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Stephanie Masdinggal

A BLOOMING SUCCESS!

At least two local moms were guaranteed a colorful gift last week as young shoppers took part in the Norwood Evening Garden Club's annual Plant Sale on May 9 at Hawes Pool Park. Held the day before Mother's Day, the sale is an annual tradition. Proceeds from the Plant Sale are used for the club's many civic beautification and education projects.

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Fire Department gets its money

\$361,000 will fund overtime, HQ repairs

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

Town Meeting members on Monday night voted to provide requested funding for the Fire Department, including \$161,000 to help cover issues with overtime and an additional \$200,000 for repairs to the Public Safety Building.

The department's budget has been an ongoing issue and many at Town Meeting voiced their displeasure at frequently being asked to come to its aid, but not seeing any changes to how it operates.

"Year after year after year, we are bailing this department out with free cash," District 6 Representative Todd Gundlach said. "I think we, as Town Meeting representatives, owe the FinCom our support in at least debating the issue to understand why it is the Fire Department can't seem to bring their budgets under control."

However, Fire Chief Michael Howard said that many of the problems the department has stem from contract negotiations that were made before he became chief. In addition, he said that

the department's 24-hour scheduling, one of the contentious issues of their budget, is mandated by a court case from the late 1990s, and cannot be changed.

"We are bound by that case, and will never be able to correct that," Howard said. "That has been in place, I believe, about ten years. It's just something that we have no control over."

Town Meeting members also authorized \$200,000 to cover the cost of several repairs to the Public Safety Building. The major repair project will involve fixing the building's windows, which have been leaking, due to faulty installations.

The apparatus apron will also need to be repaired, as will the building's heating system, Selectmen Chairman Bill Plasko said.

Plasko said that, after these projects are complete, there will only be one additional repair needed to complete the process. That project will require repair of the sealant on the apparatus floor in the building's garage.

"While I'm saying that we're done with our original review of the work needed to be done...it will be more and more requests over the years as, believe it or not, it's now getting to be an old building," Plasko said.

Several town meeting members were

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Memorial Day to honor fallen Marine

Kilkus among first MIA of Gulf War

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

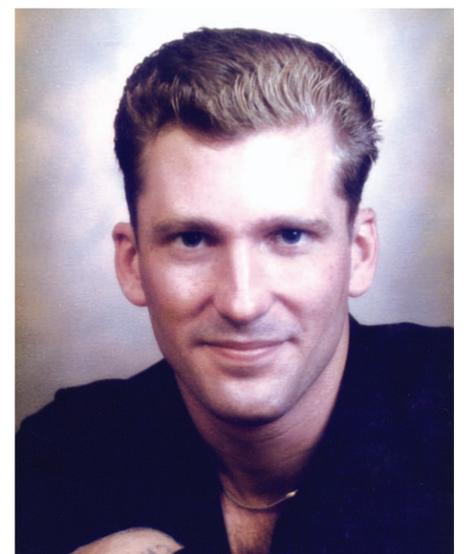
This Memorial Day, the Town of Norwood will be honoring one of their own lost Marines.

At 1 p.m. on May 25, Veterans' Services Director Teddy Mulvehill will be dedicating a roadside memorial to Staff Sergeant John Kilkus, a Marine from Norwood killed in action during the first Gulf War.

Kilkus was born in Stoughton and raised in Norwood, attending Norwood High and Southeastern Regional Technical School before enlisting in the Marines at the age of 17 in 1981. He was in charge of a helicopter repair unit as a member of the Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron 164. He served with the Marines for nine years.

"He went back and forth, but he really loved it," said Carolyn Stampfl, Kilkus' sister. "He loved working on the helicopters, he loved the group and the guys. He had a lot of fun doing what he was doing."

He lived on El Toro Marine Air Base in California with his wife Laurie, a reservist he married in 1989. But, because of his service, he had to travel frequently. While out to sea in July of 1990, Laurie called him from her parents' home in Massachusetts to deliver the



Staff Sergeant John Kilkus

news that their daughter Jessica had been born.

Out on a mission at the time the call came through, his fellow marines had to tell him when he got back.

"They were all clapping and congratulating him when he got back," she said. "He called everybody to talk about her and see more pictures."

Tragically, he never got to see his daughter in person.

In 1990, he was serving on the USS Okinawa berthed in Hong Kong when

Staff Sergeant John Kilkus
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An 'Abundant' dispute for rival meal programs

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

For the past several weeks, two local charities have been deadlocked by an ongoing legal dispute that has, unfortunately, left many in the town, including the population both seek to help feeling confused and bewildered.

The Abundant Table, a long-running program that serves hot meals to those in need, was split into two separate programs earlier this year. Since the split there has been ongoing legal action and numerous accusations of misconduct levied by both sides, turning one charitable program into two competing enterprises.

"We're the incorporated Abundant Table," said Aislyn Rodeghiero, who currently runs the Abundant Table at the First Congregational Church. "We're a 501(c) non-profit. Our name is [trademarked]."

In 2003, the Abundant Table officially began at the United Church of Norwood, but early in 2009 the group split into two separate enterprises, with one now operating out of First Congregational Church.

Aislyn Rodeghiero and her mother Linda Rapciak have said that they started the program and ran it together for the past four years.

However, United Church

volunteer Beverly Jennings says that Rodeghiero was not the founder, and that the original program was created by a group of nine people, of which Rodeghiero and Rapciak were a part.

Jennings also says that Rodeghiero incorporated the Abundant Table as a tax-exempt non-profit in October of 2008 without telling the church, and then refused to sign an agreement that would have protected both sides from insurance issues associated with the program.

"They incorporated as a non-profit, and never said anything about it to the Pastor," Jennings said. "It's been very confusing, and very upsetting. It just blew the pastor away."

Rodeghiero says that she was running the program without support or contributions from the church, and that she had to apply for non-profit status so that she could receive grants and charitable contributions to help cover the costs. She also says that the United Church banned her and her mother from the property, keeping the food and supplies they had gathered.

"All I can tell you is that we've been doing it six years with no church involvement," Rodeghiero said. "We were kicked out."

From there the two groups split into separate programs, with Rodeghiero and Rapciak running what they deem "The Abundant Table people know" out of the First Congregational Church of Norwood, while the United Church continues to hold the Abundant

Table in their church. "It is really upsetting to me, because they're at another church, and taking our people," Jennings said.

The Abundant Table of First Congregational was featured in a story in the April 30, 2009 edition of *The Record*, but Rodeghiero says that she didn't mention the split with the old church because they had only recently been removed from the United Church and didn't want to upset anyone there.

The dispute has even led to police activity.

A police report from April 28, 2009 details the theft of two signs from the United Church. In the first instance, which took place on April 8, a professionally made sign was stolen.

In the second theft, also detailed in the report, a hand-made sign was stolen from the United Church on April 28. Rodeghiero assured the police that they were not involved.

On May 13, a separate report was filed, in which Rapciak reported that the Abundant Table sign at First Congregational had been stolen. The report does not contain any details about possible perpetrators, but lists the value of the sign at \$100. Police logs from that day mention that it "may only be missing due to an ongoing dispute."

At present, neither side has expressed any plans to change their name, nor has either program made the decision to hold their Abundant Table on a different night.

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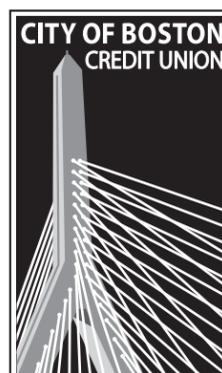
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Program could help town identify disaster prone areas

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

The Town of Norwood could become eligible to receive federal grant funding for "pre-disaster mitigation efforts," if a plan presented at Tuesday night's Selectmen's meeting is approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

Joseph Domelowicz, a municipal services coordinator with the Metropolitan Area Planning Council (MAPC), presented a formal Pre-Disaster Mitigation Plan to the Selectmen at their regularly scheduled meeting. The plan, which details specific areas of the town that should be addressed to limit potential natural disasters, would still need to be approved by FEMA, and then formally adopted by the Selectmen.

Since 2000, FEMA has required that communities adopt local mitigation plans before they can apply for certain grants, including funding for flood mitigation assistance.

"In the year 2000, the Federal Government decided it wanted to start looking forward [about] natural disasters, instead of waiting for brushfires, floods or earthquakes and then rebuild-

ing," Domelowicz said. "Part of that law required that every municipality in the country have a Pre-Disaster Mitigation Plan if they want to be eligible for certain grants."

The plan was put together by the MAPC, with assistance from Assistant Town Manager Bernie Cooper and other officials, and focused heavily on the flood risks in the town, Domelowicz said.

"This is a natural hazards only plan," he said. "We don't look at terrorists, or biochemical, or anything like that. The other important thing about this plan is that it is not an emergency response plan, it's a pre-plan to mitigate the amount of damages that you'll have from a natural storm."

Some of the high-priority areas included the Willett Pond Dam, the Washington Street Bridge, Norwood Airport and the Morse Street Bridge. Several of those areas already have construction projects set to help correct fire and flood issues, but Domelowicz said that it is up to the town to determine which projects it will address with grant money.

"It doesn't bind you to anything," he said. "It is a planning document. They would hope that

you would utilize it in making decisions about how to fix your infrastructure, but they don't require you to do anything with it."

Domelowicz said that many things the town is already doing could qualify as mitigation efforts, including an existing open space plan, tree-trimming programs and snow removal and sanding efforts.

While the Selectmen were not required to vote on the measure, the board appeared to support the proposed plan. However, some members seemed confused about why the town needed it in the first place.

"It seems like a big administrative effort to identify every possible thing that could possibly go wrong," Selectman Thomas McQuaid said. "What good does it do us to know that the Neponset River could overflow one day if there is no action plan to take care of that?"

Domelowicz told the board that action plans were set up separately and that the mitigation plan was not required, except for grant eligibility issues.

Similar efforts are being addressed throughout the Neponset River Area, with several towns already adopting plans, Domelowicz said.

"Some towns might not be as forward thinking as we have been with our response plans," Selectman Mike Lyons said. "I think it is good to have some sort of uniform response. I think that a lot of communities get caught with their pants down."

Olde Colonial Café lease with town set to expire

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

The lease held by the Olde Colonial Café at 171 Nahatan St. will soon be ending, which could see a new tenant taking up residence in the town-owned building, which once housed the fire station.

Selectmen established a sub-committee at Tuesday night's meeting, consisting of Chairman Bill Plasko, Town Manager John

Carroll and Selectwoman Helen Donohue.

"Our options, of course, are selling or leasing again," Plasko said. "We do have to go out to bid to lease. My idea was to help the board, if it's not going to try to sell the property but lease it again, to get a firm that deals with commercial leasing to advise the board as to minimum rents and

Lease

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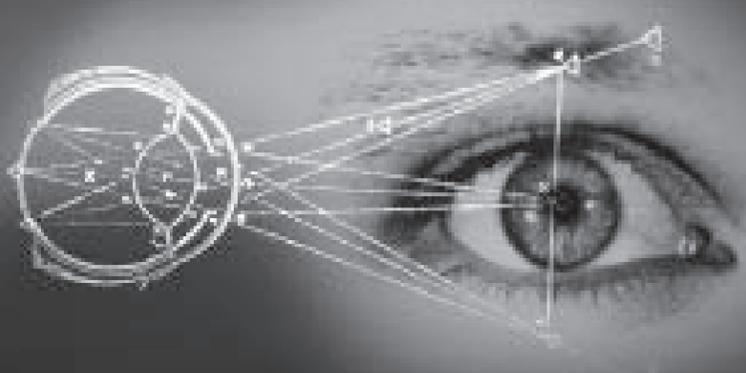
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Editorial

A few TM musings

I was originally going to commit significant space extolling the virtues of the secret ballot at Town Meeting since one of my few vicarious pleasures in life is driving people crazy, but reconsidered only after discovering the availability of the "Reconsideration" motion. I never knew that if two TM members didn't like the way a particular vote went, one could make a motion for reconsideration and the other could second it, thus wasting the meeting's time dealing with already discussed material.

In theory, the Reconsideration motion has benefits since it is conceivable pertinent data unavailable during the original discussion is suddenly made available and could have a significant impact on TM's decision making. However, it is virtually impossible to limit the discussion on the merits of the motion for reconsideration alone and not rehash everything already discussed during the original vote, as evidenced last Monday evening when a call came to reconsider Light Manufacturing uses. Although Town Moderator David Hern did his best to focus the discussion only on the motion for reconsideration itself, tangents were off and running eating up valuable time. My hope would be that any vote on a reconsideration motion in the future be made secretly, thus providing me additional weeks of editorial fodder...

Regarding the changes made to Light Manufacturing, TM made the right decision by opening the door for possible other uses. Fear of terms like motion picture houses and dance halls are not rational. TM already made the very smart decision by limiting where dirty movies and other lurid behaviors can be located by establishing an Adult Use Zone away from Norwood civilization. Though on a side note, I thought it interesting that town meeting member Joe Fitzgerald, he so easily "offended", made the most offensive comment during the discussion by stating, "You're asking us to trust you, and I don't!" Not sure if he was referring to David Spiegel and his lawyer, the Zoning Board or common sense in general, but the comment was out of line and no one was deserving of it.

Allowing for "Indoor Recreational Use" by special permit in limited manufacturing zones will open up opportunities for tax paying property owners to generate income from otherwise empty real estate. Face it, this country no longer manufactures. We are a nation of middlemen, buying and selling products mostly constructed on the backs of countries that still value working with their hands. The bulk of our GDP is in the service sectors, and a large part of that service is recreation. Movie theatres, mini golf, laser tag, paint ball war zones, skating rinks and other indoor sports is where our citizens spend a good chunk of their time and landlords should have the chance to vie for that business...

Thankfully, TM also voted to provide funds to pay contractors authorized by the airport commission for work already performed. Astutely, one TM member was curious to know how much profit the airport actually generates for the town, indirectly questioning the value of the airport to Norwood, as this writer has done many times over the years. After much hemming and hawing someone on stage murmured a figure of \$20k, though it appeared answering the question was akin to enduring a colonoscopy.

If nothing else, what should be clear to Norwood residents is that the airport is not a moneymaker for the town, yet saps much of its time and resources. Norwood Airport is a playground for those few who enjoy flying and those others who enjoy being around those who enjoy flying. It doesn't provide any additional prestige for Norwood nor does it draw big business to Norwood as some purport. Quite frankly, it is a waste of valuable space.

But, that's just my opinion...

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Airport funding approved

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

Town Meeting Members on Monday night approved three articles related to Norwood Airport, votes that officials said were necessary to free up federal grant money needed to pay overdue contractor bills.

Members voted to approve the airport's three articles that authorized nearly \$300,000 to obtain an FAA mandated property easement and pay back bills from construction work.

The approved airport proposals are intended to bring it back into compliance with FAA regulations. The airport has been out of compliance with a Federal Aviation Administration mandate since April 2008, which led the agency to freeze two major grants previously awarded to the airport. The compliance issues date back to a complaint filed by Boston Air Charter (BAC), one of its ten-

ants, in 2007 after Boston Municipal Airport, Inc. (BMA), another tenant, refused to allow them access to utility lines to install a self-fueling pump.

One of the key articles was for \$15,000 to obtain a utility easement across BMA's property.

"The easement is the final stumbling block," Airport Commission member Mark Ryan said. "Once we obtain this easement, we are very confident the other hurdles will be jumped over, and we'll be good to go for other projects."

The FinCom supported the easement, with Chairman Allan Howard announcing that BMA will accept the \$15,000 as payment, meaning that the town will not have to acquire the land itself.

"We do understand, at this time, that we may not even have to do the Eminent Domain," Howard said. "We have a letter in our possession from that person saying that they will take the \$15,000 for that strip of land."

Ryan could not say how soon the airport will be able to return to compliance after the easement is obtained. He estimated that it could be done

in less than a year.

As previously reported in the Record, FAA spokesman Jim Peters said that BAC will need to be allowed access to utility lines before the airport will be back in compliance.

The other money for the airport, totaling approximately \$265,000 between two articles, will be borrowed by the town to repay a contractor for work done on the airport's parking lot and for advance engineering work on another project.

"Let's take the worst case scenario, say we don't get reimbursed, the FAA drops the ball and we get no money back from the FAA or anybody," District 9 representative Ernie Paciorkowski said. "We owe this gentleman the money. Now if the FAA reimburses us that's great, but if they don't we still owe this guy the money. He's just going to turn around and sue us for a lot more."

The easement and the \$65,000 for the engineering work passed unanimously, while FinCom member, and district 2 representative, John Hayes was the lone dissenting voice against the \$200,000 for the parking lot repairs.

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upset with the rising costs of repairs that have been needed after construction was completed.

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resentative Paul Eysie. "You build a house, you finish it, and then you do regular maintenance. That doesn't seem to be happening with the Police and Fire Station."

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Officials gather to plan start of high school construction

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

Town officials attended the first formal meeting of the new Norwood High School construction project on Tuesday, where they met with the contractors, engineers and managers who will see the project through to its completion.

With the preliminary stages of the construction phase set to begin this week, the kick-off meeting was held so that all of the relevant authorities could come together and settle on details before major work begins.

Project Manager Tim Bonfatti led the meeting, which included representatives from the School Committee, Permanent Building Construction Committee, general contractor Agostini Construction, architectural firm Ai3 and Bonfatti's management firm, Compass.

Agostini President Steven Agostini said that on Tuesday a surveyor was at the High School to prepare the site for construction. By next week, he hopes to bring in trailers and build a temporary fence around the property so that the site will be ready when the official groundbreaking takes place on June 10, at 10 a.m.

"By the middle of next week, we'd like to start getting [the trailers] up there," Agostini said. "We'd like to start working on a temporary fence and probably start taking the bleachers and those things apart. By the first week of June, we should have a site contractor finalized and we should be able to start site work."



High School Project Manager Tim Bonfatti discusses issues that will be addressed as construction begins on the project at a meeting with town officials on Tuesday.

PHOTO BY JONATHAN SEITZ

The group discussed a number of the major issues that were expected to come up during construction, including the issues of parking, traffic, Fire Department access, dust, debris and what impact those issues will have on students and abutters.

Town Manager John Carroll plans to hold a series of weekly meetings every Friday morning throughout the construction process so that concerned citizens have a forum to voice their thoughts to the contractors.

"That way there is the opportunity for a face-to-face meetings with the most vociferous neighbors," Carroll said. "We'll deal with traffic issues, noise issues, schedule issues and so forth and so on. We want to have a representative from Agostini at every meeting."

The first of those meetings is scheduled for May 29, at 9 a.m.

Some issues will be un-

avoidable, such as the loss of on-campus parking for students, Bonfatti said. The tight confines of the worksite mean that the school parking lots will be needed for construction staging. The school has considered offering a shuttle service during those phases of construction when parking will be unavailable.

"We just need to be sensitive, to the extent that we can mitigate the impacts of construction, and I think there are things we can do to [accomplish] that," Bonfatti said. "We haven't sugar-coated this to anyone. People realize that this is a construction project."

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MONDAY, MAY 25 - MEMORIAL DAY

8:00 A.M. Memorial Service, St. Catherine of Siena Roman Catholic Church

9:00 A.M. Flag to half staff - Town Common

9:30 A.M. Ceremonies, Old Parish Cemetery

10:00 A.M. Parade Steps Off

11:00 A.M. Ceremonies at Highland Cemetery following parade

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the first Gulf War was declared, dispatching the ship to the Middle East. His unit was responsible for support operations on the ship. He took on some additional roles as well.

"He volunteered to be a door gunner because there wasn't anything to do on the ship," Stamfl said.

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On Oct. 8, 1990, the Okinawa was off the coast of Saudi Arabia when they launched an early morning helicopter-training mission. Two helicopters were sent out with eight marines onboard, including Kilkus.

Both helicopters were testing their new night vision goggles when they disappeared from radar and radio. Both helicopters were assumed downed and their crews killed. No survivors or bodies were ever recovered and the theory is that the helicopters crashed into each other while training.

"That was the hard part," Stamfl said. "Not being able to get him back."

All eight are still listed as Missing in Action until their remains can be recovered. They were the first military personnel to be listed as MIA in Operation Desert Storm.

Stamfl said the family was able to get a memorial stone for him at Arlington National Cemetery, and that she is glad that the town will be honoring him as well. The roadside dedication will go up at the corner of Walpole and Wilson streets, down the road from where Kilkus grew up.

"We're looking forward to one more opportunity to recognize him," she said.

To date, there have been 101 members of the armed services

from Norwood who have lost their lives in action, Mulvehill said. Kilkus will be the 52nd to receive a roadside dedication, and the first since Alexander Aredondo, killed during Operation Iraqi Freedom in 2004 and memorialized in 2005.

All of the memorials are undertaken at the request of families, who place the requests in writing to Selectmen, Mulvehill said. The costs of the dedication are paid for by a donation fund maintained by the town's veteran's department. The money covers the costs of installation as well as the upkeep of the signs.

One issue yet to be resolved involves the families of deceased veterans, who cannot be reached, said Mulvehill.

"At some point down the road, I'll probably petition selectmen to revisit the criteria for them," Mulvehill said. "I'd like to see all of our guys get their own corner."

This year, in addition to the dedication for Sergeant Kilkus, Mulvehill will be replacing three other memorials that have been damaged by the elements.

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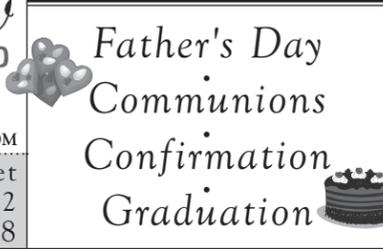
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Hickey receives high honors for courtroom work

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

For most, trips to the courthouse are a terrifying prospect, even when you're not the one on trial. But for more than 30 years, one Norwood resident has devoted herself to helping make those visits just a little bit easier. Now it's time for some long-overdue recognition of her efforts.

Mary Hickey, First Assistant Clerk at the Norfolk Superior Court in Dedham, was the recipient of the Massachusetts Association of Trial Attorneys (MATA) 2009 Excellence in Courthouse Management award at a dinner on May 6 at the JFK Library in Boston.

Hickey, who has lived in Norwood since she was 3-years-old, got her start working as a junior file clerk at the court back in 1973, when she was still in Norwood High School. She continued to work there while attending Framingham State College and Suffolk Law School. When she graduated from Law School in 1981, she became an Assistant Clerk.

"The job has changed over the years so, so much," Hickey said of her 36 years at the courthouse. "So I never get bored with it."

In 1991, she was promoted to her current position and continues to offer extensive assistance to both the public and the court staff.

"When people hear clerk, they think typist," she said. "But the more important thing is that you serve the public."

She has to work closely with lawyers and judges, helping them prepare for cases and keeping their records up to date, while at the same time leading private citizens through the complicated maze of legal procedure.

She said that new technologies brought into the court have increased her responsibilities, while also streamlining the system.

"You take a much more active role because of the technology," she said. "It used to be memory-based, but memory tends to fade over time."

In addition to her daily duties in the clerk's office, Hickey has also been very active in the legal community around Massachusetts, serving as President of the Mass Bar Association from 1999 to 2000, and as a member of the Quincy Bar Association, the Massachusetts Association of Women Lawyers and countless other groups.

Within the court, she also serves on numerous commit-



Mary Hickey

tees and, in the past, has been a Dispute Resolution Coordinator and a Coordinator for Americans with Disabilities. She is also the Press Assistant for the Clerk's office.

"Mary K. Hickey is an outstanding example of someone who strives every day to make the judicial system work for all involved," reads a statement about the award from MATA. "Her many years at Norfolk Superior Court have provided her with the experience and expertise that is her trademark to all fortunate to know her."

From her perspective, working in the clerk's office is re-

warding because she is able to help the public and help make the judicial system run as well as she can.

"It's very, very rewarding, because there are a lot of people who represent themselves," she said. "It's a job where you feel like you can help people on a day-to-day basis."

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Prescott honors Putnam School also celebrates 50 years

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

Hundreds of students, faculty and staff came out for the 50th Anniversary of the C.J. Prescott Elementary School, complete with a family fun day carnival and a dedication of the school's gymnasium to retired

teacher George Putnam, this past Sunday.

Putnam, who taught fifth and sixth grade at the school for 35 years before becoming a substitute teacher, was on hand for the ceremony, and read a poem that he wrote in honor of the occasion. Putnam was avid in the school system's sports community, coaching Norwood High School football under legendary coach John "Duffy" Doherty and running numerous after-school basketball programs at Prescott.

At the dedication ceremony, Principal Brianne Killion spoke briefly about Putnam's 38 years with Prescott before presenting him with the plaque that will bear his name from now on in the Gymnasium where he continues to teach classes in his retirement.

"Today is a happy day for our school, as we dedicate our gym to George Putnam," Killion said. "He knew he

wasn't one to stay home after he retired. The bond to the school has been too strong."

Norwood native Christopher Allen was there as a legislative aid to State Rep. John Rogers to present a special citation from Rogers and Speaker of the House Robert DeLeo, along with an additional citation for the school's 50th anniversary.

"[John Rogers] knows that he is the embodiment of what it means to be a true Norwood Educator," Allen said of Putnam.

Putnam elected to read a poem to the audience, something that he says he does anytime he has to make a public speaking appearance. His piece, titled "The Gym," was full of references to people and places from his history at the school.

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Norwood star Mina Awad gets set for the hit during recent volleyball play.

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Mike Stoller
Staff Reporter

The Norwood High volleyball team gladly put itself in the predicament of needing to beat undefeated Natick this past Monday to qualify for the Division 1 state tourney. Of course, it's not the way the Mustangs would have planned things at the start of the campaign, but given no other choice, they settled for the role of big underdog heading into their Bay State Conference Herget Division match against the perennial state power Red and Blue (16-0, 14-0 BSC).

Natick won the battle, 3-0 (25-21, 25-20, 25-21), eliminating the host Mustangs (8-10, 5-9 BSC). But Norwood won three consecutive home matches last week — against Needham, Arlington, and Framingham — to keep its bid alive entering Monday's contest, and then gave the Red and Blue all they could handle in all

three games.

"Yeah, we played well against them," said Norwood head coach Tim Linehan. "We were playing some of our best volleyball right now, so it's too bad there will be no postseason [for us]. It kind of hurts, [but] going into last week, we had to win all of our games to remain eligible for the postseason, and the guys stepped up to the task. ... It was great to get those three wins. We didn't shut it down, and I'm proud of [our players]."

Last week, the Mustangs shut out Needham, 3-0 (25-20, 25-17, 25-1), as Sean Porter had 12 kills and Chris Driscoll registered 26 assists and five aces.

"It was one of our best performances of the year, and it came against a team we lost to earlier this year," said Linehan.

Porter and Driscoll also were two of the main forces in Norwood's 3-0 win over Arlington. The Mustangs won 25-

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Baseball squad in a make-or-break week

'Stangs at 8-8 heading into home stretch



Cory Sennott delivered one of three Mustang hits in Norwood's 3-0 loss to visiting rival Walpole last week. Norwood got a terrific pitching effort from Pat Hickey and Nico Rodriguez, but they couldn't outduel the Rebels' Tom Ryan, who pitched a complete game masterpiece.

PHOTO BY ZALINA MCGUIRE

Mike Stoller
Staff Reporter

You will not see too many high school baseball games played better than the one last week at Peter Wall Field, and that's one thing the Norwood baseball team can take pride in, despite its 3-0 loss to visiting rival Walpole. From Mike Goodwin's circus catch in the outfield to the phenomenal pitching of Pat Hickey and Nico Rodriguez, the Mustangs, it's fair to say, were ready for this one. They just couldn't solve Rebels' southpaw Tom Ryan, who pitched a three-hit masterpiece.

Walpole was still atop the Bay State Conference Herget Division, with the Mustangs and other contenders lurking right behind. But Norwood's 6-5 loss to Carey Division foe Needham on Saturday left the Mustangs with an 8-8 ledger (7-7 BSC), in need of two wins to make the state tourney with four games remaining this week.

"I've got to tip my hat off to their pitcher, Ryan," said Norwood head coach Tony Fruci, of the Walpole hurler. "He pitched a great game, he

kept us off balance. And we didn't hit tonight. That's what it comes down to. They hit the ball, and we didn't."

Walpole hit the ball well enough for two runs in the first inning and an insurance run in the eighth, good enough for the win behind the magnificent pitching of Ryan, a sophomore, while striking out five and walking three.

"It was a very good, well-played high school baseball game, two very good teams that were rivals," said Walpole head coach Bill Tompkins. "That kid made the best play I've seen this year out in the outfield."

Tompkins was referring to Goodwin's catch in the top of the third, when the Norwood standout went back to his left and made a spectacular two-handed running catch, while falling back in right field. Goodwin's miraculous play momentarily saved the night for the Mustangs, who already had trailed, 2-0, and were facing a two-on, two-out Rebel rally, with runners at first and second.

It was no doubt the best play of the game, among other defensive efforts that saw both teams pull off double plays.

Norwood got out of a first-and-third jam in the top of the fifth, when second baseman Sean Keady caught a liner and alertly tossed to Chris O'Brien to double off the runner at third. Then, in the bottom of the sixth, Walpole turned a terrific 4-6-3 double play - James Adams flipping to Sonny Mastromatteo and onto Eric Fallon — after Sennott reached on Norwood's second hit of the night.

"[We had] the big double play [and] they made a couple of great plays, too," said Tompkins. "We played good defense behind [Ryan], and that gives a pitcher a lot of confidence, too."

The Rebels mounted all the offense they would need in the first inning. Troy Salvatore led off with an infield hit to third, and Mastromatteo followed with an RBI triple into the right-center gap. After Hickey struck out the next hitter, Pat Falvey, who went 4-for-5, singled in Mastromatteo for a 2-0 lead.

"We got a big two-run first inning, [a] big hit by Sonny, and a big two-out hit by Falvey, what a great game offensively

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Boys' lacrosse ready for another tourney run



Norwood standout Stephen Bottex zooms downfield during recent boys' lacrosse action at Murray Field. The Mustangs are flying high as they head into the state tournament on the heels of another highly successful campaign.

PHOTO BY ZALINA MCGUIRE

Mike Stoller
Staff Reporter

It has been a season of excellence for the Norwood boys' lacrosse team, but the Mustangs are hardly finished. The state tourney is on tap — with the seeds soon to be announced — and Norwood seems primed as ever, after solid wins over strong Bay State Conference Herget Division foe Wellesley and struggling Dedham last week. In their attempt to get their 50th program win in their five-year history, the Mustangs fell to Cape Ann League powerhouse Swampscott (15-2), 8-6, on the road this past Sunday. But overall, Norwood was sporting an outstanding 15-4 record, including 12-3 in the BSC. The Mustangs ranked second in the Herget Division only to state powerhouse Walpole, which went undefeated in the conference and finished at 17-1 overall.

In a friendly non-conference rivalry on Sunday, Norwood head coach Tom DeMaio was up against his former teammate from Newton North, Swampscott guru Josh Field.

"Josh and I played together at Newton North for many years, and he has done an exceptional job up there putting them on the map as a Division 3 contender," said DeMaio. "I give the Big Blue credit. They

were prepared for the game and played their hearts out. That's a good win for their program and a learning experience for ours. We'll get back to work and prepare for the tournament."

The Mustangs were looking to beat Swampscott for the second consecutive season, after defeating the Big Blue at home last year. Things looked good early on when Norwood took a 4-2 lead, but the Mustangs, who peppered an array of shots on goal in the first half, didn't put the game away when they had the chance.

"We missed many, many opportunities to put this game away early," said DeMaio. "Nutter, their goalie, made some great saves and kept it close. Our offense fought hard all game. We just had a bad shooting day and looked tired. It happens."

Brian Underhill led Norwood in the early going with two goals to put the Mustangs ahead, 2-1. Mike Frasca and Pat Coskren also scored to make it 4-2, but the 'Stangs didn't light the lamp again until the fourth quarter. By then, the Big Blue had a 7-4 lead. Norwood senior star Steve Cotten's strike made it 7-5, but Swampscott quickly rallied to again extend its lead to two. Sophomore standout Brian

Rossman added a goal for the Mustangs on a heads-up play from behind the net with six minutes left, but six Norwood penalties in the final three minutes hurt any chance of a comeback.

"[We] controlled the ball most of the game," said DeMaio, noting Coskren's dominant 17 of 18 efficiency on face-offs. "[We] took over 30 shots on net, only finding the back of the net six times, including a two quarter lull for the first time all year..."

"It was kind of like a prize fight," added the coach. "We just kept shooting and shooting, and tired out. ... We missed a fast break four seconds into the game, and that kind of set the tone."

Last week, Norwood's terrific offense was on display against visiting Wellesley (10-10, 9-7 BSC), which gave the 'Stangs a bit of a scare with three goals in the last 1:40 of play, before Norwood took the 11-10 victory, when Coskren won the final face-off.

"Today was a great team effort, to beat Wellesley twice this season by a goal each game, it's quite an accomplishment for our program," said DeMaio.

DeMaio noted that nine of Norwood's 11 strikes were as-

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[for him]," said Tompkins.

The Mustangs thwarted any further damage when Shaughnessy caught Falvey stealing on a perfect throw to second, where Brian Williams swiftly applied the tag, and Hickey induced the next hitter to pop to short.

Norwood threatened in the fourth after Cory Sennott drew a one-out walk, and Shaughnessy reached on an infield hit, after a fielder's choice by Williams. But Ryan survived the inning, when Salvatore made a nice running catch in short center, as Adams and Mastromatteo also converged on the play.

Hickey, meanwhile, left the game in favor of Rodriguez, after throwing a strong six-plus innings, while striking out five and walking three. Inheriting a runner on first on an infield hit by Adams, Rodriguez was perfect in retiring the first three batters he faced, and the Mustangs - despite Adams reaching second on a steal he barely beat - escaped unscathed.

Norwood rallied in the bottom of the seventh, when A.J. Silletti ripped a one-out single to left and advanced to second on a wild pitch. But Ryan struck

out the next hitter on a sharp breaking pitch, and then Salvatore made another terrific catch, snaring a sinking liner.

"Tommy Ryan did his job on the mound," said Tompkins. "He threw strikes, that's the key to the game. [And] We played good defense and did the job."

Walpole tacked on a run in the eighth, when Fallon flared a single into right. An error and a walk had put runners at first and second, after Rodriguez, who struck out four, fanned the leadoff batter and got the next hitter to fly to left.

Against Needham, the Mustangs got some solid offensive production, particularly in the third, when Sennott ripped a solo homer and Goodwin singled in a pair. Hickey, meanwhile, got the Mustangs on the board with an RBI single in the second inning, and Williams knocked in a run with the bases loaded in the ninth to get Norwood within one, at 6-5. Earlier, with the game tied at 4-4 in the seventh, the Rockets ultimately won the game with two runs on four hits in the frame.

"We should have won this game," said Fruci. "At this point, every win is crucial."

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Rookies and Pandas square off in softball

In recent youth girls' softball action, the Rookies defeated the Pandas, 6-3, in a well played game by both teams. The Rookies got on the board first when they plated three runs in the third inning. Kristina Michael had an RBI with a single up the middle, while walks to Emily Flavin, Kristina Michael, Destiny Casanova, and Kelli Gillis also helped the cause.

Michael and Casanova singled in the fifth, while Gillis and Colleen Osbourne walked, as the Rookies added another run to make it 4-0. Pitcher

Alyssa Chamberlain pitched a terrific game for the Rookies, striking out seven, and holding the Pandas scoreless until the fifth inning. That's when the Pandas struck with a three-run homer by Bella Bennett, after Lauren Gamel and Taylor Reed walked.

The Rookies added two insurance runs in the sixth, when Michael, Casanova, and Sarah Depoutot all reached on base-on-balls, while Michael and Chamberlain singled.

Reed and Cassie Pinchiarro both pitched well in sharing the pitching duties for the Pandas.

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sisted, "and we also had some individual efforts," he said. "I thought Brian Girard (2 goals, 2 assists) in particular was dominant on groundballs and made some really big plays when called on."

Girard also scored the eventual game-winner with 2:33 left. "[He] had a great game," said the coach.

The Mustangs jumped out to a 6-0 advantage, led by

Coskren (1 goal, 1 assist), who was huge in winning face-offs, and Cottens (3 goals, 2 assists), who registered an early man-up goal. Norwood led, 7-2, at the half, and took an 8-5 lead into the fourth quarter.

Norwood also defeated host Dedham, 13-1, as Rossman had a hat trick and an assist while overtaking his bother Mike's sophomore year scoring record of 52 points.

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12, 25-19, 25-16, as Porter posted 15 kills and Driscoll had 38 helpers. Mike Gearty also had nine kills in the non-conference win.

Then, the 'Stangs defeated Framingham, 3-1 (25-23, 25-19, 20-25, 25-20) with some more strength to their power game. Gearty led the way with 13 kills, while Porter and Mina Awad had 12 and 10, respectively. Awad also added 10 digs, while Driscoll again amassed 38 assists. Meanwhile, Linehan said, "In all three games, the improved play of sophomore

Sam Jabour contributed greatly to the team's success.

Against Natick, Awad registered 13 kills in a dominant outing. "He played awesome all the way around," said Linehan.

Gearty and Porter added 11 and nine kills, respectively, while Driscoll had 28 assists.

"I am extremely proud of how the team played over the last week, with their backs against the wall facing elimination from the tournament," added the coach.

Floor hockey draws to a close

The Norwood Recreation Department recently ended another great season of Floor Hockey. With over 325 players, the playoffs were filled with awesome games. The following are all of the winners and awards.

PeeWee Division Champions - Knights

Christopher Bell, Christian Divincenzo, Connor Flynn, Mikey Flynn, Jeanna Gaetoni, Paul Galvin, Casey MacDonald, Sean Mellen, Kasey Michael, Kristina Michael, Anthony Rossi, Cameron Ryan, Samantha Shea.

Mites Division Champions - Pythons

Steven A y o u b , Domenic Bettinelli, Trevor Carroll, Christopher Cox, Michael Curley, MacKenzie Demaio, Dominic Diiorio, Liam Glavin, David Hayes, Jennifer Nee, Michael Olohan, Kelly Popkins, Aiden Reardon, Austin Reardon.

Squirts Division Champions - Big Dogs

Vincent Connors, Joey Downing, Michael Eysie, Andrew Flavin, Paul Forrest, David Germino, Daniel Gruber, Ryan Mahoney, Cristian Reyes, Matthew Sullivan, Andreas Thaxter.

Town procurement changes rejected by TM

Jonathan Seitz

Staff Reporter

Town Meeting members shot down a proposal aimed at streamlining the town's purchasing process on Monday, after lengthy discussions from several representatives.

The article was an authorization for the Board of Selectmen to petition the State Legislature for a "Home Rule Amendment" to Chapter 149 of the Mass. General Laws, which requires purchasing agents to obtain written price quotes from three bidders for all acquisitions, Town Contract Administrator Catherine Carney said.

The amendment would require the town to use only "sound business practices" in making acquisitions of less than \$10,000. Similar amendments are on warrants in other towns throughout the state, but a statewide version has been stalled in the legislature, Carney said.

"What we're trying to do is to move along and try to get it so that statewide we could have all procurement officers doing the same thing," Carney said. "But if the state won't move it out of committee, we would like the town of Norwood to do it, so that we can use our time on the larger

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Additionally, as part of the contract with Agonstini, there will be a strict "no fraternization" policy for all construction workers when it comes to students.

Principal George Usevich said that he hopes to adequately communicate and coordinate with the contractors during the construction process, especially around important testing dates and other major events.

"This is an academic institution," Usevich said. "We are about learning. We are not going to be able to take time out and say, 'We're not going to do well in any testing programs at Norwood High School for two years just because we are building.'"

He added that he would like to see the project integrated with the curriculum, so that students can get first-hand exposure to the design and construction industries.

"[There may be a] junior or senior out there who has never thought about getting into construction, design, or any kind of

projects and not on the smaller projects."

As town's purchasing officer, Carney is responsible for all purchasing and procurement in the town of Norwood. She said that the proposal would lessen the burden on her office, and allow them more time to deal with major projects. Her major objection is that even small repairs and similar projects would need three bids.

"She is overloaded," Town Manager John Carroll said. "We have a lot of work to do in that office. She likes to respond quickly, as we all do, to emergencies—a broken window or whatever it is. That's all she's doing. This is not a big deal guys."

District representative Todd Gundlach gave a lengthy speech against the proposal, saying that it was a waste of time. He said that current regulations do not require written bids for items less than \$10,000, only a record that bids were sought.

He also accused the town of laziness, claiming that the proposal would only keep town employees from doing their jobs as well as they should.

"This, including my ranting, is a waste of everybody's time," Gundlach said. "This is

a special town meeting for special issues, and should not be used for anyone's agenda."

The language of Chapter 149, section 44A, the part of the law that would be affected by the proposal, currently says that "the public agency shall seek written price quotations from no fewer than 3 persons customarily providing the work for which the contract is being made available," even when the price is below \$10,000.

The measure ultimately failed to pass, by a vote of 57 for and 81 against, leaving the law unchanged.

Special Town Meeting adjourned with only one remaining article, which deals with changes to wetlands protection laws. However, the members also voted to reconsider Article 16, which allocated more funds for wages and was passed on the previous Monday, as new contracts had been signed that would require a change to the dollar amount. Town Meeting members also attempted to reconsider the Zoning amendment proposal from developer David Spiegel that was passed on the previous Monday, but the measure failed.

Town Meeting will resume on Thursday, May 22, at 7:25 p.m.

building," Bonfatti said. "Then they see a project and find out how interesting the business can be. That can only be good for us as an industry."

The groups also came together to create what Bonfatti termed the "Critical Success Factors."

The most common concern was that the project come in on time and on budget, with the minimum number of hassles. Some said that they wanted to maintain communication and

teamwork during the project to achieve that goal.

Usevich also said that he wants to validate the need for the new school, and help convince residents that they made the right choice in funding the construction.

"When all is said and done, I want everybody to drive by that building, look at it and say, 'We made the right decision. We built the new education facility in Norwood. It was the right thing to do.'"

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so forth that should be charged."

The town has, in the past, rented out the property on a 10-year lease, the most recent of which will be ending soon. Under town bylaws, there must be a public bid for the lease, even if there is an existing tenant, Plasko said.

"I think we have a responsibility to do something, put it out to bid for sale, put it up for lease, or whatever our other options are," Selectman Thomas

McQuaid said.

The building is also in need of repairs and the town will look at whether or not to make their tenant liable for those repairs.

"Are we going to write up a lease that, in some way, requires whoever our successful bidder might be to handle them?" Plasko asked. "How are we going to manage these types of issues? That is why I was suggesting an outside firm to assist us."

Town pools ready to open for summer season

Jonathan Seitz
Staff Reporter

With the end of school approaching, and temperatures slowly starting to climb back to summer levels, Norwood residents will be glad to know that Father Mac's pool will be open and fully operational beginning June 27.

There was concern that Father Mac's, one of two outdoor public pools in Norwood (the other is the Hawes Pool in South Norwood), would face a setback

because of new federal legislation that requires all public pools to have specialized drain covers to prevent possible drowning deaths. However, Recreation Administrator Howard Weinstein says that the pool will be ready on time.

"We have [the new federal covers] on hand," Weinstein said. "It is just a matter of going out there and screwing them onto the bottom of the pool."

Each of the two covers needed for the pool were purchased for \$18,000, and are spe-

cially designed to prevent suction entrapment at the bottom of the pool, Weinstein said. The law was passed after the granddaughter of former Secretary of State James Baker III died in that manner in 2003.

Weinstein said the town was only recently able to purchase the necessary covers, but they had put in place plans to get the pools into compliance eight months ago.

"The entire country was trying to buy them," he said.

Weinstein says that the Recreation Department will install the pool covers during the first

week of June, as part of the annual preparation process for the summer opening.

"There is a lot of preparation," he said. "We start now to get them open, because they are old pools and take more time to prepare."

Weinstein says that the department is taking the safety regulations very seriously, and that its record for accident prevention in the past has been very good. In the ten years that he has been with the town, he said that no one has drowned that he can recall.

"The pools are safe," he said.

Father Mac's also needed repairs last year to fix a leaking return line. The Recreation Department elected to patch the existing galvanized metal pipes, but intends to replace the entire system with PVC pipes next year.

The repairs will be covered by the department's budget, which is up for approval at the Town Meeting.

"We did a major repair last year," Weinstein said. "If it passes Town Meeting this year, we will do the repairs next April."

Legals

TOWN OF NORWOOD
ZONING BOARD OF APPEAL
PUBLIC NOTICE
RE: NOTICE OF REMAND

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeal will meet on **June 2, 2009 at 7:30 PM** in Room 12 of the **Municipal Office Building** to take further action in accordance with the remand as deemed by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Superior Court Re: Joseph Kelly, 23 and 27 Dean Street, Norwood, Massachusetts, Kelly v. Norwood Board of Appeal.

Norwood Record, 5/21/2009

TOWN OF NORWOOD
ZONING BOARD OF APPEAL
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeal of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING** in **Room 12** of the **Municipal Office Building** on **June 2, 2009 at 7:15 PM** on the request of **Ryan Lenhart & Kristen Lenhart (Case # 09-19)** with respect to property located on **359 Nahatan Street**, in a **G-General Residential District**.

The application requests:

This Application requests a **VARIANCE** under the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to allow separation of Lots 5 and 6 into separate building lots and the construction of a new single-family dwelling on each lot; each lot to have less area, frontage, lot width, and side yard than required pursuant to Sections 4210 and 4220.

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

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SECTION A - ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID
TOWN OF NORWOOD, MA

TEL: 781-762-1240, EXT 106 FAX: 781-278-3015

Sealed Bids will be received up to 11:00 A.M. (Verizon time), June 10, 2009, in the Purchasing Department, 566 Washington Street, 3rd Floor, Norwood, MA 02062 for the following:

Furnish & Deliver One (1) 37 Foot Hydraulic Bucket Truck

The complete Bid package may be obtained at no cost in the Purchasing Department between the hours of 8:15 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday.

The Bid must be filled out and signed as directed therein, sealed in an opaque envelope addressed to the General Manager, endorsed with the name and address of the Bidder, and marked, "**Bucket Truck - NLD-09-11**"

A certified check or **Bid bond**, with acceptable surety in favor of the Town of Norwood and equal to at least **five percent** of the Bid, must be submitted with the Bid.

A **performance bond** or surety equal to **one hundred percent** of the contract amount will be required within ten days of award of contract.

Bids shall be prepared, considered, and the contract awarded in accordance with Massachusetts General Law (MGL) C. 164, §56 and all other statutes governing such contracts. Every Bid shall be on forms furnished by the Town. Bids submitted on other forms may be rejected. The award of the contract shall be made within 30 working days after the opening of Bids, Saturdays, and Sundays excluded.

An award will not be made to a Contractor who is not properly equipped to undertake and complete the work. The Town shall have the right to reject any and all Bids or parts thereof, or items therein, and to waive any defect or irregularities as to form, therein in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws as amended.

The Town of Norwood notifies all Bidders that minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit Bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, creed, sex or national origin or handicapped status in consideration for an award.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid or the one deemed best for the Town.

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for his lifelong friend Bill Jacobs, whom the Cleveland Elementary School dedicated its gym to following his death in 2007, was delivered haltingly, as Putnam held back tears. "To my best friend Billy Jacobs, you must admit it's really cool," he read. "To have our names on the gyms of the Cleveland and Prescott Schools."

There were several of Putnam's former students at the event, some of whom now have children of their own who have had classes taught by the substitute teacher.

"He was strict, but still fun," said former student Jane

O'Donnell, who was in his sixth grade class in 1978. "He has a real fun side to him. He's one of those people who's been dedicated to the students here."

O'Donnell now has two children of her own who have had classes taught by Putnam, and she appreciates the work he has done.

"He's a great teacher," she said. "It's great that they've been able to experience him as well."

In addition to the ceremony, there was also a family carnival organized by the Parent Teacher Organization, where students and families could enjoy games and snacks as part

of the celebration for the Anniversary.

Money was collected to help offset the costs of the event and there was a special fundraiser organized by Promotions Services, Inc. and Volkswagen where parents could test-drive the company's Routan minivan. Volkswagen donated \$5 to the school for every person who took the car out for a spin in the parking lot.

The company works exclusively with school events, and hoped to raise \$500 on Sunday.

"They add the event to something else at the school," said Maureen Peterson, who works with Promotions Services as an independent contractor. "They only work with schools."

SENIOR NEWS

Appointments must be made in advance for all clinics at the Senior Center. Call (781) 762-1201.

NORWOOD MILITARY TRIBUTE

Bob Jackson will lead a tribute honoring Norwood's fallen heroes and World War II Infantry as lived by 'Willie and Joe, and provide a video tour of Norwood's memorials on Thursday, May 28, at 1 p.m. Memorial scavenger sheets can be picked up at the Senior Center by May 22.

FOOT CLINIC

Dr. Cormier will be at the Senior Center on Tuesday, May 26, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$25. Call for an appointment.

OIL PAINTING

Join Bob McLoud for oil painting on Friday, May 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the crafts room.

SENIOR SHOWS

'Seniors at the Center' and 'Norwood Postcard' shows will be on alternate weeks with the following schedule: Monday, 2 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m.; Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

DIABETES WORKSHOP

This month's diabetes workshop is scheduled for Thursday, May 28, 11 a.m. This workshop will be facilitated by Hellenic Health Care of Canton. This month's speaker is Barbara Collins, registered dietician.

MUSIC

Enjoy an hour of music by John Root, man of song on piano, flute, clarinet and saxophone on Thurs-

day, May 21, from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Cost is \$5.

YARD SALE

Start saving your items for the Senior Center yard sale scheduled for Saturday, June 13. No TVs.

JOHN DAVIDSON

Tuesday, Sept. 22, at Venus De Milo, Swansea.

FRIDAY MOVIES

Please check posters announcing Friday movies. We will be serving popcorn, cold drinks and coffee.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

Hellenic Health Care will be available at the senior center for blood pressure screening on the first and third Wednesday of each month.

SHINE

The new SHINE counselor, Dennis, will be available for appointments on The first, third and fourth Thursday of the month to answer any questions you may have regarding your health insurance. Please call for an appointment.

WHIST PARTY

The whist parties are held on the third Friday of every month.

CRIBBAGE

The seniors meet every Monday at 1 p.m. in the senior center library to play cribbage. If you would like to join, arrive at the center early to be sure you get a table.

INDOOR WALKING

Please come and join your friends Monday through Friday in the school gym anytime between

the hours of 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Please let the front desk know when you will be walking and sign in and out. We urge you not to walk alone.

MINI FIX-IT SHOP

Mike Bassile, Bunny Conrad and Bob Brown will be available on the second and fourth Monday of each month. This is a free service except for parts you may need to purchase. Please, no televisions.

ALTERATIONS AND MENDING

Bring your alterations to the senior center on the first Monday of each month between 1-3 p.m. Please attach your name and telephone number to each garment.

FITNESS ROOM

Come and exercise in our new fitness room. We currently have two treadmills, a recumbent bicycle and a recumbent elliptical machine.

SENIOR BOWLING

The Senior Bowling league meets every Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at the Norwood Sports Center. This is a mixed league and three strings are played for \$6.

SENIOR SUPPERS

Caritas Norwood Hospital offers a Senior Supper Program consisting of soup, entree and a drink in the cafeteria from Monday through Friday from 4:45-6:30 p.m. The cost is \$4.95.

WIDOWED SOCIAL GROUP

The Widowed Social Group meets every Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Grace Episcopal Church, 150 Chapel St. For additional information, contact Rita Carpenito at (781) 762-6018.

April Building Permits

216 Winter St. Tracey and Martin Flynn
 91 Westover Pkwy. Roland Dion
 904 Washington St. Rama Shopping Center Inc.
 43 Oak Rd. Justin McCarthy
 39 Harrow Rd. Michael Cotter
 1415 Bos. Prov. Hgwy. Home Depot
 165 Vernon St. Daniel and Katie Breen
 563 Nichols St. Alexander McDowell
 7 Oakleigh Rd. Emmanuel Parasirakis
 15 Allendale Pkwy. James Rossetsky
 44 Cottage St. Priscilla Kelley
 111 Downey St. EIC Laboratorie
 101 Access Rd. Norwood Dialysis Center
 135 Vernon St. Rabih and Rachel Shanshiry
 654 Walpole St. Ajay Arora
 137 Fulton St. Greg Ducharme

128 Fulton St. Lee Flaherty
 7 William St. Dennis and Terry Golden
 212 Carnegie Row Irene Realty Trust
 52 Florence Ave. Debbie and Ken Reddick
 30 Pleasant St. Loretta and Keith Braverman
 324 Railroad Ave. Barbara Coyle
 32 Alden Dr. Denise Grove
 245 Sumner St. Thomas Hunt
 165 Prospect St. Oldham School
 33 George Willett Pkwy. Cleveland School
 66 Richland Rd. Prescott School
 245 Nichols St. Norwood High School
 10 Hartford St. Victor Rodrigues
 127 Gay St. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Laasko
 42 Hillside Ave. Douglas and Nancy Bartley
 78 Prospect Ave. John Boulger
 53 Oak Rd. Mr. and Mrs. Cusack
 18 Central St. Ivy's Rainbow Nails
 39 Fieldbrook Dr.
 149 Winslow Ave. Eleftheria Sidiropoulou
 18 Richland Rd. Kristen and Ryan Lenhart
 14 Lydon St. James Keefe Reroof 16 Yarmouth Rd.
 181 Everett St. Safelite Auto Glass
 10 Garfield Ave. Susan Hansson
 431 Neponset St. Joseph Robicheau
 437 Neponset St. Joseph Robicheau
 150 Devon Rd. James and Susan Pepin
 12 Hoyle St.
 71 Cypress St. Gabrielle Rollf and Sallie Zanoni
 132 Winslow Ave. Russell Booth
 433 Neponset St. Joseph Robicheau
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 199 Dean St. Dean St. Car Wash
 20 Pine St. Charles Zammmito
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 67 Winter St. Diane Shalbey
 701 Bahama Dr. Nassau Gardens Coop. Housing Assoc.
 67 Sumner St. Kevin Naughton
 11 Alandale Pkwy.
 12 Cameron Rd. Francis and Sandra Brady
 520 Boston Prov. Hgwy.
 85 Rosemary St. Arthur and Lorraine Gallagher
 120 Lincoln St. Matt Guinen
 61 Highland St. Owner
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 315 Dean St. Mr. and Mrs. Mearns
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 38 Walpole St. Paul Meltzer

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 Strip and reroof
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 Remove and install wall
 Enlarge office space
 Install deck
 Finish basement
 Remove porch, frame and reroof
 and apply vinyl siding
 Refinish basement
 Two story addition
 Retaining wall
 Remodel bathroom
 Replace insulation and sheetrock in garage
 Remodel bathroom, exterior remodeling
 Replace deck
 Remodel porch
 Replace rear roof, install new snow fence
 Install gutters and snow fence
 Install gutters and snow fence
 Construct new high school
 Strip and reroof
 Strip and reroof
 Gut and rebuild kitchen
 Add deck
 Strip and reroof
 Remove partition
 Strip and reroof
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 Remove interior wall
 Remodel sales area
 Install new footings
 Three and four family building
 Residential additions and alterations
 Install deck
 Repair deck
 Remove and replace windows
 Reinforce deck
 Residential additions and alterations
 Erect tent
 Install in-ground pool
 Install above-ground pool
 Strip and reroof porch
 replace steps and landing
 Strip and reroof
 Install above-ground pool
 Build deck
 Remove and install roof
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Tuesday, May 12

0535 phone. Well being chk., spoken to. Location/address: Ace Locksmith- 2nd floor - 1159 Washington St. 2R Party requesting well-being check on female friend whom he states had an aggressive uninvited male visitor at her home and states call was disconnected while speaking to her and calls are going into voice mail. N665, N663, N668 responded. Officers spoke with female who is fine and will call the caller back.

0652 phone. Animal complaint, other. Location/address: Upland Rd. Caller reports animal on side of road. DPW notified.

1004 phone. Vandalism, civil matter. Location/address: Dean St. Car Wash - 199 Dean St. Woman in station to report her mv mirror knocked off in car wash. Officer spoke to female, advised who to contact. Just an accident.

1031 radio. Warrant arrest, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Norwood Hospital - 800 Washington St. Warrant of apprehension picked up at hospital & brought to DDC. Arrest: Smith, Kenneth. Address: 87 Woodcliff, Quincy, MA. DOB: 08/23/1958. Charges: war-

rant arrest, sec. 35, DDC.

1042 walk-in. Missing person, report filed. Location/address: 350 Engamore Ln. 101. Female in station to report her mother is missing. Hasn't been heard from since last Thursday. Report to be filed, LEAPS entered. Officer spoke with reporting party who had contact with missing person. Reporting party requested cancellation of missing status. Report to follow. Missing entry canceled.

1139 phone. Fraud, spoken to. Location/address: 61 Brookview Cir. 88. Subject did receive letter from an organization but has nothing further, and he is not out any money.

1508 phone. Missing person, report filed. Location/address: 77 Jacobsen Dr.

1551 radio. Harassment, report filed. Location/address: 9 Lancaster Ln.

1623 phone. Susp. activity, services rendered. Location/address: Fidelity Information - 575 University Ave. Tom Hardiman reports they received mail last week that a female opened and felt as if she was burned by something. Dr. agreed that it was a chemical burn. NFD to

handle. Officer reported package not suspicious, minor medical condition unrelated.

1623 phone. Assist other police depart., area search negative. Location: MBTA railroad tracks. As a result of a bolo. from Dedham about an armed robbery in Dedham, the MBTA commuter rail train observed a subject fitting the description of the suspect walking on the tracks. Westwood and Norwood units checked tracks from Islington to Norwood Central station- no one on the tracks. 1). White male, all black clothing, walking with 2). White female, all red clothing.

1758 initiated. Mischief (kids), gone on arrival. Location/address: Plimpton Park - 125 Lenox St. Passing motorist to N664 reports kids roller blading on roof of warehouse.

1858 phone. Threats, civil matter. Location/address: 208 Norwest Dr. Report co-worker keeps calling him and threatening to assault him. N665 reports there are no threats, both subjects do not work with each other anymore, caller upset that the other subject who now works for another cab company is charging different rates for service.

2001 911. Noise complaint,

spoken to. Location/address: 9 Endicott St. 3. Caller reported loud noises from apartment above. Officer reported no problems.

Wednesday, May 13

0046 911. Report of fight, services rendered. Location/address: Peters Auto Repair - 1380 Washington St. Report of fight with large group of youths. N663, N667, N662 responded. N663 reports no fight, large party breaking up with loud raised voices. Everyone leaving. All in order.

0813 phone. Drug law violation, report filed. Location/address: Norwood High School - 245 Nichols St. Dean Forrest reports he found drug paraphernalia in student mv.

1150 phone. Susp. activity, spoken to. Location/address: 49 Heaton Ave. Caller believes ex husband has been taping her phone line. Officer does not see any evidence of taping, caller satisfied.

1250 walk-in. Susp. activity, area search negative. Location/address: 254 Ridgewood Dr. Neighbor reports 2 people soliciting for home improvements. Concerned that an older couple may purchase,

they have dementia and hearing loss. Area checked, nothing found.

1415 phone. Well being chk., services rendered. Location/address: 201 Olde Derby Rd. A. Life-line reports call from resident. Officer gained entry with maintenance, no one home. TV on.

1527 911. Medical emergency, assisted party. Location/address: 635 Washington St. @ 7 Cottage St. 664, 669 to Washington and Cottage for a medical, man fell. NFD public assist, all ok.

1621 phone. Animal complaint, services rendered. Location/address: 39 Davis Ave. 3. Caller reported animal on back porch. NACO notified. Officer assisted moving animals off porch.

1640 phone. Threats, services rendered. Location/address: 158 Jefferson Dr. Caller reported threats by phone. Officer reported no threats made, prank calls made by son. Officer to speak with party at a later date.

1653 phone. Vandalism, report filed. Location/address: Janice M. Whitney - 301 Neponset St. Caller reported vandalism to property.

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Deaths

BENSON

Lillian V. of Norwood, May 10. Beloved wife of the late Bernt F. Benson and Nils A. Hallonquist. Devoted mother of Walter N. Hallonquist of NH, Mark D. Hallonquist of Norwood, and the late Nancy Ross. Loving stepmother of Charlotte DeAngelis of Attleboro. Dear sister of the late Spaulding Sanden. Also survived by six grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Interment Gethsemane Cemetery, West Roxbury. Funeral arrangements by Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood.

BURKE

Constance M. (Gaudet) of North Attleboro, formerly of Norwood and Waltham and native

of South Boston. May 13, age 70. Wife of Laurence G. Burke. Mother of Larry G. Burke and his wife, Marie (Sullivan) Burke of North Attleboro, Catherine M. Lemansky and her husband John Lemansky of Franklin, Theresa M. Burke of North Attleboro and Kevin M. Burke and his wife Cheryl (McMann) Burke of Milton. Grandmother of Sean Burke of Milton, Kathleen Burke and Patrick Burke of North Attleboro, Courtney Burke of Milton, Sarah Lemansky and Matthew Lemansky of Franklin, Kristen Burke of Milton and Grace Lemansky of Franklin. Sister of Joseph Gaudet in PA, David B. Gaudet of Quincy and the late Kenneth Gaudet. Interment Mount Hope Cemetery and Arboretum,

North Attleboro. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Mrs. Burke's name may be made to the Community VNA Hospice Care, 10 Emory Street, Attleboro, MA 02703. Funeral arrangements by Dyer-Lake Funeral Home, North Attleboro.

BURTMAN

David N. of Norwood, May 16. Beloved husband of Mary Beth (Leahy) Burtman. Dear son of Jacob and Miriam Burtman of FL. Devoted father of Michael Burtman and Cory Burtman of Norwood. Loving brother of Steven Burtman of RI, Howard Burtman of FL and Amy Baxter of Watertown. In lieu of flowers, remembrances in his memory may be made to Kidney Cancer Foundation, P.O. Box 3516

Oak Brook, IL 60522-3516. Funeral arrangements by Schlossberg-Solomon Chapel, Canton.

JOHNSTON

Mary E. Johnston, lifelong resident of Norwood, May 13, age 100. A graduate of Boston University, she worked as an English School Teacher in Norwood and for 37 years with Kendall Mills in Walpole. She was also a member of the St. Catherine Sodality. Born in Norwood, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Bridget (McDonough) Johnston. Predeceased by her sister Margaret Johnston and her brother, Francis Johnston, she is survived by many cousins and the Donovan family. Interment Highland Cemetery, Norwood. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her name to St. Catherine's School, 249 Nahatan St., Norwood, MA 02062. Visit her online memorial at www.mem.com. Funeral arrangements by Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood.

KAUFMAN

Shepard B. of Norwood, May 14. Beloved husband of the late Sybil (Fox) Kaufman. Devoted father of Jodie Kaufman of CA and Ronna Kaufman of NH. Loving brother of Beatrice Cline of Stoughton and the late Dorothy Mover. Memorial observance will be private. In lieu of flowers, remembrances in his memory may be made to the charity of your choice.

Funeral arrangements by Schlossberg-Solomon Chapel, Canton.

LEWIS

Lois (Wilson) of Norwood, formerly of Roslindale, May 10. Beloved wife of the late Malcolm S. Lewis. Loving mother of Stephen P. of Hull, Annie O'Connor of Westwood and Eleanor Austin of NC. Dear grandmother of 10 grandchildren & 1 great grandchild. Sister of Barbara Cyr of Montreal and the late Gordon and Stanley Wilson and Teresa Simpson. Interment St. Joseph Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. John Chrysostom Church. Funeral arrangements by the William J. Gormley Funeral Service, West Roxbury.

SWETZOFF

Goldie (Likovsky), late of Norwood, May 9. Beloved wife of the late Benjamin Swetsoff. Devoted mother of Richard Swetsoff and Roberta Cosgrove. Loving sister of Dr. Robert Larner of CA and the late Rose Richman, Sally Sieve, Betty Lipman, Izzy Likovsky and Abe Likovsky. Cherished grandmother of Cheryl Cosgrove. Services and memorial observance were private. Expressions of sympathy in her memory may be donated to a charity of your choice. Funeral arrangements by Stanetsky Memorial Chapel, Canton.

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Report to follow.

1708 walk-in. Assist citizen, spoken to. Location/address: 25 Centennial Dr. 6. Walk-in apology for her previous behavior.

1755 walk-in. Missing person, returned home. Location/address: 77 Jacobsen Dr. Mother bring s daughter, whom was reported missing, to station to verify her return. N664 confirmed same and will file follow-up report under 09-771-of.

1801 phone. Susp. activity, spoken to. Location/address: 22 Lancelot Ct. Caller reported suspicious male in the area. Officer spoke with suspicious party. Verified solicitation permit.

1854 phone. Lost and found, report filed. Location/address: First Congregational Church. - 100 Winter St. Report a sign for "Abundant Table" was taken some time after 1600 hrs today. N677 reports sign may be only missing due to an ongoing dispute, report filed.

1932 911. Susp. person, spoken to. Location/address: Norwood Brake & Alignment - 81 Cedar St. Report 2 subjects hanging out on the street and then they were entering/exiting parking lot for business. Units locate and check both parties, not wanted, parking lot appears in order, Sent on their way. (Tyler Jones 8/8/92, Joseph Bopp 1/16/91).

2041 phone. Breaking and entering, report filed. Location/address: 133 Winslow Ave. Caller reported B&E in progress. Officers spoke to parties, no B&E occurred. See report.

2149 cellular. Animal complaint, gone on arrival. Location/address: 241 Pleasant St. @ 15 E Cross St. Passing pedestrian reports he believes a coyote charged at him, no contact, then ran away. W.A.C.O. responded. Both agencies checked area.

Thursday, May 14

0216 initiated. Susp. vehicle, other. Location/address: Everetts Buff N Stuff - 416 Lenox St. N665 reports vehicle (Volvo) up on jack, tire missing. Log entry only at this time.

0447 phone. Violation of town bylaw, spoken to. Location/address: Lenox Park - Lenox St. Caller reports truck pulled in by loading dock and shut down. N667 responded. He is not in the "no parking zone" but was advised. N677 remained in area.

0823 phone. Assist citizen, services rendered. Location/address: Mobil (Nahatan Service Center) - 143 Nahatan St. Caller reports problem with repairs at Mobil Station. Subject left before officer could speak to him.

1009 phone. Unwanted party, services rendered. Location/address: Morrill Memorial Library - 33 Walpole St. Unwanted male subject. Wm. Acker given letter of disinvite by det.

1033 phone. Susp. activity, services rendered. Location/address: 53 Cottage St. Caller reports his daughter screamed and hung up. Water situation at the house and she was in the basement. All in order, daughter bumped her head in the basement and disconnected the call at the same time.

1037 phone. Lost and found, services rendered. Location/address: 27 Marlboro St. Resident found the MA license of Bishop, Bryan M., 25 A Elm St., Foxboro, MA. Off. returns it to the station. No phone listing in the area.

1105 911. Well being chk., re-

port filed. Location/address: 51 Dean St. Deanna Shock reports she cannot get into her aunt's house who she picks up everyday to go shopping. Yesterday's paper still in door. NFD gained entry, woman had fallen.

1109 phone. Assist citizen, services rendered. Location/address: Norwood Depot - Railroad Ave. Donation box in lot has a bag full of booze bottles, she did not look to see if they are full or empty.

1138 phone. Harassment, services rendered. Location/address: Nahatan St. Off. wil file a report .

1220 phone. Breaking and entering, report filed. Location/address: 34 Day St. 3. Subject returns home after being away for two days.

1251 phone. Susp. person, services rendered. Location/address: Guild Medical Center - 825 Washington St. #115. Elder attempting to leave the building on his own, counselor took care of elder.

1330 phone. Larceny, report filed. Location/address: Gannett Offset Boston - 565 University Ave.

1433 phone. Unwanted party, services rendered. Location/address: 119 Gay St.

1500 phone. Susp. activity, spoken to. Location/address: Jaguar and Landrover of Norwood - 449 Neponset St. Manager reports work done on mv Monday had brakes repaired, owner returned vehicle with bolts missing and made them do it again. He is concerned owner removed bolts himself. Advised.

1528 phone. Harassment, report filed. Location/address: 25 Centennial Dr. 2. Resident received threats in a note left on her door. Officer reports no threats but on-going issue.

1607 phone. Susp. activity, spoken to. Location/address: 30 Talbot Ave. Caller reports solicitor asking for money. Advised.

1748 phone. Assist citizen, spoken to. Location/address: 34 Cambridge Rd. Caller reports ongoing problem with landlord. She is unable to see an officer at this time

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because of a medical condition. Lt. spoke with party direct as well as the landlord, both parties advised on how to handle matter through their attorneys. No report needed at this time.

1753 phone. Fraud, report filed. Location/address: Dotolo, M. - 21 Brookview Cir. 28. Caller reported identity theft resulting in unauthorized bank account.

1911 phone. Well being chk., gone on arrival. Location/address: Twice is Nice - 644 Washington St. Anonymous caller reported shop owner yelled at her, Requested well being check on owner. Officer reported shop closed since 1700.

2221 phone. Assist other agency, services rendered. Location/address: Bos.-Prov. Hwy. KFC in Walpole on Rte. 1 robbed at gunpoint. Subject white Male, 30-40 y.o., w- an accent wearing a blue windbreaker with a hood, blue mask, white sneakers with blue stripes carrying a green and red tote bag. Bolo. put out to cars. N669 to standby at Rte. 1 @ Coney.

2320 phone. Parking violation, no action required. Location/address: Sky Restaurant - 1369 Bos.-Prov. Hwy. Vehicle parked in handicapped spot without placard. No one parked in handicapped spot.

Friday, May 15

0956 radio. Serve summons, legal service made. Location/address: 11 Brookview Cir. 3. Attempt to serve summons.

1121 phone. Mischief (kids), services rendered. Location/address: Convenient Food Market - 1237 Washington St. Caller reports large group of kids loitering. Officer spoke to them, matter resolved.

1124 phone. Mischief (kids), spoken to. Location/address: 143 Edgemoor Rd. Caller reports group of kids kicking another. Victim located, culprits also located, spoken to and parents notified.

1346 walk-in. Larceny, report filed. Location/address: Basic Rental & Supplies - 601 Pleasant St.

1504 walk-in. Harassment, report filed. Location/address: 25

Centennial Dr. 2. Caller reports being harrassed by neighbor.

1546 phone. Mischief (kids), gone on arrival. Location/address: 155 Jefferson Dr. Kids climbing on the construction vehicles.

1808 phone. Larceny, report filed. Location/address: Downey St. Larceny of landscape tools. N664 to file report.

1810 phone. Missing person, report filed. Location/address: Community Living Program - 103 Winter St. Missing juvenile. N677 to file report.

1843 phone. Susp. person, spoken to. Location/address: 87 Cedar St. Caller reports solicitor in the neighborhood. Spoken to.

2011 phone. Kids gathering, arrest(s) made. Location/address: Junior High North - Savage Center - 275 Prospect St. Caller reports loud group of kids gathering. N666, N677 respond. As a result, two placed under arrest. Arrest: Grasso, Christopher D. Address: 189 Jefferson Dr., Norwood, MA. DOB: 12/03/1991. Charges: disorderly conduct. Arrest: Gonzalez, Luis F. Address: 103 Winter St., Norwood, MA. DOB: 09/09/1991. Charges: parole warrant 0109-03682.

2048 phone. Noise complaint, services rendered. Location/address: 35 Tremont St. Loud car stereo in the driveway. Caller at 52 would like to see the officer after. Officers report quiet upon arrival. No such house number of # 52.

2320 phone. Fraud, report filed. Location/address: CVS Pharmacy - 136 Nahatan St. Script may have been forged. Summons: Buckman, Debra J. Address: 20 Sunrise Ave., Plymouth, MA. DOB: 08/07/1977. Charges: drug, obtain by fraud.

2338 phone. Drunk person, protective custody. Location/address: 220 Nahatan St. Motorist reports she almost hit a man walking in the street and he is dk. As a result, one transported for pc. P/C: Dirocco, Peter M. Address: 220 Nahatan St., #R, Norwood, MA. DOB: 03/18/1965. Charges: protective custody.

Saturday, May 16

0129 phone. Mischief (kids),

gone on arrival. Location/address: 227 Hill St. @ 252 Washington St. Kids on R/R bridge throwing rocks and sticks. N664, N665 responded. Officers walked the track. Nothing found.

0220 initiated. Susp. activity, building checked/secured. Location/address: Cadillac Village - 700 Bos.-Prov. Hwy. N664 reports tire marks on lawn of Norwood Cadillac. N662 sent. Officers checked lot and building. Everything appears to be in order.

0352 phone. Drunk person, protective custody. Location/address: Uptown Gift & Card - 696 Washington St. Caller reports male with white Red Sox shirt staggering down Washington St. N666, N667 responded and located party in front of library. As a result, N666 returned with 1 in protective custody. P/C: Kelley, William. Address: 686 East St., Walpole, MA. DOB: 03/14/1987. Charges: protective custody.

0921 walk-in. Larceny, report filed. Location/address: 259 Rock St. A6. Landlord in lobby reports his tenant stole some of his property.

1054 phone. Well being chk., spoken to. Location/address: 300 Dean St. Caller reports she hasn't talked to her friend in a month. MC8 spoke to lady, she will call her friend.

1102 phone. Fraud, report filed. Location/address: 23 Ridgewood Dr. Walk in party reports possible scam by mail. N662 spoke to party in lobby. Report filed.

1459 walk-in. Assaults, report filed. Location/address: Junior High North - Savage Center - 275 Prospect St. Walk in party reporting assault by a person known to her. N677 to file report.

1552 cellular. Mischief (kids), gone on arrival. Location/address: Newbury Comics - 859 Bos.-Prov. Hwy. Report 3 kids playing "chicken" with highway traffic.

1603 phone. Aircraft accident, report filed. Location/address: Norwood Airport Inc. - 101 Access Rd. Report plane taxied off the end

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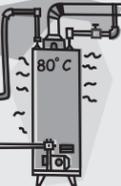
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WHO WILL BE THE 2009 NORWOOD CITIZEN OF THE YEAR?

Nomination forms are now available for the 10th Annual Norwood Citizen of the Year Award, given to honor an individual who exemplifies Rotary Club's motto, "Service Above Self." There are many in our community who share Rotary's commitment to meet the needs and touch the lives of our Norwood residents through humanitarian and educational programs. This year's award recipient will be honored at the Norwood Rotary Club's 83rd Annual Banquet and Installation of Officers to be held on Monday, June 29. For more information, call Dr. LeRoy Kelley at (781) 762-4205.

NORWOOD BLOOD DRIVE

The Norwood Knights of Columbus Council 252, in conjunction with the American Red Cross, will sponsor the Norwood Community Blood Drive on Monday, June 1, from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Council Hall, 572 Nichols St. To give blood, you must be at least 17 years of age and weigh at least 110 pounds. For more information about giving blood, call 1-800-GIVE LIFE. Participants can make an appointment or simply drop in to the council hall.

NORWOOD HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS SNOW WHITE

Norwood High School will be presenting a delightful play, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," by Jessie Braham White, on Fridays, June 12 and 19, Saturdays, June 13 and 20, at 7 p.m. and Sunday, June 14, at 2 p.m., at the James R. Savage Educational Center, 275 Prospect St. The script predates and inspired the well-known Walt Disney version and at times projects a very comic and frightening fairytale. It is a play suitable for all ages and indeed there is something in this telling for everyone. Tickets are \$5 for general admission and \$4 for students and seniors and may be purchased at the door. If you have questions contact The Fine

Arts Department at Norwood High School (781) 440-5917.

FRIENDS OF NORWOOD MORRILL LIBRARY

The Friends of the Norwood Morrill Memorial Library will be holding their annual meeting on Wednesday, June 3, at 7:30 p.m. at the library. The meeting will be held in the Simoni Room. Come support the Friends and enjoy a presentation by the always entertaining and informative team of Margo Sullivan and Beth Goldman. For further information, call the library at (781) 769-0200.

NORWOOD SENIOR BABE RUTH

Norwood Senior Babe Ruth will have sign up and tryouts on Saturdays and Sundays from 6-8 p.m. throughout the month of May at the high school baseball field. Ages 16, 17, 18 and 19 are invited.

CAREER COACHING FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

Dr. Mitch Bornstein, of Career Treking in Wellesley, will present a free interactive session on Job Searching for Young Professionals on Tuesday, June 2, 7:30 p.m., at the Morrill Memorial Library. Intended for college students, recent graduates and young professionals, this overview will focus on identifying and finding the right job in a challenging market. Topics covered will include setting job goals and career directions, developing impressive resumes, cover letters and interview strategies, and establishing a successful job search. Please register at the library or call (781) 769-0200. The library is accessible for people with disabilities.

SUMMER TOURS AT THE DAY HOUSE

The F. Holland Day House will reopen for the summer season on Sunday, May 31, and be open for tours throughout the summer until Sunday, Aug. 30, from 1-4 p.m. Cost is \$4 per person and free to members.

VETERAN'S DAY HISTORY TOUR

There will be a history tour at the F. Holland Day House on Saturday, May 30, from 1-3 p.m. Rain date is Saturday, May 31.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

The next monthly caregiver support group will meet on Tuesday, May 26, at 10 a.m. at the Norfolk Adult Day Health Center, 595 Pleasant St. These meetings are free and open to the public. Questions should be directed to Marybeth Lynch at (781) 769-4495.

ARCHIVIST SPEAKING ON F. HOLLAND DAY

Dr. Patricia Fanning, archivist, author and associate professor of Sociology at Bridgewater State College, will be speaking about her latest book, "Through an Uncommon Lens: the Life and Photography of F. Holland Day," on Tuesday, May 26, 7:30 p.m. at the Morrill Memorial Library. Fanning will give an overview of this Norwood native's life and career along with a slide show of his often controversial work. A Boston-based photographer born in 1864, Fred Holland Day helped elevate photography to an art form. He also published books by Oscar Wilde, Stephen Crane, and W.B. Yeats and was a mentor to Norwood resident and writer Kahlil Gibran. He lived a life devoted to art and beauty yet died in relative obscurity. Recently, however, there has been a resurgence of interest in his art. His former home at 93 Day St. is now a museum and the headquarters of the Norwood Historical Society. Copies of Fanning's book, illustrated with more than a hundred photographs, will be available for sale after the program. Please register at the library or call (781) 769-0200. The library is accessible for people with disabilities.

NORWOOD GIRL SCOUTS SHOWCASE

The Norwood Girl Scouts is hosting a free event for the public to showcase the

activities of Daisy through Older Girl Scouts on Saturday, May 30, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 24 Berwick St. Light refreshments will be available. For more information, contact Lisa Silletti, Norwood Girl Scout Service Unit Chair, at lisa@norwoodlight.com.

NORWOOD ART ASSOCIATION NEWS

The Norwood Art Association, Inc., will hold its annual Spring Exhibit, Art in the Park, on Saturday, June 27, on the Town Common. Rain date, Sunday, June 28. The next demonstration for the Norwood Art Association Inc. will be held on Thursday, May 21, at 6:45 p.m. in the Simoni Room of the Norwood Library. The featured artist will be Rosalie Nadeau who will work in pastel and explain to viewers how she paints and answer any questions about her style and the products she uses. Rosalie is a contemporary artist having received her BFA from Maryland Institute College of Art in 1970. A painting is typically created from start to finish and the demonstration is free of charge and open to the public.

SAINT CATHERINE'S 5K RUN/WALK ROAD RACE

Saint Catherine's School Home and School Association will be hosting their first annual 5k Run/Walk Road race on Saturday, June 6, at 9 a.m. The race starts and ends in the school parking lot on Railroad Ave. Prizes will be awarded. There will be raffles, music and a children's run. Everyone is welcome. To sign up, go online to www.coolrunning.com or e-mail for a registration form at SCSRoadrace@yahoo.com. Questions will be addressed at email address SCSRoadrace@yahoo.com. All proceeds will benefit student programs at Saint Catherine's.

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of the runway. NFD, airport manager and related agencies notified and responded.

2145 phone. Serve warrant, arrest(s) made. Location/address: 389 Washington St. Probation officer issued warrant for probation violation for Steven Fairbain. As a result, one male placed under arrest. Arrest: Fairbairn, Steven. Address: 389 Washington St. 7, Norwood, MA. DOB: 01/19/1990. Charges: warrant arrest: probation.

2209 phone. Kids gathering, group moved. Location/address: Norwest Woods - 349 Normandy Dr. Security asked 12 kids to move along and they will not.

2336 phone. Assist citizen, spoken to. Location/address: 8 Cedar St. Caller reports male party violated R.O. by driving by the house. Plaintiff isn't at residence, her brother called. Brother was unsure if it was him. Would like extra checks.

Sunday, May 17

0026 phone. Missing person, report filed. Location/address: 470 Pleasant St. Caller reported her two daughters missing. Bolo, broadcast to cars. Parties entered into NCIC.

0202 phone. Noise complaint, spoken to. Location/address: 76 Sumner St. Caller reported cars beeping. Officer reported house party, advised to quiet down. Officers report party cleared out.

0847 walk-in. B & E of motor vehicle, report filed. Location/address: 130 Codman Rd. Between Sat. 5/16 1900 hrs and today 0830 hrs.

0905 phone. Auto theft, report filed. Location/address: 863 Washington St. 3. Report MA pc 874BW4 taken by a friend overnight. Motor vehicle already recovered in Boston after an mva and subsequent arrest.

0929 phone. Domestic, complaint/summons. Location/address: 990 Washington St. Resident Mason requested the police while he removes property from the residence. As a result, cross complaints to be filed. Summons: Mason, Judy P. Address: 990 Washington St. 1, Norwood, MA. DOB: 02/16/1968. Charges: a & b. Summons: Mason, George L. Address: 3638 Hopewell St. 2R, Mattapan, MA. DOB: 08/13/1965. Charges: a & b.

1033 phone. Illegal trash disposal, report filed. Location/address: Venice Cafe - 1086 Washington St. Owner reports a man driving MA 57KP56 attempting to throw tires in the dumpster last night.

1042 phone. Susp. activity, report filed. Location/address: 408 Washington St. Homeowner believes someone attempted to break into vacant home that is for sale due to windows screens being pushed upward. N679 reports no entry, checked home, all in order.

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1052 phone. Power outage, services rendered. Location/address: Railroad Ave. Multiple calls reporting the power out, wires down and a transformer explosion between Fulton and School St. Unirs responds for traffic in the area with traffic lights also out. NFD and ELD handle.

1402 phone. Fraud, report filed. Location/address: 27 St. James Ave. 3. Debit card used to make a purchase.

1516 phone. Mischief (kids), report filed. Location/address: 151 Jefferson Dr. Kids gathering in woods behind the home. Officers report goa. No signs of alcohol.

1541 phone. B & E of motor vehicle, report filed. Location/address: 78 Codman Rd. Between Sat. 4/16 2200 hrs and today 0500 hrs.

1722 walk-in. Assist citizen, services rendered. Location/address: 990 Washington St. Officers to stand by while party retrieved personal items from property.

1753 phone. Neighbor disturbance, report filed. Location/address: 25 Centennial Dr. 6. Caller reported neighbors harassing her.

Monday, May 18

0909 phone. Well being chk.,

services rendered. Location/address: 470 Pleasant St. Det. requested a check of Sally Clark who is missing but may have returned home. No answer at the door. Hingham P.D. notified and confirmed the missing person was at school in that town. Det. notified and LEAPS canceled.

1008 radio. Animal complaint, state DPW/Norwood DPW no. Location/address: Prospect St. Dead animal on street by footpath to Jr. High N. DPW notified.

1146 walk-in. Assist citizen, spoken to. Location/address: 37 Highview St. Owner of rental property reports tenant who has moved is back removing plants. Owner does not want them removed without restitution. Matter resolved.

1147 phone. Susp. activity, investigated. Location/address: No Name Enterprises Inc. - 64 Broadway St. Wallet found in the car of a customer's car left for service. Owner contacted and reports he was sleeping in the vehicle last night. Advised to check with the officer again on Tuesday so he can release the property after he investigates.

1204 phone. Larceny, spoken to. Location/address: J.C. Jacobs Plumbing Co. Inc. - 1156 Washington St. Yellow van with words "Movers in Action". Took copper piping from side of building. Miscommunication between father and son as son gave permission to subject.

1215 phone. Warrant arrest, no action required. Location/address: 5 Alandale Pkwy. Boston P.D. requests we execute warrant arrest. Does not appear to be anyone home. Boston P.D. notified. 05/18/2009 1339, Ms. Donovan brought to station under arrest. DSS has taken custody of children. Arrest: Donovan, Kerry Rita. Address: 5 Alandale Pkwy., Norwood, MA. DOB: 11/06/1982. Charges: warrant arrest.

1221 walk-in. B & E of motor vehicle, no action required. Location/address: Perks Coffee House - 685 Washington St. Subject in station to report his mv entered, nothing missing. Did not want to wait around. He did leave description of possible subject. W/m, 40's, scruffy, dk. jacket and red baseball cap.

1225 phone. B & E of motor vehicle, report filed. Location/address: Radiology Assoc. Norwood - 10 Guild St. Clare Breen reports her mv entered and glove box rifled through.

1747 phone. Animal complaint, spoken to. Location/address: 36 Marlboro St. Report barking dog. N666 spoke to dog's owner, brought dog inside. N.A.C.O. notified.

1814 phone. Susp. activity, spoken to. Location/address: Deerfield Rd. Two black males soliciting door to door asking for money. N665, N677 to check area. Spoken to.

1819 phone. Phone harassment, no action required. Location/address: 41 Mountain Ave. Caller reports annoying phone calls. N663, N664 respond. Caller called the wrong number. No action required.

1846 initiated. Radar assignment, citation/warning issued. Location/address: 81 Everett St. @ 10 Brookview Cir.

1940 phone. Domestic, protective custody. Location/address: 18 Orleans Rd. Call for assault in progress. N667, N665, N668 respond. As a Result, one placed in p.c. No assault. See report. P/C: Courtney, Michael D. Address: 633 South Main St., Attleboro, MA. DOB: 09/09/1985. Charges: protective custody.

2029 phone. Breaking and entering, report filed. Location/address: 804 Neponset St.

2037 initiated. Drunk person, protective custody. Location/address: District Convenience - 20 Broadway. As a result of checking on 2 subjects, N663 checks 1 subject, ok, sent on his way. N663 places 2nd subject in protective custody and transports to 47 William Shyne where a family member accepts responsibility for him. P/C: Johnson, Bobby Allen. Address: 220 Nahatan St. Q, Norwood, MA. DOB: 12/19/1961. Charges: protective custody.

2153 911. Mischief (kids), group moved. Location/address: Norwest Dr. Report 6-8 kids in parking lot, being loud and maybe drinking alcohol. Units checked 3 subjects, not wanted, no other violations, sent on their way.

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