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# Silver Line Tunnel Closed Until Further Notice for Engineering Assessment

Damage Believed to be Caused by Ongoing Construction Activity Adjacent to World Trade Center

Ongoing construction activity on Congress Street in the immediate vicinity of the MBTA's World Trade Center Station on the Silver Line resulted in loose pieces of concrete to fall on to the inbound platform of the station.

In the interest of public safety, the MBTA closed the Silver Line tunnel from South Station to Silver Line Way.

The MBTA has ordered an engineering assessment to determine the extent of any structural damage that may have been caused by the adjacent construction project. Out of an abundance of caution for T customers and employees, the MBTA has closed the Silver Line tunnel from South Station to Silver Line Way until that assessment is complete. There were no known injuries as a result of this incident.

The MBTA is running replacement bus service on surface streets until the tunnel is cleared for safe use. Buses will continue stopping at all normal stops between South Station and Silver Line Way. The T has deployed additional personnel at each station to provide customer assistance.

# **News Briefs**

by Sal Giarratani

## Trump Made Great Pick with Bolton

President Trump recently appointed former UN Ambassador John Bolton as his latest National Security Advisor. You knew it was a great selection when all the talking heads on *MSNBC* went ballistic over this appointment. Leading the pack as usual was Rachel Maddow, who ripped into him and his record. Right away, that nasty attack led me to believe Bolton was the right guy for the job.

I often listen to him Fridays on the *Jeff Kuhner Show* on AM 680. He is a true Reagan Republican who always speaks the truth. He and Trump will work out well.

# Grassroots Democrats Out to Get Superdelegates

It appears the days of the Democrat Party's deep state may no longer factor into the convention nominations. The superdelegates were an embarrassment in 2016, as they did their job of blocking Bernie Sanders from any possible chance of beating Clinton that summer at the convention.

Calling yourself Democrats and then acting like anti-democrats made for a bad photo op. Let the real delegates elected at the grassroots pick their presidential nominee. Keep the powerbrokers and party bosses out of the picture.

## Ann Coulter a Bit Angry at Trump

Conservative author Ann Coulter recently unloaded on President Trump over his signing of the big spending omnibus legislation in which he didn't get money for the wall and Democrats got everything they wanted, including the bridge connecting NY and NJ pushed by Chuckie Schumer.

She now wonders out loud whether Trump is all she

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# SONS OF ITALY GRAND LODGE OF MASSACHUSETTS

5<sup>th</sup> Annual

Massachusetts Education and Law Awards Sunday, May 6, 2018

Three successful Italian-American civil, public servants and twenty-nine accomplished scholarship recipients will be honored at the Fifth Annual Massachusetts Education and Law Awards. The event, hosted by the Commission for Social Justice and the Scholarship Commission, both under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, will take place on Sunday, May 6, 2018, at the DoubleTree in Andover, Massachusetts.

The Commission for Social Justice is pleased and honored to announce the following recipients of this year's awards.

This year's Justice Award recipient is the Honorable Andrew M. D'Angelo, an Associate Justice in Worcester District Court and Stoughton District Court. Judge D'Angelo earned his bachelor's degree from the College of the Holy Cross in 1990 and his Juris Doctorate from Suffolk University Law School in 1993. While attending law school, he worked as a legal assistant in the Suffolk County District Attorney's Office. He joined Carney & Bassil, PC, and was a Criminal Defense Attorney concentrating on criminal and civil litigation. He became a Managing Partner in 2003. He was nominated and subsequently confirmed as an Associate District Court Justice, in 2006 by Governor Mitt Romney. His published works include: "Trying Murder Cases in Massachusetts," "Trying Sex Offenses in Massachusetts," and "Collateral Consequences in Criminal Cases." He has received awards from the Massachusetts Bar Association and the American Association for Justice. He has been a coach for over fifteen years and served as President of the Norfolk Medfield Millis Pop Warner for five years. Judge D'Angelo resides in Medfield with his wife, Carrie. They have six children.

The recipient of the Law Enforcement Award is Lieutenant George E. Juliano,



Commander of the Boston Police Department's Sexual Assault Unit. He earned his bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from Curry College and his Master of Science in Criminal Justice from Anna Maria College. He has been a Boston Police Officer since 1987, serving eight years in Area C-11 (Dorchester) as a patrol officer. In 1995, he was promoted to Sergeant and was assigned to the South End Area D-4 that covers Fenway Park, Back Bay, and the South End. In 2002, he was recruited as a Squad Sergeant in the Youth Violence Strike Force (Gang Unit). In 2005, he was promoted to Lieutenant and returned to Dorchester to lead officers in his old neighborhood. In 2007, he became the Unit Commander of the Sexual Assault Unit in the Family Justice Group. Lieutenant Juliano teaches investigators across the state as a member of the Municipal Police Training Committee and has been a part of committees that have written or rewritten multiple trainings in domestic violence and sexual assault investigations statewide. He assisted the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey Police Department after the 9/11 attacks on the World Trade Center and also assisted Boston and local police after the Boston Marathon bombing

The Public Service Award recipient is Dr. Francis R. Mazzaglia. He is a public relations professional, newspaper columnist, college professor at the University of Massachusetts- Lowell, and an activist for Italian-

American causes. He earned his Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Boston College, Master of Education in English from Boston State College, Executive Master of Business Administration from Suffolk University, and both the Master of Educational Management and the Doctorate in Administration, Planning, and Social Policy from Harvard University. He is a member of numerous organizations, including the Dante Alighieri Society, St. Joseph's Society, St. Alfio Society, and the American Legion. He is the chairman of the October as Italian Heritage Month Committee and co-founder and chairman of the Italian American Alliance, which was created in response to the Cambridge City Council's decision to replace Columbus Day with Indigenous Peoples Day. He is also a member of the Greater Boston Renaissance Lodge #2614. Dr. Mazzaglia makes his home in Grafton.

The public servants and scholarship recipients honored during this event are shining examples of the hard work and achievements characteristic of the Italian-American community and our young scholars and leaders. We hope that we can provide a unique opportunity for the recognized students to witness and celebrate the successes of accomplished professionals and for the Law and Justice awardees to meet and inspire the best of the younger generation. For the attendees and their families, this event will be the most impressive that the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts has to offer and should encourage future participation in the Sons of Italy.

The Scholarship Commission has selected and notified this year's recipients. They will be highlighted individually in a future edition of the Sons of Italy News.

Tickets are priced at \$35.00 per person and can be purchased at *shop.osiama.org* or by contacting the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts at 617-489-5234.

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# Stirpe Nostra

by Prof. Edmund Turiello

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### THE THREE R'S DURING ANCIENT TIMES



The matter of education during very early times was generally a private concern. In ancient Sparta, however, it was supervised by the communities. As soon as a Spartan child was born, a committee of elders decided whether he or she should live or be exposed (abandoned and left to die). If the child was weak-looking or deformed, it was exposed on a nearby mountainside. A healthy male child was left to the care of his parents until his seventh year. He was then transported to a department of education, where he joined a troop of other youths his same age. Troop leaders were older youths who came up through the ranks; they were responsible for instructing the youngsters in their exercises.

These exercises were planned to suit the various ages of the children and usually consisted of wrestling, leaping, running, spear-throwing, discus-tossing, and dancing. Reading and writing were under the direction of tutors, but music and singing were part of their regular instruction.

Rigid discipline was intended to strengthen or harden these Spartan youths. They usually went barefoot, bare-headed, wore light clothing, and had short haircuts. Those who were twelve years and older wore nothing but a tunic type garment, which had to last them for a full year. Each troop slept in a common room, on beds of straw, with no roof above. Food was very plain or simple; hardly enough to satisfy their hunger.

Boys who stole food and were caught at it were punished. Those who stole in a clever manner were praised.

Every year, the boys were required to undergo a flogging at the altar of Artemis, their patron goddess. This punishment was designed to test their power to endure bodily pain. The flogging continued until blood was drawn. It was considered to be a disgrace to show any sign of suffering. Much of their education was also gained in their daily public life and in their conversations with men who were looked upon as seniors, instructors, and superiors. The Spartan youth behaved with great modesty and respect towards his elders. Every mature man chose a youth as his favorite and set an example of manly excellence for him. The elder was also responsible and punishable for any delinquency of the youth. The young male was considered to be a child up to the age of eighteen. From eighteen to twenty-one he was known as a youth and at age thirty he was considered to be a man.

**NEXT WEEK:** 

Ancient Education Continued

# COMMONWEALTH AVENUE BRIDGE PROJECT

I-90 And Commonwealth Avenue Traffic Impacts During Off-Peak Hours Throughout the Spring

Work-Related Activities Occurring in Advance of Intensive Construction Operations this Summer to Replace Westbound Side of the Bridge



The Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) is reminding members of the public that throughout the spring and into the summer months, crews will be conducting work-related activities as part of the Commonwealth Avenue Bridge Replacement project in Boston. These activities are in advance of the accelerated construction work that is expected to take place over approximately two weeks this summer to replace the west-bound side of the bridge.

In order to allow crews and contractors to safely and effectively conduct operations, temporary traffic impacts, including overnight and daytime off-peak lane closures on I-90 (the Massachusetts Turnpike) and Commonwealth Avenue, will be implemented as needed throughout the spring. These types of traffic impacts were used throughout spring, summer, and fall of 2017, when the eastbound deck and transit infrastructure were replaced. Logistical setups will be utilized this spring in ways that consider the needs of the traveling public and minimize the impacts on the local community.

The full list of traffic impacts occurring in the area of the Commonwealth Avenue Bridge throughout the spring is as follows:

- Overnight lane closures on I-90 eastbound and westbound from 9:00 pm through 5:00 am. These impacts are expected to begin next week and occur as operations require.
- Overnight lane closures on Commonwealth Avenue eastbound and westbound from 7:00 pm through 5:00 am. These impacts are beginning this week and will occur as operations require.
- Off-peak daytime lane closures on Commonwealth Avenue eastbound and westbound from 9:00 am through 3:00 pm. These impacts are beginning this week and will occur as operations require.

Work being carried out by crews in advance of the intensive construction operations later this summer includes activities such as reconstruction of back walls, excavation, shielding installation, expansion joint work, utility relocation, and other preparation items.

The Commonwealth Avenue Bridge Replacement Project is replacing the existing superstructure (the concrete deck and steel beams) that carries Commonwealth Avenue and the MBTA Green Line B branch over I-90 (the Massachusetts Turnpike) and the MBTA Commuter Rail line and Amtrak train tracks.

MassDOT has been planning this major project and coordinating with stakeholders for several years and work is being carried out in ways that help reduce the overall construction duration and minimize the impact on travelers. This project, which would take an estimated four to five years using conventional techniques with significant lane-closings and service disruptions, is scheduled for two short duration construction phases.

The eastbound side of the Commonwealth Avenue Bridge and the MBTA Green Line B track area were replaced in summer of 2017; in summer 2018, the westbound side of the bridge will be replaced. In addition to a new bridge, the project will result in functional and safety improvements for vehicles, the B Line, cyclists, and pedestrians.

For more information, please visit the project website: www.massdot.state.ma.us/highway/HighlightedProjects/ CommonwealthAvenueBridgeReplacement.aspx

# MBTA: AFC 2.0 to Support Faster Trips on Buses and Green Line Trains

Taking a major step toward a new system that will simplify fare collection and improve the delivery of transit services, the MBTA reached commercial and financial close with the consortium of Cubic | John Laing, executing an agreement on a multi-year contract for the design, implementation, operation, and maintenance of a new Automated Fare Collection system.

Known as AFC 2.0, the new system has a total program value for capital and operating costs of \$701.3 million, which includes operating costs through 2031. The value on today's closing was \$22 million less than the amount approved by the Fiscal and Management Control Board in the November award of the contract. The team has been working diligently to reach financial close to minimize exposure to interest rate movement. AFC 2.0 is moving forward under a public-private partnership model with incentives for the contractor to ensure the infrastructure is operational, with risk-sharing agreements for the financing, and requires the contractor to perform system maintenance over the thirteen-year agreement.

"As the first public-private partnership for the MBTA, this method will allow a major customer service improvement to advance in a cost-effective manner," said MassDOT Secretary and CEO Stephanie Pollack. "The contract structure for AFC 2.0 is a crucial component of this project because it serves as a method to deliver the project, to finance it, and to free up our own internal resources to focus on other critical MBTA efforts."

"This isn't just the next generation of fare collection, but an entirely new way that our customers will interact with the MBTA," said MBTA General Manager Luis Manuel Ramírez. "The new system will be compatible with all MBTA transit modes, will provide fare payment flexibility, and will have more fare media options for use. While we're excited about today's milestone, we will soon initiate a major effort to educate our customers, stakeholders, and partners at all levels of government on the benefits of the new system."

Benefits of the new system include:

Faster buses and Green Line trains: The new system will allow all-door boarding on the Green Line and on buses. With shorter lines and reduced boarding times, buses and Green Line trains will have reduced "dwell times."

**Tap everywhere:** The new system will be available on all modes starting from the initial rollout. The ability to tap and board the same way on all buses, trains, commuter rail, and ferries means customers can seamlessly transfer between modes.

**New CharlieCard**: The new system includes a contactless fare card, similar to the existing CharlieCard, with added security and account management benefits. New fare cards will be available at select retail locations and fare vending machines located in all subway stations and at some bus stops.

Use of smartphone or contactless credit card: Customers can skip the step of reloading value by tapping with contactless credit cards or smartphones at fare gates and readers.

**Pay before boarding more easily**: Account value can be reloaded at fare vending machines and retailers throughout the MBTA service area, as well as through the call center and a new website.

**Pay with cash**: Cash payments will continue to be accepted at all vending machines and local retailers, which will be in twice as many locations as they are today. Even if customers tap with a smartphone, they will be able to reload using cash.

**Account management**: Customers can check their balances, access travel history, and reload or replace a lost card online or by phone through the MBTA's call center.

**Accessibility improvements**: The entire system will be designed for a broad range of accessibility needs by user experience specialists. All fare gates will be wider and the website and mobile app will be compliant with digital accessibility guidelines.

**Privacy protection**: The privacy requirements embedded in the new system are above and beyond the industry standard to ensure that each customer's personally identifiable information (PII) and travel history are protected.

MBTA customers will begin to experience the first elements of the new system late in 2019. During a gradual transition period, the existing CharlieCard will continue to be accepted alongside the new payment options to allow customers time to make the switch. Full implementation will occur by mid-2020, followed by a retirement of the existing system in 2021.

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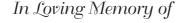
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# Joseph C. Cataldo

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It's Been Four Years

Love of my life, I miss you so Always my darling, my tears still flow A constant wish that you were here How much I love you, please hear None on earth can take your place You, my love I will forever embrace

Your memory is my keepsake, with which I'll never part God has you in his keeping, I have you in my heart Beautifully loved always and forever,

We all miss you infinitely

Your Loving Wife Annette and Family

# Plant Lilies for a Garden of **Elegant and Fragrant Blooms**

by Melinda Myers



Kaveri lilies bloom mid-summer and enliven gardens with their golden yellow petals painted with tangerine and burgundy. (Photo by Longfield-Gardens.com)

Lilies add long-lasting color and fragrance to flower gardens and summer bouquets. These stately flowers provide vertical interest and blend nicely with other perennials. And best of all, with very little care, you'll be enjoying them for years to come.

Plant different types of lilies to extend your enjoyment from early summer into fall. The colorful and often fragrant blossoms add elegance to any bouquet and are long-lasting in a vase.

Start off the summer with Asiatic lilies. These compact plants have upward or outward facing blooms and though they are not fragrant, they do come

in bright colors that will light up your early summer garden. All are hardy in zones 4 to 9.

The next lilies to bloom are LA Hybrids. These trumpet-shaped lilies are a cross between fragrant Easter lilies (Lilium longiflorum) and colorful Asiatics. Choose from an array of rich colors including cream, pink, yellow, orange and red. Hardy in zones 4 to 9.

The dainty blossoms of turk's cap lilies open in early summer. Also known as Martagon lilies, these flowers have recurved petals and look like they are dangling from an upside-down candelabra. Hardy in zones 3 to

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# An Evening with the Friends of the North End Library

by Patricia Sabbey

The winter weather may have persisted outside, but spring was in the air at the Friends of the North End Library (FONEL) Spring Fling recently. The friendly gathering at The Living Room was an opportunity for current members and new members alike to enjoy a fun evening, to raise funds for Friends' events, and to fulfill the library's wishes for items that ranged from beanbag reading chairs to gardening supplies. The talented duo, The Joneses, added musical excitement to the evening. The Living Room chef provided an ample and delicious repast, including a charcuterie selection, passed hot appetizers, and a pasta station.

Representative Aaron Michlewitz, a staunch supporter of the Library, addressed the group and spoke about the importance of branch libraries to communities. He praised the Friends of the North End Library for their ongoing support of this community resource.

For those still wishing to donate, the Friends will display a Giving Tree at the library. For those wishing to join FONEL, go to www.FriendsNELibrary. org or ask for a membership



"The Joneses"

application at the Library's circulation desk.

The time commitment as a member of the Friends is completely up to each person. Volunteer to help at one event or on an ongoing basis or just pay your dues with no strings attached. The Friends are committed to working with Jennifer Hawes, Branch Librarian, to provide an enriching and enlightening library experience. Any and all support is welcome!



State Rep Aaron Michaelwitz



L to R: unknown, Susan Peruti, Terese O'Connell, Phyllis Vitti



Peter and Liz Greene



Karen and MJ Schultz



L to R: Patricia Sabbey, Mary Sanderson, Michele Brogan

It's Time for Spring, SPRING CLEANING THAT IS!!!

# North End Friends of St. Francis House **Annual Flea Market and Bake Sale**

North End Friends of St. Francis House will be having their Annual Flea Market and Bake Sale to support the St. Francis House Homeless Shelter. The event will be on Friday, May 4th, from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm and Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Nazzaro Center.

So clean out your closets, storage units, and cellars and donate your unwanted household items, records, CDs, books, small appliances, collectibles, toys, games, sports equipment, jewelry, and similar items that are clean and in good condition for us to sell at our Flea Market.

PLEASE, NO CLOTHES, COMPUTERS, CAR SEATS, or UNCLEANED ITEMS! You can help also us by collecting your spare change over the next month and donating it on May 14th or 15th — it adds up fast!

For more information or questions, please contact John Romano at jromano45@gmail.com.

If you cannot attend the event and want to make a donation, you can send a check made out to St. Francis House to: Olivia Scimeca, 21 Cleveland Place, Apt #5, Boston, MA 02113

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# L'Anno Bello: A Year in Italian Folklore

A Blooming Beginning in April

by Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz



Easter Sunday has passed, but there is still a whole month of spring and sunshine to enjoy in April. April smells like fresh flowers and the pungent scent of trees after a delicate rainfall, like balmy breezes and juicy strawberries. Soft rains drizzle down outside my window, making the grass seem lush and greener than a mint sprig, the pavement shiny and smooth like obsidian. I am reminded of the old rhyme I cheerfully intoned as a young girl: "April showers bring May flowers!" Indeed, April is the time of the year when spring finally feels in full bloom, when flowers, rain, and abundant sunshine meld together to form an energetic, playful month. The origin of April's name also reflects its qualities of rejuvenation and rebirth. April derives from the Latin word aperire, which means "to open." Truly, all of nature is opening and awakening at this point, from the purple tulips peeking out of the dirt to the buds on tree branches and the baby animals walking on wobbly legs. As the Latin origin of the name suggests, April is a significant month in Italy. Not only is it a full month of spring and the frequent home of Easter, but April brims with its own folk traditions, holidays, and customs particular to Italy. Italians even start the month in a jovial fashion, surreptitiously pinning paper fishes to each other's backs during pesce d'aprile, or April Fools' Day. The following is a sampling of quirky and culturally rich practices that characterize April in Italy:

April Proverbs: Italian folklore abounds with multiple back to the days when Italian society was primarily based on

agriculture. Farmers needed to pay special heed to the weather in order to determine important and vital times, like when to plant and what crop yields to expect. As such, most of the Italian proverbs related to April (which I gathered from the wonderful website italyrevisited.org) concern themselves with the weather of the month. One proverb declares: "L'aprile piovoso, fa il maggio grazioso." Translating to "a rainy April makes a grateful May," this is the Italian version of the "April showers bring May flowers" dictum. Another proverb says, "Marzo tinge, aprile dipinge," meaning that what March dirties, April cleans up, as April rains and vegetation takes over the muddy or snowy changeable weather of March. However, another proverb admonishes, "Aprile, non ti scoprire." It warns against discarding your coat during April, as there are still cool days left!

Rome's Birthday (April 21st) and St. Mark's Day (April 25th): Italy is filled with many cityspecific holidays and two of the most intriguing fall during April. Rome's Birthday honors the founding of the city all the way back in 753 B.C. Romans celebrate with festivals, parades, concerts, and fireworks displays throughout la cittá eterna (the eternal city). Four days later, the charming maritime city of Venice displays similar gaiety for St. Mark's Day, or la Festa di San Marco, the feast day of Venice's patron saint. Carnivals, markets, and parties center around the enormous St. Mark's Square, the beating heart of the city. Celebrate both holidays by enjoying food proverbs related to months and from each region. How about a times of the year. These hearken plate of spaghetti alla carbonara (spaghetti with egg sauce) on Rome's Birthday and some risi

e bisi, or risotto with peas, on St. Mark's Day?

Liberation Day (April 25th): This patriotic holiday honors the liberation of Italy from Nazi and fascist occupation during World War II. On April 25th of 1945, the cities of Turin and Milan were the first to be freed from the occupation and their liberation prompted a chain of events that culminated in Italy's freedom. Italy celebrates Liberation Day, or Festa della Liberazione, with processions, speeches, and countrywide events. My ancestors, including my grandparents, still lived in Italy during the Second World War and had to deal with all the horrors that accompany an armed conflict, from bombings to mob violence to food shortages. Therefore, I always feel compelled to remind people of this springtime feast, a holiday commemorating the ordinary Italians who fought so hard to free their beautiful land from

the terror of fascism. May Day Eve (April 30th): I love this holiday! Since ancient times, European folklore has attributed magical properties to the first day of May. People believed that elves, fairies, and witches were especially active on this day. In Italy, May Day is known as Calendimaggio and celebrations begin the night before, on the last evening of April. Cities hold festivals and events with a spooky twist, replete with witch decorations and magical themes. Honor this day by taking a walk during dusk and contemplating the wonder and mystery still left in the world.

Sagre: In conclusion, I would like to point out that towns and cities all over Italy hold sagre, or food festivals, throughout the year. They focus on seasonal, local ingredients and the various ways to highlight them in delicious dishes. Most Italian sagre focus on the country's premiere spring vegetable, the artichoke, or carciofo. I absolutely love artichokes and look forward to them every spring. Enjoy artichokes the way Italians do — stuffed in pastas like ravioli or tortellini, fried, or simply marinated in olive oil. Yum!

So there you go — wonderful ways to celebrate Italian heritage throughout April. When spring is in the air, everyone is in the mood for festivity and Italy is no different! Whichever holidays and customs you choose to honor, make sure you feast with joy in your heart and optimism for the bounty of spring.

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## **Bundling Liberal Outrage**

In the evenings, I usually sit down for a bit, watching TV to relax. I put on the R&B Classic Music station and relax with Luther Vandross or maybe Robert Knight singing "Everlasting Love."

However, sometimes I like watching cable news stations. My favorite is the Fox News Network because, for the most part, it is fair and balanced. I do find it difficult at times watching Sean Hannity or Mark Levin go ballistic against the left, but even they are more fair and balanced then their lunatic counterparts over on CNN or MSNBC, which is the worst of all.

The Fake Newsies are obsessed with taking down President Trump and have been since Day One. The other evening, Rachel Maddow was ranting on her show about how the Census Bureau plans on asking individuals to check off whether or not they are U.S., citizens. How dare they ask such a question? It will force many not to fill out the form and mail it back, thus underestimating the number of folks living in America. Bottom line, U.S. funds given out to states and congressional districts will be far less than it ought to be. Liberal NY attorney General Eric Schneiderman put that perspective best, saying that a question on citizenship "will create an environment of fear and distrust ... that would make impossible both an accurate census and the fair distribution of federal tax dollars." Remember; always follow the money for intent. No one is forced to fill out a form and why wouldn't someone here illegally not just lie on that troubling citizenship question?

Switch to CNN, the so-called most trusted name in news, and they were concerned that Trump might be trying to be nefarious in misusing the approved military funds in the recently signed Omnibus Bill and divert money from that budget to build his wall.

What was their source of any of this? Let's see, CNN reports that the Washington Post reports that Trump, according to a leak, is privately talking with folks about doing such a thing. Let's see again, one purveyor of fake news is reporting that another purveyor of fake news has discovered Trump plans to play dirty with the military budget. I don't know about you, but I'll believe it when I see it. Count me as a Doubting Thomas on this report.

Finally, there's that storm brewing over the president and one Stormy Daniels over whether or not the two of them had a relationship about eleven years before Trump became president, back when he was a reality star.

The peddlers of Fake News think the allegations are somehow a crime. How low has the Fake News Media gone to make this their top story on a recent 60 Minutes show?

Their only hook to keep this story alive is the so-called hush money paid in 2016. Or the alleged veiled threats made to poor Stormy.

However, I think the real motivation of this seedy story is most likely an attempt to separate Trump from his evangelical Christian/Social Conservative Base. Hey, I voted for Trump knowing he wasn't Saint Donald and so did his base.

Bottom line, whether it was the above attacks or the constant canonization of Bob Mueller, all of this is merely a sign of the ongoing Trump Derangement Syndrome for which there appears to be no

The greatest danger to America and the Republic is not President Trump, but the building of a movement in a state of toxic public discourse. The idea seems to keep Trump busy as long as you can and hope somehow you win and he gets booted out of the White House. Keep on dreaming.

America will survive because it has to survive! Trump is hardly our best president, but I can think of one other president not that long ago who got a free pass from the current purveyors of Fake News for actions taken inside the Oval Office.

# Richard Settipane

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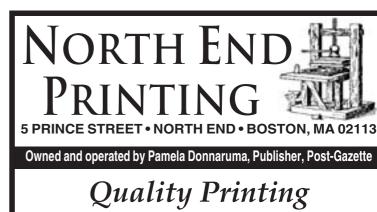
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# Bitter Chicory to Sweet Espresso

A Local Author's Book Takes a Look at World War II from a New Perspective

Carmine Vittoria, who spends his winters living in Key Biscayne, FL, is the author of *Bitter Chicory to Sweet Espresso*, which looks at the human aspects of war.

Hurricane Andrew did not deter Carmine Vittoria and his wife from coming back to Key Biscayne each year, fulfilling the prophecy of Jamie of Coldwell Banker Real Estate. Like snowbirds, they came back each year for the winter months. Professor Vittoria paid his dues by teaching in the summer months at Northeastern University in Boston. He retired from the university in 2016 after thirty-two years. His academic

work involved the studies of the magnetism of magnetic materials.

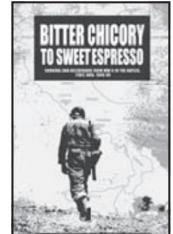
However, what interested him the most besides his academic studies, was the history of World War II, especially surrounding events taking place in the Naples area. For example, he read so many books that he could account by the hour what events took place on a given day in Rome during September of 1943.

The most striking revelation to him in reading these books was that most, if not all, history books of that period of time tended to be pretty dry and analytical. The books covered everything from the planning of war strategies to the deployment of soldiers in battles as written by a former Army officer. The question that begged to be asked was, "What happened to all those people who were in the way of battles all over Europe? Did the people take a vacation from the war?"

The obvious answer is no! In short, most of the books were written from an adult perspective with little insight as to what happened to people caught in the middle of battles.

In writing his book *Bitter Chicory to Sweet Espresso*, Vittoria has injected some realism into the events of war taking place in the Naples area by showing some human aspects to war. However, he has not abandoned the plans and strategies that went into those events. He eloquently intermixes the human aspect with the war plans of that time.

The setting for the story is the town of Avella near Naples. Monte Avella overlooks the order of things in nature from above it all and her strong icy blast of winds reveals her mood and seasons. Fields of red poppies, chicory flowers, lavender violets, white and pink daisies, and wild dandelions adorn the farms and foothills of Avella in the spring, much like Monet's landscape paintings. The flowers remind farmers and shepherds it is time to prepare for the next crop and remove the thick wool coats on sheep. Since ancient Roman times, hazelnuts and olives from here have been exported to every corner of the world. The mountains have protected the people in the valleys



below from invading armies for centuries. They were a source of food and a symbol of inspiration for resisting or surviving foreign invasions. Ownership of grass fields in the mountains was like wearing a badge of honor and pride in town.

Avella sits at a critical junction point on the slopes of the Apennine Mountains near Naples. From the surrounding mountains, Via Appia, the old Roman road, Bay of Naples, Vesuvius and the coastline along the Tyrrhenian Sea are visible on a clear day. For over 3,000 years, invading armies have come and gone in the town of Avella. The town has adapted and survived

through all these invasions in the past, as well as during WWII. More than fifty million casualties resulted from WWII, as the war spread from the far east to Europe and North Africa, where devastation and atrocities beyond human comprehension occurred. Naples and vicinity were invaded by foreign armies from Germany, Britain, the U.S., France, Algeria, Tunisia, Morocco, Australia, Poland, New Zealand, India and Canada. German soldiers came to occupy Italy and Allied soldiers came to liberate it.

Events of WWII in the Naples area as witnessed and seen by a child and his family are recounted in detail. Vittoria's observations have often contrasted with adult observations of the same events. Many of the discrepancies between the two descriptions are reconciled or explained by the author in terms of recent revelations of the events of post-war military trials, economic recovery, preservation of the church, and the absurdity of some war plans by decision makers.

There is an old Neapolitan proverb that states roughly the following: "With little truth, sometimes it may be possible to hide the big lie." The little truth in the Mediterranean campaign of the Allied Armies was that the island of Sardinia was at the limit of air coverage from Sicily. The big lie was that the island was occupied by German troops. In truth, German troops left in early September 1943. Had the Allies invaded the island of Sardinia, it would have shortened the war, minimized American casualties, trapped the entire German Army south of Rome, negated the need for the Salerno, Anzio and Cassino catastrophes, and reduced the suffering and misery in Southern Italy.

The Marshall Plan is given much credit for the economic recovery of Europe after the war. The plan alleviated the food shortage in Southern Italy, but it did little to improve the industrial base of the south. If anything, it exacerbated the inequity of industries between South and North Italy. It resulted in a great exodus of young talent from the South of Italy to other parts of Europe and the United States.

# Mayor Walsh Announces 4th Annual "One Boston Day" on April 15th

Encourages Civic Participation and Acts of Goodwill



Mayor Martin J. Walsh recently announced the City of Boston will once again honor Boston's resilience, generosity, and strength on April 15th, now known as "One Boston Day." The day serves as an opportunity to recognize the good in our community, celebrate one another, and reflect on the spirit and resilience of the people of Boston that was exemplified in response to the loss and tragedies of April 15, 2013.

Individuals and organizations are encouraged to share

their plans for One Boston Day on the official website and on social media using the hashtag #OneBostonDay.

"One Boston Day has turned the Marathon into a movement our entire city has rallied around, spreading the message of kindness and goodwill across the world," said Mayor Walsh. "April 15<sup>th</sup> will forever be a day that represents the resilience of the human spirit, and I hope everyone can mark this day in a way that showcases the very best of our city and its people."

The Mayor made the an-

nouncement at the unveiling of the 2018 Boston Marathon street banners at Marathon Sports on Boylston Street.

"One Boston Day" encourages random acts of kindness and spreading goodwill, and activities across the City will encourage individuals to give back to their community. The tradition came together in 2015 based on the desire expressed by many survivors to pass on the kindness, generosity, and support they received following the 2013 Boston Marathon.

In every year since its official establishment in 2015 on April 15<sup>th</sup>, #OneBostonDay has been a leading trend nationally on social media. Last year alone, there were over 43,000 posts across social channels. As in the past, Hill Holiday is serving as the creative and digital marketing partner to help spread awareness and raise the visibility of One Boston Day.



# Taste of the North End

to Host 25th Annual Event on April 27th

One of Boston's most popular festivals of food, charity, and the rich history of the neighborhood is returning to Steriti Rink in the North End to celebrate its 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary on April 27<sup>th</sup>. At Taste of the North End, guests can sample from more than thirty popular North End eateries showcasing a wide array of delectable appetizers, cheeses, entrées, and desserts while sipping refreshing libations from area wine and beer distributors. There will also be a high-end silent auction with hotel and restaurant packages, Boston sporting tickets, memorabilia, and more – all for charity.

The money raised from the event benefits North End Waterfront Health (NEW Health) — the neighborhood health center — as well as several local non-profit organizations in the North End, including ones focused on the elderly, education, youth athletics and art programs, and health programs to help better the entire community. NEW Health has also started several initiatives to improve the food insecurity issues in Charlestown. The funds are extremely important, as they help support many of the health center's programs and outreach projects. This is the seventh year that NEW Health has partnered with the Frattaroli family to put on and host the event.

This year's restaurants include: Accardi & Son, Albert A. Russo Imports, Inc., Antico Forno/Terramia, Aria Trattoria, Artu, Ben Cotto/Benvenutos, Bricco/Aquapazza, Café Paradiso, Espresso Plus, Il Molo, J. Pace & Son, La Summa, Lilly Pasta, Lucca, Mamma Maria, Mare, Massimino, Mike's Pastry, Modern Pastry, Neptune Oyster, North Square Oyster, Pagliuca, Pauli's, Paul W. Marks, Piantedosi Baking, Prezza, Rocco's Cucina & Bar, Rosaria Steakhouse, Sail Loft, Salumeria Italiana, Taranta, The Living Room, Vito/Carmelina's. Beer and wine will be supplied by Tito's Handmade Vodka, Fantasy Fine Wines, Luna di Luna, Ruby Wines, Martignetti, Busch, Sam Adams, and Harpoon.

The event co-chairs are event founder Donato Frattaroli, owner of Il Molo, and James Luisi, CEO of NEW Health. The Master of Ceremonies for the 20<sup>th</sup> year is *KISS-108* and *NESN's The Dining Playbook* personality Billy Costa.

Tickets to the event can be purchased in advance at totne 2018. brownpapertickets.com or by calling 617-643-8049. They are on sale for \$79 (plus service fee online) from now until April 17<sup>th</sup>, when they will become \$99 (plus service fee online). Tickets will also be sold at the event door.

Join us at the DCR Steriti Memorial Ice Rink, 561 Commercial Street, Boston, MA 02109on Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm.





# ALL THAT ZAZZ

by Mary N. DiZazzo

## Face Cleanser —

Not One Brand is for All!

Ciao Bella,

I feel like winter and spring are good seasons to deep cleanse your face. It's before summer, when oily sun tan oil, pore clogging SPF sunscreens, and self-tanners are applied every day. All that matters to me is not fading my tan!

So here are some professional suggestions to keep your complexion clear and clean.

To deep clean an oily T-zone with a cleanser, use one that contains Baking Powder; it will clean deep and soften parched patches.

Cleanse with a gel for acneprone skin — a Salicylic Acid cleanser will fight pore-clogging oil and bacteria, not drying out your skin.

Use a Rose Water cleanser that will soothe and reverse redness. My Kosmea has one that is non-foaming and gentle for irritated skin.

I also suggest for Dryness a



cleanser with Coconut Oil. The Coconut Oil is a mild moisturizer, banishing parched skin.

Exfoliate and refine your skin with a clay cleanser. Purifying clay with minerals brightens your skin.

Hope this list helps my Glamazons to stay clean and clear.

Buona Giornata and God Bless the USA!

— Mary N. DiZazzo-Trumbull

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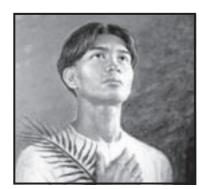
# Saint Pedro Calungsod

by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari

Little is known of Pedro Calungsod's place of birth, but it is believed to have been in the Visayas region of the Philippines on July 21, 1654. He was just a boy when he went as a catechist with some Spanish Jesuit missionaries from the Philippines to the Ladrones Islands in the western Pacific in 1668 to evangelize the Chamorros.

Life in the Ladrones was hard, but despite the hardships the missionaries persevered and the Mission was blessed with many conversions. Subsequently, the islands were renamed "Marianas" by the missionaries in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of the Queen Regent of Spain, María Ana, who supported the Mission.

A Chinese man named Choco, a criminal from Manila envious of the prestige that the missionaries were gaining among the Chamorros, began spreading rumors that the baptismal water used by missionaries was poisonous. The false accusation of Choco was readily supported by the Macanjas (sorcerers), who began persecuting the missionaries.



On April 2, 1672, Pedro, who was about 17 years old, and the superior of the mission, named Padre Diego Luís de San Vitores, arrived at the village of Tomhom on the Island of Guam. There, they were told that a baby girl was recently born in the village, so they went to ask the child's father, named Matapang, to bring out the infant for baptism. Matapang was a Christian and a friend of the missionaries, but having rejected Christianity, he angrily refused to have his baby baptized.

To give Matapang some time to cool down, Padre Diego and Pedro gathered the children and some adults of the village at the nearby shore and started chant-

ing with them the truths of the Catholic Faith.

Determined to kill the missionaries, Matapang went away and enlisted the help of another villager, named Hirao. It was during the brief absence of Matapang that Padre Diego and Pedro took the chance of baptizing the infant with the consent of the Christian mother.

When Matapang learned of the baptism, he became even more furious. Finally, Pedro got hit by a spear in his chest and he fell to the ground. Hirao immediately charged towards him and finished him off with a blow of a cutlass to the head. They then killed Padre Diego. The two killers then dragged them to the edge of the shore, tied large stones to their feet and threw them into the ocean. The bodies of the martyrs were never found.

Padre Diego Luís de San Vitores was beatified by Pope John Paul II on October 6, 1985.

Pedro Calungsod was canonized by Pope Benedict XVI on October 21, 2012. The Feast of Saint Pedro Calungsod is celebrated on April 2nd.

# Mayor Walsh Invites Boston Teens to Apply to the Mayor's Youth Council

Mayor Martin J. Walsh invites Boston teens to apply for the 2018-2019 Mayor's Youth Council. The Mayor's Youth Council (MYC) is a model of youth inclusion in government and civic engagement that has spurred cities across the nation, and even internationally, to examine how they include youth in local government.

"I am incredibly proud of what our Mayor's Youth Council has been able to accomplish and look forward to even more students sharing their voices and ideas on the Council," said Mayor Walsh. "The Mayor's Youth Council helps ensure we are making decisions that reflect what young people in Boston need to make our city even better, and I encourage all Boston teens to apply for this great opportunity."

The Mayor's Youth Council is a group of eighty-five high school-aged youth that are committed to improving their communities and empowering other young people in the city. The number of youth represent-

ing neighborhoods is based upon census data that indicates where young people live.

The MYC is overseen by Boston Centers for Youth & Families (BCYF) Division of Youth Engagement & Employment. Northeastern University is a longtime sponsor of the Mayor's Youth Council.

To learn more and to apply online, visit www.boston.gov/departments/boston-centers-youth-families/mayors-youth-council. The deadline is Monday, April 13, 2018.

# FONE 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Florida Bocce Bowl

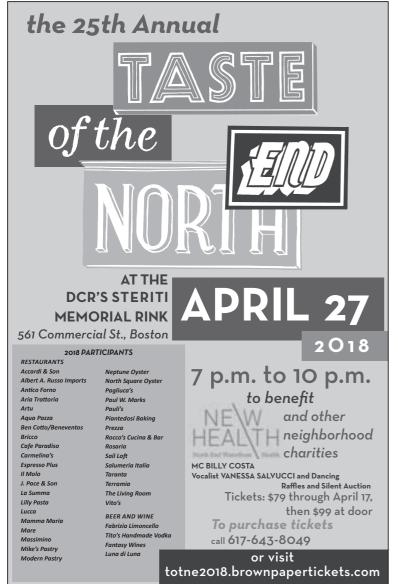


L-R: Victor Passacantilli, Ray Capobianco (West End), Domenic, Ron Fuccillo, Gus Pesaturo, Franco (New York), and Joe Ferullo

On Friday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, members of FONE (Friends of the North End) traveled to Deerfield Beach, FL, to play bocce. The match was once again organized by Domenic Piso and took place at Century Village. For the third year in

a row, the North Enders were defeated by their opponents from Michigan, New York, and New Jersey by way of Italy. The challengers were exceptional players who made their beloved pastime look easy. Everyone is looking forward

to playing again next year. Hopefully, we can convince players back home like Vito Aluia, Angelo Di Girolamo, Frank Julianello, and Natale De Marco to be there to help give FONE its first victory in this annual tournament!





# Mrs. Murphy . . . As I See It

On Good Friday, organization still exists today, Aqueduct in New York named Holy Week and won.

The horse paid \$10.00 on a two-dollar bet ... East Boston continues to mourn! Another distinguished member of the community has passed away. The remarkable Benito "Benny" Tauro left this world for a better one recently, leaving family, friends and the community broken-hearted. Benny, as he was affectionately known, was heavily involved in the community and the Mount Carmel Church for many years. Together with his wife Debra, he held elaborate cookouts every summer for the East Boston Police Department and Court House, in their beautiful backyard lined with fruit trees and flowers, to show appreciation for their efforts in keeping the community safe. Among their prestigious guest list was the deceased Honorable Boston Mayor Tom Menino and many elected officials. Guests would find themselves in the presence of many friends and family members to catch up on the old and current times. Tauro's guest list was endless and their parties continued from noon well into the evening. Benny's devotion to the Mount Carmel Church and community was undying. Mr. Tauro also founded "Italia Unita," which began as a three-day feast in Central Square. The Feast no longer runs, but the Italian

run by Lisa Cappucchio and Pat Capogreco. Mr. Tauro will truly be missed by all those who knew and loved him ... What's taking Boston so long to implement a mandatory clear backpack law for its public school students to follow? Other states have begun to make it mandatory that a student can only get into school with a back pack that's clear so it reveals what they are bringing into the classroom. Massachusetts should follow suit ... New religious sects are popping up all over East Boston and just about everywhere. These places of worship are becoming as popular as Dunkin' Donuts and McDonalds ... East Boston is gearing up for the Columbus Day Parade and the committee is looking for volunteers. I believe Joe Ruggerio or Buddy Mangini would be the ones to contact ... U.S. Congress recently passed HR 1865 "FOSTA," seeking to subject websites to criminal and civil liabilities when third parties (users) misuse online personals unlawfully. As a result, Craigslist personals have been taken off-line. Too many problems! ... Recent target of some groups is the Census Bureau! Several states and rights groups want the government to stop asking if you're a U.S. Citizen on 2020 Census Questionnaires. If the question goes unanswered, it would be another way to be in this country illegal or avoid citizenship. I think the taxpaying people of this country deserve

to know if you're here to stay or just using up our resources. However, the Census Bureau announced they have decided to include the citizenship question ... With East Boston brimming over with residents and all the new high-rise development, the city really needed a second ambulance and probably a third soon! So, Mayor Marty Walsh recently announced a second ambulance would be stationed here soon ... What are these 18-wheeler truck driver's thinking? Obviously, one can see an 18-wheeler can't get through the underpass! It's too low! However, the trucks continue to get stuck under the Neptune Road viaduct, causing traffic tie-ups for hours! According to Massport, truck drivers need more signage direction to avoid the chaos of becoming stuck. So, a proposal of more signage to help trucks use the Marty Coughlin Bypass Road, a half mile road extending under Day Square to Chelsea Street designed to remove Logan Airport-related traffic from East Boston's residential streets by 18-wheelers, is underway ... It really is disgraceful when you see dog owners walking their dogs on the sand at Revere Beach and sometimes in the water to relieve themselves. In fact, it's downright disgusting! These dog owners are too lazy to pick up after their dog's mess, so they walk their dog onto the sand or ocean and just walk away when the dog has finished! Shame, Shame! ... Till next time!

# **Marathon Daffodils**

by Matt Piscitelli, Director, Marathon Daffodils

Marathon Daffodils, a Massachusetts registered non-profit, is in its fifth year of growing and delivering thousands of daffodils throughout Boston and along the Boston Marathon route. Our goal is to provide this living symbol of spring, rebirth, and hope. Perennial daffodils, clad in the Boston Athletic Association royal blue, are used to lift the spirits and signify the resilience and strength of our entire Boston Strong community who run and attend the world's oldest annual marathon. Our organization is run solely through the tireless efforts of its board members and teams of volunteer horticulturalists, residents, visitors and donors.

The daffodils are locally grown in Raynham, MA, at Olson's Greenhouses. In October of 2017, more than 25,000 Dutchmaster daffodil bulbs were imported from Holland, planted in



**Daffodils in Christopher Columbus Park** 



Two successful marathoners with medals and (Photo by Meredith Piscitelli) daffodils.

5,000 pots, and put into a massive cooler. Three weeks prior to Marathon Weekend, the bulbs are removed from the cooler, ending their winterlong hibernation and beginning their life as a Boston Strong Marathon Daffodil. Mother Nature sits on the sideline while Olson's heats, feeds, waters, and controls the greenhouse environment in which they grow. In their final few days in the greenhouse, the Marathon Daffodils are picked, potted, stickered, loaded onto shipping racks, and put back in the cooler to ensure they will be in full bloom for Marathon Weekend. On Friday morning of Marathon weekend, trucks are loaded at Olson's while teams of volunteers gather at a dozen locations throughout the city and along the Marathon route waiting to receive the Marathon Daffodils, which they will bring to their final places to witness the arrival of spring and the greatest road race in the world.

# Pandas 3D

Chronicles the Mystery of How China's Beloved Bears Were Reintroduced Back into the Wild with a Secret Learned in NH

## Opens April 6th at Aquarium's **Simons IMAX Theatre**



Pandas 3D is an inspiring new IMAX film that chronicles how the mystery of reintroducing the beloved bears of China back into the wild was solved in part with a secret learned in New Hampshire. The movie, which opens April 6th at the New England Aquarium's Simons IMAX Theatre, features the real-life work of New Hampshire black bear researcher Ben Kilham.

For generations, the world has celebrated and been fascinated with the birth of ridiculously cute, yet endangered, panda cubs. The next great challenge has been how to rebuild the wild population with bears that have been born and raised in panda-rearing facilities in China.

Pandas 3D is a heartwarming story that follows a team of international scientists as they prepare to release Qian Qian, a fluffy panda cub, into the misty mountain wilds of Sichuan province. At Chengdu Panda Base Camp, biologists are trying to solve the puzzle of how to help the cubs learn to live in the wild. The film follows one researcher who has learned her techniques from Kilham, a quiet man who has gained renown for rehabilitating black bears half a world away. What starts as a cross-cultural collaboration becomes a life-changing journey for Qian Qian as she ventures into the picturesque mountains of Sichuan on her own. Stunning IMAX footage captures each charming challenge and success of the young cub.

Narrated by actress Kristen Bell, the film is made by Drew Fellman and David Douglas, the filmmakers who created the acclaimed IMAX movies Born to Be Wild and Island of Lemurs: Madagascar. Fellman and Douglas are known for shooting beautiful animalcentered movies that also tell the inspiring stories of dedicated people helping wildlife survive.

Ben Kilham is an independent wildlife biologist who lives in Lyme, NH. His legendary work with black bears has been featured widely in the media, including National Geographic, Discovery, BBC, Good Morning America, and The Today Show. He is also the author of Among the Bears: Raising Orphan Cubs in the Wild.



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## COOKING WITH THE CALAMARI SISTERS

Just When You Thought it was Safe to go Back into the Kitchen Limited Six Week Run April 12 to May 20, 2018, at The Regent Theatre in Arlington, MA

Mangia Italiano! Hilarity, delicious dishes, and two over-thetop, plus-size Italian sisters from Brooklyn, stars of their very own fictional cable television show, take you on a tourde-force of show tunes, pop. and Italian songs and cuisine. With songs like" Volare," "Botcha -Me," and many more, you'll find yourself dancing and laughing through a very special cooking musical comedy in Cooking with the Calamari Sisters.

Newsday called Cooking with the Calamari Sisters "delightful and absolutely delicious." Straight from sold-out engagements across the country, Delphine & Carmela perform outrageous musical numbers while designing their latest culinary offerings. Be prepared to eat your heart out and laugh until your sides hurt!



Don't be surprised if they get a bit naughty when they update their treasured family recipes with saucy secrets and anecdotes that will leave you rolling in the aisles. And who knows? You may get a chance

to sample these two sisters' kitchen creations.

The Regent Theater, 12 Medford Street, Arlington, MA For more info or tickets, call 1-855-448-7469 or visit PlayhouseInfo.com.

### 9, these lilies prefer partiallyshaded gardens and woodland edges.

• Plant Lilies (Continued from Page 3)

Trumpet lilies steal the show in midsummer. Like their close relative, the Easter lily, these big, outward-facing blossoms

have long trumpets and are wonderfully fragrant. Hardy in zones 4 to 9.

Another group of midsummer lilies are the Oriental-Asiatic (OA) hybrids. These have the compact height and outward facing flowers of Asiatics and the larger flowers and heady fragrance of Orientals. Look for the variety Kaveri, which has golden yellow petals touched with tangerine and burgundy. Hardy in zones 4

Species lilies have downward facing flowers with reflexed petals and extra-long stamens. Bloom times vary. Lady Alice (Lilium henryi) and coral lilies (Lilium pumilum) flower a full month before tiger lilies (Lilium lancifolium). The latter are treasured for their big orange flowers and prominent black spots. Over time, tiger lilies form impressive clumps, with

towering, 4-foot stems. Hardy in zones 3 to 9.

Oriental-Trumpet (OT) lilies are hybrids with fragrant, upward-facing flowers that can measure 9" across. Colors range from maroon and rose pink through gold and cream. The cool yellow flowers of Yelloween make this OT lily a favorite among florists. Hardy in zones 4 to 9.

The lily season ends with a bang, when the Oriental lilies begin to bloom. These big, open-faced flowers have a spicy fragrance that can perfume an entire garden. A wide range of colors, including the popular variety Stargazer, invites lots of creative pairings in the garden and in a vase. Hardy in zones 5 to 9.

Now is the time to order your lily bulbs. The earlier you shop, the more choices you'll have. To get your lilies off to a great start, read 8 Tips for Growing Better Lilies, available from Longfield Gardens (longfield-gardens. com). Lily bulbs planted this spring will flower this summer and return to bloom again for years to come.

Melinda Myers is the author of more than twenty gardening books, including Small Space Gardening. She hosts The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything" DVD series and the nationally syndicated TV & radio segments. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for Birds & Blooms magazine and was commissioned by Longfield Gardens for her expertise to write this article. Myers' web site is www.melindamyers.com.

# BETWEEN RIVERSIDE AND CRAZY, FUN HOME, SMALL MOUTH SOUNDS, ONCE, SCHOOL GIRLS. and THE VIEW UPSTAIRS

Highlight SpeakEasy's 2018-2019 Season



The Tony Award-winning musicals FUN HOME and ONCE, the Pulitzer Prizewinning drama BETWEEN RIVERSIDE AND CRAZY; the Off-Broadway sensations SCHOOL GIRLS: OR THE AFRICAN MEAN GIRLS PLAY and **SMALL MOUTH SOUNDS**; and the triumphant new musical **THE VIEW UPSTAIRS** will make up SpeakEasy Stage Company's 2018-2019 Season, the company's Founder and Producing Artistic Director Paul Daigneault announced recently.

In addition, the company's new works program, THE BOSTON PROJECT. has been renewed for a third season, offering two more Boston playwrights commissions to create new plays about what it means to live in this city at this

The schedule for SpeakEasy Stage Company's 2018-2019 Season is as follows:

**CRAZY** — by Stephen Adly Guirgis / Sept. 7-Oct. 6, 2018 **FUN HOME** — Music by Jeanine Tesori, Book and Lyrics by Lisa

Based on the graphic novel by Alison Bechdel / Oct. 19-Nov. 17, 2018 SMALL MOUTH SOUNDS —

by Bess Wohl / Jan. 4- Feb.

ONCE - by Enda Walsh, Music and Lyrics by Glen Hansard and Markéta Irglová

Based on the motion picture written and directed by John Carney / Mar. 1 - 30, 2019 SCHOOL GIRLS; OR, THE

AFRICAN MEAN GIRLS PLAY by Jocelyn Bioh / May 3 -25, 2019

THE VIEW UPSTAIRS — by Max Vernon / May 31-Jun 22,

"Once again, I am excited to offer Boston audiences an

**BETWEEN RIVERSIDE AND** ambitious and entertaining slate of the very best contemporary plays and musicals," said Daigneault in announcing the new lineup. "Each of these shows is uniquely theatrical and celebrates the importance of sharing our stories to better appreciate our common humanity... I am also excited for the many opportunities these shows offer a diverse group of local artists, both young talent and experienced professionals. It's going to be a very exciting year!"

For more information on SpeakEasy's 28<sup>th</sup> Season, call the Boston Theatre Scene Box Office at 617-933-8600 or visit www.SpeakEasyStage.com.

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### **MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

Sealed General Bids for MPA Contract No. AP1815-C1, FY18-20 WATERFRONT REPAIR TERM CONTRACT, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, will be received by the Massachusetts Port Authority at the Capital Programs Department Office, Suite 209S, Logan Office Center, One Harborside Drive, East Boston, Massachusetts 02128-2909, until 11:00 A.M. local time on WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 2018, immediately after which, in a designated room, the bids will be opened and read

PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AT THE CAPITAL PROGRAMS DEPARTMENT (ABOVE ADDRESS) AT 9:00 A.M. LOCAL TIME ON FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 2018.

work includes VARIOUS WATERFRONT REPAIRS, ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE, AND REMOVAL OF SPILL CONTAINMENT BOOMS; RETRIEVAL AND DISPOSAL OF FLOATING DEBRIS; EXTRACTION AND DISPOSAL OF DAMAGED TIMBER OR TIMBER DEBRIS; SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF NEW TIMBER FENDERS; SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF NEW TIMBER CURBS; SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF NEW TIMBER PILES; AND REPLACEMENT OF **BUOY MOORING CHAINS AND HARDWARE.** 

Bid documents will be made available beginning WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2018.

Bid Documents in electronic format may be obtained free of charge at the Authority's Capital Programs Department Office, together with any addenda or amendments, which the Authority may issue and a printed copy of the Proposal form.

The estimated contract cost is SEVEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$775,000,00)

A proposal guaranty shall be submitted with each General Bid consisting of a bid deposit for five (5) percent of the value of the bid; when sub-bids are required, each must be accompanied by a deposit equal to five (5) percent of the sub-bid amount, in the form of a bid bond, or cash, or a certified check, or a treasurer's or a cashier's check issued by a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the Massachusetts Port Authority in the name of which the Contract for the work is to be executed. The bid deposit shall be (a) in a form satisfactory to the Authority, (b) with a surety company qualified to do business in the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Authority, and (c) conditioned upon the faithful performance by the principal of the agreements contained in the bid.

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MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY THOMAS P. GLYNN **CEO & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR** 

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visit the Massachusetts Office of Travel & Tourism Web site at www.massvacation.com. For a complimentary Massachusetts Getaway Guide, call 1-800-447-MASS, ext. 300.

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# **APRIL 2018 PROGRAMS**

### **EVENTS FOR ADULTS**

Friday Films: "And the Oscar Went to ... "

Friday, April 6<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 pm - Mrs. Miniver (1942/134 mins) Friday, April 13th @ 2:00 pm - All the King's Men (1949/110 mins) Friday, April 20th @ 1:00 pm\* - Sound of Music (1965/105 mins) Friday, April 27th @ 2:00 pm - How Green Was My Valley (1941/118 mins)

### ONE-ON-ONE COMPUTER ASSISTANCE FOR ADULTS by Appointment - Wednesdays 1:00-2:00 pm

Call 617-227-8135 to reserve a 30-minute spot for personalized assistance with PC computing, laptops, iPads, tablets, the BPL catalog, and online resources. Laptops are available to use or you can bring your own.

MAH JONGG CLUB - Thursdays 11:00 am-2:00 pm — Come and play the American-style variant of this tile-based game that originated in China and requires skill, strategy, and calculation. Beginners are welcome. Please note that beginner instruction begins at 11:00 am. No sign up is required.

GENTLE CHAIR YOGA - Tuesdays 10th, 24th (No Yoga on April 17th) 12:30-1:30 pm — Join certified yoga instructor Maura Almy as she leads a weekly chair yoga class for all levels. The gentle flowing movements and passive and supported poses of this Vinyasa-style Yoga is appropriate for those working with an injury, limited mobility, or those who prefer a softer approach to yoga. Proper yoga breathing will also be taught. No supplies needed; just bring yourself!

### CHILDREN'S EVENTS

LITTLE GROOVE - Friday, April  $6^{th}$ , 11:00 am-12:00 pm - The first Friday of every month, get ready to shake, wiggle, and move with Little Groove! Children interact with parachutes,

puppets, instruments, and more as they learn and play in a fun musical environment.

DISNEY WITH DAN - Tuesdays April 3rd-24th, 10:30-**11:00 am** — Enjoy fun, Disney shorts for those ages 2–4 years.

CHESS CLUB - Tuesday, April 17th, 3:30-5:00 pm — Advanced beginners and intermediate players ages 7-12: enjoy a challenging chess match with other kids and learn some new tactics from our friendly, knowledgeable chess mentor.

BABY STORYTIME - Fridays April 13th-27th, 10:00-10:30 am — Explore stories, rhymes, and music with Ms. Alyson! This program is for babies 0-18 months. Please come prepared to actively engage with your child.

MEET THE MUSICIANS STORYTIME - 11:00-11:45 am — Join us for a special series of storytimes with Ms. Alyson & NEMPAC. Each week we will share a story, a craft, and meet a new artist and their instrument! All ages are welcome.

## APRIL VACATION WEEK ACTIVITIES

DROP-IN LEGOS - Wednesday, April 18th at 12:30-2:30 pm and Thursday, April 19th, 10:30-12:30 pm — Love Legos? Drop in and build something wild and crazy!

AUTHOR VISIT WITH KAREN MCMANUS - Wednesday, April 11th, 6:00-7:00 pm — Please join the N.E.T. (North End Teen) Book Club as we welcome author Karen McManus to discuss her New York Times bestseller, One of Us Is Lying. One of Us Is Lying is the story of what happens when five strangers walk into detention and only four walk out alive. Everyone is a suspect and everyone has something to hide.

MIKE THE BUBBLEMAN - Wednesday, April 18th, 4:30-**5:30 pm** — Mike the Bubble Man brings magic and science to the stage with this interactive show about BUBBLES! Through music, choreography, and comedy, bubbles — in all different shapes and sizes — come alive, sparking imagination and wonder. You're never too old for a love for bubbles, especially when there's a chance to see the world from inside of one.

ROALD DAHL'S IMAGINORMOUS CHALLENGE 2018 -Thursday, April 19th, 2:00 - 3:00 pm — Calling all young writers, ages 5-12! Do you have an idea for story you want to share with Willy Wonka? Stop by the library and write your 100-word story idea down and enter it into this global contest.



On Site at The Post-Gazette 5 Prince Street, North End, Boston, MA

# North End Against Drugs' Annual Easter Party

It was a beautiful Spring day as NEAD held its Annual Children Easter Party at the Nazzaro Center. Over 130 people attended to color eggs, get their faces painted, and take photos with the Easter Bunny. All of this was possible thanks to Mike Giannasoli, who every year sponsors the party in memory of his mother, Florence. The children were also treated to an entertaining show with Big Joe the Story Teller. Big Joe was sponsored by City Councilor Lydia Edwards. The North End Against Drugs board members helped with coloring and decorating the eggs. Every child who attended was given a free Easter Basket with a stuffed rabbit or lamb, bubbles, a plastic egg, candy, and a card for a free kid's meal at the Texas Roadhouse. Everyone had a fun-filled morning and enjoyed the beginning of Springtime! Special thanks to the Nazzaro Center for hosting us as they do every year and to our special guest Jeremy Sarzana (the Easter Bunny) for visiting with us.



Olivia Scimeca and Patricia Romano



Easter Bunny (Jeremy Sarzana)



Face painting



John Romano distributing Easter gifts to the children.

# **Gove Street Citizens Association** Honors Gina and Jack Scalcione

by Sal Giarratani

ing a plaque and photo honoring Gina and Jack neighborhood through this Association.

The Gove Street Citizens Association present- Scalcione for all the work they have done in the



Theresa Malionek, new chair of the Gove Street Citizens Association and board members present Jack Scalcione with plaques honoring him and Gina who always to be remembered. (Photo by Sal Giarratani)



### **CHUCK BERRY** THE GREAT TWENTY-EIGHT: SUPER DELUXE EDITION/ VINYL

Geffen + UMe

When Chuck Berry passed away in 2017, Rock'n'Roll lost a legend whose career covered more than six decades. His contributions included anthems that will live forever: "Johnny B. Goode," "Roll Over Beethoven," "Rock and Roll Music," and "Reelin' and Rockin'," to name a few. The five-disc vinyl box set housed in a textured box complements the original two-LP, 28-song compilation (released in 1982) with an additional LP, More Great Chuck Berry, containing fourteen more hits, rarities, and B-sides missing from the original, as well as a rare live album that sat unreleased for forty-six years, Oh Yeah! Live in Detroit. Plus, a newly created bonus ten-inch EP Berry Christmas with four holiday-themed classics on "Rudolph-Red" vinyl, as well as a handsome 12" x 12" book featuring a special introductory essay by Keith Richards. Revel in the glorious moments of Rock'n'Roll history yet again, enjoying Chuck Berry as he created rock masterpieces for all to enjoy for years to come! The Great Twenty-Eight ends up being a total of fifty-eight great songs.

### **BARRY WHITE:**

### THE 20<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY SINGLES (1973-1975) + THE COMPLETE 20TH CENTURY SINGLES (1973-1979)/VINYL Mercury + UMe

As part of their yearlong series of 45th anniversary reissues, Mercury Records + UMe honors the soulful legacy of Barry White with two timely box sets. From his hit-making '70s heyday until his passing in 2003, White set an unmatched standard for sexy, seductive, soulful R&B. As a vocalist, songwriter, producer, and multi-instrumentalist, White created music that was unmatched in its sonic and romantic intensity, highlighted by lush, widescreen arrangements and the artist's deep, dark baritone voice. The White reissue series launches with a pair of remastered White hits collections. First, the three-CD set *The Complete 20th Century* Records Singles (1973-1979) in a specially-designed box with the three discs containing forty-six tracks packaged in individual wallets. All feature expansive liner notes and track details. The 20th Century Records Singles (1973-1975) is a box set of ten seven-inch vinyl singles that replicate White's original hit single releases. Each disc is in a 20th Century Records sleeve with seven-inch labels that duplicate the originals, along with a four-page illustrated book. The vinyl set features newly remastered audio from the 20th Century Records master tapes, cut at Abbey Road Studios.

### **OSCAR PETERSON PLAYS/5-CD** Verve + UMe

For the first time, famed jazz pianist Oscar Peterson's historic 1952-'54 series, Oscar Peterson Plays, has been assembled in total, collecting ten albums across a five-disc, 113-song digitally remastered collection. Containing many of Peterson's most important recordings as a leader, these albums explore the canons of songwriters Irving Berlin, Duke Ellington, Jerome Kern, Cole Porter, Richard Rodgers, Harry Warren, and Vincent Youmans in the setting of the Oscar Peterson Trio. Few piano giants in jazz history scaled the heights of technical brilliance as high as Peterson. He was a ten-fingered player with speed, execution, imagination, and harmonic brilliance. Peterson's prolific trios — with guitarists Barney Kessel and Herb Ellis and bassist Ray Brown — set a longtime standard for ensemble interaction and excellence. Peterson recorded nearly 200 albums as a leader, as well as with Louis Armstrong, Count Basie, Nat 'King' Cole, Roy Eldridge, Ella Fitzgerald, Stan Getz, Dizzy Gillespie, and Charlie Parker, just to name a few.

### JOHN HIATT: BRING THE FAMILY + SLOW TURNING/VINYL A&M + UMe

In a stellar career that spans half a century, John Hiatt has built a massive collection of recordings that has been an ongoing source of inspiration for fans, critics, and other artists. The veteran singer-songwriter's 1987 album Bring the Family and its 1988 follow-up Slow Turning have earned special status and remain beloved cornerstones of the veteran artist's prestigious body of work. To celebrate these high-water marks of Hiatt's and their 30th anniversaries, newly remastered editions will be available on vinyl for the first time. Bring the Family, Hiatt's eighth album of original songs, marked a mainstream breakthrough for the artist after years as a critical and cult favorite. Without a record deal, Hiatt arranged a session with the all-star studio combo of Ry Cooder on guitar, Nick Lowe on bass, and Jim Keltner on drums; the album earned instant acclaim. Often regarded as a sequel to Bring the Family for its lyrical subject matter and raw, spare sound, Slow Turning would attract the interest of other artists to record covers of its songs.

### GEORGE EZRA - STAYING AT TAMARA'S Columbia Records

George Ezra delivered the UK's third-biggest-selling album of 2014: Wanted On Voyage. The Hertfordshire native utilizes his raspy-voiced vocals on eleven fresh tracks that gave him the freedom he needs when writing songs. Ezra's month-long visit to Barcelona, setting up residence in an Airbnb whose owner was named Tamara provided the title for the album. The opener, "Pretty Shining People," starts the free-spirited collection, followed by the album's initial lead single, "Don't Matter Now," "Get Away," "Shotgun," and the second single release, "Paradise." There are no missing beats as Ezra switches gears for "All My Love," "Sugarcoat," "Hold My Girl," and "Saviour - First Aid Kit." The final two tracks show a more tender side with "Only a Human" and "The Beautiful Dream."

The time has come, the walrus said,

## TO TALK OF MANY THINGS

of shoes and ships and sealing wax of cabbages and kings

by Sal Giarratani

### TONY WILSON IS YOUNG **JAMES BROWN**

By the time you reading this, Tony Wilson's Young James Brown and his All-Star Band have just performed last evening at Roxbury Community College to a stand-up crowd enjoying that old school soul music of James Brown. The event was held on Wednesday, April 4th, on the 50th anniversary of the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Mayor Martin J. Walsh also proclaimed April 5th as the "Day James Brown Saved Boston Day."

I also wished to congratulate super entertainer Tony Wilson for helping to keep the Dream alive and recognizing the role



Frank Alfonso with his sister Grace looking at concert poster. Both were in Boston Garden with their mom on April 5, 1968 and Grace said Wilson's performance brought her back in time. "It was almost like the real thing, said Grace.

### **SPRING IS OFFICIALLY HERE**

Spring has sprung and it's Revere carnival time once again until April 15th. Ride all rides for just one price. Ride savings Tuesday, Thursday, and Sunday. Open on Saturday and Sunday at 1:00 pm. For more information, go to *fiestashows*. com. All the fun starts over at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

### THE WORLD'S **POSTMODERN 10K**

The 35th Unabridged James Joyce Ramble (10K) will be held on Sunday, April 30th, starting at 11:00 am at the Endicott Estate in Dedham. For more information, go to jjramble@gmail.com or call 781-329-9744.

## SAVE THIS DATE

"Spring into Action" on Thursday, May 3rd, from 7:45 am to 9:15 am, at the Boston College Club in downtown at 1000 Federal Street. Boston City Councilor Ayanna Pressley will be receiving the Justice in Action Award. Also receiving this award will be the Domestic & Sexual Violence Council.

### For tickets, go to janedoe.org. **CAPTAIN FISHBONES TO BECOME VICTORY POINT**

Donato Frattaroli, owner of Captain Fishbones at Marina Bay in Quincy, plans to relaunch the restaurant under its new name shortly. Donato bought this restaurant back in 2016. Kudos to Donato and best of luck under the new name, Victory Point!

### LYNN AUDITORIUM HAPPENING

Kool & the Gang is coming to the Lynn Auditorium on August 24th and Tommy James, Peter Noonan and Herman's Hermits will be there on September 29<sup>th</sup>. For more information, go to lunnauditorium.com or call 781-599-SHOW.

## **ROSEANNE IS BACK**

I didn't like watching



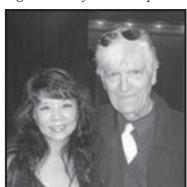
Tony Wilson and the All-Star Band joined by Richie Rich

that James Brown played on April 5, 1968, to keep Boston together at his Boston Garden concert that evening. If James



Lila Bucklin from Jamaica Plain got up close and personal with Young James Brown. She recalled when see saw the real James Brown on stage in Montreal back in 1971.

Brown was the hardest working man, then Tony Wilson can be called the second-hardest working man in my humble opinion.



Judy Lei and Sal Giarratani

Roseanne when it was on before and I am certainly not going to get excited over the re-boot. Hollywood calls it the everyday life of the ordinary white working-class household, which you know is really just a bunch of crap. Like the Archie Bunker character in All in the Family back when I was in college, this new show is just another attempt by the Hollywood elites to poke fun at the "deplorables."

Personally, I thought All in the Family was a big hit for both liberals and conservatives. Liberals loved watching Archie make a fool of himself and moderates and conservatives seemed to identify with Archie's

life and frustrations, duking it out with the Meathead.

Roseanne's family today is fake news. Real families watch her pretend family members and think it is full of baloney. If All in the Family received an "A" for effort, this Roseanne revival gets an "F" because it is ridiculous. This is not Hollywood diversity, this is pure fiction.

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts** The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI16P5886EA

Estate of KATHLEEN CHRISTINE DALLAMORA Date of Death September 13, 2011

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

A Petition for Formal Determination of Heirs has been filed by James B. Nutter & Co. of Kansas City, MO requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 20, 2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

#### UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: March 23, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

# LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Suffolk Probate and Family Court** 24 New Chardon Street Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300

> Docket No. SU17P0606EA CITATION ON PETITION FOR ORDER OF COMPLETE SETTLEMENT

Estate of MARY KATHERINE BURLINSON Date of Death January 22, 2017

A Petition for Order of Complete Settlement has been filed by Joseph F. Burlinson of Easton, CT requesting that the court enter a formal Decree of Complete Settlement including the allowance of a final account, First & Final account and other such relief as may be requested in the Petition.

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Witness, HON, BRIAN J. DUNN First Justice of this Court Date: March 26, 2018

> Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

# NEMPAC Perform-a-Thon a Big Success for Music Scholarships!



Eliot School Music Ensemble led by NEMPAC teaching artist Stefano Marchese

The North End Music & Performing Arts Center's **Annual Fundraising Concert, PERFORM-A-THON**, took place on Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, at THE KITCHEN in the Boston Public Market, featuring a three-hour-show with performances from NEMPAC students and faculty.

In addition to soloist performances, the lineup included NEMPAC classes and programs, such as the Eliot Ensemble Program, Kids Music Theatre, and Perform-a-thon debuts by Creative Dance & Movement, Young Dancers, NEMPAC Group Ensemble, and Eliot Band Program. Student soloist performance debuts also included Julia Morellato (Clarinet), Kamilla Sandy-Roche (Piano), Amelia Wolfson (Piano/ Voice), and Josephine LoRusso (Drums). With youth to adult performances represented, this event demonstrated the positive life-long impact music can have on all.

Participants collected pledges for their performances at the event, banding together to support the NEMPAC Scholarship **Fund**. As of September 2017, NEMPAC has grown to award \$7,500 per year through their NEMPAC Scholarship Fund and four full Scholarships of \$4,800 through the Geraldine Marshall Scholarship Fund. These children's need-based music scholarships provide an opportunity for over twenty children to participate in private lessons and after-school music classes, or to experience weeklong intensive music camps during the summer.

NEMPAC awarded the following students prizes for collecting the most pledges:



NEMPAC Flute Instructor Ms. Dentino with student and Geraldine Marshall Scholarship recipient Shannon Raneri



Piano student Sawyer Bowen-Flynn performs a solo piece.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Alba-Lis and Vera-Lyn Routhier-Gomez
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Preston Horan
    3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: Emma and Kate

Henderson

This year, all pledges up to \$5,000 were matched by generous sponsors Andrea and Arthur Waldstein, North End

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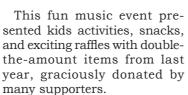
Family, and Anonymous.

NEMPAC is thrilled to share with all that they reached their goal of raising \$12,500, which is a 10% increase from last year's collection.

The success of this event was made possible by the commitment, leadership, and collaboration of many involved. NEMPAC thanks all NEMPAC students, faculty, families, friends, and donors who have supported this annual pledge campaign.



Voice student Meara Gross performs a solo act.



NEMPAC thanks the raffle donors:

Barrington Coffee Roasting Company, Boston Philharmonic, Bova's Bakery, Bricco Ristorante, Btone Fitness, ComedySportz Boston, Curio Coffee, Emerson Em-Stage, Equal Exchange Café, Exhale Spa, Frances Ray Jules Salon, Huntington Theatre Company, ICA, J.P. Licks, Kings Dining & Entertainment, Loft & Vine, Lulu's Sweet Shoppe, Manda & Me Events, Maria's Pastry, MetroWest Opera, Mike's Pastry, Mother Juice, MyStryde, NEMPAC, Oat Shop, Paint Bar, Polcari's, Polkadog Bakery, Red Apple Farm, Red Sox, Regina Pizzeria, Ride Cycle Studio, SoundShapes Spa, SoulCycle, Starbucks, TD Garden, Union Square Donuts, and Whole Foods Market.

In addition, NEMPAC would like to express special thanks to Manda & Me Events for decorating the event space and providing delicious food during the performances and to the Boston Public Market Trustees for allowing NEMPAC to host this year's Perform-a-thon in their facilities.

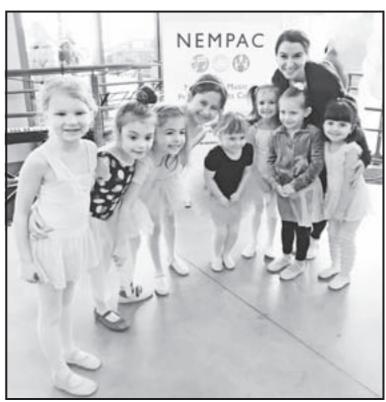
For more information, please visit www.nempacboston.org or contact us at ssnow@nempacboston.org.



Jamie Castelanos and her voice students perform a group number.



**NEMPAC Executive Director Sherri Snow announcing raffles** 



Ms. Amanda Teneriella and her Creative Movement Tiny Ballerinas!



Lots of decorations, food, and treats provided by Manda & Me Events

### MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed General Bids for MPA Contract No. L1354-C5, CENTRAL HEATING PLANT COOLING TOWER ADDITION, LOGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, EAST BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS will be received by the Massachusetts Port Authority at the Capital Programs Department Office Suite 209S - Logan Office Center, One Harborside Drive, East Boston, Massachusetts 02128-2909, until 11:00 A.M. local time on WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 2018, immediately after which, in a designated room, the bids will be opened and read publicly

Sealed filed sub-bids for the same contract will be received at the same office until 11:00 A.M. local time on WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 2018, immediately after which, in a designated room, the filed subbids will be opened and read publicly

PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD AT THE CENTRAL HEATING PLANT/ FACILITIES I, 600 TERMINAL E EXTENSION AT 1:00 P.M. LOCAL TIME ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 2018.

The work includes THE ADDITION OF A FIFTH COOLING TOWER ON A NEW FOUNDATION, REPLACEMENT OF ONE OF THE CONDENSER WATER PUMPS, NEW VFDS FOR THE TOWER AND PUMP. NEW SWITCHGEAR IN THE ELECTRICAL MEZZANINE. NEW SLIDE GATE VALVES IN THE EXISTING TOWER BASINS. AND NEW STAIRS AND PLATFORM FROM THE SECOND FLOOR TO THE TOP OF THE EXISTING COOLING TOWER CT-1.

Bid documents will be made available beginning THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 2018.

Bid Documents in electronic format may be obtained free of charge at the Authority's Capital Programs Department Office, together with any addenda or amendments, which the Authority may issue and a printed copy of the Proposal form.

In order to be eligible and responsible to bid on this contract General Bidders must submit with their bid a current Certificate of Eligibility issued by the Division of Capital Asset Management & Maintenance and an Update Statement. The General Bidder must be certified in the category of GENERAL BUILDING CONSTRUCTION.

The estimated contract cost is TWO MILLION, TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY-THREE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$2,273,400.00).

In order to be eligible and responsible to bid on this contract, filed Sub-bidders must submit with their bid a current Sub-bidder Certificate of Eligibility issued by the Division of Capital Asset Management & Maintenance and a Sub-bidder Update Statement. The filed Sub-bidder must be certified in the sub-bid category of work for which the Sub-bidder is submitting a bid proposal.

Bidding procedures and award of the contract and sub-contracts shall be in accordance with the provisions of Sections 44A through 44H inclusive, Chapter 149 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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Filed sub-bids will be required and taken on the following classes of work:

HEATING, VENTILATING, AND AIR-CONDITIONING \$511,000,00 MISCELLANEOUS AND ORNAMENTAL IRON \$ 44.000.00 **ELECTRICAL** \$262,000.00 \$ 35,000.00

The Authority reserves the right to reject any sub-bid of any sub-trade where permitted by Section 44E of the above-referenced General Laws. The right is also reserved to waive any informality in or to reject any or all proposals and General Bids.

This contract is subject to a Minority/Women Owned Business Enterprise participation provision requiring that not less than FOUR AND SIX TENTHS PERCENT (4.6%) of the Contract be performed by minority and women owned business enterprise contractors. With respect to this provision, bidders are urged to familiarize themselves thoroughly with the Bidding Documents. Strict compliance with the pertinent procedures will be required for a bidder to be deemed responsive and eligible.

This Contract is also subject to Affirmative Action requirements of the Massachusetts Port Authority contained in the Non-Discrimination and Affirmative Action article of Division I, General Requirements and Covenants, and to the Secretary of Labor's Requirement for Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Opportunity and the Standard Federal Equal Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications (Executive Order 11246).

The General Contractor is required to submit a Certification of Non-Segregated Facilities prior to award of the Contract, and to notify prospective sub-contractors of the requirement for such certification where the sub-contract exceeds \$10,000.

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> MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY THOMAS P. GLYNN **CEO & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

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### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

> Docket No. MI18P1475EA Estate of

**ANDREW TANG** Date of Death January 20, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Edward Tang of Tuscaloosa, AL requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Edward Tang of Tuscaloosa, AL be appointed as Persona Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 23, 2018.

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UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: March 26, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1611EA

Estate of **DONALD E. LEE** 

Date of Death February 20, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR

To all interested persons

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Vincent P. Lee, Jr. of Arlington, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Vincent P Lee, Jr. of Arlington, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court

Date: March 30, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

# Recipes from the Homeland

by Vita Orlando Sinopoli



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## ROAST TURKEY THIGHS ITALIAN-STYLE

4 turkey thighs 4 medium potatoes

2 cloves garlic

2 tablespoons olive oil

2 medium onions 2 fresh tomatoes

1/2 cup water 2 tablespoons lemon juice

1 chicken bouillon cube

Preheat oven to 350°F. Peel potatoes, garlic and onions. Cut each into quarters and set aside. Wash tomatoes and cut into quarters. Place washed and dried turkey thighs in a roasting pan (skin up). Distribute potato, garlic, and onion portions around the turkey thighs. Place cut-up tomatoes over the thighs, potato and onion portions. Add the bouillon cube, lemon juice, and water to the roasting pan. Spread the olive oil over the vegetables and turkey. Cover with aluminum foil and place in preheated 350°F oven. Check after forty-five minutes. Baste contents with liquid in the roasting pan. Salt to taste. Return to oven and bake an additional twenty minutes. A portion of water may be added if needed. Baste contents and return to oven uncovered. Allow cooking until fork tender and browned to your liking (approx. 10 to 20 additional minutes).

**OPTIONAL:** Add sliced green peppers or mushrooms to the recipe.

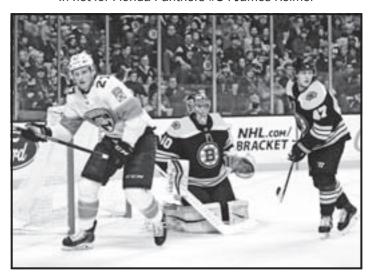


## **Boston Bruins vs. Florida Panthers**

Saturday, March 31, 2018

**Boston Bruins 5 — Florida Panthers 1** 

In net for Boston Bruins #40 Tuukka Rask In net for Florida Panthers #34 James Reimer







(Photos by Rosario Scabin, Ross Photography)

group, the Park Squares, was

the musical accompaniment

for singer Ray Dorey and actor/

comedian Jess Caine on their

At present, Don is being

honored by the St. Joseph's

Society of Boston with a

plaque illustrating Don's

accomplishments in life and

with a plaque from the Boston

Musicians' Union, Local 9-535,

for his dedication and life

achievement in his chosen

On a personal note, my father,

professionally called Johnny

Christie, Sr., and Uncle Nick

Contini, called Nick Conti, had

the privilege of working with

Alessi on many occasions over

the decades. As Johnny Christy,

Jr., a fledgling bass player, I

also had the opportunity to

work with this great guitarist

and learned much from him just

hearing him and being part of

an ensemble he was featured in.

Picardi and drummer and union

official Therese DiMuzio for

assisting me with this story

and from all of us here at the

Post-Gazette, "A very very happy

I wish to thank singer Angelo

daily show.

field.

# Nanna & Babbononno

by John Christoforo

A Nostalgic Remembrance





Pictured are Don Alessi on guitar and former Boston Mayor Thomas Menino at a holiday concert in front of Boston City

Before I begin my regular column, I would like to tell you about a musician who has just turned one hundred years old, famed Boston guitarist DON ALESSI, Don has been involved in entertainment since he was a voungster and joined the Boston Musicians' Union seventy-five years ago when he was twenty-five. Since that point in time, he has led big bands and small groups of musicians that have entertained audiences

In years past, local musicians

would sigh with relief after the

Easter holidays had passed.

The Jewish Passover holidays

and the Lenten season reduced

the general business to a bare

minimum; but now the wed-

dings, Christenings, and Bar

Mitzvahs were back with us and

musicians could, once again, go

to work. Dad never complained

nor were we deprived dur-

ing these periods of drought.

My father had a day job with

the Boston Public Schools, so

money was never an issue.

Knowing how hard it might be

for some musicians who didn't

have day jobs and didn't work

as steadily as some others,

Dad, Uncle Nick, and about a

dozen of their contemporaries

put an organization together

to help those of their profes-

sion in need. They called it the

Professional Musicians' Club

with the subtitle "The Helping

Hand." Upon hearing that a fel-

low musician might be in need,

they would investigate and

offer financial assistance. As

the organization grew, they put

together a scholarship program

for children related to profes-

sional musicians. I know quite

a bit about this organization in

that, due to my successes as a

musician, I decided to join my

father, uncle, and their con-

temporaries and become part of

their board. I actually served for

through the decades. According to Therese DiMuzio, an official at the musicians' union, Don is the oldest musician in Boston's Local 9-535 and may be one of the oldest, if not the oldest, musician in the country.

Having played everything from symphony to swing and soul, he became one of America's most versatile guitarists during his long career. His roots go back to Boston's radio days and later to local television, when his

were, first-hand. As I've said

many times before, my family

was lucky. Babbononno always

worked and my uncles and

Dad did, too, mainly because

they were talented and became

commodities in entertainment

When I was just starting out,

Babbononno sat me down for a

grandfather/grandson talk. He

thought it was necessary that

his grandson, whom he called,

"A third-generation musician,"

knew what was going on. He

told me that the name recogni-

tion didn't hurt, but I was going

to have to prove myself regard-

less of who my family was. It

didn't hurt that I was known as

Johnny Christie's son, or Nick

Conti's nephew, but beyond

that level of recognition, I had

to prove myself on my chosen

I started out by following in

the footsteps of my grandfa-

ther, father, and uncles, play-

ing Italian, Irish and Jewish

functions. They paid the best.

When the family thought the

time was right, I auditioned

for and made it to the Boston

Civic Symphony, which led to

substitute work with the Boston

Pops Esplanade Orchestra, con-

ducted then by Arthur Fiedler.

instrument.

circles.

100th birthday, Don Alessi. I knew that the men and to listen to what was going on women who started the club had around me, something some survived the great depression musicians never learn. and some knew what hard times

House called Carmen's Café. I fronted a trio consisting of accordion, bass, and drums, playing for locals who dropped by on weekend nights. By the time that job came to an end, I had developed a decent reputation and was called on to perform several nights per week. I was still in school and had to be careful with the number of nights I was out. I didn't want my studies to suffer due to my concentration being somewhere

New York on weekends to try my hand at my favorite type of music, jazz. I worked with some of the greats, but by the time I decided to concentrate just on work in Boston, many of those greats living in New York were looking for day jobs, as jazz clubs were rapidly disappearing or closing and reopening as rock-and-roll clubs.

Back home, I played almost

My first steady job under my own name was at a long-gone bar near the Union Oyster

As time went on, I headed to

nightly for private functions or at local night clubs several nights per week. When Hollywood beckoned, music was put on a back burner; but once I returned, I continued to teach in the Boston Schools by day and play music at night. Yet, one thing that both Dad and Babbononno warned me about came to mind. They both told me that music was a young musician's profession and when the grey hair started to show up, I would discover the demand for my talents beginning to disappear. Here we are many years later and I'm now looking at young musicians whose talents are phenomenal. It makes me wish I was young and could start all over again. I guess I'll just have to grow old gracefully.

GOD BLESS AMERICA



# The Wicked mart Investor

by Chris Hanson

# Financial Fear Mongering

A pleasant surprise greets you as you enter Kristin's in Braintree Square. "Nosie Nellie," the biggest busy-body in town, is sitting in the corner and beckons you to join her. So, you gingerly anticipate a scrumptious meal of banana French toast spiced with Nellie's gossipy tidbits.

Nellie is a well-known local character. A descendant of Boston's colonial-era town criers, Nellie has a long history of conducting surveillance on townspeople. In kindergarten, her parents caught her peeking in neighbors' windows. Soon after she learned to use the stove, she was steaming open envelopes. In the  $8^{th}$  grade, she won the science fair with a wiretap device fashioned out of old coffee cans and a transistor radio. Her legend is always growing. Folks now swear her eyeglass prescription is binoculars. If there is information to be had, Nellie has it.

This particular morning I encountered Nellie, she did not disappoint. Once her tea arrived, Nellie started with a torrent of exaggerated tales. This one was using coupons at the supermarket, she must be going bankrupt. That one was spotted speaking to a dashing middle aged CPA, she must be having an affair. The other one told an inappropriate joke in front of Reverend Smith and made a scene at the church picnic. Nellie continued with warnings of crime sprees, tax increases, and communicable diseases. Nellie is an alarmist who makes mountains out of mole hills. She needs to be that way; no one wants to listen to humdrum scuttlebutt.

Nellie is not the only one overdramatizing events. The financial press is guilty of amplifying relatively small stuff. With numerous media outlets competing for our attention, financial reporters frequently use fear to get our attention.

Let's consider some Wall Street Journal coverage of the recent stock market volatility. On February 5th, 2018, the Dow Jones Industrial Average closed down 1,175.21 points, which seems like a big number; but the point drop represented only 4.6% of the index. The next day, bold-faced type read "Stock Plunge Erases 2018 Gains" and the "Dow Industrials fall over 1,100 in biggest drop ever; overseas indexes sink." The article was printed on February 6, 2018, so there is a long way to go before the Dow closes down for the year. In the body of the article, journalist Akane Otani describes a growing sense of anxiety and borderline panictype selling. To a short-term investor, this is very scary. Many investors have a long horizon and yet can still be rattled by alarmist headlines.

The Wicked Smart Investor despises such headlines because they distract investors from focusing on their longterm goals. If you don't need the money for twenty years, what happened on February 5, 2018, doesn't matter. The market did enter a 10% correction territory this year, but that is to be expected periodically. My advice is work with your advisor and take the reports of the financial press with a grain of salt. The newspapers must sell papers and advertising space in order to survive. This mission does not include helping your financial planning.

It would be great if you could find out what seasoned financial reporters are really saying after a 5% market drop. Imagine if you could catch them saying, "Yeah, I know today's 5% drop should not matter to the long-term investor, but I have to think up some frightening headlines so they read my story." That would expose the tactics of the press and maybe reduce our anxiety. Wait a minute, maybe we could catch them with Nosie Nellie's help. Supposedly she has a highly sophisticated communication system in her basement with technology even the CIA envies.

Chris Hanson is a South Shore resident and CPA specializing in financial planning at Lindner Capital Advisors in Hanover. He earned his BBA at the Isenberg School of Management University of Massachusetts and an MBA at Babson College's F. W. Olin Graduate School of Business.

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts** The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1541EA Estate of MARY CAROL FLAHERTY Also know as
MARICAROL FLAHERTY

Date of Death February 19, 2018 CITATION ON PETITION FOR

FORMAL ADJUDICATION To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Karen Marie Morse of Hampstead, NH and Kelly Anne Flaherty, also known as Kelly Anne Lebreux of Shelburne Falls, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Karen Marie Morse of Hampstead, NH and Kelly Anne Flaherty, also known as Kelly Anne Lebreux of Shelburne Falls, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 25, 2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

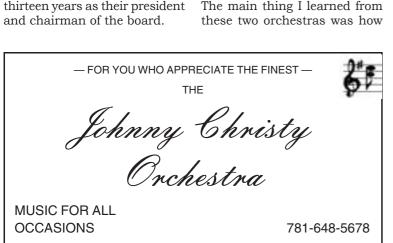
UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 28, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018



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thought he was. She called him awesome when he was running in 2016, but now he seems to be looking like roadkill to her. She thought she elected someone who wouldn't be doing what Trump seems to be doing by letting Democrats look like they are running the White House agenda. Ouch! She now seems skeptical that the wall will ever get built. Ouch Again!

### This FISA Abuse Situation

One might think that the use of a FISA warrant for allegedly political purposes would be a 9-alarm fire. But over at cable news stations like CNN and MSNBC, all you hear are crickets.

### **LEGAL NOTICE**

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts** The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1564EA

Estate of LESLIE MARIE DAWN

Date of Death June 27, 2004

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons

A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by James L Green of Foxboro, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that James L. Green of Foxboro, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

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This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 29, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

**LEGAL NOTICE** 

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The Trial Court

Middlesex Probate and Family Court

208 Cambridge Street

Cambridge, MA 02141

(617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18D0924DR

DIVORCE SUMMONS BY

**PUBLICATION AND MAILING** 

**RONALD LAFAILLE** 

What happened at the tail-end of the Obama Administration while Clinton was on the campaign trail looks pretty sorry to me. While liberals keep pushing Russia, Russia, Russia and hush money today, why have they walked away from the apparent politicization of the FISA Court?

I say agenda, agenda, agenda politics!

### **Endquote**

"It may be true that the law cannot change the heart but it can restrain the heartless."

— Rev. Martin L. King, Jr.

### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI18P1514EA

> Estate of **ELIZABETH KUO TING** Also Known As

**ELIZABETH K. TING** Date of Death March 8, 2018

**CITATION ON PETITION FOR** FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by John Mei-Ming Ting of Groton, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that John Mei-Ming Ting of Groton, MA be appointed as Persona Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceed ing. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 24, 2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

**UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM** PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

and expenses of administration

Date: March 27, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

## LEGAL NOTICE

The Trial Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI18D0156DR

ALEXANDRA E. KOCHIAN vs.
RAYMOND VELAZQUEZ KOCHIAN

vs.
VIRGINIA LAFAILLE aka VIRGINIA LOUIS To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown of the Marriage 1B. The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from tak ing any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Ronald Lafaille, 192 Salem St., Medford, MA 02155 your answer, if any, on or before May 7, 2018. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court. Date: March 23, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/18 UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court

Run date: 4/6/2018

# Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex Probate and Family Court

DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING

AKA RAYMOND VELAZQUEZ

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown of the Marriage 1B.

The Complaint is on file at the Court. An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from tak ing any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Alexandra E. Kochian, 1585 Massachusetts Avenue, #556, Cambridge, MA 02138 your answer, if any, on or before May 7, 2018. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court. Date: March 23, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 4/6/18

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

## **NOTICE OF SALE**

Notice is hereby given by TODISCO TOWING OF 94 CONDOR STREET, EAST BOSTON, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L. c. 255 Section 39A that they will sell the following vehicles

Vehicles are being sold to satisfy their garage keeper's lien for towing, storage and notices of sale:

> 2010 CHEVROLET EQUINOX V.I.N. #2CNGLPEY8A6254343

2014 LAND ROVER RANGE ROVER

V.I.N. #SALVP2BG7EH899335 The above vehicles will be sold

at public auction at

TODISCO TOWING 94 Condor Street, E. Boston

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 2018

at 9:00 AM Run dates: 4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 2018

# **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court Middlesex Division** 208 Cambridge Street East Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P0747EA

Estate of VIRGINIA R. WALDRON Date of Death October 30, 2017 **INFORMAL PROBATE** PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Eric R. Waldron of Glen. NH.

Eric R. Waldron of Glen, NH has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner

Run date: 4/6/18

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI17P1615EA

Estate of **CATHERINE F. WARD** 

Date of Death February 11, 2014

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION Amended

A Petition for Late and Limited Formal Testacy and/or Appointment has been filed by Wells Fargo Bank, NA of Fort Mill, SC requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 26, 2018.

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: March 29, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

### **LEGAL NOTICE**

### **EXPORT TOWING NOTICE TO OWNERS**

The following abandoned and/or junked motor vehicles will be disposed of or sold. Any questions regarding this matter, please contact EXPORT **TOWING:** Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m. Tel: 781-395-0808

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2007 JEEP COMMANDER VIN #1J8HG48KX7C663637

1997 HONDA CIVIC VIN #1HGCD5602VA257038

Run dates: 3/30, 4/6, 4/13, 2018

### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1609EA Estate of SHIRLEY FARRELL Date of Death February 12, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Dyann K. Sodi of Winchester, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition

The Petitioner requests that **Dyann K. Sod** of Winchester, MA be appointed as Persona Representative(s) of said estate to serve With Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

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**UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION** UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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and expenses of administration. Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court

Date: March 30, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

# LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts** The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

> Docket No. MI18D0762DR DIVORCE SUMMONS BY **PUBLICATION AND MAILING** MARTHE CHARLES ANDRE

vs.
AUGUSTE ROBERT LEMOINE ANDRE

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown of the Marriage 1B. The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from tak ing any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Marthe C. Andre, 341 Broadway, Cambridge, MA 02139 your answer, if any, on or before April 26, 2018. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: March 15, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/18

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1526EA

Estate of CARLETON J. RICHARDSON, JR. Date of Death March 7, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Darryl J. Senese of Exeter, RI requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Darryl J. Senese of Exeter, RI be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 24, 2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 27, 2018 Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 4/6/2018

# **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court Suffolk Division** 24 New Chardon Street, Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300

SUFFOLK, ss **DOCKET NUMBER SU18E0030** 

To Name of Subject Germain Bryant of Malden, in said County of Middlesex, and to all other interested persons

A petition has been presented to the Probate and Family Court of Suffolk County in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts by, Paul R. Bryant of Citrus Springs, in the State of Florida and Dean G. Bryant, of Brockton, in the State of Massachusetts, representing that, they hold as Tenants in common and an undivided part or share of certain land lying in Charlestown District, Boston, in said County described as

See Attached Descripton

setting forth that they desire that all of the following described part of said land may be sold at private sale for not less than value of property 750.000.00 dollars and praying that the partition may be made of all the land aforesaid according to the law and to that end er be appointed to such partition and be ordered to make sale and conveyance of all, or any part of said land which the court finds cannot be advantageously divided either at private sale or public auction and be ordered to distribute the net proceeds

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Boston before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 3rd day of May, 2018, the

return day of this citation. A certain parcel of land with buildings thereon situated in the Charlestown District of said Boston, and bounded and described as

NORTHEASTERLY: by Ferrin Street, nineteen feet and six inches (19 ft., 6 in.); SOUTHEASTERLY: by land now or formerly of Doherty, seventy-one feet and ten inches (71

ft. and 10 in.); SOUTHWESTERLY: by land now or formerly of Charles Robinson, nineteen feet (19 ft.); and NORTHWESTERLY: by land now or formerly of Catherine Bailey, seventy-two ft., and two inches (72 ft. and 2 in.); be any or all of said measurements more or less; containing

Witness, Brian J . Dunn, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this 29th day of March,

about 1414 square feet. The premises are now

numbered 68 on said Ferrin Street.

Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

Run date: 4/6/18

### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Middlesex Probate and Family Court** 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI17P5103EA

Estate of **DONALD EDWARD ATHERTON** Also Known As **DONALD E. ATHERTON** Date of Death April 3, 2016

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Shannon Marie Atherton of Wevmouth, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that **Shannon Marie** Atherton of Weymouth, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court You have a right to object to this proceed ing. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of May 21, 2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

#### UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 26, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court** 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1414EA

Estate of JUDITH C. KEILER Also Known As
JUDY KEILER, JUDITH KEILER Date of Death February 8, 2018

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Barbara Keiler of Sudbury MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Barbara Keiler of Sudbury, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 18, 2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

#### UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court. Date: March 21, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018

### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Division 208 Cambridge Street East Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI18P0931EA

Estate of STEPHANIE B. TAYLOR Date of Death January 27, 2018 **INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE** 

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner James K. Taylor of Woburn, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate

James K. Taylor of Woburn, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

Run date: 4/6/18

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Middlesex Division 208 Cambridge Street East Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P0288EA Estate of

KARL ADOLF CHAPSKY Also Known As KARL A. CHAPSKY

Date of Death February 16, 2017 **INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE** 

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Tatiana Chapsky of Needham, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate

Tatiana Chapsky of Needham, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner

Run date: 4/6/18

## LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18D0811DR DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING RINA MAYLIN HERNANDEZ

vs.
ANGEL ANTONIO HERNANDEZ

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown of the Marriage 1B. The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Rina M. Hernandez, 53A Beaver Terrace Circle, Framingham, MA 01702 your answer, if any, on or before April 26, 2018. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: March 15, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/18



# **EXTRA** Innings

by Sal Giarratani



### New Gehrig-Ruth Book Out on Clubhouse Friction

There's a new book out on former NY Yankee stars Lou Gehrig and Babe Ruth. They had a feud on steroids compared to the most recent feud between Derek Jeter and Alex Rodriguez. The Babe was not that thrilled with Gehrig's consecutive game streak and was furious that Gehrig didn't back the Babe's goal of becoming manager of the NY Yankees.

The book is called Gehrig & the Babe: The Friendship & the Feud by Tony Castro. Ruth once said the two didn't talk for years and when asked what was behind the feud, "Women," said Ruth. It's always broads." Hardly surprising, right? Big egos and ...

"Le Grand Orange," 1944-2018



### **Rusty Staub**

The NY Post did a super piece on the late Rusty Staub, who recently passed away at 73 years old. As the Post noted, Staub was one of the greatest hitters of his baseball era, mostly known as a NY Mets or Montreal Expos slugger.

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

> Docket No. MI18P1438EA Estate of RICHARD GEORGE FURTH

Date of Death December 27, 2017 CITATION ON PETITION FOR

FORMAL ADJUDICATION To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Eileen C. Furth of Concord, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that Eileen C. Furth of Concord, MA be appointed as Persona Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of April 20, 2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

#### UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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Witness, HON, EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: March 23, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/2018 When he went to the Expos, he actually learned French to talk with his fans. In twenty-four seasons, he was a six-time All-Star with 2,716 hits and 1,466 RBIs. He helped the Mets to their second pennant in 1973, when he hit four homers in that postseason. His nickname "Le Grand Orange," attributed to his red hair, stuck with him over his entire career

A gourmet chef and wine expert, he opened two restaurants in NYC and, in 1984, founded the New York Police and Fire Widow and Children's Benefit Fund. He also established the Rusty Staub Foundation dedicated to helping children and the hungry. It has raised over \$17 million, establishing food pantries and mobile feeding units that serve hundreds of thousands of meals annually.

As the NY Post stated, "Rusty Staub was more than a star athlete, he was a caring and giving human being who defined the term 'role model.' RIP.'

### Welcome into the World, Owen Richard Morrison

My daughter Nealia went into extra innings during her pregnancy. Her son simply seemed to like where he was and was in no rush to exit the tunnel into the world. However, in the end, he did arrive early on the morning of March 29th. He was one big boy, weighing NINE pounds.

Many of my friends who are grandparents told me grandparent status is awesome. As I picked up my "Big Boy," I realized that I helped create him through the daughter that I helped create back at her birth.

I felt so special holding him for the first time and remem-

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court Middlesex Division** 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

Docket No. MI18P1274GD NOTICE AND ORDER: Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor

In the interests of SCARLETH D. LAMBUR ALVARADO of Burlington, MA Minor

**NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES** 1. Hearing Date/Time: A hearing on a Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor filed on 03/12/2018 by

Scarleth D. Lambur Alvarado of Burlington, MA will be held 04/20/2018 09:30 AM Guardian-

ship of Minor Hearing Located 121 Third Street, Cambridge, MA 02141

2. Response to Petition: You may respond by filing a written response to the Petition or by appearing in person at the hearing. If you choose to file a written response, you need to: File the original with the Court; and Mail a copy to all interested parties at least

five (5) business days before the hearing. 3. Counsel for the Minor: The minor (or an adult on behalf of the minor) has the right to request that counsel be appointed for the minor.

4 Counsel for Parents: If you are a parent of the minor child who is the subject of this proceeding you have a right to be represented by an attorney. If you want an attorney and cannot afford to pay for one and if you give proof that you are indigent, an attorney will be assigned to you. Your request for an attorney should be made immediately by filling out the Application of Appointment of Counsel form. Submit the application form in person or by mail at the court location where your case is going to be heard.

5. Presence of the Minor at Hearing: A minor over age 14 has the right to be present at any hearing, unless the Court finds that it is not in the minor's best interests.

Date: March 16, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 4/6/18



My grandson, Owen Richard Morrison, was born on March 29th. He was due on March 14th but went into extra innings. He was a Big Boy weighing in at nine pounds and 22 inches long. Could be the next Aaron Judge or Giancarlo Stanton with those big mitts of his. Charlie Ross always told me to "Keep on Punching!" and Owen already has his dukes up, too.

bered how I felt when I picked up my daughter for the first time. Henry David Thoreau once said, "Spring is a natural resurrection, an experience of immortality" and looking at Owen Richard Morrison for the first time, I felt that very sense of resurrection and immortal-

Prior to his birth, I listened a lot to Gladys Knight and the Pips singing "Save the Overtime for Me." Getting more excited all the time, waiting and waiting for the moment of holding him in my arms.

It's a beautiful life and if you keep upbeat, it will always be a beautiful life for him, me, my daughter, son-in-law and the entire family who welcomes him into the fold.

### Next Week: Jerry Moses RIP

Red Sox catcher Jerry Moses passed away last week. He played during the late '60s and early '70s, mostly as a backup guy and bullpen catcher. Always said he got a PhD in bullpen catching. Played on the '67 Impossible Dream team, too. More next week.

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI17D1975DR DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING **GILSON RIBEIRO** 

vs. VALERIA C. MORENO

To the Defendant:

The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for rretrievable Breakdown of the Marriage 1B. The Complaint is on file at the Court.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411. You are hereby summoned and required to

serve upon Gilson Ribeiro, 34 Oakland St., Newton, MA 02458 your answer, if any, on or before April 26, 2018. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

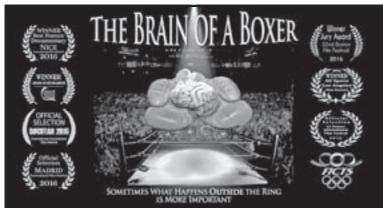
Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: March 15, 2018

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 4/6/18



## The Brain of a Boxer

This Very Important Movie Now Available to the General Public





Paul Pender

A year and a half ago, I had the opportunity to view *Unforgotten:* The Story of Paul Pender, which has won numerous awards, at the Boston Film Festival. The movie, directed by Felice Leeds, looks at the life of former Middleweight Champion Paul Pender and includes rare footage of Pender's career, along with much interesting commentary. More importantly, it takes an in-depth view of the toll repeated trauma to the former champ's head took on his brain. The movie has now been released to the public and is available on Amazon, iTunes, and Google Play. It has been renamed *The* Brain of a Boxer. The new title, along with its broad availability, will, I hope, ensure this important film receives a wide viewership.

When Paul Pender died in 2003 after suffering years from symptoms of dementia, it was concluded the cause of death was Alzheimer's disease. It wasn't until his courageous widow Rose allowed research to be done on his brain that it was found that he had not been suffering from Alzheimer's, but rather it was Chronic Traumatic Encephalopathy (CTE) that caused the deterioration in Paul's brain and eventually led to his death. Furthermore, this damage very possibly began during his days playing high school

Much has been learned about CTE in recent years. Lawsuits reaching into the billions of dollars have been filed against the NFL by families of football players suffering from this horrible, and very preventable, disease. Public awareness is growing about the injuries being inflicted on the young participants who engage in contact sports. More parents are less inclined to allow their children to play football or climb into a boxing ring because of the high risk of brain damage involved in such participation. However, the public still has a desire to view these sports and is willing to pay huge sums of money to do so; as long as the



Rose Pender

money is there, people will be enticed to take up these sports.

In The Brain of a Boxer, you will learn much about the causes of and the research being done on CTE. Most of us assume brain damage is caused by serious concussions that usually result in unconsciousness. However, research has shown how even minor hits to the head, especially when received by young adults and children, causes permanent damage. It is very important for parents to be aware of the dangers involved in many of the sports their children are participating in and to find alternatives for them. Learning the competitive spirit and having children challenge themselves physically is a very important part of growing up; but having a brain that is injured beyond repair is not worth the price of that experience.



Tony DeMarco and Felice Leeds

In making *The Brain of a Boxer*, Felice Leeds has included interviews with many people from the world of boxing, as well as from medical circles. Hearing from those who knew Paul Pender gives us insight into the man. Paul hardly fit the stereotype of the boxer as is seen in so many Hollywood movies. He had a deep intellect and a love for language. It would have been no surprise had he followed a different path in life, such as becoming a college professor.

Former boxers, boxing experts, and friends of Pender's, such as former Champ Tony DeMarco, Joe DeNucci, historians Dan Cuoco and Mike Silver, former amateur boxing star Richard

Torsney, sportswriter Bud Collins, and Richard Johnson, curator of the Sports Museum in Boston, all bring their memories of Paul Pender to life. He was a complicated and interesting man.

For the medical perspective, we hear from Dr. Ann McKee, whose tireless research on CTE has done so much to shed light on this terrible problem. Dr. McKee was recently named Bostonian of the Year by the Boston Globe. She has been studying the brains of deceased athletes for a number of years and the results of her findings are stunning. It has been learned that CTE can show up in the brains of athletes at a very young age. It is a progressive decease that gets worse with time and has no cure. It is also a very preventable disease. By preventing our athletes from receiving trauma to the head, the disease can be eliminated from sports.

Leeds describes Rose Pender, Paul's widow, as the true hero in this story. It was Rose who made the very difficult decision to allow her husband's brain to be used for research. Paul Pender's brain was the first to be studied. If not for the action of this very courageous woman, research into CTE may have been delayed for years.

The Brain of a Boxer is a very interesting and important film. For those who love boxing, there is much to enjoy. The archival footage is just amazing. Hearing the voice of Paul Pender as he talks about the dark side of boxing is eye-opening. Also, for those of us who have loved boxing all of our lives, it forces us to confront some very difficult realities. Is the pleasure we get from watching athletes inflict head injuries on each other really something we should accept? Is it time to rethink how we view contact sports? And just maybe we should ask ourselves, would we allow our sons and daughters to take part in sports that can cause such serious damage to their brains? If the answer is no, then we have to deal with the question of allowing others to do so.

The Brain of a Boxer is an important contribution to the discussion surrounding these issues. It is an excellent film, well-crafted and fascinating to watch.

Richard Johnson, the curator of the Sports Museum in Boston, best described it. I believe he was quoting Paul Pender when he said, "It is a full day if you have laughed and cried." This documentary will make you do both.

Many thanks to Felice Leeds for making this film. I urge everyone to see it now that they have the chance. It will make you laugh and cry. And I hope it will make you think about the price so many athletes pay for entertaining us.

The Brain of a Boxer

Directed by Felice Leeds, available on iTunes, Amazon, and Google Play.

For more information about the movie, go to: *facebook.com/unforgottenchamp*.





by Richard Preiss

PRIMED FOR THE PLAYOFFS — Just like a car that's been prepped for a long summer road trip, the Bruins are concluding their 82-game regular season preparation phase, ready for what they hope to be a long ride through the Stanley Cup playoffs.

By the time the Bruins start their engines midway through the second week of April, for the first of what ideally might turn out to be four best-of-seven series, it will be a new season with all sixteen playoff teams starting from scratch.

It was certain as the regular season entered its final weekend that either Boston or Tampa Bay would finish first in the Eastern Conference. But who would provide the opposition wasn't known, since several teams were bunched together in a fight for the lower playoff berths. The B's even had an outside shot at moving past NHL leader Nashville and claiming the President's Trophy.

However the final order turns out, the B's enter the second season (and some would say the only season) ready for the challenge, with coach Bruce Cassidy voicing optimism as his 2018 version of Boston's historic NHL franchise revs up for hockey's version of a twomonth excursion.

It's been a different season than last year, when veteran head coach Claude Julien was let go on February 7, 2017, and replaced by Cassidy. The longtime coach of the B's AHL affiliate in Providence, Cassidy had been elevated to an assistant's position with the big club at the start of the 2016-2017 season. The Bruins immediately improved under his "interim" leadership and managed to gain a playoff berth.

Over the summer, Cassidy was made the permanent head coach, but the team had some rocky moments in the early going before turning on the jets. Since the holidays, though, the team has been a winning one, with everyone speculating as to how far the B's will go down the road that leads to the Stanley Cup Championship this spring.

"Well, we had our own goals internally," said Cassidy in a press conference as the regular season wound down. "We knew we had a good hockey club the way we finished last year. We've added some younger guys. We certainly thought we were a playoff caliber team and where we went from there throughout the year would depend on the growth of some of those younger players. When the eighty-two games are over, we'll see where we are, who we've got, and go from there."

In the late regular season going, the B's took down Tampa at the Garden, dislodging the Florida team from the first place position it had held in the Eastern Conference since October 19th. But in a return matchup in the Sunshine State, the Lightning struck the Bruins

hard, blanking them 4-0 to draw into a tie for the top spot as the final weekend approached.

"Tampa's a good hockey club and is going to be a handful whether we get them or whoever gets them in the playoffs," opined Cassidy. "We'd like to think we're the same way. Whether you're first, second or even third in the Atlantic Division, it's hard to choose from the top three teams, at least in the games that I've seen."

It isn't just on the ice, but that added dimension of being teammates away from the building that has made an impression on veteran NHL forward David Backes, who was acquired during the summer of 2016. "It's been pretty exciting, the group of guys that we have, on the ice and off the ice," noted Backes. "Obviously, the results have been there. The office chemistry that guys have — they like each other and spend time together away from the rink — has translated onto the ice and that's made it really enjoyable. Guys really care about each other and that's made it an enjoyable year. At times it feels like there are eight guys on the ice instead of just five. That's a good feeling to have. We're in a really good spot. We need to keep taking care of our destiny and the way we control it going forward."

Overriding all these factors is the great unknown in playoff hockey — how will the goalies do? How far the Bruins will go in the postseason will in a large measure be determined by how well Tuukka Rask performs between the pipes.

Back in 2011, it was Tim Thomas who backstopped the B's all the way to the Stanley Cup. Rask was his backup, but many would never know it. That was because Thomas played every game in that 2011 postseason. In fact, Rask was the only player on the Bruins postseason roster to achieve a singular distinction. He never played a single moment in any of the Stanley Cup games that spring.

Now, as it has been in some recent prior springs, it is Tuukka's time once more. How far the Bruins go will be determined in a large measure by how far Tuukka takes them.

The hot goalie has a special place in Stanley Cup lore. While it is true that other players must score in order to win the game, how a goalie performs is a huge factor in determining whether his team advances into the next round. If Tuukka is terrific, then one can reasonably expect the B's to go deep into the playoffs. But if he's not, then the possibility of an early exit might become a reality.

The NHL postseason — a fascinating time of year — is about to begin. Come June, we'll know which team completed this extended journey in a championship manner. Whether it is the Bruins or another team, only time will tell.

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