



Norwood students participated in last year's Putting for Patients fundraiser to benefit pediatric cancer research.

COURTESY PHOTO

Middle and high school students to host Putting for Patients

Christopher Roberson
Staff Reporter

For three hours next Saturday, the Norwood High School gymnasium will be transformed into an 18-hole miniature golf course for the Putting for Patients event to raise money for pediatric cancer research.

Colleen Cormier, Student Council advisor at the high school, said her students have partnered with the

Putting

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The town's insurance company has taken legal action against Norwood Airport and Boston Executive Helicopters, saying it will not cover legal expenses related to the ongoing litigation between the two entities.

FILE PHOTO

Insurance Co. refuses coverage for airport lawsuit Seeks Declaratory Relief from court

Christopher Roberson
Staff Reporter

National Union, the town's insurance company, is seeking a court mandate that would free it from paying legal expenses related to the ongoing litigation between Norwood Memorial Airport and charter company Boston Executive Helicopters (BEH).

In addition to the airport and BEH, the other defendants in the National

Union case include the town, the Airport Commission, commission Chairman Mark Ryan, Vice Chairman Michael Sheehan, Clerk Kevin Shaughnessy, Members Leslie Lieblanc and Martin Odstrchel, former Chairman Thomas Wynne and resident Frank Maguire.

Ryan, members of the commission, Town Manager John Carroll and Town Counsel Brandon Moss could not comment on the case as it is in litigation. Maguire, Wynne and Airport Manager

Russell Maguire could not be reached for comment.

The two counts filed by National Union include Declaratory Judgment, No Defense or Indemnity Owed Under The Polices and Breach of The Polices' Reporting Requirements.

In his 16-page Complaint For Declaratory Relief, filed on Oct. 3, 2016,

Airport

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Eysie to seek TM zoning approval

Christopher Roberson
Staff Reporter

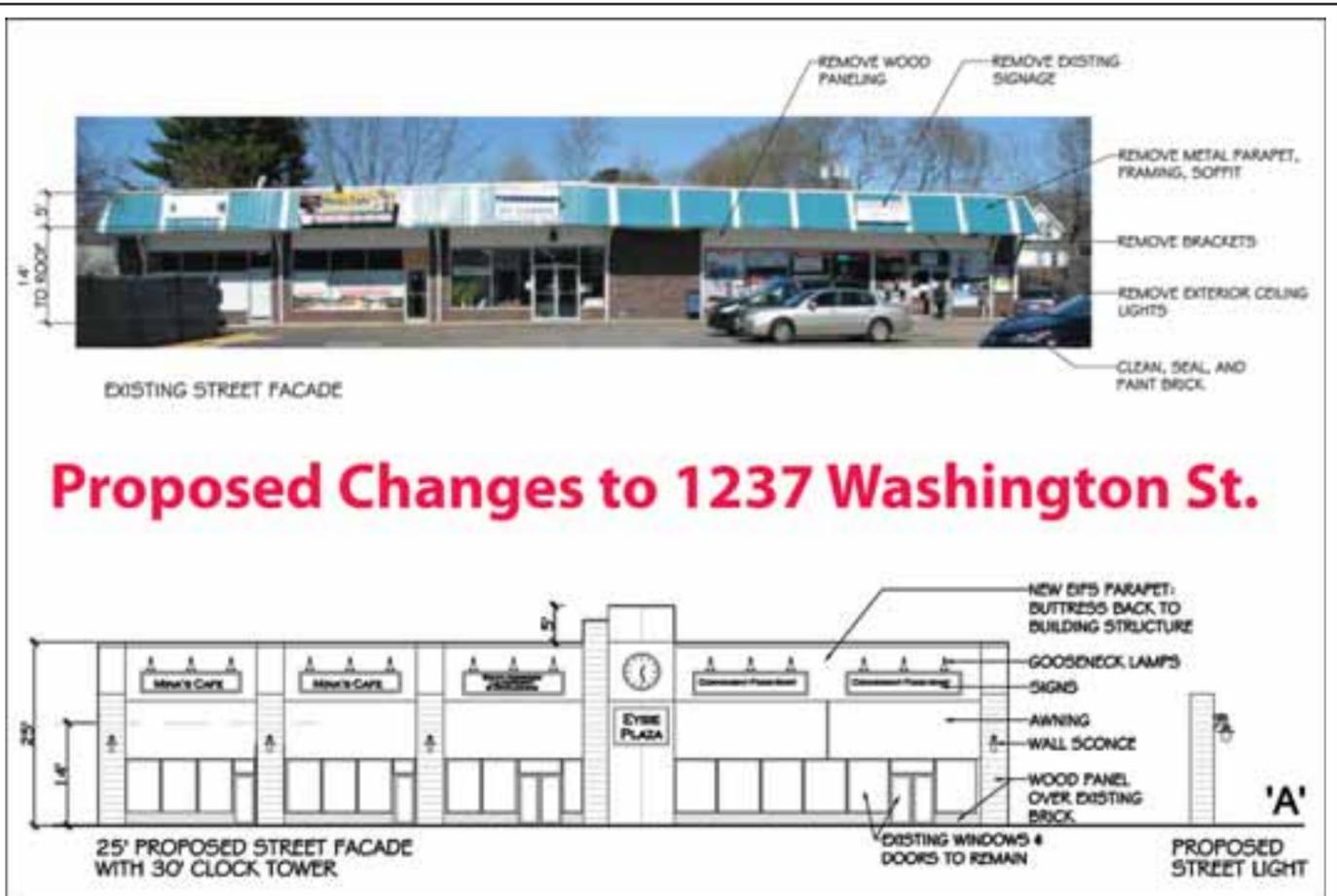
Provided his request for all-commercial zoning at 1237-1243 Washington St. is approved at the Oct. 24 Special Town Meeting, property owner Paul Eysie plans to spend eight weeks making his shopping center more aesthetically appealing.

"It hasn't been touched since the '70s, the building should be dramatically improved," he said. "We're giving it a facelift; I'm not changing the footprint at all."

Some of Eysie's plans include replacing the signage, installing a standalone streetlight and replacing the building's

Eysie

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exterior lights with 15 goose-neck lamps.

"It's going to be the kind of plaza that you want to go inside," said Eysie.

He also plans to install a 30-foot clock tower in the center of the plaza, with the words "South Norwood" encircling the clock. The remainder of the building would be 20 feet tall. Eysie said that would not trigger a height variance.

"There's not going to be any zoning required," he said.

Eysie said that while other property owners might allow their parcels to slip into disrepair, that's something which has never been part of his character.

"That's not me, that's not who I am," Eysie said, adding that he has successfully refurbished other properties he owns in Town. "I like to believe that I do the right thing with them – I love South Norwood."

In the long-term, Eysie said he would like to repave the parking lot as well as plant trees and shrubbery.

Depending on the contractor's schedule, Eysie said he would like to begin the project in November; otherwise it would have to wait until the spring. He said the cost of project is not known at this time.

Going into the Special Town Meeting, Eysie said he is confident he will get the required two-thirds vote to change the zoning.

"I'm a true believer in Town Meeting, the process will continue," he said. "Town Meeting is very smart, they see when something is going to be an asset."

Attorney David Hern, who represents Eysie, said the zoning request does not pose any "real detriment to the Town."

Although the property is split between commercial and residential, Hern said commercial taxes have always been paid on the entire parcel.

"It raises a question as to what activities are allowed on that property," he said, adding that the split zoning caused problems for Mina's Café when it applied for a beer and wine license. "Why not have the zoning map reflect what's been going on there for 45 years?"

During the Sept. 12 Planning Board meeting, Member Paul Donohue recommended taking no action as he did not want the board to be prematurely viewed as a "proponent" of the proposal.

During the Sept. 20 Board of Selectmen Meeting, Selectman Helen Abdallah Donohue (who is married to Paul Donohue) did not vote in favor of Eysie's request to have the zoning change put on the warrant.

"The business now is doing beautifully, it's not that the applicant is losing any money, so if we as a Board of Selectmen all agree to

hurry the procedure up it gives the appearance that all of the members of the board are in favor of it, and it may be that we are, but I believe it's really important that we give some thought to this project," said Donohue. "I think that we should let the applicant go through the regular procedure rather than speed the procedure so that will give us a chance to study it."

Donohue also said the process would be "hurried" if the board voted to put the matter on the warrant.

Regarding Donohue's comments at that meeting Hern responded, "There is really no basis for that suggestion," adding that the selectmen voted 4-1 to put Eysie's article on the warrant. "This isn't being rushed at all."

Hern also said Eysie has complied with the five-week waiting period, which is required by statute.

"It's a very deliberate process and that's what's being followed here," he said.

He said the five weeks began on Sept. 12 when the proposal was brought before the Planning Board and will expire on Oct. 17 when the public hearing will be held.

"I disagree with Mrs. Donohue's position, but I respect it," said Hern, adding that Eysie has been treated fairly throughout the process. "I don't even think that's a question, I think that the Town of Norwood does treat people fairly – that's a hallmark of town government."



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Selectmen vote to table three personnel policies

Christopher Roberson
Staff Reporter

The Board of Selectmen voted unanimously to table the proposed sick leave and social media policies as well as the unpaid leave policy until next week's meeting.

"I've received considerable comments from various employees around Town about this," said Town Manager John Carroll during the board's Oct. 11 meeting.

Chairman Allan Howard said present Town employees should be taken into consideration before any changes are made.

"I think if there are going to be changes in this area, in the sick leave and the unpaid leave policy, that current employees be grandfathered, that's one of the main points," he said.

Selectman William Plasko said there is no need to create a new sick leave policy.

"I don't think the Personnel Board should go creating a different policy, it should reflect our current practice," he said. "It's really a policy that covers a long-standing practice; I can wait a week to get into the weeds on this, but I have a lot of strong opinions on it."

Selectman Paul Bishop said he agreed with Plasko.

"If it's not broken, then I don't see a need to fix it," he said. "If we have an issue with something, I think it's our responsibility to go to the Personnel Board and have them rectify the situation."

However, Plasko said he favored the social media policy.

"Social media is a new area with a lot of new issues coming up, we haven't had any real, developed set of policies for employees to understand what we expect of them," he said.

In other news, the board accepted the Oct. 5 letter from Airport Manager Russell Maguire to resident Michael Cofsky allowing Cofsky to bow hunt on the airport's land beyond the security fence.

Howard was also pleased to announce that Norwood Cable has outpaced both Verizon and Comcast.

"Norwood is either very close or better in availability and in speed," he said. "For pricing, for 25 mbps (megabits per second), in Internet service, Norwood is cheaper than the other two."

Howard also emphasized that the information was compiled by third party entities.

"The information is off the internet, there's nothing that our people here compiled for us," he said.

Bishop agreed that there is a definitive price difference between Norwood's service and the two larger competitors.

"They're at least \$10 cheaper in many areas," he said. "They're availability rating is 98.4 [percent] in residential and in commercial it's more than 99 percent - that's important to note that we're up against some heavy competition with Xfinity and Fios who advertise every day on

TV."

Bishop also put out a reminder that the last day for voter registration is Oct. 19. He said residents can either come into the Town Clerk's Office to register or register online at registertovotema.com.

"Everybody should be registered, you have the right to register, you have the obligation to vote as far as I'm concerned," said Bishop.

Plasko said that, with authorization from Town Meeting, the property at 136 Access Rd. was purchased to house the new headquarters

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Letters to the Editor

YES, THERE WAS A CONSPIRACY

To the Editor:

Say Bert, a rink conspiracy stems from an injustice perpetrated on the residents of South Norwood by local officials. The duplicitous nature of this municipal assault was staggering. Residential concerns and petition of salient issues were manipulated and misrepresented by egregious electives sworn to serve all of the people. You need to read the newspaper more often, Bert.

Regina Jennings
Norwood

CPA is flawed

To the Editor:

In this election, in addition to the four statewide ballot questions, Norwood voters will be asked to adopt the Community Preservation Act, which will appear on Norwood's ballot as Question 5.

In theory, the CPA should be a good idea. But in reality, it's very flawed for several reasons.

The chief reason the CPA is flawed is that communities have to impose a surcharge on property taxes to be able to gain access to CPA funds. In theory, the Commonwealth would match whatever funds a community raises from property tax surcharges to fund a community's CPA fund. In reality, the amount of the state match has gone down over the years, and if Boston (the state's largest city) adopts the CPA next month, the amount of the state match would plunge.

A secondary reason is that there are many homeowners who would have difficulty paying even a one percent surcharge on property taxes. After all, Norwood taxpayers are still paying for the new high school and will for several more years at least. In theory, low-income and elderly homeowners would be able to apply for a waiver. But that process is cumbersome, and there is no guarantee that any waivers to low-income or elderly people would even be granted.

I would prefer that the Community Preservation Act be amended so that it is fully funded by the Commonwealth and that communities which had adopted it would no longer impose property tax surcharges to pay for it. Every municipality would be eligible for CPA funds, with each project getting local approval from selectmen, town meeting, town/city councils, and/or voters in referendum, depending on a community's form of government. Then, each request would be forwarded to a State CPA Board that would determine whether or not to grant the funds.

Instead of Norwood voters adopting a flawed CPA which would impose a property tax surcharge and very few dollars in state matching funds, Norwood residents should instead contact Gov. Baker, State Rep. John Rogers, State House speaker Bob DeLeo and State Senate President Stan Rosenberg, urging them to amend the CPA law as I have proposed. I have already done so.

Vote No On Question 5!

Joseph Gallant
Norwood

CPA IS A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY

To the Editor:

I am encouraging voters in Norwood to support the Community Preservation Act (CPA) which will be on the ballot in the

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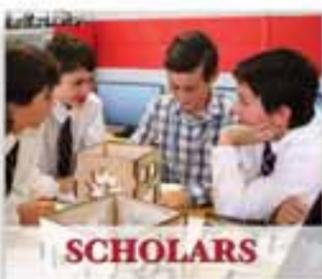


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BY: John J. Carroll, General Manager

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for the Light Department, rather than having it spread out around Town.

“The scope is to look at the three or four sites in Town and see how they might work into that site,” said Plasko, adding that he and his team are currently investigating the cost of a feasibility study.

“I wanted to make sure before we went much further that the board knows we’re proceeding and how we’re proceeding.”

Plasko also said the Economic Development Committee will be hosting an information session with Moderna Therapeutics at 7 p.m. tonight, Oct. 13, in the

Willet Room of the Norwood Civic Center.

He said there will also be an article on the Special Town Meeting warrant on whether or not the Town should enter into a tax increment financing agreement with Moderna.

Howard said he was pleased with the turnout at the Police and Fire Open House, held on Oct. 8.

“If it wasn’t the largest attended day, it was darn close to it,” he said. “The weather cooperated like you wouldn’t believe.”

Howard said he was also impressed by tours given by the police and the interac-

tive demonstrations given by the firefighters.

“They had all their apparatus to show people how everything works,” he said.

In addition, Howard said the Board of Health will be holding a flu clinic from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Senior Center on Oct. 15 for anyone who is at least 14 years old. He also said no fee is necessary to attend the clinic.

“In no way are people charged for this folks,” said Howard.

The selectmen then went into Executive Session to discuss 40B litigation regarding the Forbes Hill development.

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For 15 years now many of us have paid into the state’s CPA fund by either buying a house or simply re-financing our mortgages. While other neighboring towns have benefited from these funds, Norwood has missed out on some very important opportunities as a result.

Some advantages of the CPA are the control of the funds and projects selected are all local. No project goes forward without the blessing of Town Meeting. Also, all funds which are not used in any given year are retained in the CPA fund for use in future years. The money does not revert to the general fund.

Some of the projects which are allowed for CPA funding are the preservation of historic sites in the town. The things which give Norwood its unique character. Acquisition or development of green space which adds to the quality of life for Norwood residents and which can also benefit the town in controlling the amount of state mandated housing which does not conform to the town’s zoning regulations. Affordable senior housing, which can allow longtime residents the option of staying in Norwood after retirement, would also fall within the guidelines of this funding. There is a website Cpa4norwood.org that can answer many of the questions citizens voting on this initiative in November may have.

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League of Women Voters to host two election events

Christopher Roberson
Staff Reporter

Leading up to the Nov. 8 election, the Norwood League of Women Voters has planned two events to educate residents about what they will be asked at the polls.

President Carol MacLeay said the first event will be a community forum to discuss the possibility of adopting the Community Preservation Act (CPA) in Norwood.

“It’s the fifth question on the ballot, people need to know about it – they need to know what they’re voting for,” she said.

MacLeay said John Hall will be speaking in favor of the CPA, while Stephen Brody will speak in opposition. Timothy McDonough, chairman of the Board of Assessors, will also be on hand, as well as Deborah Sundin of the Canton Community Preservation Committee.

Information will also be provided about the CPA’s exemptions.

MacLeay said that although the State League is in favor of the CPA, the group has not influenced the town leagues on which side to take.

“They chose not to tell the town leagues,” she said.

MacLeay also said the Norwood League conducted a study about the feasibility of the CPA after it was passed on Beacon Hill 14 years ago.

“We wanted to find out if this was a good idea for Norwood,” she said.

However, the league has remained neutral thus far.

“If we can’t come to a consensus, we don’t have a position,” said MacLeay.

However, she said that could change following the

community forum.

“We may come up with a position at the end of that,” she said.

The forum will be held on Oct. 19 at 7 p.m. in the Community Room of the Police and Fire Station.

According to the CPA’s website, 226 communities have taken CPA votes as of May 2016. Within that figure, 161 of them voted to adopt the CPA.

MacLeay said the second event will be a candidate forum, scheduled for Oct. 26 at the Town Hall at 7:30 p.m.

She said all candidates have been invited to participate.

They include Congressman Stephen Lynch and challenger William Burke, Governor’s Councilor Robert Jubinville and challenger Brad Williams, as well as State Rep. John Rogers and challenger Timothy Hempton. Other uncontested candidates on the invite list include State Sen. Michael Rush, Norfolk County Sheriff Michael Bellotti, Norfolk County Commissioners Frank O’Brien and Joseph Shea as well as Kevin Connolly, Norwood’s representative on the Blue Hills District School Committee.

MacLeay said questions will be asked by moderator Karen Price, president of the Needham League. She said they will be based on news reports and information the candidates’ websites.

“There will definitely be questions about state funding of education,” said MacLeay, adding that questions will also be taken from residents. “We want to hear from the candidates and the things that are important to them.”

MacLeay said she is hoping for a good showing at the forum.

“I encourage all the candidates to respond and to take part in this,” she said. “Norwood residents deserve to hear what their candidates have to say.”



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TOWN OF NORWOOD

Norfolk, ss.

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

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Norwood, qualified as the law requires to vote in Town affairs, to meet in the Auditorium of the Norwood High School on Nichols Street in said Town on Monday, October 24, 2016, 7:30o'clock in the afternoon to meet and act at said time and place on the following Articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to M.G.L. c.40, §59, and M.G.L. c.23A, §3E and §3F, and any other enabling authority, to:

- (a) approve a Tax Increment Financing Agreement among the Town and Moderna Therapeutics, Inc. and Campanelli-Trigate Norwood Upland, LLC for property located at 100 Tech Drive (the "TIF Agreement"), which TIF Agreement provides for real estate tax exemptions at the exemption rate schedule set forth therein and approve a Local Incentives Only Project submission to the Massachusetts Economic Assistance Coordinating Council (the "EACC");
- (b) authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute the TIF Agreement, and approve submission to the EACC of the TIF Agreement and the Local Incentive-Only Application, all relating to the project as described in the said documents, and any necessary documents relating thereto, and to take such other actions as are necessary or appropriate to obtain approval of the TIF Agreement and Local Incentive-Only Application, and related submissions, and to take such other actions as necessary or appropriate to implement those documents;
- (c) or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article XVIII of the By-laws of the Town of Norwood, entitled "Council on Aging", by deleting in its entirety the existing Section 1 and by substituting a new Section 1, as follows:

Section 1. There is hereby established a Council on Aging consisting of five (5) members appointed by the Board of Selectmen, for terms of two (2) years each. Any vacancy shall be filled by the Board of Selectmen, and the member so appointed shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term of that member's predecessor. Members of the Council on Aging on the effective date of this amendment shall continue in their positions until their current terms expire. All successive terms shall be for two (2) years each; or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to Amend the Zoning By-Law, as required by the Town's acceptance of the "Expedited Permitting Program" created by Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 43D, as follows:

Section 7.0 Special Regulations, to add the following new Subsection:

7.6 PRIORITY DEVELOPMENT SITES

7.6.1 Purpose

The purpose of this Section is to further expedite permitting in Priority Development Sites (PDS), as designated by Town Meeting pursuant to G.L. c. 43D. The properties included in the University Avenue Expedited Permitting District are identified in Table 7.6.1a. below.

Table 7.6.1a.

Assessor's			Assessor's		
Map#	Block#	Lot#	Map#	Block#	Lot#
22	5	22	22	5	4
22	7	2	22	5	1
22	7	3	22	5	3
22	11	103	22	1	6
22	11	104	22	1	3
22	12	2	22	14	4
22	14	24	22	6	2
22	15	1	22	11	101
22	12	6	22	12	1
22	14	1	22	11	107
22	18	1	22	15	5
22	14	22	22	14	2
22	14	3			

In addition, this section of the Bylaw will provide mechanisms for the change of facilities after the issuance of a Special Permit and/or Site Plan Approval by the Planning Board or the Board of Appeals, if applicable.

7.6.2 Changes to Special Permits or Approved Site Plans

After the issuance of any Special Permit or Site Plan Approval for a project or land use in a Priority Development Site (PDS), as designated by Town Meeting pursuant to G.L. c. 43D and identified above in Table 7.6.1a; the following requirements shall apply. Any proposed change(s) to the plans for the project shall be deemed substantial or insubstantial by the original permit granting authority, Board of Appeals or Planning Board, upon written request by the applicant. The Board of Appeals shall make such determination by a majority vote at a public meeting. Insubstantial changes shall be allowed without the need for further hearing or approval.

- 1. **Insubstantial Changes.** The following shall be presumed to constitute insubstantial modifications:
 - all underground changes;

any reduction in project size; any change in the location of buildings, parking, retaining walls or drainage facilities, provided they do not move closer to a lot line; any change in colors and/or style of materials used for exterior construction; and The addition of non-habitable accessory structures for storage or other purposes that in a single structure do not exceed 2,000 square feet and, in the aggregate, do not exceed 5,000 square feet.

- 2. **Substantial Changes.** The following shall be presumed to constitute substantial modifications:

any change in the composition or number of uses on the site that results in an increase in traffic generation of more than 5% above the vehicle trips identified in the record documents;

any change in the location of buildings, roadways, parking areas and other accessory structures that decrease the setbacks from lot lines indicated on an approved Site Plan or in the record documents;

any increase in the number of parking spaces beyond the number(s) indicated on the approved Site Plan and the record documents;

any change that results in a net reduction of open space or lot coverage from that indicated on the approved Site Plan and in the record documents, with the exception of accessory structures defined as non-habitable above;

any change to the building(s) or grading that increases building height beyond that indicated on the approved Site Plan and in the record documents;

any changes to the building(s) that increases the total floor area of the project beyond that indicated on the approved Site Plan and in the record documents and any change to the architectural character of the building(s), as indicated in the approved Site Plan and record documents.

Where a modification is deemed substantial, the same standards and procedures applicable to an original application for a Special Permit or Site Plan approval shall apply to said modification and a public hearing shall be required by the Board of Appeals or Planning Board where applicable.

7.6.3 Change of Use

After the issuance of any Special Permit or Site Plan approval for a project or land use in a Priority Development Site (PDS), as designated by Town Meeting pursuant to G.L. c. 43D and identified above in Table 7.6.1a; the following procedures shall govern a change of use therein:

- 1. **Change of Permitted Use to Another Permitted Use**

A use available as of right in the applicable zoning district may be changed to another use available as of right in said zoning district without modification of the Special Permit or approved Site Plan, provided that none of the thresholds in Section 7.6.2.2, above, are triggered. The Property owner shall notify the applicable Permit Granting Authority of any changes of use.

- 2. **Change of Permitted Use to Use Available by Special Permit**

A use available as of right in the applicable zoning district may be changed to another use available by Special Permit in said zoning district without modification of the Special Permit or approved Site Plan, provided that none of the thresholds in Section 7.6.2.2, above, are triggered. The Property owner shall notify the applicable Permit Granting Authority of any changes of use.

- 3. **Change of Use Authorized by Special Permit to Another Use Authorized by Special Permit**

A use authorized by Special Permit in the applicable zoning district may be changed to another use available by Special Permit in said zoning district without modification of the Special Permit or approved Site Plan, provided that none of the thresholds in Section 7.6.2.2, above, are triggered. The Property owner shall notify the applicable Permit Granting Authority of any changes of use.

Final action on application(s) relating to the use or development of Priority Development Site(s) (PDS), or the buildings and/or structures thereon, shall be taken within one hundred eighty (180) days, subject to extension as per G.L. c. 43D and 400 CMR 2.00, et seq as amended.

Amend Section 11. **Definitions** by inserting the properties listed in Table 7.6.1a, shown above, at the end of the definition of **Priority Development Site(s)**.

Or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Norwood Zoning Map by rezoning from General Residence (G) District to General Business (GB) District so much of the following parcels as are not already zoned as General Business (GB) District:

The land located at and known as 1237-1243 Washington Street, Norwood, Massachusetts, consisting of two parcels shown on Map 8, Sheet 1G of the Norwood Assessor's Maps as Lots 68 and 101.

Said parcels are the same premises as are described in a deed recorded in the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds at Book 33848, Page 12, and together have a total area of approximately 42,516 square feet, according to the records of the Norwood Assessor's Office; or take any other action in the matter. (on request of Paul Eysie)

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to grant a utility easement to Lenox Village, LLC, its successors and assigns for the purpose of construction, installation, maintenance and repair on Town of Norwood property of an underground drainage system discharging into a detention basin. Said easement area is shown as "Drain Easement" on a plan entitled "Easement Plan of Land in Norwood, MA", scale: 1" = 30' dated September 14, 2016, prepared by Site Design Professionals, LLC, Civil Engineers, One Merchant Street - Suite 110, Sharon, MA 02067" a copy of which plan is on file in the office of the Norwood Town Clerk; and further, to determine what consideration shall be paid to the Town by the grantee for the grant of said easement; or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen:

- 1. To acquire on behalf of the Town an easement over property located at 410 Vanderbilt Avenue, owned now or formerly by Marvin Gardens Realty Trust, for purposes of access from Vanderbilt Avenue to Norwood Light Department property shown on the plan described below as "Assessors Parcel 16-8-1, 2, 3 Lot A&B Plan Bk 422 No. 357 of 1994 Town of Norwood Bk 10545 Pg 498 (Ventnor Realty Trust to Town of Norwood - 6/8/1994) and to Norwood Light Department transmission equipment, provided that the Town shall not pay any money to Marvin Gardens Realty Trust or the then current owner of the land on which said easement is located for acquisition of said easement. Said easement area is shown as "Proposed 20' Wide Access Easement 4,927± s.f." on a plan entitled "Access Easement Plan of Land 410 Vanderbilt Avenue, Norwood, Massachusetts", scale 13 = 402, dated September 26, 2016, prepared By: Norwood Engineering Company, Inc., Consulting Engineers, Land Surveyors, 1410 Route One, Norwood, MA 02062, a copy of which plan is on file in the office of the Norwood Town Clerk; and
- 2. to abandon an existing easement or such other interest that the Town may have over property owned now or formerly by Marvin Gardens Realty Trust, also for purposes of access from Vanderbilt Avenue to the aforesaid Norwood Light Department property. Said easement to be abandoned is shown as "Existing 202 Wide Access Easement (To be Abandoned)" on the aforesaid plan entitled "Access Easement Plan of Land 410 Vanderbilt Avenue Norwood, Massachusetts" scale 13 = 402 dated September 26, 2016, prepared by Norwood Engineering Company, Inc., Consulting Engineers, Land Surveyors, 1410 Route One, Norwood, MA 02062, a copy of which plan is on file in the office of the Norwood Town Clerk;
- 3. or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from Surplus Revenue or other available funds and appropriate for repairs to the Robert H. Ivatts Tennis Courts adjacent to the Coakley Middle School, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$109,877 from the Town of Norwood's F.Y. 2017 Chapter 70 distribution or other available funds and appropriate for the Norwood School Department's F.Y. 2017 budget appropriation, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from Surplus Revenue or other available funds an amount not to exceed \$300,000 for School Department out-of-district Special Education costs, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from Surplus Revenue or other available funds and appropriate for Fire Department New Equipment, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from Surplus Revenue or other available funds and appropriate for replacement of air conditioning equipment and related repairs at the Norwood Fire Department, or take any other action in the matter.

ARTICLE 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from Surplus Revenue or other available funds and appropriate for payment of Unpaid Bills, or take any other action in the matter.

Any individual with a disability who needs accommodations related to accessibility/communications or other aspects of participation in Town Meeting or other related programs should contact:

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

Given under our hands at Norwood this fourth day of October A.D. 2016.

Allan D. Howard, Chairman

Paul A. Bishop

Thomas F. Maloney
Selectmen of Norwood

Sports

Norwood adds to joy of Pink Out, but drops next two contests



Since its inception in the fall of 2014, Norwood has won all three "Pink Out" games it has played. The Mustangs knocked off the Marauders in 2014 as well, and beat the Framingham Flyers in the 2015 edition of the Pink Out.

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

Norwood had a great win for a better cause over the Dedham Marauders last Wednesday, securing a 3-1 win in its third-annual

"Pink Out" game. Not only did Norwood win on Pink Out Day for the third time in as many seasons, the field hockey program once again raised \$1,200 to donate to the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, with the ultimate goal

of striking out breast cancer. "Three years, three good games, \$3,600 [raised]," Mustangs head coach Allison Doliner said after the game. "The girls really get pumped for it; it's a highlight of their season. It's one of

my favorite games, too." The win was the third in a row for Norwood since an unseemly 12-2 loss at Walpole on Sept. 22, with the team's record now at 7-5-1 overall. "During the day this year, but

it was still the result we wanted," Doliner added, as the first two incarnations of the game took place under temporary lights at Norwood High School.

Hockey
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PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

Milton passing game too much for Mustangs

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

Norwood overcame a sluggish start to put a scare into the Milton Wildcats, but ultimately fell short on the road in its second straight defeat, 28-14.

Milton (4-1, 2-1 Bay State Herget) defensive back Koby Osazee picked off Mustangs quarterback Colin Plasko on a tipped ball on just Norwood's third play from scrimmage and returned the

ball 35 yards for a touchdown, putting the Mustangs (3-2, 1-2 Herget) in an early hole from which they couldn't fully emerge.

"I think we played better; we definitely played better on offense," Norwood head coach Jim Tighe said after the game. "We had some sustained drives, we threw the ball a little bit better and I think that helped loosen up the inside and that helped the running game."

Football
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For the second season in a row, Norwood football has fallen to 3-2 after winning its first three contests. Can they likewise avoid falling to 3-3 for a second straight year?

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

Golf faces do-or-die matches vs. Braintree, Walpole



The Mustangs went 0-12 on the golf course in 2015, but lost by 10 points or fewer in eight of the matches. Norwood has sealed the deal on a few of those wins in 2016, but will likely need to do it twice more to get into the postseason.

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

The Norwood golf team's quest to return to the postseason will come down to its final two matches of the season, with at least one win a prerequisite of achieving the goal.

But after going winless in 2015, you won't get any complaints from first-year head coach Kevin Hoffman, who has

the Mustangs at 4-5-1 with two dual matches left in the regular season.

Two weeks ago, Norwood faced off with Milton in a home-and-home series, with the Mustangs traveling to Wollaston Golf Club on Wednesday and the return to Norwood Country Club the following day.

In what has quite literally been par for the course all season, Norwood dropped the match

on the road, 91-72, before bouncing back at home for a 97-92 win.

The Mustangs are 0-5 on the road, but 4-0-1 at Norwood CC. "Under dreary conditions, the Mustangs responded with a thrilling and complete team win," Hoffman said.

In a match broadcast live on

Golf

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PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

Volleyball continues to cruise, shutsout Needham

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

The Sullivan rule has them safely in the playoffs already, but with just one more win, Norwood can secure its spot in the postseason outright.

Now 9-3 following wins this past week over Dedham and Needham, the Mustangs can secure coveted win No. 10 in any one of their final eight matches to secure a .500 finish.

But the way things have been going lately, 10 wins seems like a figure Norwood will soon leave in the dust.

"[I'm] really proud of the way Norwood rose to the challenge today," Mustangs head coach Paul Nimblett said after a straight-set 3-0 victory over the Needham Rockets on Friday, 26-24, 25-23, 25-23. "This was a huge test and



Ally Copponi, a senior captain for the Mustangs, prepares to serve in a match earlier this season.

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Volleyball

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Tighe had emphasized after a 14-0 loss to Walpole last Saturday that adjustments would be made in Norwood's passing attack, which was the focal point of practices last week. Plasko submitted the first 100-yard passing game of his career, completing 7 of 15 passes for 106 yards, a touchdown and two interceptions.

"Colin played really well," Tighe said. "He was accurate; the first interception was a deflection that had nothing to do with him and the second interception just got away from him."

His counterpart for the Wildcats, Owen Keane, was 18 of 27 for 255 yards, with a pair of touchdown passes to David Brundage and William Crowley.

He was also picked off

session of the second quarter, with Keane finding Brundage wide open in the end zone on a third-and-7 play from the Norwood 12.

The Mustangs trimmed their deficit to six on a Plasko 40-yard bomb to Watson just shy of halftime, and Norwood furthered its momentum by forcing Milton to punt at the outset of the second half.

But a fine punt it was off the foot of the Wildcats' punter, as the ball was downed at the 2-yard line. Crowley split through the line two plays later to bring George Mason down in the end zone for a safety, grabbing an extra two points and making it a full-score game. Milton would score four plays after the free kick for a 21-7 edge.



If the postseason started today, Norwood would be the No. 7 seed in Div. 2A South and face the Silver Lake Lakers in Round 1, per the Boston Herald's rating system.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

once, by Tony Ortega, which was among several highlights of Norwood's defensive performance.

The Mustangs got to Keane for a sack three times, with Kyle Condon, Sylvan Appolon and Liam Rigby breaking through the offensive line of the Wildcats. Condon also had a fumble recovery on Milton's second offensive series, falling on top of a ball jarred loose by a Richie Watson hit.

"We played well on defense," Tighe said. "I've got to give them [Norwood] credit, we're down 7-0 a minute and a half into the game, we get down 14-0, and they never gave up. They hung with them."

"They have heart, that's for sure; we've got to figure out a way to finish, though."

The Wildcats jumped on top 13-0 on their second pos-

Norwood made it a 21-14 game with 7:52 in the fourth quarter after a Mason 3-yard touchdown run, which came two plays after a 31-yard connection between Plasko and Carter.

Milton did its job and then some with the ball back, however, with Moses Moiwo running in from the Mustangs' 2-yard line to go back on top by 14.

More importantly, the Wildcats milked over four minutes off the clock, giving Norwood the unenviable task of scoring twice with 3:43 remaining in regulation. After grabbing one first down, the Mustangs' offense stalled out, and that was that.

Norwood will try to stop the bleeding this weekend, when it welcomes the Wellesley Raiders to Norwood High School on Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m.

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Golf *continued from page 10*

Norwood Public Access, six Norwood golfers scored in double digits vs. Milton; the Bay State Conference uses a modified version of the Stableford scoring system, in which a bogey is one point, a par is two points, a birdie is three points, and so forth.

Charlie Hanoian led the team with 18 points – a season high for all Mustang golfers – and was joined in doubled figures by Sean Briggs, Michael Saad, Matt Hennessey, Owen Kelly and Declan Tolman.

Like all Bay State Conference matches, each team competed with four groups of two golfers each. Norwood was trailing by 13 points with two groups remaining, but the Briggs-Saad tandem combined for 29 points to pull the Mustangs within one by the time they exited the ninth hole, while Hanoian and Kelly also totaled 29 to give Norwood the win.

Last Wednesday, the Mustangs sent three golfers to the Bay State Conference championships on Wednesday at the Spring Valley Country Club in Sharon. Representing Norwood was Briggs, Saad and Kelly. The

trio combined to shoot a 265 in the stroke play event, finishing in eighth place out of the 12 teams of the Bay State Conference.

Wellesley won the event, with its three golfers shooting a combined 238 – beating out Walpole by three strokes.

Norwood finished ahead of Weymouth, Framingham, Braintree and Dedham at Spring Valley.

The Mustangs lost their match the following day vs. the Newton North Tigers at Brae Burn Country Club in West Newton, 76-67.

Today, Norwood has a road date with the Braintree Wamps at Braintree Municipal Golf Course before closing it out on Monday at Norwood Country Club vs. Walpole.

In order to qualify for the postseason, the Mustangs will need to win at least one more match and tie in the other. By finishing 1-0-1, Norwood can get to 5-5-2, putting it perfectly at .500 for a playoff berth. A loss in either of the final two matches will eliminate the Mustangs from postseason contention.

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Shaniya Seney, a junior outside hitter for Norwood, is one of the top players off the bench for Paul Nimblett's crew.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

they rose to the occasion.”

Nimblett had said what a pivotal win it was for Norwood after beating Framingham on Sept. 29, as it not only snapped a two-game losing streak; it came in the face of a six-day layoff that could have left a stench of negativity lingering for the Mustangs, with no immediate chance to get back on track.

Instead, the win could prove to be the moment Norwood turned from merely a feel-good story to a legitimate contender in the Bay State Conference.

No signs of rust were visible for the Mustangs in a straight-set win over Dedham last Wednesday, 25-12, 25-18, 25-11.

Norwood dominated the Marauders in their final matchup as BSC rivals, with Krista Bradley leading the charge with 20 service points and 10 aces. Lauren Gamel helped out with 10 assists, while

Erin Spaulding served seven aces for the Mustangs.

The win propelled Norwood into Needham feeling even better about itself. In winning each set by two points, Bradley was again instrumental on the serve, recording 15 service points and four aces. Kiki Ryan had a big game along the net, posting a season-high 20 kills and also had eight blocks for the Mustangs.

Norwood is in the midst of another lengthy layoff, as it will have been another six-day breather before they tip off with the Sharon Eagles at 5 p.m. this afternoon in the Norwood High School gymnasium.

They'll be right back in action tomorrow afternoon on the road, when they'll face the Wellesley Raiders for the second time this season. The Mustangs defeated Wellesley 3-1 on Sept. 14 in the final leg of its 4-0 start.

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Doliner said that captains Coley Hayes, Katie Mulligan and Cassidy Mahoney were instrumental in getting the team prepped for the Pink Out game, as they were all sophomores on the team when the event first began in the fall of 2014.

“All three of the captains were on that team the first year, so they share what it means to them and pumps them up, and the underclassmen feed off them,” she said.

The game was scoreless at the half, with Dedham nearly stealing the lead just inside four minutes remaining, if not for a timely save by Mustangs goaltender Aly Naumann.

Just 44 seconds into the second half, Allie McDonough broke the standoff on a 2-on-1 breakaway, taking a Cassidy Mahoney pass in the back end and running up field with her line mate, opting to keep the ball rather than pass back to Mahoney on her left.

The decision paid off from McDonough, a freshman, who recorded her third goal of the season.

“That’s how it seems a lot

of our games have gone,” Doliner said of the scoreless first. “It takes 30 minutes to get warmed up, and then second half...something switches.”

Bryn Garczynski scored off a corner on an assist from Coley Hayes at 10:47 of the half for a 2-0 lead, and Meghan Quinn closed out scoring with her first career varsity goal at 20:49.

“The goal is to get that light lit up in the first half,” Doliner said. “We’re doing okay, things are starting to click, but it’s still taking a little too long sometimes.”

“That goal [44] seconds in...I’d like to see that goal in the first half instead of the second, but I’ll take it.”

Garczynski now has five goals on the season, one behind Hayes for the team lead.

The Marauders had a goal in garbage time to avoid the shut-out, beating Naumann at 27:56 of the second half.

Norwood suffered a setback on Friday afternoon at home vs. Needham, losing 4-1 to the Rockets. Hayes began the scoring for an early 1-0 Mustang lead, but the Rockets responded with four unanswered goals to snap

Norwood’s winning streak.

Doliner is set to go on maternity leave following the birth of her child, with this coming Monday, Oct. 17 her due date.

She’d like for the Mustangs to seal up a postseason berth before then – they need three points to do so – but she knows the team will be just fine under assistant Jaclyn Germano, a Westwood native who was teammates with Doliner at Merrimack College.

“I hope so,” Doliner laughed when asked if the team was trying to make sure they had a postseason bid sewn up before she leaves. “I do remind them that I’ve only got so much time left with them. I’d appreciate knowing that they made the tournament before I go, but the team’s going to be in good hands.”

The Mustangs fell to Canton on Tuesday, 3-0.

Next up for Norwood is a road date with the Wellesley Raiders, tomorrow at 3:45 p.m. at the Sprague School in Wellesley. The Raiders blanked the Mustangs in Norwood on Sept. 14, 2-0.

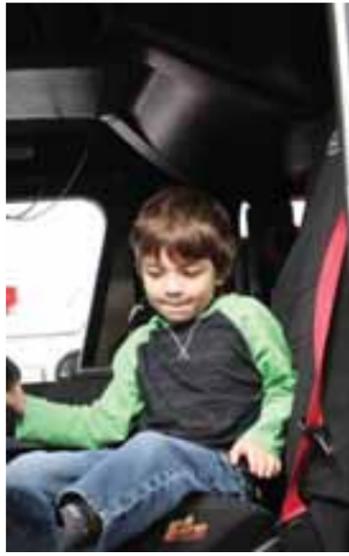


Above, Cassidy Mahoney leads a rush out of Norwood's back end in last week's game vs. Dedham. Below is Coley Hayes, who continues to wreak havoc on the Bay State Conference, leading the Mustangs with 10 points (six goals, four assists) as a senior.

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NFD/NPD Open House



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Attorney Andrew Houghton, counsel for National Union, said two Aviation Commercial General Liability policies had been in place. The first policy began on July 1, 2014 and ended on July 1, 2015 and the second policy began on July 1, 2015 and ended on July 1, 2016.

With the exception of the coverage periods, Houghton said the policies were "identical and provided the same coverage."

Houghton said the friction between the airport and BEH began in March 2014 when BEH applied for a fixed base operator (FBO) permit and ramp space at the airport.

However, Houghton, referring to the lawsuit filed by BEH, said airport officials "engaged in a discriminatory pattern of abuse and manipulation of local powers" to deter BEH.

He said this was done to "protect and maintain the monopoly of an incumbent FBO at the airport, an entity called FlightLevel."

Airport officials subsequently increased the requirements for BEH to obtain an FBO permit and ramp space. However, Houghton, again referring to the BEH lawsuit, said FlightLevel was not required to meet the

same standards.

"The Norwood Defendants knowingly allowed FlightLevel, in February 2015, to place barriers up blocking BEH's hanger gate," according to the lawsuit.

In response, BEH filed an Administrative Complaint with the Federal Aviation Administration the following month, charging the airport with 12 counts including the violation of Due Process, violation of the Massachusetts Civil Rights Act, Promissory Estoppel/Detrimental Reliance and violation of Retaliation. All but one of those counts was ultimately dismissed by the court.

The matter was then filed in Norfolk Superior Court on Oct. 7, 2015. However, it was transferred to the U.S. District Court on Oct. 26, 2015, as the amount "in controversy" was more than \$75,000.

According to Houghton, under the policies in place at the time, National Union would only cover "suits seeking damages." However, in its claim, BEH did not include any information regarding damages related to "bodily injury," "property damage" or "personal or advertising injury."

"Specifically, the BEH Action only alleges that BEH's business plan was impaired and not that any

physical property it owns was damaged," said Houghton. "The policies do not afford coverage for the BEH Action."

Houghton also said BEH did not submit a claim to National Union until Dec. 1, 2015. However, National Union required that claims be submitted "as soon as practicable" following an incident.

"Notice of the BEH Action was not provided until Dec. 1 – almost two months after BEH's complaint was served on the defendants," said Houghton.

Going forward, Houghton said National Union wishes to be released of all legal costs and to "withdraw its defense" for the town and BEH.

In response, Attorney Timothy McCulloch, counsel for BEH, said his client will continue to pursue its current case against the airport with or without coverage from National Union.

"Regardless of the outcome of this new action, BEH intends to move forward with its lawsuit and vigorously seek to hold those responsible for the retaliation and unlawful conduct that has occurred at the airport," he said. "Somebody will have to pay for the substantial damages and lost revenue suffered by BEH and Norwood residents need look no further than those in charge of the airport."

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Putting

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Student Council at Coakley Middle School to host the event for a second year.

Putting for Patients will begin at noon on Oct. 22 and will feature 64 teams.

"Each student council officer has been tasked with creating two teams of four and collecting pledges from family and friends," said Cormier.

She said the cost to play is \$10 with all proceeds going to the Jimmy Fund.

Cormier also said Jimmy Fund employee Mark Levine was successful in garnering donations from local businesses to pay for the course. This made it possible to send 100 percent of the proceeds directly to the patients.

Cormier said the event raised more than \$4,000 last year with a goal of \$8,000 this year.

"There are few people whose lives have not been touched by cancer and as a student council we were hard pressed to find a more worthy cause to dedicate our time and effort," she said.

Cormier also said Putting for Patients is a good way to teach students how to organize and host a fundraiser.

"As the advisor for the Student Council, my role is to guide students through the process of advertising for the event, form teams of students to play, collect pledges from people who cannot attend the event but still want to support the fundraiser and to assist in the set up and break down of the course," she said. "It is so rewarding to see teenagers pour themselves into an event to benefit others and I so look forward to taking them to Dana-Farber this winter so they can truly realize the impact of their efforts."

Cormier said that Norwood got involved in Putting for Patients when Levine asked if the schools would be interested in participating.

"We were thrilled to take it on," she said.

Cormier said being a part of the fight against cancer had personal meaning for her and her students after Fernando Morales, a member of the Class of 2013, lost his battle with cancer.

"It was a devastating loss for our school and larger community and we ran our first event in his memory," she said. "I was born and raised in Norwood and we have always been a community that rallies around a cause, especially a cause that is too close to home for so many of our residents."

In addition, Cormier said there will be putting contests, raffles, a disc jockey and a Caricaturist.

Going forward, she said Levine recently invited the Student Council to take a tour of the Dana-Farber facility.

"This is such a worthwhile opportunity for our students and will hopefully inspire civic duty and community engagement for years to come," said Cormier.

Library Events

IRISH "ROGUES" TO PERFORM AT THE LIBRARY

An Irish trio from "The Rogues" will perform at the Morrill Memorial Library on Sunday, Nov. 6 at 3 p.m. as part of the library's fall Musical Sundays concert series. The original group scheduled to appear that day had to cancel due to the sudden death of a band member, so the library is pleased to welcome Jim Murray and father-and-son duo Ryan and Brenish Thomson to perform in their place. With his warm baritone voice, Jim also plays guitar, mandolin, and Irish Bodhran and has delighted audiences worldwide, from England and Germany to Beijing and Shanghai. The award-winning Fiddling Thomsons, as they are known, play a variety of instruments including guitar, violin, banjo, accordion, ancient Chinese gourd, and reed whistle. This talented trio will play and sing a medley of lively tunes, sea shanties, and Irish songs at the library. To sign up for this concert, made possible through the library Endowment Fund, please call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222, email norprograms@minlib.net, or stop by either the Reference or Information Desk.

CHAMBER/JAZZ TRIO AT THE LIBRARY

Enjoy an afternoon of classical, jazz, and folk music performed by a chamber/jazz trio at the Morrill Memorial Library on Sunday, Nov. 12 at 3 p.m. Classical guitarist John Muratore will perform with Roberto Cassan on accordion and saxophone, and with Norwood resident Marco Pignataro. John and Roberto have performed as a duo for many years, with appearances at the New England Conservatory's Jordan Hall, BU's Tsai Performance Center, WGBH Radio's Classical Performances, Vermont Public Radio, and several other venues. More recently they teamed up with Marco Pignataro, Managing Director of Berklee College's Global Jazz Institute and world-renowned musician. To sign up for this final concert in the fall Musical Sundays series, made possible through the library Endowment Fund, please call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222, email norprograms@minlib.net, or stop by the library Reference or Information Desk.

SWINGFEVER TRIO RETURNS TO THE LIBRARY

The Swing Fever Trio returns to the Morrill Memorial Library on Sunday, Oct. 30 at 3 p.m. to perform "Love Notes," the second concert in the library's fall Musical Sundays series. The popular trio applies its distinctive jazz stylings to some of the great love songs of composers such as George Gershwin, Cole Porter, and Richard Rodgers. Norwood's own pianist/vocalist Steve Rudolph is accompanied by Ralph Pepe on bass and Alan Trebat on drums. To sign up for this performance, made possible through the library Endowment Fund, please call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222, email norprograms@minlib.net, or stop by the library Reference or Information Desk.

WOMEN IN WORLD JAZZ AT THE LIBRARY

The fall Musical Sundays concert series at the Morrill Memorial Library will begin on Sunday, Oct. 16

at 3 p.m. with a musical trip around the world by the all-female ensemble formerly known as Cruzamente. This group of accomplished musicians from Cuba, Brazil, Cape Verde, Japan, and the Middle East will perform a selection of jazz and world/ethnic music that is lively, diverse, and will most likely instill an urge to get up and dance. To sign up for this educational, all-ages concert that invites audience participation, please call 781-769-0200, x110 or 222, email norprograms@minlib.net, or stop by the library Reference or Information Desk. The Musical Sundays series is made possible through the library Endowment Fund.



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ART ASSOCIATION TO PRESENT OCTOBER DEMO

Thursday, Oct. 20, at 6:30 p.m., the Norwood Art Association will present a demonstration of contemporary realist drawing at the Willett Room of the Norwood Civic Center at 165 Nahatan St. (2nd floor). The artist of the month will be Joe Moniz, whose oil and charcoal drawings have been exhibited in galleries from New England to California, as well as the United Kingdom. Refreshments will be provided, and the demo is open to both members – who should bring their \$20 annual dues for 2016-2017 – and the public – who are invited to attend this program at no charge...and to join the Norwood Art Association if they would like to enjoy more quality events like this. You don't have to be an artist yourself and you don't have to live in Norwood.

For more information, go to the Norwood Art Association website at <https://norwoodartassociation.com>, check them out on Facebook, or email them at norwoodartassociation@gmail.com. Painting by Joe Moniz, who will create a painting right before the audience's eyes at the Norwood Art Association demo on Oct. 20.

LEONARDO DA VINCI'S LIFE AND WORKS

Leonardo da Vinci's life and works will be explored by Beth Knaus of ArtMatters, on Monday evening, Oct. 17, at 7:30 p.m., in the Community Room of the Walpole Public Library. Sponsored as usual by the Friends of the Walpole Public Library, admission is free and all are welcome. More details at www.walpolelibraryfriends.org. Leonardo da Vinci (1452-1519) was a painter, architect, inventor, and student of all things scientific. His natural genius encompassed so many disciplines that he epitomized the term "Renaissance man." Today he remains best known for his art, including two paintings that remain among the world's most famous and admired, Mona Lisa and The Last Supper. Art, da Vinci believed, was indisputably connected with science and nature. Largely self-educated, he filled dozens of secret notebooks with inventions, observations, and theories about pursuits from aeronautics to anatomy. Although he was lauded in his time as a great artist, his contemporaries often did not fully appreciate his genius—the combination of intellect and imagination that allowed him to create, at least on paper, such inventions as the bicycle, the helicopter, and an airplane based on the physiology and flying capability of a bat.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Bible Study: The Prophets of the Hebrew Scriptures are often quoted in the New Testament and in Christian writings today. Who were they? What was their central message? What issues and events were they addressing in their

time? Come find out more at a Wednesday Bible Study running from Oct. 12 through Nov. 9 at the First Congregational Church in Norwood. Led by Rev. Dr. Tom Zoelzer, the first session of the Bible Study will focus on the prophet Isaiah. Each week, you can attend either a morning or evening session of the Bible Study. Each session will meet for an hour in the parlor. The morning session will begin at 10:30 a.m. and the evening session will begin at 7 p.m. For more information, please call the church office at (781)762-3320 or visit the church website at www.firstcongregational-norwood.com. "Child of God" Sunday: Sunday, Oct. 16, is "Child of God" Sunday at First Congregational Church (United Church of Christ) in Norwood. To further our intergenerational ties, a basket will be passed during the 10 a.m. worship service with the names of the children from the congregation printed on small cut-outs. Each congregant will pick a "Child of God" from the basket, and then have an opportunity to speak with their Child of God during Fellowship Hour following the worship service. Throughout the year, the relationship between the Child of God and his/her sponsor involves keeping the child in one's prayers, connecting through Christmas and birthday cards, and assisting in the child's Sunday school classroom, giving the congregation a way to strengthen connections between generations.

Fall Sermon Series: The fall sermon series at the First Congregational Church in Norwood continues at 10 a.m. on Sunday, Oct. 16, with a sermon focusing on the wilderness experience of the people of Israel in Exodus 16: 1-8. This week's message is entitled "Bread from Heaven." The sermon series, based on five stories of faith from the first five books of the Hebrew Scriptures (Old Testament), began in September looking at the Promise and will continue with the themes of Law (Ten Commandments) and Promised Land. If you learn these stories well, you will see them appear again and again in the rest of the Hebrew Scriptures.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS CANDIDATES NIGHT

The Norwood League of Women Voters today announced its semi-annual Candidates' Night. This event will take place Wednesday, Oct. 26, at 7 p.m. in the Norwood Town Hall Memorial Chapel, at 566 Washington St. The event is free and open to the public. The League's semi-annual Candidates' Night is a highlight of election season. During this free event, residents of Norwood will hear from the candidates for State Representative, State Senator, and US Rep-

resentative. Candidates will have the opportunity to make opening statements defining their views, and answer questions on a wide range of topics in order to present each candidate's stance on issues affecting local voters. This event is always well-attended, and is a hallmark of the Norwood LWV's voter education and outreach efforts.

OLD PARISH CEMETERY TOUR

The Norwood Historical Society is sponsoring a tour at the Old Parish Cemetery on Washington Street in Norwood on Saturday, Oct. 22 at 3:30 p.m. The tour, "Pastors and Patriots," will highlight the esteemed early ministers from both the Congregational Church and Universalist Society as well as residents of South Dedham (now Norwood) who served in the Colonial and Revolutionary Wars. This event is free and open to the public. A rain date of Sunday, Oct. 23 at 3:30 p.m. has been set. For information contact: Norwood Historical Society at 781-762-9197 or email: info@norwoodhistoricalsociety.org

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

Benchmark Senior Living announces that they will be hosting free monthly blood pressure screening provided by the Walpole Area Visiting Nurses Association. High blood pressure can increase your chance of heart attack, heart failure, and stroke. Whether or not you have high blood pressure, Benchmark encourages routine blood pressure screenings to ensure that you are healthy and that your blood pressure is under control. The monthly Blood Pressure Clinic will begin on Oct. 13 at 11 a.m., and will routinely occur every second Thursday of the month at 11 a.m. at 40 Clapboardtree St., Norwood.

TITLES ON TAP BOOK GROUP

Join the staff of the Morrill Memorial Library at Napper Tandy's of Norwood, 46 Day St., on Tuesday, Oct. 25 at 7:30 p.m. for the next meeting of Titles on Tap. This social group is designed for readers in their 20s and 30s and the young at heart, and is a casual way to meet up with fellow book-lovers for a fun night out. October's title will be "Security" by Gina Wohlsdorf. This debut novel is a mystery thriller paying homage to Hitchcock and Daphne du Maurier. Copies of the book are available to pick up at the Reference Desk, and the audio version is available for instant streaming and download through hoopla digital for Norwood residents. We highly recommend you read the paper book version though – you'll see why. Come out to meet, discuss, eat, drink, and be merry! Visit our blog titlesontap.wordpress.com

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The Board of Registrars wishes to inform the residents of the Town of Norwood that Early Voting will be taking place in Norwood between Oct. 24 and Nov. 4. The Town Clerk's Office will be holding special hours during these two weeks to be able to serve the residents of Norwood. Early Voting will take place in the Town Clerk's Office, Second Floor, RM 32, Norwood Town Hall, 566 Washington St., Norwood. The schedule is as follows:

Monday, Oct. 24: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 25: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 26: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 27: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 28: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 29: 8 a.m. to noon
Monday, Oct. 31: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Tuesday, Nov. 1: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Wednesday, Nov. 2: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 3: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Friday, Nov. 4: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

These early voting hours will be posted on the Town of Norwood Website as well: www.norwoodma.gov under the Town Clerk's section of the website.

TEN OUTSTANDING NORWOOD YOUTH AWARDS

The T.O.N.Y. Award Program is celebrating 47 years of recognizing Norwood residents in Grades 10-12 who make significant contributions of time, effort, and talent to volunteerism, church, or other charitable causes. The program seeks to honor these individuals and offer them as positive role models to younger students. Besides the 10 T.O.N.Y. awards, there are the Joe Pierce Scouting Award and the Father Robert Dwyer Awards for service to one's faith. Any individual over 21 years of age may nominate any youth for these prestigious awards. A panel of distinguished judges will select winners. Nominees must be residents of Norwood but they may attend any school. The nominees will have to complete a short essay on what Volunteerism means to them and answer four additional questions to complete the nomination. These will be sent by the committee to the nominees and must be returned by Nov. 30, 2016. The nomination forms are available at the Library and the Civic center or by requesting them from the committee at the above address. Co-Chairs: Mary Connolly Dave Laronde Tel: 781-769- 5564

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SENIOR NEWS

FREE DENTAL CLINIC: A free dental clinic for senior citizens will be held in Norwood on Saturday, Oct. 15, from 8:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Norwood Senior Center, 275 Prospect St. To schedule your free appointment at the screening, call the Norwood Senior Center at (781) 762-1201. Appointments are open to any adult age 60 or over from any town.

ARTS & CRAFTS: Offered every first Thursday of each month at 11 a.m.

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

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

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC: Hel-lenic 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. Kindred Care on the fifth.

BOOK CLUB: Our next Book Club will be meeting on Oct. 17.

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

COMPUTER CLUB: The Computer Club meets every Wednesday at 1 p.m.

COUNCIL ON AGING: COA's next meeting will be Oct. 6 at 1 p.m.

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

DIABETES WORKSHOP: Diabetes Workshop will be held on Oct. 27 at 11 a.m.

DIGITAL PHOTO ORGANIZATION & EDITING: The first and third Wednesday of each month, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

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

FOOT DOCTOR: Please call the center to see if a Doctor is scheduled to come in.

FRIENDS EVENING DANCE: Oct. 21, 7-10 p.m. Johnny Rampino will provide the entertainment.

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

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

LINE DANCE: Classes are held each Tuesday. Class will be held from 1-2 p.m. Line Dance will return on Oct. 4, 2016.

MAH JONG: Mah Jong players meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m.-noon. Learn to play Mah Jong - Thursday and Fridays at 1 p.m.

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

NORWOOD RETIRED MEN'S CLUB: The Board of Directors meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center. The Club Membership meets on the second Tuesday of each month at the Norwood Elks Lodge, at 10 a.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. - 2 p.m. Please call 781-762- 1201 for an appointment.

TRIAD: Oct. 17 at 1 p.m.

WATER COLOR: The next session is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 13 at 9 a.m. Payment of \$20 must be made at time of signup.

WAXING: 9 a.m.-noon on Oct. 17.

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.

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day, Nov. 5. Happiness Anglican Church of the Redeemer meets at the First Baptist Church, 71 Bond St., Norwood. Speaker Series is hosted by our speaker, Father Alan Bouffard. For more information please call Father Alan at 781-769-7940 or visit our website www.redeemeranglicanchurch.org.

MARKET OF HOPE

St. Timothy Parish is hosting a "Market of Hope" (<http://marketofhope.global/>) event on Oct. 15. Shoppers at the Market of Hope will have an opportunity to purchase unique handmade items from 20-plus countries while providing aid to organizations combating extreme poverty and human trafficking, both in the United States and abroad. This will be the first Market of Hope event in Massachusetts. Admission is free.

NORWOOD CULTURAL COUNCIL SEEKS FUNDING PROPOSALS

Proposals for community-oriented arts, humanities, and science programs are due on Monday, Oct. 17. The Norwood Cultural Council has set an Oct. 17 deadline for organizations, schools, and individuals to apply for grants that support cultural activities in the community. New this year, the grant application process will be done completely online at www.mass-culture.org. According to Council spokesperson John Joyce, these grants can support a variety of artistic projects and activities in Norwood - including exhibits, festivals, field trips, short-term artist residencies, or performances in schools, workshops, and lectures. For local guidelines and complete information on the Norwood Cultural Council, contact John Joyce at CulturalCouncil@norwoodma.gov. Online application forms and more information about the Local Cultural Council Program are available at www.mass-culture.org.

NORWOOD FREEMASONS TO HOLD DONATION DAY AND OPEN HOUSE

The Freemasons of Norwood and Westwood will hold a Donation Day and Open House on Oct. 15 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at their 76 Day St., Norwood and 655 High St., Westwood locations. At 10 a.m. in Norwood, Orient Lodge will open an 1876 time capsule. At both locations music will be available and between 11:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Free hot dogs and bottled water will be served, while supplies last. The following items can be dropped off at both locations: new and small stuffed animals, new coloring books and crayons, new small toys and children's reading books, and canned goods. For more details about our Donation Day and Open House, please visit us at 6thmasonicdistrict.com.

NORWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS COORDINATED FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAMS

There will be an Anita Preble Free parent work shop which Engages families using the strengthening families model. This workshop will take place on Wednesday, October 19, in the Savage Educational Center room 219. Located on 275 Prospect St. at 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. At this work shop we will cover Understanding the five protective factors: 1. Parental Resilience 2. Knowledge of Child Development 3. Social and Emotional Competence in Children 4. Social Connections 5. Concrete support in times of need. We will learn How to work will families to promote these protective factors, using self-assessments to identify areas of need and using strength based approach. This workshop is for families with children from toddler to early elementary years. To register contact Christine Tomasello in the CFCE office at 781-440-5983 or email to ctomasello@norwood.k12.ma.us.

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