



Members of Running in the Rain, in their matching shirts, prepare to run their first road race, the annual Casey's 5K benefit race in Norwood.

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## Running club has kids off to the races Casey's 5k showcases talent

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

Mason Gold finished his first road race, the annual Casey's 5K race, on Sept. 27 with a time of 21:39, which earned him fourth place overall and first place in his age group.

He beat out 116 other racers out of a field of around 120.

And while this might be an impressive feat for any first time racer, something else set Gold apart from the field.

Gold is 11 years old.

"I couldn't believe my time because it was 12 minutes faster than my usual time," Gold said. "I was completely out of breath."

And he wasn't the only Norwood

youngster to finish near the top of the race. Eleven year-olds Brendan Gillis finished ninth and Matt Bonner finished 23rd.

In fact, the three boys are part of a new independent running club called Running in the Rain.

Running in the Rain was started last May by Coakley Middle School student Emma King when she saw two people running in the rain on her way home from school and told her mother she wanted to start a club.

"I didn't pay much attention to it, as you know how kids are," said Emma's mother Jerilyn King. "But she came home, wrote a paragraph about it and sign up sheet in Word, brought it to school the next day and kids signed up. Membership dues were two dollars, donated to the Circle of Hope. Our first practice was that Satur-

day and 20 kids showed up."

Jerilyn King acts as the group's coach, holding practices each week on Sunday evenings. According to King, there are 12 regular runners in the group who sometimes request two practices during the week, even though they don't enjoy doing push-ups and planks.

King said that they've borrowed some practice formats from Impact Martial Arts running club, of which King and her daughter are both members. The group's former Physical Education teacher at school, Aimee Worcester, has also attended practices and regularly emails with the children.

"Mason really hadn't had any interest in

**Runners**

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## Rogers withdraws from debate with Hempton State Rep. race to feature only one

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

With Election Day just around the corner next month, Norwood residents will have several opportunities to hear from many of the candidates who are seeking their vote.

One of the few contested elections that directly impacts Norwood is the race for State Representative in the Norfolk 12th district between incumbent John H. Rogers and challenger Tim Hempton.

Both were initially scheduled for a one-on-one appearance at the Norwood League of Women Voters Candidate Forum on Oct. 22 at Memorial Hall at 7:30 p.m., but that no longer seems to be the case.

According to the campaign manager for Representative Rogers, William Buckley, Rogers will no longer be participating in the event.

Buckley cited an upcoming debate with opponent Tim Hempton on Norwood Public Access Television (NPATV) at the end of October, moderated by Tom Cummings, instead.

Cummings is the host of NPATV programs Table Talk and Inside Norwood, which cover news and events around town and feature prominent members of the community as guests.

Buckley said that the television debate between the candidates will be the first such event for the local community in some time and the campaign is building up to it with many events in and around

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**Police tackle drugs in busy weekend**

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Police Department took care of several drug-related incidents over the weekend.

Late in the afternoon on Oct. 4, Norwood and Norfolk County Police Anti-Crime (NORPAC) detectives, led by Norwood Detective David Eysie and Walpole Detective Timothy Sullivan, raided the home of suspected marijuana grower James J. Boran at 527 Walpole St. in Norwood.

Police seized equipment used to grow, harvest and distribute marijuana from the property. During the search of the home, led by Detective Sergeant Robert Rinn, police also found over two pounds of marijuana and methamphetamine pills.

A magazine for an AK-47 automatic rifle was seized as well, though no firearm was found. The magazine itself did not contain any ammunition either. Police officials said that possession of the magazine is still illegal.

Boran, who was not at home during the raid, was quickly arrested during a motor vehicle



Norwood Police found ample evidence of a marijuana growing operation in the 527 Walpole St. home of James Boran. Police also found a magazine for an AK-47 rifle.

stop in Walpole a short distance from his Norwood home. Boran was in possession of marijuana at the time of his arrest, police officials said.

Boran, 28, is charged with possession with intent to Distribute Class D Marijuana, possession of Class B "Molly" Methamphetamine Pills, and possession of a Large Capacity Feeding Device.

Chief of Police William Brooks said that despite ballot initiatives showing that views on marijuana have shifted, the

department is still working to prevent unlawful substance use in the community.

"It really is a heavily influential drug in so many ways. And we have found that it does open the door to other substances," Chief Brooks said. "So we don't take our eye off the ball and we continue to work our cases."

NORPAC was formed in 1987 through a grant from the Bureau of Justice Assistance

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Norwood, including a recent appearance at The Education Cooperative in East Walpole, which has many Norwood students.

Norwood League of Women Voters President Carol MacLeay said that Buckley told her that Rogers would be doing three other events around the date of the Candidate Forum. The event would still be going on as planned, she said.

"We have invited all of the people who are running, including Mr. Rogers, who will no longer be attending, and Tim Hempton, if he is not going to

change his mind," MacLeay said.

The Hempton campaign does not anticipate Rogers' absence to affect the challenger's attendance.

"We understand that Representative Rogers has chosen not to go," said Holly Robichaud, a representative from the Hempton Campaign. "Tim is fully committed to going (to the Candidate Forum) if there is going to be one."

Rogers, a Norwood democrat, has served the district in the Massachusetts House of Representatives since 1993. Hempton, a republican and longtime Walpole

resident, has operated a private periodontology and implantology practice serving the district community since 1994.

MacLeay anticipates that the candidates in the race for County Commissioner, Peter H. Collins and Michael J. Soter, will both be in attendance.

She also said that the League of Women Voters has also invited Congressman Stephen Lynch and State Senator Michael Rush - who are both running unopposed - to participate as well.

The Candidate Forum is being put on in partnership with the Westwood/Walpole League of Women Voters.

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Sam Nickerson  
Staff Reporter

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# Letters to the Editor

### WHY NO DEBATE?

*To the Editor:*

I was troubled to learn recently that Rep. John Rogers has declined the invitation of the Norwood League of Women Voters to debate Dr. Tim Hempton at the Candidates Night on Oct. 22. By not showing up at the League's major event, Rogers is depriving the people of Norwood of the opportunity to hear how he and Dr. Hempton differ on the issues.

The Massachusetts Legislature has unfortunately become a place where debate is virtually non-existent. Bills are passed with little or no discussion, and the voice of the voters is often ignored. By snubbing the League of Women Voters and avoiding public debate of the issues, Rep. Rogers' behavior is sadly reflective of what is wrong with state government in Massachusetts.

*Dee Sullivan,  
Norwood*

### EXACTLY WHAT WE NEED

*To the Editor:*

So, let me get this straight. When a person becomes a selectman, participates fully in all meeting and discussions, does the due diligence needed to fully understand even the most complex issues, volunteers to serve on numerous committees (even the unpopular ones), demonstrates leadership in moving issues to resolution, these are things we don't want to see in a Selectman? Seems to me that is EXACTLY what we want in our elected officials.

Last week's Letter to the Editor criticizing Selectman Plasko seemed to me to be the venting of someone who didn't like a particular stand the Selectmen took on an issue near and dear to the writer. That, frankly, is a very shortsighted view of someone who has served Norwood in various capacities over the past 30-plus years as Selectman, Chairman

of the Selectmen's Board, Town Meeting member and Moderator.

In 2003, I served on a study committee with Bill Plasko, Susan Wilson McQuaid and Will Krasnow. This committee was charged with the task of looking at the need for a Personnel by-law and Personnel Board. Mr. Plasko was selected as chair of this committee, which ultimately recommended and established Norwood's Personnel Board and Human Resources function.

As chairperson of the committee, I found Mr. Plasko to be well organized, professional, highly committed to the task at hand and a pleasure to work with. Norwood is very fortunate to have a person like Mr. Plasko serving on the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Plasko has got to stay.  
*Robert Donnelly  
Norwood*

## DPW project on track, kind of

**Sam Nickerson**

*Staff Reporter*

Despite significant progress on the Department of Public Works (DPW) construction projects, several sites remain at least a month behind schedule and on a very tight budget, Compass Project Management officials said during a Permanent Building Construction Committee meeting on Sept. 25.

Compass representative Bryan Jarvis said that unforeseen conditions and issues with vendors were among the main causes of the delay, but construction company Colantonio was readjusting their plans appropriately.

"At this point, we feel that they're actually in a pretty good condition," Jarvis said. "It's not exactly where they wanted to be, but it's still on track. We think it's where the project needs to be."

The large vehicle storage garage on Lenox Street is up and running, Jarvis said, with

mechanics operating out of the building, which is substantially complete, minus several punch list items. Jarvis reported that DPW staff had been trained on the systems at the site as well.

At the time of the meeting, metal panels had been put up around the perimeter of building number six on Winter Street, and Compass officials anticipated the roof paneling to be finished this past weekend. The structure is slated for completion by the end of November.

Jarvis reported that Colantonio was around a month behind at the Lyman Street site, particularly due to complications with building number two. While previous plans included tackling the building in parts, Jarvis said the plan is now for Colantonio to attack the building as a whole, now that an old maintenance garage on site has been demolished.

Steel for the building is projected to be installed between December and January, with

overall completion taking place in the spring.

Jarvis also reported that Colantonio was slightly ahead of their most recent schedule at building number one, especially in regard to masonry for the building's stair towers. The expected date of completion is the end of July.

According to Jarvis, Colantonio had estimated they were two months behind schedule overall, but Compass feels it is closer to only one month because of the sites where they are on target. Colantonio's workforce has been expedited and crews have been working Saturdays to make up for lost ground.

The Compass representatives also spoke about an upcoming due date for bids for a fabric salt shed project with a concrete block foundation at the Winter Street Composting Facility. Bids are due on Oct. 16 and the structure is to be com-

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# NPD promotes Benedetti and Fundora following Wall retirement

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

Following the retirement of Lieutenant Richard Wall, the Norwood Police Department promoted two of its most deserving members during a ceremony held last week.

Lieutenant Michael Benedetti, whose police career spans 25 years, received a promotion from the rank of Sergeant and Sergeant William Fundora, a 15-year veteran, was promoted from officer.

The ceremony was presided over by Chief William Brooks and the families of both men

were in the audience and helped pin the new badges on their uniforms.

"They are expected to take on projects or operational functions, identify pitfalls and challenges, overcome those challenges, design solutions and turn out a completed product," Chief Brooks said of lieutenants in the department. "I do not expect them to explain why a goal will be difficult to achieve, I expect them to tell me how the solution will work."

Chief Brooks said that Lt. Benedetti exemplified these attributes when he developed and implemented the department's policy and training programs for

NARCAN, an anti-overdose drug. Norwood police became only the fourth department to have all officers trained and equipped to handle opiate overdoses with NARCAN following Benedetti's program.

Officers have already had to use their NARCAN training to administer the drug to several individuals.

Lt. Benedetti began his career in Dover and had previously graduated first in his class from the Waltham Police Academy. He holds degrees from Curry College and Western New En-

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pleted in time for winter, between November and December. This salt shed will eventually serve as auxiliary storage, in conjunction with a larger storage shed at Lyman Street.

Jarvis said that the town has previously just kept a tarp over the salt at Lyman Street and workers would have to shovel snow off the tarps before accessing the salt.

Jarvis then provided a budget update relating to stockpile

management. Compass anticipated around 30 stockpiles and a 12-ton cut. So far, 11 stockpiles have been tracked and moved.

Having moved a third of the stockpiles and used a third of the budgeted allowance, Jarvis said they expect the project to be completed within budget, especially since they have been able to put some of the soils back into the building footprints.

"The takeaway on the

schedule is building one is really moving along now pretty well. Building two, the site guy is creating issues there in terms of his progress," said Compass President Tim Bonfatti. "He's not putting enough men on the job and it's okay now, but it will quickly become a more critical point."

The Committee discussed this issue, along with potential litigation during executive session.

## Drug Arrests *continued from page 2*

with the intention of stopping narcotics related crimes, but has since expanded to cover serial and violent crime. NORPAC is led by Norwood Chief of Police William Brooks and serves 15 communities in Norfolk County.

During the same shift that conducted the raid at 527 Walpole St., Norwood Police and Fire departments treated two individuals for heroin overdoses.

First, Lt. Benedetti, with several other officers and an ambulance team, responded to a residence in Norwood, where a 37-year-old Quincy man had overdosed in the bath. The rescue team administered an intranasal dose of NARCAN, a prescription medicine that reverses the effects of opioids.

A short time later, Lt. Benedetti and officer Timothy McDonagh again responded to an overdose call.

"I'm thrilled with the way (Benedetti) handled it and the way officers under his command handled the situation," Chief Brooks said.

This time, witnesses confirmed that a 25-year-old Norwood woman had injected heroin and overdosed. Benedetti and McDonagh administered two doses of NARCAN and performed CPR

on the woman until an ambulance arrived. The woman was given another dose of NARCAN, which finally ended the overdose and stabilized the woman's condition.

This woman previously overdosed about a month ago, on Sept. 6, and was given NARCAN by the Fire Department, police said. Norwood Police have prevented six overdoses with NARCAN, and have assisted the Fire Department in several more incidents.

"It's just an example of the departments' hard work, along with the Fire Department, to provide outstanding service, regardless of how they got themselves into the predicament," Chief Brooks said. "Our obligation, our core mission is to preserve human life and not to make judgments about that person and how they ended up under that circumstance."

Lt. Benedetti developed the department's policy and training programs on administering NARCAN, which is available in all Norwood Police cruisers. The department is only the fourth in Massachusetts to have all officers trained and equipped to handle opiate overdoses with NARCAN.

The primary drug involved in the intranasal spray is Naxolone, which has a stronger

attraction to the receptors in the brain affected by opioids. The opioids are then displaced by the Naxolone, which allows for the individual to begin breathing and functioning again.

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An evening special registration session will be held at the Municipal Building, Room 32 on Wednesday, October 15, 2014 from 4:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.

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running until Emma formed the group," his mother, Claire Gold said. "They stuck with it. None of us could really believe their commitment because they're young and also because it's not associated with the school."

The Coakley Middle School does not currently offer a track team, said Gold, which may account for some of the continued commitment from the kids.

For the kids, Running in the Rain seems to be about more than just the sport of running.

"Not only do they get a great workout," King said. "They get to be a part of something that is their very own, be part of a team, and learn lessons about commitment, hard work, teamwork, and focus."

Charity is also a big part of the club.

For the Casey's 5K race, the kids designed their own team t-shirts and paid for them with their own fundraising. King said that Gerry Chisholm at Day

Street Sports gave them a great deal. The money they had left-over will be donated to a charity, as the kids hope to donate more to Circle of Hope.

The annual Casey's 5K race is a benefit for the Marsh family of Norwood, following family member Casey Marsh's severe brain injury in October 2007.

The group practices at the Norwood High School track and is looking to run the Liam's LEEP race on Oct. 26, as well as the CAP 5K Family Fun Run on Nov. 1.

But King says their ultimate goal is to someday run the Boston Marathon.

"I can't express to you how hard they work and how much they have improved. I'm so proud of them," King said. "My hope is that they have a long and healthy running career together."



*Mason Gold of Running in the Rain came in fourth place overall during the Casey's 5K. Now, the club has set their sights on the Liam's LEEP race on Oct. 26.*



*Norwood Chief of Police William Brooks stands between newly promoted Lt. Michael Benedetti (left) and Sgt. William Fundora (right) during a promotion ceremony.*

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gland College, and is a certified arson investigator, firearms instructor, emergency medical technician, CPR instructor, and runs the field training program for new officers in the department.

Sergeant Fundora has spent 11 of his 15 years in police work as a member of the Metro SWAT, which is comprised of over 43 law enforcement agencies in locales near Boston. As a member of Metro SWAT, Ser-

geant Fundora was present in Boston following the Boston Marathon bombing and participated in the ensuing manhunt in Watertown.

During the ceremony, Chief Brooks said that sergeants are often the most important members of any police department, as they are critical in the implementation of policies and department morale.

"Setting a course for the department is my responsibility; ensuring that officers understand the mission and work towards its accomplishment is the responsibility of the sergeant," Chief Brooks said. "A sergeant must ensure that his officers receive training, support, and guidance. Without them, even the most talented officer will fall short of his or her potential."

Prior to becoming a police officer, Sergeant Fundora served in the United States Marine Corps. He then was a platoon commander during his time at the MBTA Police Academy. Fundora holds a degree from Westfield State College and has been a member of the department's motorcycle unit, mountain bike unit, and honor guard. Sergeant Fundora is a certified firearms instructor and a field training officer.

"They're going to be outstanding in their new positions," Chief Brooks said of his newly promoted Lieutenant and Sergeant.

Representatives from local government, including town General Manager John Carroll and Selectmen Paul Bishop, Allan Howard, and Michael Lyons, were on hand to thank Benedetti and Fundora for their service to the town and con-

gratulate them on their achievements.

Many members of the Norwood community chimed in on Social Media as well. Over 180 people 'liked' the promotion announcement on the department's Facebook Page, with many others offering their congratulations.

Rick Grasso commented on the Facebook post that both Benedetti and Fundora had assisted his family and were calm and professional.

"You are excellent Police Officers and great men. We often meet or see Police Officers and Firefighters when we are in terrible situations," Grasso said. "They see us at our worst. That's why people call them Hero's, because in all reality that's what they are."

Lt. Richard Wall comes from a family of Norwood police officers and served as a member of the department for 37 years.

The Board of Selectmen expressed their gratitude and recognized Lt. Wall during a Selectmen's meeting on Sept. 23. Carroll, who handles appointments and promotions in the police department, sent a letter to Lt. Wall, wishing him well in his retirement.

"Thank you for the service you have provided the citizens of Norwood for the past 37 years as a member of our police department... I hope you and your family enjoy a great retirement," the letter read.

The Board also discussed presenting Lt. Wall with a citation recognizing his work for the town.

A retirement party will be held for Lt. Wall on Oct. 10 at the Norwood Elks Lodge.

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# A Norwood day for public health scheduled for Oct. 18

**Sam Nickerson**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Health Department and the Elder Dental Program have partnered to make Oct. 18 a day for public health.

The Health Department has scheduled its fall flu shot clinic at the Norwood Senior Center on the same day as the Elder Dental Program's free annual clinic, and organizers of both events are excited to collaborate with each other.

"I'd say it's optimal for overall health because oral health is related to overall

This year, a nutritionist will also be on hand, and representatives from the program are available to discuss insurance and low cost dental health options.

During the free clinic, which Dugan said is set up like a health fair, seniors who have made an appointment will be escorted through the clinic by student volunteers from local colleges who have checklists for each participant.

The dental screening clinic is free and open to those aged 60 years old and over. Interested seniors will need to

compared to the typical trivalent vaccine that has been purchased in the past, said Health Department Assistant Director Stacey Lane. Reiss said there would be more than enough vaccines to accommodate all Norwood residents.

The Health Department requires that attendees bring health insurance cards and proof of residency, but that no one will be turned away if they do not have insurance. According to Reiss, choosing to be vaccinated through the town helps the town afford to host the clinic the following year.

get through the clinic," Reiss said.

A sample of around 50 people will be given a slip that will help officials track how long it takes each individual to be vaccinated and work their way through the clinic.

For more information about the Flu Immunization clinic, call the Health Department at (781)-762-1240 ext. 220.

While the dental clinic is limited to seniors who make an appointment and the flu clinic is limited to Norwood residents aged 14 years and older, the organizers of both events seek to provide a low-key and inclusive environment.

"Especially with seniors, getting the flu shot is a very

well documented habit," Dugan said. "This is not always the case with addressing their oral health needs."

By having both events organized together, Reiss hopes residents will take advantage of the convenience to receive a broad array of health services.

"This is a unique opportunity to partner our two clinics, cross advertise and present kind of a whole prevention day," Reiss said.

The dental screening will run from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. and the Norwood Senior Center will provide a ride from 8:30-11:30 a.m. if one cannot be arranged. The Flu Immunization Clinic will be held from 9-11 a.m.

*"We need all hands on deck vaccinating against the flu, we're nowhere near 100 percent vaccination rate, which is our goal."*

**Sigalle Reiss**

health and there's preventative care with the flu shots," said Elder Dental Program manager Christina Dugan.

"In public health, our main thing is preventative care," said Health Department director Sigalle Reiss. "We're able to provide additional preventative services on the same day as the dental clinic for seniors and they will literally be right next to each other."

Each year, the Elder Dental Program, which is a project of the Community VNA and the Neponset Valley Community Health Coalition, provides a day for senior citizens in the area to receive oral health consultations from dentists and oral surgeons. The dentists will provide a free dental screening and the oral surgeons will provide oral cancer screenings.

make an appointment, which can be done through the Norwood Council on Aging.

While the flu clinic is being held at the senior center and is adjacent to the Elder Dental Program clinic, Reiss said that any Norwood resident aged 14 and up is welcome.

Reiss mentioned that children and seniors tend to account for much of the vaccinations given each year, so part of the goal this year is to target more young and middle-aged adults.

"We need all hands on deck vaccinating against the flu, we're nowhere near 100 percent vaccination rate, which is our goal," Reiss said.

This year, the clinic will provide a quadrivalent vaccine, which protects against an additional strain when

During the flu clinic, the Health Department will also be testing its emergency planning capabilities. Reiss said that since 9/11, the ability for mass dispensing of medicine within 72 hours of an emergency has risen in importance and the flu clinic provides an opportunity to practice that in Norwood.

As such, the Health Department will be running a small drill during the event.

"We're going to try to measure our throughput, basically how long it takes someone to

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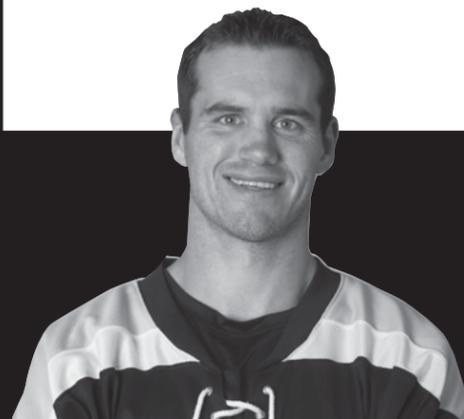
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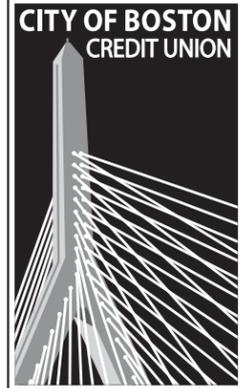
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**Again, the school bell tolls for me**

As I prepared to begin my 41st year of educating—the overwhelming majority in public schools and all but 4 (those at Norwood’s St. Catherine’s) in the District of Columbia and Boston—I felt myself getting excited. I know my wonderful colleagues at Jamaica Plain’s Nativity Prep in their twenties would prefer for me to use such words as “pumped” or “stoked.”

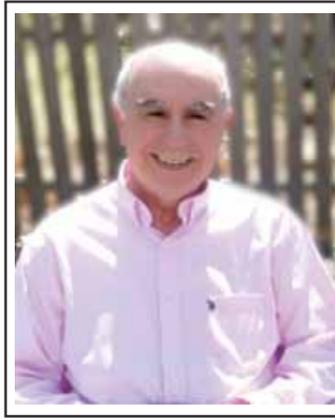
The majority of these years, including right up to the present, were teaching middle school math. Not unlike in past years, a new educational gimmick, philosophy, or approach comes down the pike. This year is no different, with Common Core dominating the current scene.

A number of years ago the emphasis was on rote memory; then the New Math came; then don’t make students add/subtract/multiply/divide gallons, quarts, and pints; then don’t have students divide by 3-digit divisors; then MCAS preparation; and then cooperative learning.

As for Common Core, a number of us has been using it for years because embedded in our teaching style was the Socratic method of teaching (cf. “The Paper Chase” with John Housman at his acting best as a Harvard Law School prof and “Stand and Deliver” with Edward Almos as a California high school math teacher) Yes, Common Core seeks to develop more analyses of procedures. Seasoned math educators have been there, done that.

Common Core primarily seeks to have all the states aligned in rigorous content matter, as well as the ability to explain answers.

Perhaps, an unstated reason for Common Core—as it was for MCAS—is that so many teachers are seduced by the rewards and ease of grade inflation, in-



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cluding those at the university level at the top of the educational food chain. Teachers are covertly forced to give many A’s and B’s. Those teachers who over the decades have stuck to their principles and have “given” C’s, D’s, and F’s—because that what the students’ performances duly warranted such grades—were subject to criticism. Of course, when students who benefited from inflated grades took standardized tests for high school admission, college entrance or graduate school acceptance, their true academic colors emerged, and their families and they received an unwelcome shock. Common Core, it should be mentioned, inherently makes more demands on the curriculum.

While the finger points to teachers in under-performing American schools in math, as compared to schools in other countries, I wonder if it also should be pointed to most college professors in schools of education who except for observing have not for decades seen the inside of a classroom other than their own ensconced in the lofty realms of academia. Perhaps THEY should be made to substitute for a week in urban, suburban, and private school classrooms and see what

goes on, up close and personal. In teaching hospitals interns follow their teaching professors on rounds; the former do not learn solely in the medical classrooms, and the latter keep their hands literally on patients’ foreheads and abdomens, while instructing.

Notice that a “week” was mentioned. If the substitution were only for a day, college instructors would probably bring in their bag of tricks to appeal to the students. Not that this is not good, but covering a class for only a day does not lend itself to the progression of teaching and that mainstay of success, classroom management. For instance, if a middle school English teacher, incapacitated by surgery, had intended to teach to her four or five sections the use of quotation marks relating to direct quotes, the substituting college professor would have to teach this complicated punctuation for a period of days without resorting to his/her usual bag of educational tricks. Thus his/her inserting of, say, palindromes—admittedly a fun topic—in an English class might suffice for a one-day but not a multi-day stint.

Professors in schools of education on college campuses are talented people. They are privy to up-to-the-minute studies on what makes students learn. But methinks they need to get back into the classroom—and not just observing. Then and only then would their oratory in a university setting be based on real-life experiences not from the distant past when they probably taught using a blackboard before obtaining a PhD. but from weeklong experiences in the same classroom last spring, dealing with student forgetfulness and absenteeism, among other issues.

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# Sports

## Norwood Golf earns trip to the postseason



With a record of 7-4-1, the Norwood High School golf team hopes their momentum will continue into the playoffs. Above, Mike Murphy and Andrew Bernazzani talk strategy during a recent match at Weathervane Golf Course in South Weymouth.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

Norwood golf coach Jim Sweeney didn't guarantee a playoff berth for his team before the season began.

But prior to the Mustangs' season opener on Sept. 4 against Milton, Sweeney told me he was "optimistic that we'll get over the hump and get into the tournament this year," in his third year at the helm of the Norwood boys' golf program.

After two consecutive years of falling one win short of the post-season, the Mustangs punched their ticket to the tournament with an 80-73 win over Weymouth last Thursday. Mike Murphy and David Saad tied for the team lead with 14 points apiece on the afternoon.

The win for Norwood was its second straight road triumph, no small feat after starting the season 0-4 away from Norwood Country Club.

In an interview conducted

before the match, Sweeney knew his team's chances of qualifying for the state tournament were good, but not set in stone yet.

"I think they've put themselves in a good position over the first 10 matches, where we have a few matches to get it done," Sweeney said of clinch-

ing. "The last match we got our first win on the road, and I think it's building on that. We've put ourselves in a pretty good position to qualify with four matches to go, and needing only one, but I think they're capable of getting a couple more, too."

Now that the Mustangs' post-season aspirations are set

in stone, it's time to look at just what lies ahead.

As far as the Bay State Conference Championships, every team in the league is allowed to send three players. With 12 teams in the BSC, that adds up to 36 total golfers. The top 10 finishers are named Bay State all-stars.

In terms of the state sectional tournament, the Mustangs will be bringing their top six players. Sweeney has a pretty good idea of who his six will be, but will take a wait-and-see approach over the final few matches.

"I think most of the spots are [figured out], but seeing how things play out over the last couple of matches might determine the last couple of spots," he said. He added that he had a pretty good idea of who his top-4 will be, but wouldn't tip his hand.

Later in the week, on Monday, Norwood played to an 89-89 tie at home vs. Needham, and an 80-58 loss to Newton North in a make-up match on Tuesday. The Mustangs' record now stands at 7-4-1. Chris Ciriello led the team with 14 points, while Saad and Paul Galvin had 13 apiece vs. Needham.

The BSC championships took place this morning, after the Record's deadline. The Mustangs have one regular season match left, next Tuesday at home against Walpole.



Head Coach Jim Sweeney, far left, was optimistic about his team's postseason chances at the beginning of the season.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

# Dominance continues for Mustang Field Hockey



Forwards Hannah Benson, left, and Maura O'Neill, right, look on as Kacie Smith, center, prepares for a faceoff.

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

The train that is the Norwood field hockey team keeps rolling along at a breakneck pace, now 11-0-1 on the season after another unbeaten week.

A pair of shutout victories over Needham and Westwood, 2-0 and 4-0, respectively, were even more impressive in that they wrapped up a 5-game road trip for the Mustangs on which they went 4-0-1, with a tie against rival Walpole the only non-victory. Norwood now returns home for three games, and plays four of their final six contests overall at Norwood High School.

Kacie Smith had five of the Mustangs' six goals on the week, including both goals against Needham a hat trick against Westwood. The only goal she didn't score, she still assisted on. The senior captain now has 27 goals on the season. Beth Tobio recorded both shutouts for Norwood.

The non-league matchup with Westwood was played on Monday night under the lights, in slightly cooler conditions than the team had played in earlier in the season.

Smith scored the first goal of

the night for Norwood top-shelf, 7:37 into the contest on a 2-on-1 breakaway with Hannah Benson.

Shannon Gillis had a great defensive play for the Mustangs soon after. Preventing a backdoor goal for Westwood with her stick and sending an outlet pass to Smith, Benson was able to receive a one-timer pass from Smith all the way upfield and put it between the pipes to make it 2-0 Norwood with 20:32 to go in the first, a score that would hold until halftime.

Westwood came out flying to open the second half, not allowing the Mustangs a shot on goal for over 10 minutes in to the period. But when Norwood finally was able to get a shot off, Smith was able to capitalize for her second goal of the night and re-secure momentum for her team. She added the fourth goal of the night to cap off a 4-0 victory with 11:05 left in the game.

"There's been some pretty big teams that have gone through, but this is definitely an exciting thing," said head coach Allison Doliner of her team's unbeaten record to date.

Doliner added after the game that her team gets excited for the night games, having already

played one at Dedham earlier in the season, and another one this coming week at home, also vs. Dedham. "The girls get really excited for it, which is awesome. To have this game on Monday, knowing we have the lights Saturday is kind of a good adjustment. It's exciting."

Norwood also defeated Newton North at home on Tuesday, 4-2. There's another home game today at 3:45 p.m. vs. Milton before the tilt Saturday night at 7 p.m. at home vs. Dedham.

Norwood remained at No. 7 in the Boston Globe Top 20 Field Hockey poll this week.

In terms of the post-season, that's still a long ways away. But it's hard not to notice the battle brewing between the Mustangs and the Walpole Porkers (9-0-2) for supremacy in the Bay State Conference. They are the last remaining unbeaten teams in the conference, as well as the only two teams averaging more than three goals per game (Norwood at 4.2 goals per game, Walpole at 3.8). The teams face off in Norwood's final regular season game on Thursday, Oct. 23 at 3:45 p.m. at Norwood High School, so stay tuned for that one.



The Mustangs are 11-0-1 as they prepare for a stretch run. A showdown with fellow unbeaten Walpole Porkers looms ahead on Oct. 23.

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# New swim coach eager to get started

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

In a sense, it's been back to the future for the Norwood swimming team this fall.

Jennifer Rodger, a Norwood High School graduate in 2008, is the new head coach. Rodger, who's in her third year teaching mathematics at her alma mater, was a four-year member of the Mustangs swimming team in high school. Having already made a successful transition from student to teacher at her old stomping grounds, it made plenty of sense to morph from player to a coach.

"It was definitely something that I was interested in," said Rodger, when asked if she'd had any inkling she might want to get into coaching. "So having the opportunity when it came up, I definitely wanted to take advantage of it, and work with the student-athletes."

While it's the first team-coaching experience for Rodger at any level, she's hardly a rookie when it comes to the teaching aspect of swimming, having given swim lessons in the past. A natural in the water, she sees several similarities between swimming and coaching.

"When you're swimming, it's very individualized, but you're working towards a team goal," she said. "When I swam, I would try and motivate my teammates and work with them to encourage them to have their best races and swim their best times. So I'm definitely sharing that with the athletes, trying to motivate them."

Rodger spent her first two

collegiate years at UMass-Amherst with an undeclared major before deciding on mathematics and transferring to Westfield State College in Westfield, Mass. The switch to Westfield also brought about Rodger's return to the pool, after a hiatus during her Amherst years. She specialized in the breast stroke, swimming in the 200, 100, and 50-yard breast stroke heats, as well as in medley races.

"I missed it so much," said Rodger of being away from the pool. She looks back fondly on her days at Westfield State, under the tutelage of Coach Dave Laing, who's been with the program since its inception in 1982. "It was definitely a great atmosphere, the coach was really nurturing. The group of girls was amazing."

Rodger sees her new coaching gig as something that could help her in the classroom as well.

"Teaching and coaching go hand in hand," she said, likening working on math problems to working on your techniques in the water. "Things that you do in the classroom come out in the pool. Even in practice, when you do a set and you assess the set and you say 'what did they take out of that set? How am I going to go into tomorrow's practice and build on what I did?' It's the same thing with lessons. 'How am I going to teach this lesson, and build on the previous information that they already learned?'"

A thin roster presents some challenges for Rodger in terms

**Rodger**

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Jennifer Rodger has enjoyed her return to the Norwood High School swim team--this time as its coach.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

# Norwood Football still searching for answers

## Mustangs fall short against unbeaten Natick, 35-0



The Mustangs couldn't keep up with powerhouse Natick, who are 4-0 on the season. The squad will look to notch their first win of the year this weekend against Wellesley.

**Jake Levin**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Mustangs remain in search of their first win on the grid iron in 2014 after their latest setback at Natick, 35-0.

Norwood (0-4 overall, 0-2 Bay State Conference) fell to the Red Hawks (4-0, 3-0) in a rare Thursday night game in observance of the Jewish holiday Yom Kippur, which was celebrated last Friday evening and lasted until Saturday evening, overlapping usual game times. The entire Bay State Conference played on Thursday.

"You could play a team like this and play great for the whole game, and have four mental breakdowns and all of a sudden it's 28-0," said head coach Jim Tighe after the game. "And that's kind of what happened."

Natick, the two-time defending champion of the Bay State Herget Division, looks to be well on their way to a third

straight. In their 4-0 start, they've outscored opponents by a whopping 99 points, 138-39.

"The effort was there. They haven't quit," said Tighe as he lauded his teams resolve, citing team morale as something that's improved. "They could've walked out tonight, it was a tough situation. And they did a good job. They were with us all the way to the end, so I'm proud of that."

One major bright spot for the Mustangs was the play of defensive end/outside linebacker Richie Whelan, who had three sacks on the evening. Whelan, a senior captain, had two of his three on Norwood's first defensive series of the evening, as the Mustangs attempted to set a physical tone against the Red Hawks. Joe Mazzotta led the team with nine tackles.

Norwood received the ball to start the game, but went three-and-out. The defense played reasonably well to be-

gin the game, with Whelan's two sacks playing a part in Natick turning the ball over on downs its first series.

The Red Hawks would score on their second possession, however, a third down play with 2:19 to go in the first quarter on a 29-yard touchdown pass from Nick Olson to Tommy Ranucci. Olson was 11 for 17 for 147 yards with three touchdown throws on the evening. He had another TD pass to Ranucci in the first half, which combined with a touchdown run from Chad Kidd gave Natick a 21-0 lead into the break.

Mustangs' quarterback Jake Vail completed eight of 14 passes for 77 yards, with one interception that came near the end of the fourth quarter, the outcome of the game already decided. Vail has two interceptions in four games this year, each coming in garbage time and thus being inconsequential. Tighe believes the passing

the coach.

Rodger and the Mustangs earned their first win of the season last Thursday in a meet against Weymouth at Westwood High School, the Mustangs' home pool, 115-73. Their overall record is now 2-6, after a 103-74 setback vs. Wellesley on Monday and a bounce-back 97-83 victory over Braintree the very next day on Tuesday. But the record hasn't hampered Rodger's enthusiasm for the program.

Nor should it. Senior captain Charlotte Rivard has already qualified for states in the 50-yard freestyle with a time

game has looked excellent.

"He has [looked excellent]," said Tighe, when asked about how Vail has performed. Vail was the victim of a ruthless Natick pass rush throughout the evening, including three sacks in a row on a drive late in the second quarter. "I thought we'd protect better than we did."

Natick added two touchdowns in the second half, a pair of scores from Brian Dunlap. He had a 1-yard rushing TD on the Red Hawks' first possession of the second half, and a 3-yard reception for a TD later on in the half to make it a 35-0 final.

"We'll go back to practice

tomorrow and watch the film, and we'll try to make some corrections and get better next week," said Tighe.

Norwood's next opponent is Wellesley, a game which will take place under the lights at Norwood High School on Friday night at 7 p.m. Wellesley (0-4, 0-2) is also winless, scoring an average of 12.8 points per game while giving up 34.8. The team's share an identical point differential, minus-88. It will be Norwood's second matchup in three weeks with a fellow winless team, as Norwood and Milton battled it out in a matchup of 0-fers on Sept. 27.



Junior Damari Mayers takes the field for the Mustangs.

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of depth. There are 19 swimmers on this year's Norwood squad, a team that was hit hard by graduation a year ago. Only 17 swimmers are currently active, with two out battling injuries. Rodger says there are ups and downs to a relatively tiny team.

"I would definitely say that depth is a struggle, but each of us brings something individually to the team," she reasoned. The small coach-player ratio is great for attention to each player, but can at times result

in tired swimmers. "At practice, we can really focus on each individual swimmer and diver, but it means most of the swimmers are swimming two individual events and two relay events."

Still, Rodger says, the experience of swimming at the high school level in races is definitely a positive. At the end of the day, it can be looked at as more playing time. "Working during practice to build up to swim at the meets is definitely something they work at," said

of 0:27.02, and has qualified for a myriad of events in sectionals, including the 200-yard IM, 200 and 100-yard freestyles, and the 100-yard fly. Several other swimmers have qualified for sectionals, too.

On a personal level, Rodger wants to make the season as enjoyable as she can for each swimmer. Working with her assistant and her diving coach has been an amazing experience too, she said.

Norwood has four meets left on the season, the next one scheduled for tomorrow vs. Framingham at the Mustangs'

home away from home in Westwood. That leaves plenty of time for Rodger to see more growth from her team.

"One thing that if we accomplish as a team, I'll be happy, is that each swimmer and diver comes out of this season feeling like they really met their goal," said Rodger. "If it was a personal goal, a time goal, working on a certain stroke or improving their technique...having something in mind and achieving it at the end of the season, I think, would be all of our biggest successes."

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On Thursday, Oct. 16, the Norwood Lions Club will be holding its third annual fundraiser at the Chateau restaurant, on Route 1 (Providence Highway), Norwood. The Chateau will donate 20 percent of the bill of each diner, at the Norwood location, who presents a coupon distributed by the Norwood Lions. The coupon is available by printing a page from the Norwood Lions website, [www.norwoodmalions.com](http://www.norwoodmalions.com), or by picking one up at Commonwealth Eye Care, at 54 East Cottage St., diagonally across from the Norwood Sports Center bowling alley.

**FIRE PREVENTION WEEK OPEN HOUSE**

In honor of Fire Prevention Week the Norwood Fire Department would like to announce its annual Open House on Saturday, Oct. 11 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. We invite you to come down and enjoy the fire department while learning about fire safety and this year's topic: Working Smoke Alarms Save Lives, Test Yours Every Month! Come and put out the "house fire" or watch the Jaws of Life Demonstration, all are welcome. There will be refreshments provided by our friends at Dunkin Donuts and Papa Gino's.

**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. 6, 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 Jenny at (781)326-6796 or email her at [jenny.durant@verizon.net](mailto:jenny.durant@verizon.net).

**ST. CATHERINE SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE**

St. Catherine School in Norwood gives your child the tools for academic

success, as well as an enriching experience. Anyone interested in Pre-School or Kindergarten for 2015-2016 is invited to an Open House on Tuesday, Oct. 21 from 6-8 p.m. Please contact (781) 769-5354 ext. 262 or [admissions@sccsnorwood.com](mailto:admissions@sccsnorwood.com) to reserve a spot or tour our school. Children age 3 & up by Aug. 31, 2015 are eligible. St. Catherine of Siena School in Norwood is hosting a Catholic High School Information Night for parents & students interested in private high schools for 2015-2016. Come to our Middle School cafeteria located at 545 Washington St., Norwood on Thursday, Oct. 23 at 7 p.m. All are welcome to attend this HS fair.

**THE CRAFT AFFAIR AT NORWOOD**

Will be held Saturday, Oct. 18. Located at Norwood High School from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Over 60 crafters will be in attendance. Come and shop for chocolates, hand-painted glass, scrapbooks, ornaments, placemats, knitted items, dog biscuits, jewelry, doll clothes, decorative wooden items, toys 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.

**C.Y.O. BASKETBALL**

The CYO basketball program is organizing for the 2014-2015 season! Anyone who is interested in participating in the program should contact their local parish for information. If your town does not already participate in the CYO basketball program and you would like to learn more about the program you can contact Ken Foscaldo 781 329 7672. You can access information about the CYO Basketball Program online at <http://www.one4boston.org/youth-ministry/cyo-athletics/cyo-basketball>. The CYO basketball program sponsors boy's and girl's teams in the following age groups: 5th & 6th grade boys & girls teams, 7th & 8th grade boys & girls teams, 9th & 10th grade boys teams, 11th & 12th grade boys teams, 9th thru 12th grade girls teams.

**NORWOOD CULTURAL RECRUITING MEMBERS**

Do you have a cultural program for the schools, the library, the senior center, for example - that you need help supporting financially? The Norwood Cultural Council is here to help enrich the environment for arts and culture for all ages in our town. The Norwood Cultural Council is accepting grant applications by mail with a postmark no later than Oct. 15. Mail your applications to Norwood Cultural Council, PO Box 40, Norwood, MA 02062-0040 or drop them off in the handy box locate at the Morrill Memorial Library. If you have any questions, call Jeanne O'Rourke at (781) 248-7791 or [emailjeanneorourke2@gmail.com](mailto:emailjeanneorourke2@gmail.com). Also, If you are interested in becoming a member of the Norwood Cultural Council, we are recruiting people who want to join in our efforts and give a little bit of time - it's not a huge time commitment, and the bi-monthly meetings are fun. Meet some new people in town and do a good thing for Norwood! All are welcome.

**DIVORCE RECOVERY GROUP**

An eight-week group for people experiencing separation and divorce is accepting new members. The group is led by a professional counselor, and covers the emotional stages of divorce and offers support and healing. The group is held Wednesday evenings from 7 - 8:30 p.m. at The First Congregational Church, 100 Winter St. in Norwood. \$90.00 fee. Call 781-762-3320 to register.

**REGISTRATION FOR ADULT HISET PREPARATION PROGRAM**

Will be held at Blue Hills Regional Technical School, 800 Randolph St. in Canton, Mass. on Thursday, Oct. 16. at 6:30 p.m. Classes are Free. Funded by the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. For further information please call 781.828.5800 ext. 325 or visit [adulthood.bluehills.org](http://adulthood.bluehills.org)

**THE CATMOBILE IS COMING**

To Petco on Oct. 16. It is operated by the Merrimack River Feline Rescue Society and staffed by a licensed veterinarian and two veterinary technicians. The package consists of spay/neuter, rabies vaccinations, exam, nail trim, and treatment for fleas and ear mites. Microchipping is available for \$20. Individually packaged take-home flea treatment is available for \$15 per dose. The spay package costs \$120 and the neuter package costs \$80. Qualified feral cats cost \$35. All feral cats will be ear-tipped. Reservations are required and can be made online at [www.catmobile.org](http://www.catmobile.org) or by calling 978-465-1940.

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH EVENTS**

The regular Sunday morning worship service is at 10 a.m., followed by a fellowship hour in Pingree Hall. Church school classes and nursery care are available during the service. Our pastor, Reverend Dr. John Hamilton, is glad to extend pastoral support. For more information, please call the church office at (781) 762-3320. We will invoke the spirit of Francis for our Blessing of the Animals on Saturday, Oct. 4, at 10 a.m. We will gather under the maple tree on the side lawn, and bring all creatures great and small to be blessed. Church school classes for preschool-aged children through those in grade 8 are offered during the Sunday morning worship service, which begins at 10 a.m. Nursery care for the very young is also provided. Immediately following the worship service, a fellowship hour is held in Pingree Hall. Reverend Dr. John Hamilton is glad to extend pastoral support.

**NORWOOD RETIRED MEN'S CLUB NEWS**

October's meeting will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 14 at 10 a.m., preceded by a coffee and donut session. Fire Chief Tony Greeley will be the guest speaker. Tickets for the November breakfast meeting will be on sale. The cost has been maintained

at \$3. This meeting is an 8:30 a.m. meeting. There will be a nominating committee named from the floor to serve with Chairman Phil Sullivan. There is a serious election coming up as several members' terms have been served, and for various serious reasons we find that both the president and vice president spots will be vacant. Think about joining us on the board. We'll pitch in to help. All meetings are held at the Norwood Elks with plenty of parking. If you want to be a member, you don't have to be a Norwood resident, the only requirement is, you must be at least 60 years of age and be retired or semi-retired. Just drop in and someone will greet you. The dues are \$10 yearly and there is no initiation or initiation fee.

**NORWOOD AND WALPOLE COORDINATED FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAMS**

On Wednesday, Oct. 15, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Located at the Savage Educational Center, Room 219, 275 Prospect St., Norwood, MA 02062. Managing Everyday Stress: do you feel pulled in so many directions that you are starting to fray? Join us to discover practical strategies to reduce stress and bring more harmony into your life. We will focus on identifying particular stressors, developing routines and rituals that consider the developmental needs and realistic expectations for young children, balancing the needs of children and parents, and creating smooth transitions throughout the day.

**CLASS OF 1954 NHS REUNION**

The Norwood High Class of 1954 will celebrate its 60th Class Reunion on Friday, Oct. 10, with a noon luncheon at The Old Colonial Cafe in Norwood. A guided tour of the new high school will be available to interested alums on the morning of the luncheon. Invitations have been mailed to 122 classmates, 83 of whom reside in Massachusetts and 39 reside in 17 different states. For more information call Tom Foley at 781-762-4067, Joan McKinnon Haynes at 508-668-0534 or Jerry McNeil at 508-261-8705.

**CANDIDATE FORUM**

The Norwood League of Women Voters will be hosting a public forum featuring local candidates up for election on Oct. 22 at Memorial Hall, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

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# SENIOR NEWS

**FRIENDS DANCE:** Oct. 17 at 7 p.m.  
**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.  
**AFTERNOON DANCE:** This month's dance with John Rampino will be held on Friday, Oct. 10, at 1 p.m. Cost is \$5.  
**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 p.m. 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. 20 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 will meet on Thursday, Oct. 23, at 11 a.m.  
**EXCEL CLASSES:** Will resume in the fall.  
**FOOT DOCTOR:** Dr. Cormier is not scheduled for October. He will be back on Nov. 4 & 25 from 9 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$25. Please call for appointment.  
**GLEE CLUB:** Glee Club meets every Tuesday at 11:15 a.m.  
**HANDCRAFTES:** Handcrafters meet every Monday. Sewing is from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. And the Knitters meet from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.  
**HISTORY TALK:** Classes will be held on Thursday, Oct. 9 & 23 at 1 p.m. The topic will be findings & techniques used in Archeology.  
**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:** Oil Painting class is offered Thursday, Oct. 23, at 9:30 a.m.  
**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 Oct. 20, at 1 p.m. for our meeting.  
**WATER COLOR:** The next session is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 9 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 1-3 p.m.  
**HISTORY TALKS/CLASSES:** Are held at the Norwood Senior Center on the second and fourth Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. Some topics to be presented are presidential trivia, the U.S. Constitution and Native Americans. The first talk will be on the history of Archaeology on Oct. 9.  
**TRIPS** Oct. 22: Joey Vincent Comedy Singer, Luncheon and Show, Lantana's Randolph \$54. Oct. 30: Murder Mystery Matinee Luncheon and Show Lantana's Randolph \$55. Nov. 24: Turning Stone Resort Casino & Bingo Hall, 3 Days/ 2 Nights Verona New York \$249 Double, \$349 Single. Nov. 6: Andrew Sisters Tribute Luncheon and Show White's of Westport \$64. Dec. 2: A 50's & 60's Holiday Show Luncheon and Show White's of Westport \$64. You may sign up for these trips at any time, up to two weeks before the scheduled date. Flyers for all trips are available in the Café. Please sign up for all trips with Naemah. Payment in full for day trips. Deposit required on overnight trips.  
**OCTOBERS EVENTS** Hearing Aid Service Clinic Presentation, Ice Cream Social Oct. 9, at 1 p.m. No cost. Sign-up at front desk. Open Enrollment Presentation W/ Peggy McDonough Oct. 16, at 1 p.m.  
**TRIAD MEETING:** Monday, Oct. 20 at 1 p.m. US Postal Service Fall Festival w/ Entertainment Featuring: Marty Sawyer Thursday Oct. 23, 2014 at 1 p.m. Cost \$5. Sign up at front desk. Afternoon Line Dance: Friday, Oct. 31, at 1 p.m. Cost \$5.00 Mini-Bus Trips Tuesday, Oct. 14: Arnold Arboretum Tuesday, Oct. 21: Twin Rivers Tuesday, Oct. 28: IHOP & Savers

# DEATHS

## DeROSE

Philip F. Sr., 91, of Norwood, on Oct. 1. World War II US Navy Veteran. Beloved husband of Frances M. (Carchedi) DeRose. Devoted father of Philip F. DeRose Jr. and his wife Marilyn of Maryland, Robert P. DeRose and his partner Dianne Fancy of Norwood and Frank V. DeRose and his wife Jill of Sharon. Father-in-law of the late Patricia (Cahillane) DeRose and the late Carol Ann (Maher) DeRose. Loving brother of Lena G. Morrissey of Norwood, and the late Jenny Casharelli and Geraldine Annese. Son of the late Michael DeRose and Mary F. (Generazzo) Annese. Cherished grandfather of John, Christopher, Mary, Matthew, Robert, Robin, Michael and Rachel. Also survived by eight great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Burial will be at Highland Cemetery, Norwood.

## DONOVAN

Paul, 56, formerly of Norwood, on Sept. 25. Beloved husband of Virginia (Dulskyte) Donovan. Devoted father of Debralee Johnson and her husband Simon of Grafton and Danielle Donovan of Montana. Loving son of Richard W. and Claire (Fitzgerald) Donovan of Norwood. Brother of Richard Donovan of Westwood, Eileen Vagan and her husband Frank of New Jersey, Michael Donovan and his wife Shelia of Canton and Janet Donovan of Franklin. Grandfather of Isabella and Zachary Johnson. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home Norwood. Burial will be at Highland Cemetery Norwood. Paul was the owner of Paul Donovan Plumbing and Heating Co. in Norwood and Walpole. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in his name to the American Diabetes Assoc. 10 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

## PETRAITIS,

Marguerite G. (D'Espinosa),

91, of Norwood, Sept. 13. Beloved wife of the late Francis "Pete" Petraitis. Devoted mother of Joanne Gugliotta of Foxboro, Anthony Gugliotta and his wife Beverly of Tennessee and Dianne Sandahl and her husband Kyle of New Hampshire. Daughter of the late Joseph and Martha (Hawkshaw) D'Espinosa. Also survived by six grandchildren one late grandchild and 11 great-grandchildren. A Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood. Burial will be at Highland Cemetery Norwood.

## ROCHE

Margaret M. (McGee), 87, of Norwood, on Oct. 2. Beloved wife of 68 years to Richard M. Roche. Devoted mother of Maureen C. Roche of Norwood, Richard M. Roche Jr. and his wife Phyllis of Norwood, Kathleen Roche of Centerville, John J. Roche and his wife Marisa of Franklin, Christine M. Gagnon and her husband Gary of Sandwich and the late Thomas Roche. Loving sister of Gertrude Delaney and her husband Gerard of Quincy and the late John, Evelyn, George, James, Alice and Arthur. Cherished grandmother of 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Daughter of the late John J. and Mary (Hudson) McGee. At the request of the family visiting hours omitted and burial will be private. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in her name to Autism Speaks - New England Chapter, 85 Devonshire St., 9th Floor, Boston, MA 02109

## SCALZI

Mary R. (Vardaro), 94, of Norwood, on Sept. 28. Beloved wife of the late Domenic Scalzi.

Devoted mother of Patricia A. West and her husband Michael of Walpole and the late John M. Scalzi. Cherished grandmother of Kristin Keating, Bradford West and Michael West. Great grandmother of Gregory Keating. Sister of Ann Vardaro of Norwood and the late Martha Leone and Alice Vardaro. Daughter of the late Angelo and Angelina Vardaro. Funeral arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home Norwood. Burial will be at Newton Cemetery Newton, MA.

## THIBEAULT

Nicholas Jay, formerly of Norwood, suddenly on Sept. 29 at the age of 28. Born and raised in Norwood, he was a graduate of Norwood High School, Class of 2004. Nicholas was an avid and loyal fan of the Boston Red Sox, Boston Bruins and New England Patriots. His greatest love of all was his daughter, Alexis. Beloved fiancée of Melissa Ruggero and loving father of Alexis Thibeault, both of Connecticut; Son of Sandy and Paul Thibeault of Norwood; brother of Christopher and Courtney Thibeault, both of Norwood and the late Timothy Thibeault; grandson of Cathy and Paul Thibeault of Norwood, the late Barbara Carlow of Norwood and the late Ronald J. Carlow of Quincy. He is also survived by many loving aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. Funeral arrangements by the Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood. Interment will follow the service in Highland Cemetery, Norwood. Memorial contributions in memory of Nicholas Jay Thibeault may be made to Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and the Jimmy Fund, P.O. Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168.

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# Police Logs

## Tuesday Sept. 30

1012 walk-in - Larceny Location/address: All Seasons Rental - Bos-Prov Hwy Party in lobby reports larceny by check.

1417 walk-in - Larceny Location/address: Achorn St Larceny from the property.

1629 phone - Unwanted party Location/address: Broadway Caller reported disturbance. Officers reported verbal argument only. Parties advised.

1630 phone - Susp person protective custody Location/address: Buckminster Dr Caller reported female party attempting to enter sliding glass door. Party placed into protective custody.

1640 phone - Threats Location/address: Chapel St Caller reported threats.

1758 walk-in - Assist citizen gone on arrival Location/address: Boston Market - Lenox St Walk-in reported problem with business. Party left prior to Officer's arrival.

1802 phone - Complaint of m/v area search negative Location/address: Rama Shopping Center - Washington St Caller reported erratic operation of a green suv pc. Officer checked area, nothing found.

1831 911 - Disturbance spoken to Location/address: Edgehill Rd Caller reported two women yelling. Officers spoke with parties. No argument took place.

2117 phone - Disturbance spoken to Location/address: Big Yellow House - St Paul Ave Caller reported child in distress. Officer spoke with parents. Party checked ok.

2125 walk-in - Stolen bicycle Location/address: A&B Driving School - Guild St Walk-in reported stolen blue giant bike.

2253 phone - Drunk person Location/address: Lewis Restaurant & Grille - Central St Caller reported intoxicated male in the street. Officer placed party into protective custody, returned to family member's house.

## Wednesday Oct.01

0034 911 - Susp activity area search negative Location/address: Fales Ave Caller reports someone ringing her bell and is afraid to go to door. N665,n677 checked yard and surrounding area. Nothing found.

0306 phone - Susp activity area search negative Location/address: Prospect St Caller reports someone pounding on her door. N664,n667 responded. Officers checked the yard and area. Nothing found.

0951 walk-in - Threats Location/address: Norwood High Cchool - Nichols St Sro Murphy will file a report .

1010 walk-in - B & E of motor vehicle Location/address: Elliot St Report someone entered car and stole item.

1204 phone - Susp activity spoken to Location/address: Bos-Prov Hwy + Union St Walpole off with a subject who may exposed himself on Union Street . As a result Walpole placed one under .

1206 phone - Warrant of apprehension arrest(s)made Location/address: Mountain Ave Female tranported .

1701 phone - Susp activity spoken to Location/address: railroad ave Caller reported two suspicious parties on his property last night. Officer spoke with resident, subjects contracting for DPW.

1846 phone - Parking violation citation fine Location/address: The Feisty Greek - Vanderbilt Ave Cite issued to 7116mm for a handicap violation.

2153 911 - Drunk person protective custody Location/address: Railroad Ave Caller requested ambulance for an intoxicated party with a medical issue. Subject placed into protective custody. Norwood Fire transport to the hospital.

2251 phone - Susp activity services rendered Location/address: Norton Dr Caller requested officer check the property on behalf of the resident after receiving doorbell ring. Officers reported National Grid rang bell to get gas meter read.

## Thursday Oct. 02

0524 walk-in - Well being chk services rendered Location/address: Hill St Walk-in stated that he can not contact his brother. He spoke with him over a week ago and left messages + knocked on door this morning. N677 & n679 dispatched to his residence for a well bing check. Officers and brother were able to gain entry to apartment. Subject in question was not there.

1104 cellular - Citizens complaint services rendered Location/address: Nichols St Passing motorist reports that a Comcast ladder is leaning on the wires in front of this home. ELD called-this is ok.

1120 phone - Breaking and entering arrest(s)made Location/address: Limey's Pub - Washington St Report there was a male in the backroom of building. Bolo to cars. N661 places subject under arrest at 28 Cottage St. Apt. 8 and transports to station. Arrest: O'Brien, Dermot P Address: 24 Cottage St apt. #8 Norwood Dob: 01/27/1962 Charges: b&e building daytime for felony Larceny from building Trespass

1248 initiated - Found syringe services rendered Location/address: 433 - Winter St N668 properly disposes of same.

1316 phone - Susp vehicle gone on arrival Location/address: Juniper Dr Report of a Mercedes, silver, parked for 10 minutes between numbers 2 & 4, 1 occupant.

1525 walk-in - Assist citizen spoken to Location/address: Fulton St Landlord reports tenant damaged apartment. N661 spoke to him and advised.

1714 phone - Assist citizen Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Caller reports that a student is claiming domestic abuse at her home.

1748 911 - Susp activity gone on arrival Location/address: Rock St Caller reported group of suspicious males looking into cars. Officer checked area the area, nothing suspicious found.

1826 phone - Neighbor disturbance spoken to Location/address: St Paul Ave Caller reported issue with a neighbor. All parties advised.

1952 phone - Susp activity area search negative Location/address: Longwood Ter Caller reported suspicious male in the area. Officers checked area, nothing found.

2037 phone - Dispute Location/address: Stonebridge Apts - Dean St Caller and her boyfriend involved in a verbal argument.

2056 911 - Susp person gone on arrival Location/address: Buckminster Dr Caller reports that two men knocked on his door and tried to open it. Units spoke with the caller and searched the area.

## Friday Oct. 03

0013 walk-in - Malicious damage Location/address: Elks - Winslow Ave Resident reports malicious damage to his car while parked at the Elks.

0115 911 - Assist citizen services rendered Location/address: Ryan Dr Cab driver having a problem with credit card machine showing system error and can't correct it. Customer paid with cash. Problem resolved. ( MA. Reg# ta 15469 )

0322 911 - Report of gas leak fire dept notified/respo Location/address: Suit K2 - Adams St Caller reports strong odor of gas in the building N677,nfd Responded. Nfd handled same, building checked by nfd.

0550 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Kerry Pl Caller reports machinery operating making noise. N669 spoke with waste removal company. Advised them of noise bylaw

0758 phone - Assist other police depart services rendered Location/address: Westwood High School - Nahatan St Threat of shooting and bombing at Westwood High School. Units rotate through traffic/crowd control and answering calls for service.

0800 initiated - Juvenile offenses complaint/summons Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St

0805 initiated - Juvenile offenses citation fine Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Sro to file report

0843 phone - Disturbance services rendered Location/address: McDonalds - Broadway St Report problem with an employee. N669 reports they fired the employee and thought he would get upset but he left without incident before officers arrival.

1025 phone - Unwanted party services rendered Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Report student was asked to leave and will not leave. N661 reports she left prior to officers arrival, checked property-she is goa, spoke to

principal.

1149 initiated - Lost and found Location/address: Walpole St Party turns over to n668 some money.

1346 phone - Citizens complaint gone on arrival Location/address: Bos-Prov Hwy Report male in a wheelchair panhandling.

1403 walk-in - Well being chk protective custody Location/address: Ellis-Lower Pond - Walpole St Report male lying on ground. N666 places subject in protective custody, transports to home where sister took responsibility for him.

1439 phone - Weapon Location/address: Lawndale Rd New homeowner cleaning out a closet finds a gun.

1515 phone - Complaint of m/v area search negative Location/address: Washington St + Cottage St Report MA 29002,a yellow school bus with "1st student" logo went through red light, also driving with blinker constantly On, last seen Nahatan St eastbound at Washington St.

1530 walk-in - Assaults Location/address: Rock St Party in lobby reports past assault. N662 to conduct an investigation.

1647 radio - Drunk person arrest(s)made Location/address: Walpole St + Winter St

1804 phone - Susp vehicle no violation Location/address: St John Ave Caller reports that a vehicle is parked and that the driver is talking to several young girls. Units located the vehicle and there was no one inside. They also spoke to the girls who reported that there was nothing wrong.

1837 phone - Citizens complaint gone on arrival Location/address: Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports that a family is panhandling in the parking lot.

1844 911 - Unwanted party Location/address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Caller reports that a patient was being combative and damaged property.

1921 phone - Susp vehicle gone on arrival Location/address: Norwest Dr Caller reports that a vehicle is parked in the woods.

1933 phone - Fraud Location/address: Casey St Caller reports that someone created a store credit card in her name.

1947 911 - Motor vehicle accident arrest(s)made Location/address: Nahatan St N661 transports one female arrest to the station s/m 50395 2009 hrs, e/m 50396 2013 hrs. Central tows MA pc 8545hc, D&W Tows MA pc 5mjp60. Arrest: Kane, Donna M Address: 30 Millbrook Rd Westwood Dob: 01/21/1966 Charges: oui liquor or .08%, 2nd offense Marked lanes violation Negligent operation of motor vehicle

2129 phone - Noise complaint no such person Location/address: Hampden Dr Caller states that she can hear a female screaming from parking lot. N669 and n663 respond. Units report no persons founded or noises heard.

## Saturday Oct. 04

0008 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Rosemary House (rooming house) - Rosemary St Caller reports there are 4 or 5 people out on porch ion 3rd floor and are being very loud. N664,n661 responded. Spoken to and advised to take it inside.

0114 initiated - Susp person spoken to Location/address: Gazebo - Town Common - Washington St N661 speaking with party on town common. N668 responded. All in order; waiting for the bus.

0122 initiated - Community police stateDPW/Norwood DPW no Location/address: Gazebo - Town Common - Washington St N668 reports water leak in irrigation system at the Veteran's Memorial on the common. DPW notified and will handle same.

0142 phone - Unwanted party gone on arrival Location/address: Cedar St Caller reports unwanted party on property outside. N666,n677 responded and spoke to caller. Party had left before their arrival.

0352 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: Village Road W Caller reports loud music coming from 3rd floor balcony on building to the left. N664,n661 responded and spoke to parties who took it inside and lowered the music.

0830 phone - Noise complaint services rendered Location/address: Super Cuts - Lenox St Loud music complaint resolved

with Chipotle

0931 phone - Harassment spoken to Location/address: St Paul Ave Matter resolved between residents.

0956 phone - Found syringe spoken to Location/address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Walker reports same near the 20 yard line , visitors side, scoreboard end. Officer reports the item was plastic and not a syringe.

1059 phone - Animal complaint services rendered Location/address: Autumn St Barking dog. Owners moved it inside.

1611 phone - Search warrant arrest(s)made Location/address: Walpole St Detectives request a unit to stop a vehicle leaving the Location on Walpole St. As a result car stopped on rte 1a . One subject under arrest James Boran. Center tows MA reg 789zv5. Arrest: Boran, James Jesse Address: 571 Walpole St Norwood Dob: 02/11/1986 Charges: drug, possess to distrib class d Large capacity, possess, feed device Drug, possess class b

1621 walk-in - Susp person spoken to Location/address: Hoyle St Caller states a suspicious male and car where seen near his property MA reg 1xn937. N678 will follow up and investigate.

1826 phone - Susp person gone on arrival Location/address: Balch School - Washington St Caller states 4-5 black males headed towards the back of the Balch School. Caller states that they seem suspicious and are up to no good. N669 & n663 check the area and reports subjects are goa.

1942 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: St Paul Ave Caller states loud music coming from the tenants that live below.

2101 phone - Complaint of m/v spoken to Location/address: Hamden Dr Caller states that there has been a vehicle parked directly outside there house for a week, and would like to speak with an Officer about it.

## Sunday Oct. 05

0205 911 - Drunk person protective custody Location/address: Norwest Dr Caller reported disturbance with an intoxicated female party. One placed into protective custody.

1100 phone - Malicious damage Location/address: Winslow Ave Report car damaged.

1125 phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/address: University Ave Report dirt bikes in area. N677 sent MA pc 55635 on its way.

1339 phone - Lost and found services rendered Location/address: K St Passing pedestrian finds 1 MA co plate of m63510 and 1 MA pc plate of n57438. Check of both-not stolen in computer. Company notified and will check their trucks and come pick up plates.

1530 phone - Neighbor disturbance spoken to Location/address: Beacon Ave Report client of respite house at #15 cuts through property and looks into windows. N661 spoke to caller and Riverside personnel and they will inform client to stop.

1652 phone - Kids gathering spoken to Location/address: Lenox Ave + Pleasant St Caller reports that there are kids playing with what appear to be bb guns. N664 spoke to the group and determined that the guns were toys.

1846 phone - Assist citizen spoken to Location/address: Citgo - Broadway - Broadway St Caller reports employee was hostile towards her and her kids, n663 responded. All parties spoken to.

1852 walk-in - Missing person founded Location/address: Olde Derby Rd Party in lobby reporting son missing. Units located missing party.

1901 phone - Assist citizen civil matter Location/address: East Coast Ruckus - Melville Ave Landlord asking for assistance while tenant vacates property. N669 and n77 assisted both parties.

1945 911 - Susp vehicle spoken to Location/address: Mr. Toolbox - Sturtevant Ave Caller reports that there is an sp vehicle parked outside of her apartment. N661 determined that the driver was a family friend with a different vehicle.

2139 phone - Noise complaint area search negative Location/address: Winslow Ave Caller reports a loud bang from the upstairs apartment.

2250 phone - Noise complaint Location/address: Wickham Way Caller reports loud noise coming from the upstairs apartment. Units spoke with the residents at that address, husband was trying to console his wife.

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SWING FEVER TRIO PERFORMS

Get your toes tapping when the Swing Fever Trio returns to the Morrill Memorial Library on Sunday, Nov. 9 at 3 p.m. as part of the fall Musical Sunday's concert series. Norwood's own pianist/vocalist Steve Rudolph will be accompanied by Ralph Pepe on bass and Gary Spellissey on drums. The trio will apply its distinctive jazz stylings to the music of George Gershwin, Cole Porter, and Duke Ellington, among others. Join them for a joyous sampling of the best of American popular music of the past century. The remaining concerts

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## AUTHOR DAVE EPSTEIN TO SPEAK

The Friends of the Library are pleased to welcome author Dave Epstein to the Morrill Memorial Library on Monday, Nov. 10 at 7:30 p.m. His talk is titled "From weather to plants, Dave Epstein prepares you for the upcoming winter: how to keep your plants healthy with a sneak peak forecast into what the upcoming season holds". A Q & A session will follow. David Epstein has been a meteorologist and horticulturalist for over 25 years. In addition to writing and teaching at Framingham State College and Colby College, he owns a landscape design business and is the author of "Gardens of New England." Mr. Epstein lives in S. Natick, Mass. and Harpswell, Maine. Please sign up for this timely program, presented by the Friends of the Library, at the Reference or Information Desk or call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222.

## SUNFLOWERS: PASTEL WORKSHOP

Award-winning pastel artist Greg Maichack will return to the Morrill Memorial Library on Monday, Nov. 3 from 6:30-

8:30 p.m. to present a free workshop on painting sunflowers. "Sublime Sunflowers: How to Pastel Paint like the Masters," is open to all adults from beginners to advanced artists. In this fun workshop Mr. Maichack will provide insights into the lives of the old masters who painted the sunflower: van Gogh, Monet, and Georgia O'Keeffe. A beautifully structured sunflower drawing of one of O'Keeffe's paintings will be the focal point for participants as they learn to create their own pastel painting. All professional-grade materials including pastels, colored paper, and white charcoal pencils will be provided. The artist earned an MFA from the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston. He teaches pastel at the Springfield Fine Arts Museum School and has received numerous national awards. Please sign up for this workshop, generously funded by the Norwood Woman's Club, at the library Reference or Information Desk or call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222. Class size is limited to 28.

## CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT OFFERS TUMBLEBOOKS

The Morrill Memorial Library Children's Department is happy to announce the addition of Tumble Books. Tumble Books are animated, talking picture books which teach kids the joy of reading in a format they'll love. Tumble Books are created by taking existing picture books, adding animation, sound, music and narration to

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## TUTORS NEEDED

Morrill Memorial Library will sponsor a training program for Literacy Volunteer Tutors beginning Saturday, Oct. 18 at 9:30 a.m. The training will use the methods and materials of Literacy Volunteers of Massachusetts and will focus on Basic Reading. The Basic Reading Workshop concentrates on the methods and materials needed to teach reading and writing skills to adult students. Topics covered will include language experience stories, phon-

ics, sight words, lesson planning and goal setting. Tutors are asked to make a commitment of tutoring a student for two hours a week for at least a year. A high school diploma or equivalent is required, but teaching experience is not. Registration is required for attendance at this workshop. Please call the Literacy Office at 781-769-4599 to register or to receive further information.

## TROMBONE TRIO TO PERFORM

The Morrill Memorial Library's fall Musical Sundays concert series begins with a stellar performance by the Solstice Sackbuts on Sunday, Oct. 26 at 3 p.m. This renowned chamber trio will take a musical tour through the centuries starting with Medieval and Renaissance music, continuing with Baroque, Classical and Romantic music and evolving into pop and jazz. They will also share some interesting anecdotes about life during those periods and give a brief history of the trombone. Formed in 2010, the Solstice Sackbuts include David Lindsey, Alan Johnson and Leslie Havens who will perform on soprano, alto, tenor and bass trombones. The Musical Sunday's series continues with a concert by the Swing Fever Trio on Nov. 9, Hungry town on Nov. 23, and Spook Handy on Dec. 7. Please register for these programs, made possible through the library Endowment Fund, at the Reference or Information Desk or call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222.

## NEW FOREIGN-LANGUAGE VOCABULARY DATABASE

Planning a trip to a French, Spanish, or German-speaking area and want to learn some helpful foreign language words

and phrases? The Morrill Memorial Library now offers Norwood residents access to a new, easy-to-use database called A to Zebra Language-the world's largest online video language dictionary. Videotaped native-speakers will teach you to understand and pronounce simple terms and phrases, including verbs, on a wide variety of subjects. You will acquire the vocabulary needed to greet people, order food in restaurants, request directions, communicate a medical emergency, name various colors, animals, sports, numbers, and even ask for a date! English Language learners can also use this valuable tool to learn and pronounce thousands of words and phrases in English. Norwood residents must have a valid Minuteman Library Network card to access A to Zebra Language either at the library or from home. For more information about this database and others, please stop by the Reference Dept. or call 781-769-0200.

## FALL STORYTIME

The Children's Department at the Morrill Memorial Library is happy to announce its Fall Story Time Schedule. Story times run through Dec. 12. Weekly story times include Babes n' Books Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. for infants to 17 months old; On My Own Story time Thursday at 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. for ages 3 & 4; Toddler Time Friday at 10:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. for children under 3 and their caregivers. Special Story times are PJ Story time Nov. 6 and Dec. 4 at 7 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. for all ages; Story Time 2.0 Thursday Oct. 16 and Nov. 13 at 4 p.m. for ages 3-6 with an adult; Thursday, Oct. 23 at 4 p.m., and Tuesday, Nov. 25 at 4 p.m. for beginning reader and up; Dads and Doughnuts Saturday, Nov. 15 and Dec. 20 at 10:30 a.m. for ages 2 and up. On Oct. 18 at 10:30 a.m., UFUND Start U. Reading program will present Special Story time with Elmo! Bring your camera for photos with Elmo. For further information visit our website [norwoodlibrary.org](http://norwoodlibrary.org) under the Kids and Teens tab click on Children's Story times.



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