizes.

“On behalf of NSHSS, I am honored to recognize the hard work, sacrifice and commitment that Michael has demonstrated to achieve this exceptional level of academic excellence,” Nobel said.

James, who takes honors and Advanced Placement (AP) courses at Norwood High, is also a gifted athlete. James plays both basketball and baseball at Norwood High - he was a part of this past year’s state championship Mustangs baseball team - and excels in the Babe Ruth League. In 2014, James was recognized as one of “The Best Players in the Babe Ruth League” and was one of 14 Massachusetts players to be considered Senior All-Stars in the league.

“It’s a great feeling,” James said. “It shows me that my hard work is being recognized by a group that I honestly didn’t know existed.”

James credited his family and teachers at Norwood High for encouraging him to pursue more rigorous academics.

James said he had the same World History teacher, Mr. Andalo, his freshman year that his older sister did. James, inspired by his sister, took a liking to Andalo, who he said helped him transition to the

high school. Andalo inspired him to take more difficult classes based on James’ high grades, and James also takes AP European History, AP US History II and AP Psychology with Andalo.

The well-rounded student that he is, James has decided that despite his love for history, he wants to pursue mechanical engineering in college. So far, he has looked into Northeastern University - where he was invited to attend an upcoming engineering event for prospective students in December - Tufts University, Boston University, UMass-Amherst, and other schools.

“They wanted that well-rounded kid who was good in all classes, not just one,” James said of the educators at Norwood High School.

James said he has been inspired to join the school’s Recycling Club after his family was a recipient of a Recyclers of the Month award this summer.

James’ mother, Jessica, said James accompanied his older sister, who is now a junior scholar-athlete at Regis College in Weston, on many college visits, which inspired him to pursue college as a goal.

“I think that seed was planted very early in Mike’s head when we were taking college tours as far as what we needed to plan,” Jessica James



Norwood High School student Michael James was inducted into the National Society of High School Scholars for his academic, athletic, and community work.

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said. “He recognized that it was going to be some hard work to stay at that level and have a better chance of getting into some decent schools.”

Jessica James said it was nice to see all of the work and effort James put in “coming full circle” as he has begun to garner recognition from coaches, teachers, and now NSHSS. She said both of her children attended the Oldham Elementary School and Coakley Middle School before moving through the High School.

“We moved to Norwood on purpose (because of) how they treat their citizens, seniors and their kids,” Jessica James said. “My kids have most definitely taken advantage of that as far as being in

athletics and the school system...you have to make most of what you have and Michael has done that.”

Coach and International Board Member for the Babe Ruth League George Lally praised James for his work.

“It is an honor, privilege and a pleasure to have the opportunity to congratulate our Norwood Babe Ruth League Baseball player, Mike James on his being inducted into our Norwood High School National Honor Society,” Lally said. “Those that achieve this distinction are usually a senior or junior, and for Mike James to achieve this honor...shows his dedication in the classroom as well as on the Babe Ruth League Baseball Diamond.”

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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 **November 3, 2015 at 7:15 PM** on the request of NIP Owner III, LLC (Case # 15-24) with respect to property located on **615-625 University Avenue**, in a **LM – Limited Manufacturing District**.

The application requests:

This application request a special permit under Section 10.4 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow open lot storage of goods, products, materials, or equipment occupying greater than 25% of the amount of area occupied by buildings on the premises (Section 3.1.5.K.8) and a special permit under Section 6.1.12 of the Zoning Bylaws to allow a deviation from the parking requirements set forth in the Zoning Bylaws, 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 8:00 am to 4:00 pm.

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

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Police Logs

Tuesday Sept. 29

- 0143 911 - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Village Road W Caller reports group in parking lot across from her home are very loud and rowdy. Officers spoke with parties and they moved it inside.
- 0958 phone - Disturbance spoken to Location/address: Forest Hills Check Cashing Of Norwood - Central St Male party yelling outside of business. Party was spoken to, he will move along.
- 1055 phone - Auto theft Location/address: Park St Caller reports that her ex-boyfriend took her vehicle last week and has not returned. Vehicle was located, matter was resolved.
- 1214 walk-in - Lost and found Location/address: Short St Party in lobby with recovered bike. N668 speaks with same to file report.
- 1217 other - Juvenile offenses Location/address: Coakley Middle School - Washington St Sro Mahoney investigating incident.

- 1355 walk-in - Well being chk Location/address: Monroe St
- 1831 phone - Well being chk area search negative Location/address: Broadway + Nahatan St Caller reported party in wheelchair may be in distress. Officers checked area, nothing found.
- 1932 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Nahatan Village - Nahatan St Caller reports loud group in the area of the Gazebo. Parties advised.
- 1950 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Nahatan St Caller reported loud group. Officer reported group dispersed.

Wednesday Sept. 30

- 0733 911 - Missing person services rendered Location/address: Group Home - Neponset St Caller states one of the residents has left the home. Unknown whereabouts. Upon arrival of n664, resident had already returned and stated she was assaulted. Officer reports no assault that the resident has mental health issues and was dealing with new staff members.

- 1101 phone - Assist other agency services rendered Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Units assist DCF as they place one juvenile into custody.
- 1647 walk-in - Recovered missing person Location/address: Norwood Police Dept. - Nahatan St Walk-in reported he was missing from a group home in Ashland. Ashland Police notified. Party located in NCIC, returned to guardians.
- 1712 911 - Motor vehicle accident Location/address: Walpole St Caller reported crash. Norwood Fire responded. Officers on scene report dog struck by car.
- 1715 phone - Hit and run Location/address: Black Out Gang (B.O.G.) - Village Rd E Past hit and run.
- 2001 phone - Drunk person services rendered Location/address: Norwood Central Station Building - Broadway St Caller reported drunk party on train. Officers report party

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sleeping, not drunk.

Thursday Oct. 01

1008 phone - Animal complaint naco/waco notified Location/address: Driftwood Cir Barking dog since 6a.m. N665 located house sitter and the dog was brought back inside.

1113 phone - Disturbance services rendered Location/address: Windsor Gardens Mbta Station - Engamore Ln Report unruly passenger. N667 reports he was removed from the train without incident, checked and he is not wanted, he will make his own arrangements for a ride.

1258 phone - Well being chk protective custody Location/address: Day St Request check of resident, maybe drunk. Nfd also sent. Mc8 placed subject in protective custody and turned her over to a responsible party.

1413 phone - Violation of town bylaw area search negative Location/address: School St

1458 walk-in - Hit and run Location/address: Savin Ave Party in lobby reports MVA yesterday around 1630 hrs.

1503 phone - Well being chk spoken to Location/address: Walpole St Passing motorist reports a 2 year old standing next to the street at Walpole/Bond in a diaper, no adult around. N664 reports grandmother was further up the driveway, all ok.

1710 phone - Report of fire police & fire notified/r Location/address: Heaton Ave Caller reported smoke from the roof. Officer on scene reported smoke from the chimney, no problems found.

1721 phone - Complaint of mv area search negative Location/address: Winter St Caller reported erratic operation of a red pickup. Officer checked area, nothing found.

1825 initiated - Motor vehicle stop arrest(s) made Location/address: Washington St MA pc 174vr9. As a result, n666 places one male passenger under arrest. N664 transported him to the station. Arrest: Foley, Hugh J Address: 40 Savin Ave Apt. #1 Norwood Age: 27 Charges: warrant arrest License revoked, op mv with

2005 phone - Complaint of mv citation fine Location/address: Spruce Rd Report of a dump truck parked in the street for several days. MA cos 24250 was cited for overnight commercial parking.

2030 911 - Well being chk protective custody Location/address: Town Hall - Washington St Report of a male party stumbling into traffic. N679 placed that party under protective custody. N662 transported him to the station.

2058 911 - Disturbance services rendered Location/address: Pond Ave + Sturtevant Ave Report of a group of eight to ten people having a verbal argument. N661 reports that was a disagreement among juveniles, parents were already on scene to resolve that matter.

2122 phone - Complaint of mv services rendered Location/address: Norwood Sport Center - Cottage St Caller reported aggressive driving of a blue highlander. Officers located vehicle parked, unoccupied.

2249 phone - Susp vehicle gone on arrival Location/address: Wine Express - Bos-Prov Hwy Employee reports a light grey Volvo pulled into the parking lot and is in darkness.

Friday Oct. 02

0715 phone - Assist citizen services rendered Location/address: Pro Pave - Pleasant St Caller from Spruce Rd. Reports a dump truck (MA. Reg# S24250) has been parked in front of her house every day this week. Pro Pave is the company on google with

address of 1078 Pleasant St. N669 responded to speak to him as he could not be reached by phone. Woman states she hasn't seen him in a year. No listing for Boston address. Caller notified.

0820 phone - Drug law violation area search negative Location/address: Winslow Ave Playground - Winslow Ave Report last night at 2000 hrs a parent found a knife and some empty baggies on the wood chips near the slide. Parent took the knife and it is now in his wife's car which is now in Newton-informed to drop it off. N664 sent to retrieve the baggies, they are not there anymore.

0855 phone - Animal complaint Naco/Waco notified Location/address: Richland Rd Report possum stuck in breezeway.

0932 phone - Complaint of mv spoken to Location/address: Walpole St + Woodbine Rd 3rd party report of a possible road rage incident. N664 spoke to them, upset due to being cut-off. No contact, no damage, on their way.

1116 walk-in - Assist citizen civil matter Location/address: Summit Ave Landlord reports 2 people in a room she rented to only 1 person and they smoke which she told them not to do. N664 spoke to landlord and advised.

1144 phone - Threats Location/address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Patient made a statement while in E/R.

1530 911 - Disturbance spoken to Location/address: Riverside Comm Mental - Lenox St Report staff and client in an argument. N667 reports client calmed down and went to her appointment.

1615 phone - Well being chk services rendered Location/address: Landmark Dental - Access Rd Caller reported a female party has been in the parking lot for the last four hours waiting for a taxi. As a result, N663 provided a courtesy transport for a female party to the Gulf Station on Neponset Street.

1629 phone - Civil dispute assisted party Location/address: Bahama Dr Landlord seeking advice regarding tenants walking dogs on his property.

1648 911 - Well being chk gone on arrival Location/address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Caller reports two male parties having difficulty walking in the vicinity of the hospital.

1749 phone - Susp person arrest(s) made Location/address: McDonalds - Broadway St Manager reports that two male parties seemed suspicious and possibly under influence and left the establishment in ma pc 3zp475. N662 located that vehicle on Washington Street. As a result, n662 placed one party under arrest and transported him to the station. Negoshian's towed MA pc 3zp475. Arrest: Shea, Paul J Address: 144 Azalea Dr Norwood Age: 26 Charges: license suspended, op mv with Oui drugs Signal, fail to Negligent operation of motor vehicle

2106 initiated - Serve summons legal service made Location/address: Savin Ave Paperwork was left with family.

2153 phone - Noise complaint services rendered Location/address: Suffolk Dr Resident reports loud noises. Officers searched the area with negative results.

2239 phone - Susp vehicle spoken to Location/address: Codman Rd Report that a suspicious white van has been circling the neighborhood. N665 spoke with the operator and the residents, that party checks out ok.

2255 phone - Kids gathering spoken to

Location/address: Cedar St Report of youths gathered in the under pass. N669 sent that group on their way.

Saturday Oct. 03

0223 initiated - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Olde Derby Rd Caller from 3c olde derby complaining of noise coming from building 6b , 3rd floor balcony. N665, n664 responded and spoke to residents. Taken inside for night.

0741 911 - Unwanted party services rendered Location/address: Norwood Food Pantry/Basement - Chapel St Caller states she works at the Norwood Food Pantry and has a verbally abusive client harassing her. She would like him removed. That party was escorted off the premises, caller advised about getting a letter of disinvite.

1207 phone - Animal complaint area search negative Location/address: Maple St + Cottage St Report of a dog tied up in a front yard, barking for several hours.

1745 phone - Mischief (kids) services rendered Location/address: Nahatan St Caller reports kids playing inside a building with no supervision. N664 spoke to both parties, matter resolved.

1811 phone - Noise complaint gone on arrival Location/address: Plymouth Dr Caller reports a barking dog.

1851 phone - Disturbance gone on arrival Location/address: Citizens Bank - Nahatan St Caller reports a loud, possibly dk male near the ATM. Party was goa.

1931 phone - Mischief (kids) spoken to Location/address: Balch School - Washington St Caller reports 4 youths running in and out of traffic.

2130 phone - Citizens complaint services rendered Location/address: Cedar St Caller reports that someone rang her doorbell and ran away. she was spoken to and is satisfied.

2207 phone - Noise complaint area search negative Location/address: Hill St Caller reports that bottle rockets are being shot off in this area. Units could not locate.

Sunday Oct. 04

0021 walk-in - Open door/gate services rendered Location/address: Skilas, Maria - Maple St Walk-in reported open door. Officer report storm door is always open on the house.

1629 911 - Complaint of mv services rendered Location/address: Bos-Prov Hwy Report that an unoccupied Toyota Camry rolled from the staples parking lot onto Dean Street. N677 stayed on scene while the owner of that vehicle moved it back into the lot.

1734 phone - Susp vehicle services rendered Location/address: Sunnyside Rd Resident reports a blue Honda Accord has been parked in front his home for several hours. N667 spoke with the reporting party, he will call back if the vehicle does not move.

1741 phone - Mischief (kids) Location/address: Bos-Prov Hwy Report of a group of youths playing with a gas can.

1742 initiated - Message delivery unsuccessful service Location/address: Margaret St N677 delivers a message on behalf of msp. Party was not home.

1748 phone - Parking violation citation fine Location/address: The Take Away - Chapel St Owner reports a vehicle has been parked in one of the spots in front of the restaurant for an hour.

1948 911 - Animal complaint no violation Location/address: Plymouth Dr Report of a dog barking in the parking lot.

2021 911 - Larceny Location/address: Hill St Resident reports stolen money.

2353 911 - Disturbance protective custody Location/address: Bruce Rd + Valley Rd Resident reports a female and several male parties possibly fighting. Norwood fire transported on to the hospital.

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The application requests:

This Application requests a SPECIAL PERMIT under Section 5.2 non-conforming use. The board previously approved automotive use (Oct. 2012) at its current location 445 Walpole Street. An addition is being built at 433 Walpole Street which abuts the current location and the business would like to expand in to the new space.

Plans are on file with this application in the office of the Zoning Board of Appeal and may be viewed during normal working hours, Monday – Thursday, 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.

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

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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 **October 20, 2015 at 7:30 PM** on the request of Sarah Jansen (Case # 15-23) with respect to property located on **15 Allen Road**, in a **G-General Residential District**.

The application requests:

This Application requests a SPECIAL PERMIT under Section 5.4.4 of the Zoning Bylaw to allow 7 feet where 15 feet is required for a minimum side yard. The footprint of the addition will be approximately 23'x42' and will add approximately 1300 sqft of living space, the majority of which will be an in-law apartment.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Town of Norwood – Water Department
Department of Public Works
HYDRANT FLUSHING AND TESTING

The Town of Norwood Department of Public Works will commence flushing and testing of fire hydrants beginning Monday, October 19th between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

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As a precaution, residents are urged to check their water for discoloration prior to washing laundry. Should a load of laundry be stained by rusty water, contact the Public Works Department for recommended cleaning instructions.

For specific information on the location and time of hydrant flushing please visit the Department of Public Works at www.norwoodma.gov or contact the DPW at **781-762-1413**.

VENDORS SOUGHT FOR EVERGREEN FAIRE

The First Congregational Church in Norwood is looking for new vendors of crafts, antiques, collectables, and similar items who would like to participate in the Evergreen Faire, which will take place at the church on Saturday, Dec. 5, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The church charges \$50 for a 6-foot table, plus a small product contribution to the Silent Auction, which is also part of the Faire. The Evergreen Faire will be held at the church which is located at the corner of Route 1A and Winter Street in Norwood. For more information or to reserve a table, please call the church office at 781-762-3320 or email FirstCongo.Norwood@verizon.net.

FIRST PARISH PUMPKIN PATCH

The Pumpkin Patch at First Parish of Westwood opens for its 11th year of business on Friday, Oct. 9. Pumpkins in a variety of shapes, sizes, and price ranges will be available. All proceeds directly benefit local and national charities through First Parish's Outreach Ministry, so when you purchase your pumpkins at First Parish of Westwood, the money you spend directly benefits those in need. The pumpkin patch is located at 248 Nahatan St., next to the church. There is plenty of parking and easy access to your car when it comes time to load up your purchases! Hours are Fridays (noon-5), Saturdays (10-5) and Sundays (noon-5) through Oct. 31. The Patch will also be open on Columbus Day, (Oct. 12) from noon-5, and daily from noon-5 during the week before Halloween. The public is invited to join in the fun and fellowship. Bring the kids and grandkids to wander through the Patch to find the perfect pumpkins, take great family photographs, and decorate your house and yard for fall at Pumpkins for Charity, where the money you spend goes directly to help others. Groups are welcome. For more information, contact First Parish at 781-326-5344 or email us@parish1st@firstparishwestwood.org.

ADULT EDUCATION ESOL PROGRAM

Sign up for FREE English classes at Blue Hills Adult Education ESOL Program (English for Speakers of Other Languages)! 190 Vanderbilt Ave. Norwood - Our next registration will be held on Oct. 26

and 27. Call 781-769-5848 to make an appointment. Visit our website adulthood.bluehills.org for more information.

TOWN OF NORWOOD HEALTH DEPARTMENT FLU IMMUNIZATION CLINIC FOR 2015

The Norwood Health Department will hold their annual flu clinic on Saturday, Oct. 17, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Norwood Senior Center, 275 Prospect St. "Once again, the Health Department has purchased quadrivalent vaccine to provide a higher level of protection." Stacey Lane, RN, MPH, Assistant Director of the Health Department states, "The quadrivalent vaccine contains protection against four strains of flu versus the traditional three strain vaccination."

The Flu Clinic is open to Norwood residents 14 years of age and older. Please bring your health insurance cards and proof of residency. For up to date information, follow us on Twitter @norwoodHD or call our information line at 781-762-1240 x220.

ELDER DENTAL PROGRAM FREE DENTAL SCREENING CLINIC

The Norwood Health Department is partnering with the Elder Dental Program Free Dental Screening Clinic. The free clinic will be held in conjunction with the flu clinic on Saturday, Oct. 17, from 8:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Norwood Senior Center. The free senior dental clinic is for adults age 60 years and older. You do not have to be a Norwood resident to attend. To schedule your free screening appointment, call the Norwood Senior Center at (781) 762-1201.

THE FALL RUMMAGE SALE

Will be held at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Berwick Street, Norwood on Friday, Oct. 30 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and on Saturday, Oct. 31, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. On Saturday at 12:30, customers may purchase a large trash bag for \$5 (per bag) and fill with items of their choice. Clothing, linens, jewelry, knickknacks, toys, books, and other items will be available. There will

also be an Antique and Collectors' Items table with vintage and other special items available for purchase.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS SOCIAL WITH NEW NORWOOD HIGH PRINCIPAL

The Norwood League of Women Voters is pleased to provide an informal opportunity to meet and greet Norwood High School's new principal, Jonathan Bourn, and hear his comments and vision for the future of Norwood High's educational programs. Members of the public who are interested in this program as well as the league are most welcome to attend. The social takes place on Tuesday, Oct. 20, at 7:15 p.m. at Bertucci's Restaurant (in their private function room), Route One, Norwood. Refreshments will be served. Please contact Toni at 781-769-7865 or tonie@norwoodlight.com to reserve your seat.

CATMOBILE COMING

The Catmobile, which offers low cost spay/neuter for cats only, is coming to Petco located at 1210 Providence Highway in Norwood on Oct. 21. The Merrimack River Feline Rescue Society operates The Catmobile is staffed by a licensed veterinarian and one veterinary technician. The package consists of spay/neuter, rabies vaccinations, exam, nail trim, and treatment for fleas and ear mites. Individually packaged take-home flea treatment is available for \$15 per dose. The neuter package for male cats costs \$80 and a female spay is \$120. Ferals are \$35 and will be eartipped. Reservations are required and can be made online at www.catmobile.org or by calling 978-465-1940.

NORWOOD CULTURAL COUNCIL GRANT APPLICATIONS

The Norwood Cultural Council (NCC) has set a postmark deadline of Oct. 15, for artists, presenters, organizations, and schools to apply for grants that support arts and cultural activities in Norwood. The NCC's grants support a variety of one time and ongoing projects-from

local artists producing and exhibiting or performing their work, to festivals, dance, theater, open mics, readings, live concerts (that feature both local and touring artists), film screenings, professional commissions of public art and original orchestral compositions, artist residencies, lectures, and workshops. The NCC also provides grants for arts enrichment, field trips to museums and theaters for schools and youth groups. You can find an application online at mass-culture.org/Norwood (click on the forms tab) or email culturalcouncil@norwoodma.gov and we'll be happy to email you an application. We can accept applications several ways: 1) Mail (postmarked by Oct. 15) to: Norwood Cultural Council, Norwood town Hall, PO Box 40, 566 Washington St., Norwood, MA 02062. 2) Email completed applications by Oct 15 to culturalcouncil@norwoodma.gov. 3) Drop off in the Cultural Council box at the info desk at Norwood Town Hall by Oct. 15. Feel free to email culturalcouncil@norwoodma.gov or call Jeanne O'Rourke at 781.248.7791.

STARRY NIGHT DUO TO PERFORM AT DAY HOUSE

On Sunday, Oct. 18, at 3 p.m., the talented duo Barry and Patty Simon, a.k.a. the "Starry Night Duo," will perform at the F. Holland Day House 93 Day St., Norwood. The duo plays the hammered dulcimer, mountain dulcimer and flutes in a variety of venues and styles. Their engaging acoustic music ranges from lively Celtic and Appalachian tunes to fresh arrangements of sacred and classical pieces, a little jazz, and soulful originals. Described as "enchanted," "magical," "relaxing," and "inspiring," their music draws listeners of all ages and walks of life. They have produced four CDs to date, including a collection of ancient noels called "A Winter's Night," and a collection of meditation pieces called "Starry Night Solstice."

On Sunday, Nov. 15, the final concert of the season will bring accomplished guitarists Dylan Mowry and Tim Prosser to the concerts.

These talented classical guitarists will perform an eclectic mix of selections including works by Bach, Debussy, and Grieg, featuring both guitar solos and duets.

All concerts are free and open to the public. Seating is limited and on a first come, first serve basis. These concerts are organized by the Friends of St. Gabriel's, under the auspices of the Norwood Neighbors, a local cultural non-profit organization. The Friends of St. Gabriel's can be reached at StGabrielNorwood@gmail.com or StGabrielNorwood@gmail.com

EPIPHANY PARISH OF WALPOLE PUMPKIN PATCH

Throughout the month of October, Epiphany Parish of Walpole ("the little gray church on the common") will once again be selling pumpkins, gourds and other fall decorating favorites. This annual sale, first held in 2006, has become a favorite fall event for many area families searching for that perfect Halloween pumpkin. This year, as always, the Epiphany Pumpkin Patch will have a huge variety of sizes, shapes and prices of pumpkins, including a large selection of miniature pumpkins and gourds.

The Epiphany Pumpkin Patch, located at 62 Front St., Walpole, will be open Oct. 3 through Oct. 31. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Saturdays and Sundays 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Proceeds from the sale will benefit Epiphany Parish of Walpole and the Navajo Reservation in Farmington, N.M., where the pumpkins are grown.

THE CRAFT AFFAIR AT NORWOOD

Will be held Saturday, Oct. 17, at Norwood High School from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Over 60 crafters will be selling their handmade goods. Come and shop for chocolates, hand-painted glass, scrapbooks, ornaments, placemats, knitted items, dog biscuits, jewelry, doll clothes, decorative wooden items, toys, cards, wreaths and much more. The Craft Affair benefits the Post Prom Party and other clubs and teams at Norwood High School. General admission is \$3. Senior citizens and children under age 12 are \$2.

Below is an article on a special upcoming service at the First Congregational Church in Norwood. Please find a spot for it in the next possible issue. Please include this in the Calendar, Church, and Community sections.

FREE DENTAL SCREENING AND FLU CLINIC ON THE SAME DAY

A free dental screening clinic for senior citizens will be held in Norwood on Saturday, Oct. 17, from 8:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Norwood Council on Aging, 275 Prospect St. To schedule your free appointment at the screening clinic, call the Norwood Council on Aging at (781) 762-1201. Appointments are open to anyone age 60 or over. As an added service to persons of all ages, the Norwood Health Department will host a flu clinic at the same location on Oct. 17 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., no appointment necessary. Flu clinic participants are required to bring their health insurance cards. For more information about the Elder Dental Program or the upcoming screening clinic in Norwood, please call (781) 769-3710 or email elderdental@verizon.net

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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 Oct. 19 at 10 a.m.

BRIDGE: Our Bridge Club meets on

Thursdays at 9:15 a.m. in the Library. The Tuesday group has been cancelled.

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

DIABETES WORKSHOP: The Diabetes Workshop Thursday Oct. 22 at 11 a.m.

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

FOOTDOCTOR: Dr. Cormier will be here Tuesday, Oct. 27, at 8:30 a.m. to noon.

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. Class will be held from 1 to 2 p.m.

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 at this time.

POETRY CLUB: Is held on the Third Wednesday of each month at 1 p.m., Facilitated by Nancy from the Library.

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.

WATER COLOR: The next session is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 8 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.

FALL SOCIAL & DANCE: On Friday Oct. 9, at 1 p.m. The Old Kids on the Block \$5. Light Refreshments.

FRIENDS OF THE COA DANCE: On Oct. 16, from 7 to 10 p.m.

TRIAD: On Monday, Oct. 19, at 1 p.m. Chief Greeley-Norwood Fire Dept.

SHINE: Presentation on Thursday, Oct. 29, at 1 p.m.

LINE DANCE WITH DAVE VALERIO: On Friday, Oct. 30, at 1 p.m.

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