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News Briefs

by Sal Giarratani

U.S. Has "Plan" to Sink Fleet

The U.S. is working on a plan "to destroy the Black Sea Fleet with missiles in order to unblock Ukraine's ports," according to Ukrainian Minister of Internal Affairs Advisor Anton Gerashchenko. "The effective work of the Ukrainians on warships convinced (the U.S.) to prepare a plan to unblock the ports."

USDA Offers Funding Flexibility to Help States, WIC Families Amid Infant Formula Shortages

Department Will Temporarily Cover the Full Cost of Alternate Formulas

In its continued efforts to get formula to families in need, the U.S. Department of Agriculture is encouraging state agencies and their infant formula manufacturers to consider seeking temporary flexibility in their infant formula contracts to allow WIC participants to purchase alternate sizes, forms, or brands of infant formula during the current shortage.

State agencies have contracts with one of three manufacturers to provide specific formula to WIC infants who are partially or fully formula fed. To maximize access for WIC participants, USDA is recommending state agencies, Rickett Mead Johnson (RMJ), and Gerber to work together to consider temporarily allowing alternate brand formulas. To help make this financially feasible, USDA is quickly leveraging the new Access to Baby Formula Act signed by President Biden and will cover the additional costs of alternate brand formulas in states that have contracts with RMJ or Gerber, if the contracted size, form, or brand of formula is unavailable. In states with Abbott contracts, Abbott is currently covering that cost difference.

"Responding to the infant formula shortage has been and will continue to be - a team effort. We encourage states and their formula manufacturers to work together to maximize access to infant formula for WIC participants, and USDA will provide the funding to make that possible," said Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack. "WIC families are depending on us for the vital nourishment their babies and children need to thrive. We cannot let them down."



WIC participants under 12 months of age consume an estimated 56% of infant formula in the U.S. Approximately half of all state agencies have contracts with Abbott, which voluntarily recalled several formula products in February. Though RMJ and Gerber were not subject to the recall, WIC participants in some states in contracts with the companies are beginning to have difficulty finding their typical formula in stock due to the lengthy closure of a major Abbott facility. USDA previously provided waivers flexibility to allow WIC state agencies to provide alternate sizes, forms, and brands of formula, if permitted under their contract, and is now taking action to ensure it is a financially viable option for all states.

Since the recall was first announced, USDA's Food and Nutrition Service has been working tirelessly to ensure WIC participants and stakeholders have the information they need to keep infants safe. The agency immediately provided guidance to WIC state agencies and, within days offered flexibilities respond to the impacts of the recall. In the months since, FNS has been providing ongoing assistance and support to help states put those flexibilities to best use and adapt to the rapidly-changing situation, approving well over 200 waiver requests to date.

The department continues to work closely with HHS and FDA and the administration to support WIC through this challenging time and contribute to a swift end to the shortage. Recent actions include:

Coordinating cross-government to rapidly transport safe specialty formulas into the country for babies with special medical needs through Operation Fly Formula. The first shipment arrived in the U.S. on May 22nd with 132 pallets of a crucial specialty formula; the second is expected to arrive today with 114 pallets of another specialty formula, also in high need.

Calling on states to take advantage of all available WIC flexibilities that could help those they serve. Since May 13, when USDA wrote to state health commissioners on this issue, 33 new waivers have been requested and approved, with all 50 states now offering at least one flexibility to help WIC families get the formula they need.

Engaging directly with WIC stakeholders including holding multiple listening sessions to better understand current needs and concerns.

More information about USDA's response can be found on Food and Nutrition Service's Infant Formula Safety webpage at www.fns.usda.gov/ofs/ infant-formula-safety.

Bad News Biden Bears

Americans by large numbers are fed up with how Joe Biden is running the country and have even less faith that things will be improving anytime soon, Nearly 8 in 10 voters — 75 percent — say things in America are going somewhat very bad. Not good news for Democrats going into the midterms. According to a CBS News/ YouGov poll, 56 percent disapprove of how Biden is handling his presidential duties. Sixty-eight percent say they are pessimistic about the economy, 77 percent say the same about inflation, and 57 percent about their retirement plans.

When asked to give one word describing Biden, 57 percent said "distracted," 51 percent say "incompetent," and 47 percent said "divisive."

All Human Circus Back

"The Greatest Show on Earth" is attempting a comeback featuring extraordinary human, not animal acts after shutting down the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus. This circus is planning a 50-city North American tour starting in September 2023.

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including waivers to help them *infant-formula-safety*.

North End Athletic Association FALL SOCCER PROGRAM REGISTRATION

The North End Athletic Association will hold registration for our Fall Soccer Program during the month of June. Our season will start on 9/17/22 but practices will begin 2 weeks prior. Registration will be through our online line site only: *neaasoccer.org.* It will run from June 1 - 30, 2022.

There will be 3 age groups again this year:

Boys and Girls COED - 4 and 5: Instructional Program: Saturday mornings 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Boys and Girls COED - 6 to 8 Year Olds Games: Saturday 10:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. & Practices: Tuesday evenings at 5:30 p.m.

Boys and Girls COED - 9 to 12 Year Olds Games: Saturday mornings at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and Practices: Thursday evenings at 5:30 p.m.

Please note that all ages are as of 9/1/22

There will be a maximum of 8 teams per league. There will be a maximum of 9 players per team for the 4 and 5, and

6 to 8 year old programs and 12 players per team for the 9 to 12 year old program.

If there is a waiting list, preference will be given to returning players and their siblings, if registered and paid by June 30th. There will be a late fee of \$25 per player assessed if payment is not received by July 15, 2022.

New parents interested in coaching can contact me at this email.

We are also looking for referees ages 14 and above, please contact me at this email as well if you have an older child interested — they can receive community service hours for school, confirmation or other needed requirements.

The cost per player will remain at \$55 per player. Registration fee can be paid by check or by venmo: @JRbaseball63. or mailing a check made out to:

NEAA, c/o John Romano, 30 North Bennet Street, Boston, MA. 02113



by Prof. Edmund Turiello

A weekly column highlighting some of the more interesting aspects of our ancestry . . . our lineage . . . our roots.



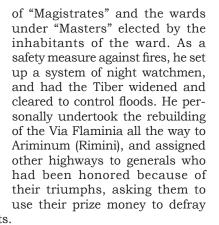
OCTAVIUS BECOMES AUGUSTUS

Augustus in Latin means sacred, venerable, majestic, and magnificent. Octavius was given the title of Augustus by the Roman Senate when he became emperor in 27 B.C. In his full career, he engaged in numerous wars to protect the frontiers of the Roman Dominions, and also waged at least five civil wars of which two were against Mark Antony, and one against Brutus. The head of Brutus was sent back to Rome so that it could be cast at the feet of Caesar's statue.

Augustus made many changes in the armies and enforced the strictest discipline. Generals were permitted to visit with their wives only during the winter season. A Roman Knight was sold into slavery and his property confiscated because he cut off the thumbs of two young sons to make them unfit for military service, and an entire legion was dishonorably discharged because they were insubordinate. If any of his cohorts gave way in battle he killed off some of them and fed the rest nothing but barley. Any centurions who left their posts were immediately put to death. Minor faults drew degrading penalties like standing all day long before the General's tent holding ten-foot poles, or even a clump of sod.

Augustus is credited with creating such favorite sayings as "more haste, less speed," "better a safe commander than a bold," "that is done quickly enough which is done well enough," and "A battle should not be begun unless the hope of gain is clearly greater than the fear of loss."

Augustus divided the city of Rome into regions and wards, placing the regions under the charge



repaving costs.

Sacred edifices, which had gone to ruin through lapse of time or by fire, were restored. Greek or Latin books of little known authors were collected and destroyed. Selected sibyl-line works, especially those of the sibyl Cumae were collected and preserved. Females who could foretell the future were called sibyls and Cumae was prominent in Roman mythology.

Soldiers were stationed in strategic locations to guard against any kind of crime either day or night, and the records of old debts to the treasury were burned because they were being used for blackmail. A great effort was put forth to encourage the sons of senators to follow a political or military life. Order was restored to the calendar of Julius Caesar, which had been neglected, some of the ancient rites which had fallen into disuse were rived, beardless youths were forbidden to join in the running at most games, and male or female youths were refused admittance to any nighttime entertainment except when in the company of an adult relative.

NEXT WEEK: Ludi Publici

Senator Edwards

Speaks at Winthrop Republican Event by Sal Giarratani



Senator Lydia Edwards and Winthrop Republican Committee Chair Paul Caruccio (Photo by Sal Giarratani)

State Senator Lydia Edwards was the guest speaker at a recent Winthrop Republican Town Committee event on Monday, May 16th at the Robert A. DeLeo Senior Center.

Paul Caruccio, who chairs the GOP town committee, delivered opening remarks saying Senator Edwards was there to understand the priorities of the community and to engage town Republicans in a discussion on the

issues of the day both locally and nationally.

Caruccio added, "We believe understanding the views of all the electorate is vital to good government, and we hope to offer a different perspective this evening than exists on Beacon Hill."

Edwards is an attorney who previously served on the Boston City Council for District 1 (East Boston, Charlestown and the North End), As a state senator she now represents Winthrop, Revere, East Boston, other parts of Boston and Cambridge.

She answered a number of questions on local issues affecting Winthrop. Issues like the upcoming closure of the Sumner Tunnel for repairs and how that will impact traffic and commute times and the development of Suffolk Downs, housing density and increased traffic.

The Winthrop Republican Town Committee hopes to continue with these public forums where folks can meet and question their representatives in government. The turnout for this first event had a good size crowd and drew a few folks over from both Revere and East Boston.



Consulate General of Italy in Boston

REFERENDUM ABROGATIVI – 12 GIUGNO 2022

Si informa che ai cittadini italiani elettori residenti all'estero ed iscritti nell'*AIRE* e agli elettori temporaneamente all'estero (legge 459/2001) è stato inviato, al loro indirizzo, un plico contenente il materiale per votare per corrispondenza.

Per l'espressione del voto e la restituzione delle schede votate occorre seguire attentamente le istruzioni presenti nel foglio informativo contenuto nel plico e spedire **immediatamente** per posta la busta già affrancata, in modo che arrivi all'Ufficio consolare di riferimento **entro – e non oltre – le ore 16:00 (ora locale) del 9 giugno 2022.**

L'elettore che non riceve il plico elettorale potrà rivolgersi all'Ufficio consolare competente per richiederne un duplicato, dal 29 maggio 2022. Per maggiori informazioni è possibile contattare il Consolato Generale d'Italia a Boston via email (elettorale.boston@esteri.it) o telefonicamente al n. 617-721-5435.

ABROGATIVE REFERENDUM – JUNE 12, 2022

Please be advised that electoral packages have been sent to Italian citizens voting abroad (and registered with the Registry for Italians who reside abroad – *AIRE*), and to voters temporarily abroad (as per Law 459/2001), to their addresses.

Voters must comply with the instructions provided in the electoral package to complete and return the ballots, that must be mailed **promptly** using the pre-paid envelope provided, in order to ensure delivery to the Consular Office **no later than 4:00 PM (local time), on June 9, 2022.**

Voters who have not received their electoral package may request a duplicate to the Consular Office competent for the jurisdiction they reside in, starting from May 29, 2022. For more information, you can contact this Consular Office via email (elettorale.boston@esteri.it) or by phone at 617-721-5435.

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Fitchburg State University

To Celebrate Launch of WWII-Era Letters by Fallen Fitchburg Sailor Michael Vincent Addorisio



The life and death of a decorated World War II sailor from Fitchburg comes into vivid focus through a new online collection and exhibit opening June 1 at the Amelia V. Gallucci-Cirio Library at Fitchburg State University.

The Michael Vincent Addorisio (Addorizzi) Family Collection, curated by the fallen sailor's niece, Rose Anne Addorisio, is preserved in the library archives through a collaboration with the university's Center for Italian Culture (CIC). Ms. Addorisio is a member of the CIC's board.

The collection includes 93 letters, postcards, and medals, depicting a

military life that was tragically cut short while serving on the USS *Reid* during World War II. His letters describe his travels across the United States by train to his first duty station and his journey across the world by sea. Routines of a sailor's life and a firsthand account of Pearl Harbor are included. His medals, letters, and that fateful Western Union Telegram bring Michael's story to life.

The online collection may be viewed at *https://fitchburgstate*. *libguides.com/cicarchives/MichaelAddorisio*.

The collection will launch at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 1st in the university library's archives and special collections, located in room S03 of Hammond Hall, at 160 Pearl Street. Admission is free and open to the public. The archivist Asher Jackson and Ms. Addorisio will be discussing the collection and its unique content. Face coverings will be required for this event and visitors will be asked to attest they are free of COVID-19 symptoms.

Michael Vincent Addorisio (Addorizzi), the son of immigrant parents Pasquale and Rosina (Maria Rosa Loreto) Addoriso, was born on Jan. 23, 1919, in Fitchburg. He was the sixth of eight children, four born in Rocchetta, Sant'Antonio Italy, and four born in Fitchburg. According to his birth and military records, his official name was Michael Vincent Addorizzi.

On October 7, 1940, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy in Springfield, Mass., under the officially recorded name of Michael Vincent Addorizzi. He wrote to his family saying, "don't make fun of my new name" and "remember the 2 zz's."

Harvest On Vine Needed Now More Than Ever

by Sal Giarratani



Volunteers from St. Joseph University, Philadelphia alumni chapter

As a friend of Tommy MacDonald over in Charlestown at the Harvest on Vine Food Pantry, I started helping out at its twice-monthly food distributions along with a good-sized core of volunteers. Many of us started out as strangers helping out at this food ministry organized by St. Catherine/St. Mary's Parish.

In recent years, especially since the pandemic began, the need increased exponentially. The lines are long and the need is great. I am sure all who are served here appreciate what they receive and are thankful to all who work so hard to make this ministry possible. It definitely shows that Charlestown never forgets to help those in need.



Alexander Jones, Peter Boyce, and Tom MacDonald

The many volunteers come from Charlestown and beyond. They are townies, newcomers,

and former residents like myself who remain part of the heart and soul of this community.

5th North End Cornhole Classic The North End's Favorite Sunday Funday is Back by Popular Demand!



About this event

With all proceeds going to the Geraldine Marshall Scholarship and the North End Music and Performing Arts Center (NEMPAC), The Greenway will be packed with a tournament that's bigger and better!

• Registration begins at 11:00 a.m. and **tour**nament play begins promptly at 12:00 p.m.

• Tickets will be **\$75 per team** (one ticket = 2 players)

• Ticket includes: two guaranteed games, two

This collection includes *93 letters* from the time he enlisted in 1940 to 1944, when he was killed in an attack on the sea south of the Philippines.

LETTERS POLICY

The Post-Gazette invites its readers to submit Letters to the Editor.

 Letters should be typed, double-spaced and must include the writer's name, address and telephone number. Anonymous letters are not accepted for publication.

 Due to space considerations, we request that letters not exceed two double-spaced, type-written pages.

 This newspaper reserves the right to edit letters for style, grammar and taste and to limit the number of letters published from any one person or organization.

 Deadline for submission is 12:00 noon on the Monday prior to the Friday on which the writer wishes to have the material published. Submission by the deadline does not guarantee publication.

> Send letter to: Pamela Donnaruma, Editor, The Post-Gazette, P.O. Box 135, Boston, MA 02113



The 5th **North End Cornhole Classic** charity tournament is finally back and will be held on **Sunday, June 5th.** **Rain date scheduled for Sunday, June 12th*.

The event will be hosted on the **Rose Kennedy Greenway Park**, paired with raffles, silent auction, music, food, cash bar, and a day-long cornhole tournament.

Teams of two can enter the tournament. **Tickets** are available for \$75 per team at *https://www. eventbrite.com/e/5th-north-end-cornholeclassic-tickets-318564554157*. Make sure to secure your spot ahead of time. The event is free and open to the public to attend, so invite your family, friends, and fans to cheer for you on, and join the day-long event, filled with music, entertainment, and delicacies.

The Greenway will be packed with a tournament that's bigger and better than ever before! We cannot wait to see you there!

All proceeds will support NEMPAC and the Geraldine Marshall Scholarship Fund. **Interested in sponsoring or have any questions?** Contact **NorthEndCornhole@gmail.com** for more information. t-shirts, and two drink tickets.

• *New location!* We're thrilled to be on the North End park of the Rose Kennedy Greenway.

• New format, raffle prizes, food, music and more!

More on the Geraldine Scholarship

The North End Music and Performing Arts Center (NEMPAC) is honored to continue to offer the Geraldine Marshall Scholarship, and to preserve the leg-



acy of a woman who loved children and the arts. The Geraldine Marshall Scholarship Fund enters its fourth year of awarding North End children under the age of 18 with a full-year scholarship for music lessons or to participate in one of NEMPAC's artistic programs.

The Geraldine Marshall Scholarship was established by her son, State Representative Aaron Michlewitz. Ms. Marshall, who passed away at the age of 68, was born in Dorchester in 1946, moved to the North End at the age of 21 and settled here for almost 50 years before her passing.

L'Anno Bello: A Year in Italian Folklore A Serene Salute to Summer Days

by Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz



The lovely, luxurious days of summer are so close that I can take a bite out of them, sweet as a strawberry pie melting in my mouth. Puffy white clouds dot a perfectly azure sky, rimmed by the trees of a now glorious deep green. Warm days enable me to step out in flowing sundresses and no jackets, relishing the glow of the bright afternoon light. The other day, I caught a whiff of sunscreen emanating from the patio outside my school, and that scent immediately transported me to the beach, to the feeling of sand caressing my feet and the sharp cry of seagulls. There is perhaps no other season as exhilarating, as carefree, and as vivacious as summer. When the sunlight goes on well into the evening and the school year begins to wind down, I am grasped with the desire for celebration, for whirlwind excursions in nature. Indeed, it seems as if the whole world is gearing up for a feast once the summer commences. The next couple of weekends, for example, offer two important summer festivals with their own unique customs and significance. Memorial Day constitutes a national remembrance that also opens the season. Meanwhile, Pentecost is a religious holiday celebrated with many folkloristic traditions. Both of these holidays encourage us to welcome the beauty of summer with love and open hearts.

Memorial Day arrives this year on the 30^{th} of May. A patriotic holiday, Memorial Day differs from the height-of-summer fanfare that characterizes

focuses more on reflection and intimate gatherings of family and friends. There is a sense of hope and renewed expectation on Memorial Day, as people step out into the summer for the first time, shedding away their cares as they enjoy the glowing sunshine and the warm breezes that ruffle the leaves. Memorial Day always reminds me of images of vintage Americana: blueberry pies sitting on checkered tablecloths, flags gently waving in the breeze, the curl of smoke rising above a barbecue grill, umbrellas dotting the bright-blue ocean shore. The long weekend of Memorial Day has often been considered the unofficial start of summer, when people emerge to take their vacations and a relaxed sense of joy permeates the air. However, it is also important to remember the true meaning of Memorial Day: that all of these summer joys we take for granted would not be possible without the brave sacrifice of the men and women who died for our country. I remember spending a quiet Memorial Day weekend evening watching incandescent green-gold fireflies blink in and out of the dark trees in my backyard, while the melodious notes of an Eagles song played from some far-off barbecue. This moment epitomized both the simple summer pleasures and the nostalgic sense of memory that typify this holiday. This Memorial Day, I plan to spend time with my family, eating my corn pudding and a summer fruit crisp full of peaches and cherries. As I

grateful to those whose courage paved the way for the very freedoms I am enjoying.

Soon after Memorial Day, Italians will celebrate Pentecost on Sunday, June 5th. This important Christian feast occurs on the seventh Sunday after Easter and honors the descent of the Holy Spirit upon Jesus's disciples. It also closes the fiftydeed Easter period - in fact, the name "Pentecost" derives from the Greek word for "fifty." For Italians, Easter, or Pasqua, does not end on the Sunday of the holiday, but rather encompasses a fifty-day period peppered with many saints' days and Easter-related festivities. The fortieth day after Easter, for example, is Ascension Day, or Festa dell'Ascensione. Commemorating Jesus' Ascent into Heaven, Italians honor this day with springtime festivities, like the Festa del Grillo. During this Cricket Festival, children buy cages with toy crickets inside, which are thought to bestow good luck. Pentecost also brims with quaint and unique traditions. In Italy, the holiday is often referred to as Pasqua Rossa, or "Red Easter," after the red vestments worn by clergy on this day. Many church services scatter rose petals upon the congregation, symbolizing the descent of the Holy Spirit and incorporating a beautiful summertime flower into the celebration. The English, meanwhile, know Pentecost as Whitsunday. They mark the holiday with Whitsun Ales, or outdoor fairs that include folk dancing, decorations of flowers and garlands, and charitable contributions to the local parish and other causes. Europeans know that it is so wonderful to experience a holiday where spirituality, community, and the love of summer seamlessly combine into an unforgettable celebration.

Pentecost and Memorial Day are two diverse holidays that nevertheless share the similar themes of love and community. They encourage us to consider our spirituality and our memory, our values and the commitments to those that we cherish. During the summer, it often seems as if the world is renewed once more, full of energy and a zest of life. It is a prime time for celebrating nature, for reaffirming our love to the world, and for celebrating the blessings we have in life. These holidays, with their deep significance and their beloved customs, remind us that summer is more than a season, but rather a state of the soul. As long as we embrace life with the same excitement and joy as a tree blooming under the golden sunshine, so will the sweetness of the early days of summer live forever within us.



Boston Public Schools Still Seem to be Failing the Grade

Too Much Politics, Too Little Decisive Policy

unsure if Boston Public Schools were so bad that State Receivership was necessary but perhaps the Pioneer Institute is right about some type of receivership with "more targeted intervention" to address what it calls the "untenable decline" of the school system.

Between May 12th to May 19th, I read story after story pointing to a crisis that seems to be a malignant force across the entire system. While the mayor is touting new investment through a \$2 billion New Green Deal to be used to upgrade infrastructure across all 132 school buildings, safety issues continue. A school teacher had boiling water thrown in her face by a student; students at three different schools were assaulted by other students using Chrome Books as weapons.

I read a quote from a Boston BPS parent who stated, "Boston, can we please start seeing our schools for what they are - the lifeblood of our community. We do not prioritize our children's education in this city."

Also, when not talking about safe schools, we are now pitting parents against each other through school policies like the new "Zip Code" policy for our exam schools.

The latest bad news reminded me of an old song, "And The Beat Goes On." During a fight outside a school building, the Boston Police were not immediately called. Why not? Eventually, unarmed school safety officers arrived at the scene. Also, what about the two loaded guns found inside Charlestown High school last week? (The Metal detectors were removed during Covid to allow more space entering and exiting the School.) I heard the school department now is moving forward to re-instating those metal detectors again! Thank God, no one got hurt there last week. Those metal detectors serve a real safety

No wonder there have been calls for receivership. Schools are supposed to be a safe learning environment. Parents can see what is going on. I would rather have the return of the Boston School Police who are trained special police officers with the power of arrest. In

Until very recently, I was the current situation unarmed security guards just won't do. The answer is not to beef up the BPS Communications Office as the city recently did. Really?

> I wish I had more faith that City Hall knows what it is doing. I think the disconnect between the school system and parents must be addressed. I continually call for the return of an elected Boston School Committee, not a hybrid system. Our public schools will only be fixed when parents get to elect voices in how our schools are run. Politicians and bureaucrats have shown they can not or will not do the job without the direct input and accountability of both parents and their children.

The Boston Publics Schools used to be among the best school systems in the nation but that was then, not now. Call me both tired and frustrated with school leaders who should know better but haven't shown that they know how to fix anything in our schools. The proof is in the pudding.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Division Middlesex Probate and Family Court Lowell Justice Center 370 Jackson Street, 5th Floor Lowell, MA 01852 (978) 656-7700 Docket No. MI22P0921EA Estate of EDWARD F. MAHONEY Date of Death: January 19, 2022 INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Kevin J. Mahoney of Peoria, AZ, a Will has been

admitted to informal probate Kevin J. Mahoney of Peoria, AZ 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 xpenses of adm histration. Interested par are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders ter-minating 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.

experience the delights of the the Fourth of July. Instead, it season, I will remember to be

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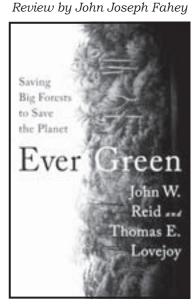
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Ever Green, Saving Big Forests to Save the Planet

Certainly current, with the environment listed as one of the pressing issues worldwide, scientifically and politically, *Ever Green* with the subtitle and overall theme, *Saving Big Forests to Save the Planet*, (published by W. W. Norton & Company) offers its readers a well-researched and articulate exposition of the necessity to save the those forests of the world that have been threatened before it is too late.

Authors John W. Reid and Thomas E. Lovejoy's approach to relay the salience of this mission is by examining five of the earth's largest forests, referred to as mega forests. As the book flap indicates: "Five stunningly large forests remain on Earth: the Taiga, extending from the Pacific Ocean across all of Russia and far-northern Europe; the North American boreal, ranging from Alaska's Bering seacoast to Canada's Atlantic shore; the Amazon, covering almost the entirety of South America's bulge; the Congo, occupying parts six nations on Africa's wet equatorial middle; and the island forest of New Guinea, twice the size of California."

Indeed, Ever Green discusses the importance of the forests relative to their geography - and the effects that deforestation and construction would have on an already compromised ecosystem — given that so much flora and fauna exist within the confines of the forests. Wide scale deforestation portents disaster. A case in point is the importance which the forest is to the indigenous peoples of the Amazon; and, that in the North American Megaforest, the negative effects of mining (in the water rich boreal forest) results in the following: "Water passing through mine tailings and waste rock becomes highly acidic and can leach toxic metals into rivers, lakes, and groundwater."



The adverse consequences cannot be overstated. Therefore at risk, as the authors admonish are wildlife *and* people, along with the forest's natural ecological processes.

Presented in a volume with 12 chapters along with a prologue, Ever Green, authors Reid and Lovejoy provide not only caution its readers of what will happen to the forests if measures are not taken for proper maintenance but also suggest actions that can be taken to reverse and yes, ameliorate land that has already been susceptible to deforestation. An example of this is in the Amazon when trees are restored to the banks of waterways. Ever Green gives credence to how powerful and significant the forest ecosystem is (the forest actually consisting of many ecosystems) but how natural mechanisms support the whole forest: "Farmers have seen more encouraging results when restoring trees along the banks of the countless rivers and creeks that vein the forest landscape. Water reappears swiftly in streambeds dried out by previous deforestation, which cools the local climate and brings back large mammals that eat fruits and disperse seeds, which grow into more

True By Dr. John Christoforo Short Stories BOSTON ENGLISH HIGH trees that supply the Amazon's flying rivers with their moisture. Fast-growing trees, some exotic, are mixed in for fruits, fuel, or wood. This approach mirrors one of Brazil's most epic reforestation successes."

One realizes how potent this ecosystem is - and yet so fragile! The casual reader is also aware after reading this work the risks that associated with constructing roads into the forests. Although the loss of trees for the road itself might be believed to be inconsequential, the fact that the road exists results in traffic and building along the roads that gradually moves into the interior, again putting the forest in jeopardy. Another issue stated in this book is that for a forest to retain its maximum health and biodiversity, it shouldn't be divided or sectioned; it must enjoy a certain volume of acreage. This adds weight to the belief that mega forests, although impressively large, must contain large expanses of *intact* forest to remain fecund. Indeed, this book gives the reader a more comprehensive understanding of the minutiae of forest continuation - and how, should there be deforestation, the forest will, allowing for certain factors, reclaim itself once given the opportunity.

Ever Green additional examines this subject in terms of what the forest's devastation would mean globally. Primary would be that the mega forests are responsible for the substantial absorption of the gas carbon dioxide (CO2) from the atmosphere (as a result of both natural and human emission) which in turn allows the plants to produce their own food via a process called photosynthesis; this essentially allows for the plants to be nourished as well as release as the byproduct oxygen (O). One cannot overstate the magnitude of this and not just from an endemic perspective but from a global one.

This work is also enhanced by maps giving perspective to the forest areas relative to its geography; photos also supplement the narrative.

Ever Green, Saving Big Forests to Save the Planet is recommended for not only those with a keen interest in botany or the related sciences, but for those interested in the conservation of an essential biodiverse land, that along its copious amounts of flora and fauna, is responsible for, among others, extracting carbon from the atmosphere, regenerating oxygen, harboring varied species and service as home for its indigenous population. Conservation measures have been taken both from both the international arena and from the business sectors, local legislation enacted and warnings about the banal effects of deforestation publicized, and it is imperative that these measures continue. After all, the forests, both the tropical (Amazon, Congo and New Guinea) and boreal (North American Mega forest and Taiga,) provide immense life to the planet — and this is something that the planet cannot afford to lose!

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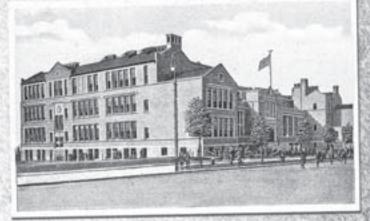
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and women from Massachusetts who were killed in action, died in service while in a designated combat area in the line of duty, or died as a result of wounds received in action. Each qualifying applicant can register one private passenger motor vehicle owned and principally used by him/her at https://www.mass.gov/doc/ application-for-medal-of-liberty-plates. The Medal of Liberty Plate is a passenger plate which needs to be renewed every two years and is not available for motorcycles.

"The Registry of Motor Vehicles is pleased to offer the new Medal of Liberty license plate to honor service men and women who lost their lives while working to protect and serve our country," said Registrar of Motor Vehicles Colleen Ogilvie. "The specialty plates, which are available at no cost to eligible customers through an application process, will help family members continue to pay tribute and memorialize the service of their fallen loved ones.

Applicants must first be approved for the Massachusetts Medal of Liberty by the Office of the Adjutant General before submitting an application for this special plate. Once approved for the medal, the applicants can apply for the plates either online at https:// www.mass.gov/doc/application-for-medal-of-liberty-plates or by mail. All of the documents listed below need to be submitted at the time of the request.

Required application materials

• A completed Application for Medal of Liberty Plates.

• A Recommendation for the Massachusetts Medal of Liberty form

(TAGMA form 3367) approved by the Office of the Adjutant General. • The service member's DD-214, DD Form 1300, Deployment Orders, or NGB 22.

• A completed Registration and Title Application stamped by an insurance company.

The RMV will mail the requested plates to eligible customers approximately 20 days after the application has been approved.

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The RMV also offers a variety of special license plates that are specifically designed for veterans and military personnel to honor and recognize their service. Veteran and military passenger and motorcycle plates include Veteran, Silver Star, Purple Heart, Congressional Medal of Honor, Legion of Valor, Pearl Harbor Survivor, Distinguished Flying Cross, Ex-POW. The National Guard, Disabled Veteran, and Gold Star Family passenger plates are also available. Eligibility requirements differ based on plate type and can be found at https://www.mass.gov/service-details/ veteran-and-military-license-plates.

Information on the Medal of Liberty, which is governed under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 33, Section 67A, can be found on the website for the Massachusetts National Guard at https:// www.massnationalguard.org/images/Docs/Medal-of-Liberty-2019. pdf.

All RMV customers are encouraged to visit the RMV Online Service Center or www.Mass.Gov/RMV to renew their license or ID card, and complete one of over 40 other transactions available online, by mail, or by phone.

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Saint John of San Facundo

by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari

John was born in 1419 in San Facundo, in the Province of Leon, Spain. He was the oldest son of John Gonzalez de Castrillo and Sancia Martinez and raised in a pious and well-to-do family. He was educated by Benedictines at Fagondez abbey at Sahagun. John was ordained in 1445, he felt a true call to service and a holy

Following a grave illness and major surgery, he became an Augustinian canon at Salamanca, joining the Augustinians on June 18, 1463, and

life.

making his final profession on August 28, 1464. He became the Novice-master of the order. John would later become the prior of the order in Salamanca in 1471.

By the command of his superiors, John gave himself wholeheartedly to preaching. In his sermons, John did not hesitate to publicly criticize the abuses of the powerful and the frequent public scandals of the upper classes. He soon made many enemies. John is noted for his devotion to the Blessed Sacrament; during Mass, he often saw the Host surrounded by light and sometimes had visions of the bodily form of Christ at the moment of consecration. His devotion.



and his visions, often led to some very lengthy Masses. St. John could read hearts in confession and became a sought-after spiritual director. He was a great preacher whose sermons helped change social conditions in Salamanca. His sermons against sinful living conditions, and in support of the rights and dignity of workers brought him the opposition of some local leaders. A duke at Alba de Tormes hired assassins to stop him, but they recognized John's holiness, and would not touch him, confessed to him, and asked for-

giveness. The duke later fell ill and was healed by John's pravers

Miracles were attributed to Father John's intervention, before and after his death. One occurred in Salamanca when a small child fell into a well. The locals made every effort but could not orchestrate a rescue. They sent for Father John who went to the scene, laid his waistband on the stone wall of the well, and prayed that the waters return the child. The well began to fill with water floating the child to safety. He died on June 11, 1479. He was canonized by Pope Alexander VIII on October 16, 1690. The Feast Day of Saint John of San Facundo is June 11th.

Pastor David and Beth Wenrich of Boston Harbor Community Church Resigns

Boston Harbor Community Church, located at 9 Salutation St., announces the resignation of Pastor David and Beth Wenrich on May 29, 2022. The Wenrichs arrived in the North End in November of 2006 and fell in love with the neighborhood, its people, the culture, and the church. During their 15+ years in the community their impact has been astounding; people's lives have changed, miracles have happened, and many needs have been met in extraordinary ways, through their consistent and persistent love and outreach. We like to affectionately say, there are two Boston Harbor 'churches' in the North End - one inside the building and one outside the building. Pastor Dave and Beth are beloved members of the community and have served their neighbors with devotion, integrity, joy, and authenticity.

Please join us in wishing them a fond farewell as an expression of our appreciation on May 29th following the 10:30 a.m. service.

All are welcome. Inquiries or Comments may be directed to info@bostonharbor.cc

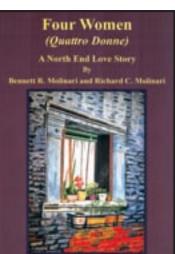
Introducing a new book by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari, lifelong residents of the North End, entitled: Four Women "Quattro Donne"

subtitle, A North End Love Story

This column will feature excerpts from this book

CHAPTER 77 Distressing News

(Continued) Mom and Auntie Stella headed back in the direction of Auntie Angie, knowing the news they carried would greatly disturb Grandma. They worked their way through the crowd, coming upon Grandma who was talking to a paesano. Mom caught Auntie Angie's eye and pulled her aside. After hearing the full story, Auntie paused for a minute, then turning toward her sisters, sternly said, "We have to stop this. Someone is



"She will be spending the night with her friend, Claudia. She is too upset to go home," Auntie Angie replied. "Angie, they may think the two of them will be spending the night together." "Ma, Carmela will speak to the Riccis and explain what's happening. I know they will believe her." "No, Angie, this is something I must do myself. I will speak to Egidio. These troubles don't start with the children, they start with the parents. It's time we sit down and make peace, if not for ourselves, for Pietro and Carla.

Our family has become the talk of the North End, now it must come to an end, it must be for the good of Carla and Pietro." Grandma's suggestion drew the three sisters closer around her. Auntie Angie, as usual, spoke for them. "Ma, what are you planning to do? These people are unreasonable, and who knows what he will do to you." "Angie, he will do nothing to me. We will speak as heads of each of our families. As heads of our families, we will have respect for one another." "Ma, one of us must accompany you." "No, Angie, this is something I must do alone, and he must do alone. It is the way we have always done these things, and it is the way we will do it now.

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going to get killed, and if th happens, it will kill Mama.

Let me tell her the story, and Carmela, you back me up. I know how to break news to her without getting her all nerved up." When Grandma finished with her conversation, she looked up to see Auntie Angie standing beside her. "Angie, what is it?" Auntie gave Grandma an accurate recount of the story, but in her own artful way, blunted the serious aspects of it. Instead of saying Pietro was punched hard, she simply said he was pushed, and she didn't tell her the incident created quite a public display. Grandma's first reaction was to say, "Angie, this is terrible. Where is Pietro now?



If something happens to him, I will never forgive myself. The relatives in Italy will disown us. This is the worst thing that has ever happened to our family." "Mama, don't get upset," Auntie Angie responded reassuringly. "We will work this out. I already told Carmela and Stella, we must solve this situation and we will. First, Ma, Pietro is safe. He's going to spend the night at the rectory with Father Francesco." "Why doesn't he stay with me or Carmela?" Grandma questioned. "Ma, he wants to be alone and he will be safe with Father Francesco," Auntie Angie replied. "And what about Carla"? Grandma asked.

Four Women "Quattro Donne" A North End Love Story, is available at R. Del Gaudio Gift Shop, 17 North Square North End (617-227-5915), adjoining Paul Revere House; Post-Gazette; Saint Francis Book Store and Gift Shop at Saint Leonard Peace Garden; lulu.com; molinaridesign.net; Amazon.com; and Barnes and Noble.com. Bookshop.org; Barbara's Bestsellers, South Station (857-263-8737); Greetings from Boston, Faneuil Hall.

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JULY		
MADONNA DEL GRAZIE	July 10	

Procession Only – Hanover – Prince Sts.	2 pm
ST. ROCCO	July 17
Procession Only – Hanover – Prince Sts.	1 pm
ST. JOSEPH (Tentative)	July 31
Procession Only – Hanover – Prince Sts.	1 pm

AUGUST

ST. AGRIPPINAAugust 4, 5, 6 & 7Hanover & Battery Sts.Opens 7 pm on ThursdaySunday Procession12 noon		
MADONNA DELLA CAVAAugust 12, 13, 14Hanover & Battery Sts. Sunday ProcessionOpens 7 pm on Friday 1 pm		
MADONNA del SOCCORSO August 18, 19, 20, 21 North, Fleet & Lewis Sts. (Fisherman's) Sunday Procession 1 pm - Flight of the Angel 8 pm		
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ST. ANTHONY FEASTAugust 26, 27, 28Endicott & Thacher, N. Margin Sts.Sunday Procession12 pm		
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Use Rain Barrels to Capture Rainwater

by Melinda Myers



Elevate your rain barrel for easier access to the spigot for filling containers and to speed water flow with the help of gravity. (Photo courtesy MelindaMyers.com)

Put rainwater to use in your landscape with the help of rain barrels. This centuries old technique allows you to capture rainfall to use for watering ornamental gardens and containers.

Always start with a call to your local municipality. Some have restrictions on water harvesting, but most encourage this practice and some even offer rebates or rain barrels at a discounted rate.

Purchase a rain barrel or make your own from a large, recycled food grade container. In either case, there are some features to consider when purchasing, creating, and adding a rain barrel to your landscape.

Make sure the top is covered to keep out bugs and debris. Some come equipped with a solid lid with an opening just big enough to accommodate the downspout. Others use a screen to keep out debris, while letting in the rain.

Don't worry about mosquitoes breeding inside your rain barrel. Just use an organic mosquito control like Mosquito Dunks and Mosquito Bits (SummitResponsibleSolutions. com) in rain barrels and other water features. Mosquito Bits quickly knock down the mosquito larval population, while Mosquito Dunks provide 30 days of control. They are both safe for people, pets, fish, wildlife and beneficial insects.

Look for one with the spigot near the base of the barrel so water does not stagnate in the bottom. Use the spigot to fill watering cans or attach a hose for watering.

Include an overflow outlet near the top of the barrel to direct excess water away from the house or for connecting adjacent barrels. A downspout diverter is another way to manage rain barrel overflows. When the rain barrels are full, this device diverts the water back to the downspout where it is carried away from your home's foundation.

Elevate your rain barrel on cement blocks, decorative stands, or similar supports. This provides easier access to the spigot for filling containers and speeds water flow with the help of gravity. A water pump will boost water pressure for a nice steady flow of water.

Dress up your container with a bit of paint suited for outdoor use on plastic surfaces. And don't worry if you are not an artist, you can hide your rain barrels with some decorative screens or plantings or upright shrubs, perennials or ornamental grasses. Just make sure you have easy access to the spout for retrieving water.

Start your conversion to rain barrels one downspout at a time. You can capture as much as 623 gallons of water from 1,000 square feet of roof in a one-inch rainfall. This can be a lot to manage when first adjusting to this change of habit. Disconnecting one downspout at a time allows you to successfully match the use of rain barrels and other rain harvesting techniques to your gardening style and schedule.

The choices are many, making it easy for you to conserve water and grow a beautiful landscape.

Melinda Myers has written more than 20 gardening books, including The Midwest Gardener's Handbook, 2nd Edition and Small Space Gardening. She hosts The Great Courses How to Grow Anything DVD series and the nationally-syndicated Melinda's Garden Moments TV & radio program. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for Birds & Blooms magazine and was commissioned by Summit for her expertise to write this article. Her website is www.MelindaMyers.com.



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STREET CRIME IN

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Boston have become out of con-

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teens started beating up inno-

cent victims apparently just

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REUNION TIMES

COMING UP FOR THIS

AGING GRADUATE

two school reunions to attend.

Boston English High School will

be holding its gala 200th anni-

versary banquet. More on this

event next week. The other day

I received a notice that UMass

Boston will be holding their

class reunion. Also, I gradu-

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back in 1972, which means this

year is my 50^{th} graduation

anniversary. It will be held on

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EDDIE VEDDER UKULELE SONGS (Vinyl) UMe/Republic

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UMe/Republic Records has reissued both Deluxe Edition and Standard Edition LP versions of Eddie Vedder's acclaimed 2011 second solo album, Ukulele Songs, the first time this record has been pressed on vinyl since its initial LP release a decade ago. Both the Deluxe Edition LP and the Standard Edition LP features the original 16-track Ukulele Songs album on black vinyl in expanded packaging that includes a 16-page booklet and a special lithograph. Ukulele Songs comprises a fine mixture of original material penned by Vedder that he initially performed live, alongside vintage classics and standards. A recast, uke-driven version of "Can't Keep," which originally appeared as the opening track on Pearl Jam's hard-charging November 2002 album Riot Act, opens the proceedings, while newer-bred original songs like the resigned lament of "Sleeping By Myself," the charming love orbit of "Satellite," the hopeful brightness of "Light Today," and the instrumental interlude "Waving Palms" all set the table for the 35-minute album. Guest vocalists appear on a pair of key tracks, both of them fine covers of notable standards. First, Glen Hansard adds his Irish folk DNA to "Sleepless Nights," which was written by Felice and Boudreaux Bryant and remade by The Everly Brothers in 1960, in addition to later being covered by the likes of Emmylou Harris, Patty Loveless, and Elvis Costello. Second, Cat Power lends her passionate tone to "Tonight You Belong To Me," a jazz standard written in 1926 by lyricist Billy Rose and composer Lee David. This track has also been subsequently covered by the likes of Frankie Laine, Patience and Prudence, and Dottie West. Versions of "You Belong To Me" were also recently featured in the acclaimed 2019 film drama Blackbird and in an episode of the 2020 HBO horror-drama series Lovecraft Country. The LP's other noteworthy covers include stirring takes on Billy Rose and Edward Eliscu's "More Than You Know," Michael Edwards and Bud Green's "Once In A While," and the album-closing reading of Fabian Andre, Wilbur Schwandt, and Gus Kahn's "Dream A Little Dream

variant will be available with only 5000 copies total in print, and 2,000 copies pressed on clear vinyl. Founder Brian Slagel celebrates with this special re-issue which marks the first of many Metal Blade Records activities happening across the world to celebrate the labels 40th year as a pioneer and champion of heavy music. The Metal Blade Museum will open its doors in Las Vegas later this year where fans can see memorabilia and artifacts dating back to the label's inception. How the Metal Massacre franchise was born: At the brink of the 80's, LA was cementing itself as the rock 'n' roll nucleus of the United States. A longtime fan of the local rock scene, Slagel spent many nights inside LA's locales seeking out the most authentic, heaviest, unique bands to hit the West Coast. Alongside friend John Kornarens, the two split the Metal Massacre project in half - Slagel responsible for artwork and mastering facilities, while Kornarens secured a studio to make the record. That compilation was the foundation of Slagel's Metal Blade Records, one of the premiere heavy metal record labels of all-time. The Metal Massacre franchise is still considered one of the most powerful forces of modern heavy metal.

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PJ HARVEY THE HOPE SIX **DEMOLITION PROJECT +** THE HOPE SIX **DEMOLITION PROJECT -DEMOS** (Vinyl) UMe/Island

Check out the reissue of the vinyl of The Hope Six Demolition Project, the ninth studio album by PJ Harvey, alongside a collection of unreleased demos, available on CD, vinyl, and digital. Released in March, these two albums are certainly worth a second listen. Written during Harvey's travels to Kosovo, Afghanistan, and Washington DC with her frequent collaborator, photographer/filmmaker Seamus Murphy, The Hope Six Demolition Project was then created in sessions open to the public as part of an art installation at Somerset House in London called Recording in Progress. The sessions were fortyfive minutes each in length and lasted for a month, during which viewers could see Harvey making the album through oneway glass with Flood and John Parish. The Hope Six Demolition Project topped the UK charts upon release, her first album to do so, it also charted highly in the end-of-year roundups. Now repressed on vinvl. the ninth PJ Harvey studio album, The Hope Six Demolition Project - Demos, was originally released in 2016, and features the singles "The Wheel" and "The Community of Hope. Both albums contain the same track list, with the exception being that one has demos of the songs. Collection of unreleased demos written for the ninth PJ Harvey studio album The Hope Six Demolition Project, originally recorded in London and Dorset in 2012, including demos of 'The Wheel' and 'The Community Of Hope.'

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

BEST PUERTO RICAN RESTAURANT IN BOSTON

I can tell you from first hand experience that the best Puerto Rican restaurant in Boston is over in Roslindale on Cummins Highway and goes by the name of La Lechonera Restaurant. Growing up with Puerto Rican-Irish cousins I love the food, and love the coffee too

IF YOU LOVED THE RASCALS AND THE MONKEES

Felix Caraliere's Rascals and Mickey Dolenz of the Monkees will be in concert at the Lynn Auditorium on Saturday, June 4th. For more information, call 781-599-7469.

MAYOR ERIC ADAMS SO CORRECT

Mayor Eric Adams is getting so frustrated with out of control crime on the streets of NYC and much of the problem, as he says, are judges and prosecutors who seem more concerned over the rights of the perps and not the victims. Adams had a great quote that needs repeating, "We took 2,600 guns ... but the shooters are back on the streets."

RECEIVED AN EMAIL FROM PELOSI

Recently I checked my inbox and found an email from Nancy Pelosi and here's what she wrote: "Don't delete this email. Don't ignore the message. Don't give Republicans the satisfaction." Know what I did, right? Clicked on that delete button like I always do with her email.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

Happy Birthday to Pete Townshend from The Who, he turned 77 on May 19th. Also, don't forget Stevie Wonder, he turned 72 on May 13th. ITALIA UNITA CELEBRATES

TWO BIRTHDAYS

On May 4th, I attended dinner with members of Italia Unita, who usually meet once a month at Rino's in East Boston, and this month, the group celebrated two birthdays, mine (May 4th) and Sean Cassidy's (May 6^{th}) There was even a great

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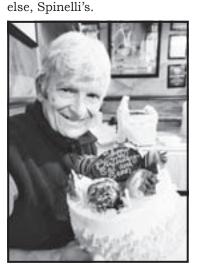
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24 New Chardon Street

birthday cake there from, where



Sal holding the birthday cake



Sean Cassidy

HISTORY I WAS NEVER TAUGHT

On May 19, 1713, a mob of angry Bostonians stormed the Boston Common protesting the high price of bread. The lieutenant governor was shot when he tried to calm everybody down. I also learned bread was going up because merchants were hoarding back grain in hopes of trying to drive up retail prices. Somethings I guess never change!



LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Division **Middlesex Probate and Family Court** 10-U Commer Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P2551EA Estate of TIMOTHY A. PAGE

METAL MASSACRE: VOLUME ONE / (Vinyl) Metal Blade Records

Marking its 40th anniversary this year, Metal Blade Records is proud to present its debut release, Metal Massacre Volume One, for the first time since 1984 on limited-edition vinyl. Originally released on June 14, 1982, Metal Massacre showcased the best of Los Angeles' unsigned acts of the time such as Metallica, Ratt and Malice, and has since become a cornerstone of Metal Blade Records. This 40 anniversary reissue track list includes all songs originally featured on the first and second pressing of the iconic compilation and

miss perhaps bumping into me again at the reunion. For more information, call 617-287-5330.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by Todisco Services, Inc., of 171 Boston Street, Salem. MA pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L. c. 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after June 11. 2022 beginning at 9:00 a.m. by public or private sale to satisfy their garage keepers lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale.

2005 BMW 325xi Vin # WBAEU33495PR18738

2006 BMW 325xi Vin # WBAVD13546KV04052

2004 MERCEDES BENZ C-CLASS Vin # WDBRF81J54F528632

2014 HONDA CIVIC Vin # 19XFB2F80EE044253

Vehicles are being stored at multiple Todisco Services, Inc. locations, and may be viewed by appointment only.

> Signed Todisco Services. Inc. Run dates: 05/27, 06/03, 06/10/2022

Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300 Docket No. SU22P0894EA Estate of JOHN W. GOOD

Date of Death: January 06, 2022

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Stephanie Ann Miller of Hookset. NH. a Will has been admitted to informal probate

Stephanie Ann Miller of Hookset, 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: 05/27/2022

Date of Death: February 12, 2022

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner John F Page of Arlington, MA.

John F. Page of Arlington, 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: 05/27/2022



A Nostalgic Remembrance

May 5th, was my son John's 41st birthday. It seems like just yesterday that we were celebrating his birthday with balloons, finger food, ice cream, a cake, and a clown running around. This all happened at the Ground Round, a burger restaurant that existed at the Fresh Pond Circle in Cambridge. The kids who were birthday guests were all a foot shorter than I back then. Now, they are a foot taller. When did I get old???

I have always loved birthday parties. I have always loved parties in general. The first family party that I remember taking place out of the house was a 25th anniversary shindig that I threw for my folks. Uncle Nick spoke to Stanley Blinstrub, and plans were made for a surprise get together at Blinstrub's Supper Club in South Boston. I told my folks that I was receiving an award and the ceremony was being held at Blinstrub's. When I brought my folks in, there was the rest of the family and their closest friends waiting for them. The table reserved for us was in front of the stage and could accommodate about 25 people. The entertainment that night was Sammy Davis Jr., and thanks to Uncle Nick, he made a big deal out of my folks celebrating their 25th.

The most memorable birthday party was the one the family threw for Nanna in 1958.

My grandmother was being treated for breast cancer and not responding to treatment as well as the doctors expected. Babbononno, my mother and her brothers, Uncle Paul, Uncle Nick and Uncle Gino all tried to keep stiff upper lips through the party and kept smiling, but Nanna was weak, in pain and needing rest. Just before Christmas that year, she closed her eyes for the last time. From that point on in his life, Babbononno wore a black necktie whenever he had to dress up. He would celebrate Christmas and Easter, but not birthday parties nor non-religious holidays. It was his way.

For their birthdays, my folks preferred quiet dinners at a restaurant. Throughout their lives, especially after WWII, Dad worked days and played music just about every night of the week. Dinners at restaurants were treats for them, and beginning when I was in my teens, it was dinner reservations at some restaurant on whatever night Dad was free. Thinking back, Dad liked the quieter dinners, but Mom liked the bigger parties, so I tried to satisfy both, depending whose birthday it was. Once out of my teens, Sal Meli, my best friend back then, and whatever young lady I was enamored with, would combine efforts and throw me a birthday party. There were only two birthdays that scared me, when I turned 25 and again when I turned 30. Twenty-five was bad because I was a quarter of a century old, and 30 was worse, because I considered myself an old man after hitting that mark.

my lady friend, at that time, put together a surprise party at the young ladies home. Her folks were away and a large group of my friends were invited, including my "ex-girlfriend." Sal and my current interest had a birthday cake made with blue and white icing covering chocolate cake. Around the circular edge of the top of the cake were blue flowers, and in the middle was my name and the words happy birthday in Italian. All seemed to be going well, but there were subliminal strains of emotion just below the surface, due to current and past girl- friends being in each other's company.

After the candles were lit, blown out and an off-key chorus of happy birthday sung to me, the ex-girlfriend, staring at the cake said, "Ooh, what beautiful blue flowers." The current girlfriend offered her a couple of them and swept a few of them off the cake with her right hand and slapped her frosting-covered palm across the face of the ex. The ex then did exactly the same thing and smeared frosting over the face of my latest love. Sal Meli went into hysterics laughing with uncontrolled abandon. The next thing I observed was a joint effort by the former and current girlfriends. They hit Sal with frosting and chunks of the cake, covering his face with pieces of the now demolished cake. The next thing I knew, a food fight was underway. The only way I can describe the scene would be to tell you to look for an old Three Stooges episode where they pummel each other with constant barrages of pies. When things finally calmed down, all of the guests showed signs of having been part of the battle. We did help clean the house and I admitted to my guests as they left, that I had never experienced a party like that at any time in my life.

My wife, Loretta, is not one for big parties. When her birthday arrives each December the 6th, I make it a point to have a dinner party with just family and her closest friends. Before COVID, we usually occupied the back room at LaSumma's on Fleet Street in Boston's North End. Barbara Summa, the owner, supervised everything in advance, and Loretta was always happy with the results. I, on the other hand, love big parties. Knowing this, my wife went overboard when I turned 70. She called Barbara Summa, reserved the entire restaurant, and invited everyone in my life to a surprise birthday party. When we entered LaSumma's, I couldn't believe what I saw: relatives, old friends, new friends, business associates, musician friends, and even my doctor and dentist. She went overboard, as

medicine. Michael is planning to get married soon and as soon as I have more details, I'll let you know what's going on.

Oh by the way, I am looking forward to coming back home soon. Loretta and I are in Florida and we miss our northern friends even though we talk to them at least every other day. In reality, I can't take the winters in Boston any longer. With the blood thinners I am on, if the temperature is below 70 degrees, I'm cold, so Florida it is. I tell friends that when it is as warm in the North End as it is in Palm Beach, I'll come home.

Most of the folks surrounding me in Florida, have funny accents, even in Italian. I think the problem is that the majority are from New York or New Jersey. If Babbononno was alive, his ears would cringe when my neighbors speak Italian, especially the ones from Brooklyn ... Brooklyn, not Brookline.

We all look alike, walking around in shorts and sport shirts during the winter months. I suppose that if we were home, we would be wearing heavy overcoats, gloves, and storm boots. When I come home, I'll even put on a pair of sox to fly back. I haven't worn a pair since we flew here back in January. **GOD BLESS AMERICA**

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P2681GD CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF **GUARDIAN FOR INCAPACITATED** PERSON PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, §5-304 In the matter of JOSEPH CHARLES PAYNE

of North Reading, MA RESPONDENT Alleged Incapacitated Person

To the named Respondent and all other nterested persons, a petition has been filed by Department of Developmental Services of Hathorne, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Joseph Charles Payne is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Michelle Havel of Peru, NY, Craig Steven MacDonald of Reading, MA (or some other suitable person be appointed as Guardian to serve Without Surety on the bond.

The petition asks the court to determine



One of the most well known and loved Italian salads is the Caprese Salad or Insalata di Caprese (Tomato and Mozzarella Salad). This extremely popular salad reportedly originated in the early 1950s at a trattoria on the island of Capri. It was said to have been created by the owner specifically for his patrons that requested a light lunch. Traditionally, it was made by layering fresh buffalo mozzarella, vine ripened tomatoes that were grown on the island and sweet basil; olive oil was drizzled on top and salt was sprinkled to taste. Few ingredients are used in this recipe, so its taste is completely reliant on their quality.

Insalata di Caprese was a summertime staple in my home. My Nonna would use the tomatoes and basil from her garden and mozzarella that was freshly made from the Italian market on the hill. She always followed the traditional recipe, never adding any type of vinegar (as many tend to do) because she believed it diminished the delicate flavor of the cheese. The combination of tomatoes, mozzarella, and basil were so well-loved in our family that she also used this blend of ingredients to make Pizza Margherita and a dish she referred to as "Caprese Pasta Salad". This pasta salad is delicious when served cold or at room temperature, making it the perfect side dish for all of your warm weather outdoor gatherings. If you like Caprese salad, you are going to absolutely love my Nonna's Insalata di Pasta Caprese!

> **CAPRESE PASTA SALAD** Insalata di Pasta Caprese



- 10 ounces (just a little over $\frac{1}{2}$ pound) short pasta (I used Fusilli), cooked and cooled 1 cup fresh basil leaves,
- washed and dried ¹/₂ cup extra virgin olive oil (you may not need it all)
- 2 tablespoons red wine vinegar (you may not need it all)
- 1 small clove garlic, peeled and pressed (less if desired)
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon oregano
- sea salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste
- *1 pound ripe cherry or small* sized tomatoes, washed and dried
- 1/2 pound fresh mozzarella, cut into bite sized pieces

In a blender add the basil and 3 tablespoons of the olive oil, $1\frac{1}{2}$

The wildest party held for me was when I turned 24. Sal and

I said, but I loved it. My sons are now adults. John is married and has two kids, my grandchildren Lina and Nathan. Michael, my voungest son, bought an estate in New York, north of Albany and just over the border from Massachusetts. He's an actor, and when not performing, has a business that revolves around sports that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of July 14, 2022. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer one may be appointed at State expense.

Witness, HON, MAUREEN H, MONKS, First Justice of this Court.

Date: May 19, 2022

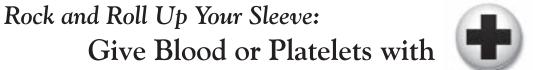
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tablespoons of the vinegar, the garlic and oregano. Blend until a paste develops, then add 2 to 3 more tablespoons of the oil making a vinaigrette, and season with salt and pepper, to taste.

Over a large bowl, cut cherry tomatoes in half or small tomatoes into bite sized pieces, being careful not to lose any of the tomato's juices (this will become part of the vinaigrette). Add the mozzarella, cooked cooled pasta, and gently mix. Add the basil vinaigrette and toss together well. Refrigerate at least 2 to 3 hours before serving.

Marianna Bisignano is a psychologist for the Boston Public Schools and can be reached at nonnasrecipebox@gmail.com





Donors Have Chance to Win VIP Trip to Graceland and More by Coming to Give in June

Elvis Presley is known for being the first global rock and roll icon. He was also a blood donor himself! While times have changed, the need for blood has not — donors can leave a lasting legacy themselves by making a lifesaving blood or platelet donation with the American Red Cross.

In honor of the new Baz Luhrmann film, Elvis, all who come to give in the month of June will be automatically entered for a chance to win a VIP trip to Graceland for two, including round-trip airfare to Memphis, plus a three-night stay at The Guest House and Elvis Entourage VIP tour, courtesy of Graceland, a customwrapped Gibson Epiphone guitar and more. Additionally, those who come to donate in June will also receive a \$5 e-gift card to a merchant of choice.*

It's critically important the Red Cross maintain a stable blood supply for patients this. To schedule an appointment to donate, download the Red Cross Blood Donor App, visit RedCrossBlood. org or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

FINAL DAYS OF **COVID-19 ANTIBODY** TESTING

All Red Cross blood, platelet and plasma donations are being tested for COVID-19 antibodies through June 3rd. Donors can learn if their donation has the antibody levels needed to potentially help COVID-19 patients with a weakened immune system.

HEALTH INSIGHTS FOR DONORS

At a time when health information has never been more important, the Red Cross is screening all blood, platelet, and plasma donations from self-identified African American donors for the sickle cell trait. This additional screening will provide Black donors with an additional health insight and help the Red Cross identify compatible blood types more quickly to help patients with sickle cell disease. Blood transfusion is an essential treatment for those with sickle cell disease, and blood donations from individuals of the same race, ethnicity, and blood type have a unique ability to help patients fighting sickle cell disease.

Donors can expect to receive sickle cell trait screening results, if applicable, within one to two weeks through the Red Cross Blood Donor App and the online donor portal at *RedCrossBlood*. org

BLOOD DRIVE SAFETY

The Red Cross follows a high standard of safety and infection control. The Red Cross will continue to socially distance wherever possible at blood drives, donation centers and facilities. While donors are no longer required to wear a face mask, individuals may choose to continue to wear a mask for any reason. The Red Cross will also adhere to more stringent face mask requirements per state and/or local guidance, or at the request of blood drive sponsors. Donors are asked to schedule an appointment prior to arriving at a drive.

HOW TO DONATE BLOOD

Simply download the American Red Cross Blood Donor App, visit: RedCrossBlood.org, call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or enable the Blood Donor Skill on any Alexa Echo device to make an appointment or for more information. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for patients. A blood donor card or driver's license or two other forms of identification are required at check-in. Individuals who are 17 years of age in most states (16 with parental consent where allowed by state law), weigh at least 110 pounds and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. High school students and other donors 18 years of age and younger also have to meet certain height and weight requirements.

American **Red Cross**

Blood and platelet donors can save time at their next donation by using RapidPass[®] to complete their pre-donation reading and health history questionnaire online, on the day of their donation, before arriving at the blood drive. To get started, follow the

instructions at: RedCrossBlood. org/RapidPass or use the Blood Donor App.

ABOUT THE AMERICAN RED CROSS:

The American Red Cross shelters, feeds and provides comfort to victims of disasters; supplies about 40% of the nation's blood; teaches skills that save lives; distributes international humanitarian aid; and supports veterans, military members and their families. The Red Cross is a nonprofit organization that depends on volunteers and the generosity of the American public to deliver its mission. For more information, please visit redcross.org or CruzRojaAmericana.org, or visit us on Twitter at @RedCross.

*Terms apply. Visit rcblood. org/elvismovie

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF SALE

> Notice is hereby given by Stephens Automotive Transport, 60 Union Street, Medford, MA 02155, pursuant to the provisions of G.L.c.255 539A, that on June 11, 2022 at 10AM, at said address, the following motor vehicle(s) will be sold, in as is condition, no keys, at public sale to satisfy our garage keeper's lien thereon for towing, storage, and expenses of notice and sale: 2010 ACURA RDX, WHITE Vin: # 5J8TB1H57AA004802 Abel Smith 74 Mt. Pleasant Ave.

Boston, MA 02119 or

Ralf O. Jean 63 Lowell St., Apt. 2

Malden, MA 02148 2016 FORD FIESTA, SILVER Vin: # 3FADP4TJ3GM169421 Branden T. Houston P.O. Box 506

Tewksbury, MA 01876 2003 HONDA ACCORD, GRAY Vin: # JHMCM56313C035647 Enisa E. Pajazetovic 886 Fellsway Medford, MA 02155

2005 MERCEDES BENZ E320, GRAY Vin: # WDBUF82J25X168899 Lounceny Kaba 631 Eastern Ave., Apt. 23

Lynn, MA 01902

2007 HONDA ODYSSEY, BLUE Vin: # 5FNRL38627B085394 Kathy Diaz 1840 Middlesex St., Apt. 24 Lowell, MA 01851

Run dates: 05/27, 06/03, 06/10/2022

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Middlesex Division Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P2623EA



The Massachusetts Department of Transportation

Invites you to a **Virtual Public Information Meetings**

for the

Sumner Tunnel Centennial Project

Wednesday, June 1, 2022

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Attend: Events | Mass.gov

This construction meeting will provide an opportunity for the public to hear an overview of the Sumner Tunnel Centennial Project including project overview, schedule, and traffic impacts beginning on June 10, 2022. Attendees will have the opportunity to ask questions and offer comments. Spanish and Arabic interpretation will be available at both virtual meetings.

All residents, abutters, local business owners, and interested commuters are invited to attend. All attendees who sign into the meeting and provide an email address will be entered into the project's email database to receive project updates. Prior to the meetings, if you have specific questions or concerns for the project team, please email us: sumner100@dot.state.ma.us.

Note: This meeting is accessible to people with disabilities. MassDOT provides reasonable accommodations and/or language assistance free of charge upon request (e.g interpreters in American Sign Language and languages other than English, live captioning, videos, assistive listening devices and alternate material formats), as appropriate. For accommodation or language assistance, please contact MassDOT's Chief Diversity & Civil Rights Officer by phone at (857) 368-8580, Relay Service at 7-1-1, fax (857) 368-0602 or by email to MASSDOT. CivilRights@dot.state.ma.us. Requests should be made as soon as possible prior to the meeting, and for more difficult to arrange services including sign-language, CART or language translation or interpretation, requests should be made at least ten business days before the meeting.

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Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P2628EA

Estate of DOROTHY A. WRIGHT

Also Known As DOROTHY ANTOINETTE WRIGHT Date of Death: March 28, 2022 **INFORMAL PROBATE**

PUBLICATION NOTICE To all persons interested in the above cap-

tioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner John J. Soter of Wayland, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate. John J. Soter of Wayland, 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 Pro bate 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.

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Si necesita información en otro lenguaje, favor contactar al especialista de MassDOT del Título VI al 857-368-8580.

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Docket No. MI22P2325EA Estate of CHARLES T. HINDS, SR. Estate of Also Known As CHARLES HINDS, CHARLES T. HINDS, MARY E. GALLIGAN Date of Death: February 11, 2022 CHARLES HINDS, SR. **INFORMAL PROBATE** Date of Death: February 28, 2022 PUBLICATION NOTICE **INFORMAL PROBATE** To all persons interested in the above cap-PUBLICATION NOTICE tioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner John L Galligan of Arlington, MA. Petitioner Francis To all persons interested in the above cap-L. Galligan Jr. of Cambridge, MA, a Will has tioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Charles been admitted to informal probate Hinds Jr. of Cambridge, MA, a Will has been John L. Galligan of Arlington, MA, Francis admitted to informal probate. Charles Hinds Jr. of Cambridge, MA has L. Galligan Jr. of Cambridge, MA has been been informally appointed as the Personal informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety Representative of the estate to serve without on the bond. surety on the bond. The estate is being administered under The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Represennformal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Protative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. bate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terformal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal minating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal pro-Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, cedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner. can be obtained from the Petitioner. Run date: 05/27/2022 Run date: 05/27/2022

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by **Todisco Services, Inc., of 171 Boston Street, Salem, MA** pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L. c. 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after **May 28, 2022 beginning at 9:00 a.m.** by public or private sale to satisfy their garage keepers lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale.

> 2003 HONDA ACCORD Vin # 1HGCM56683A111888

2008 VOLVO S60 Vin # YV1RS592382672650

2020 KIA FORTE Vin # 3KPF34AD7LE176632 2006 ACURA TL Vin # 19UUA65556A055327

2013 HONDA ACCORD Vin # 1HGCR2F39DA227303

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> Signed Todisco Services, Inc. Run dates: 05/13, 05/20, 05/27/2022

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Middlesex Division

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P2456EA

Estate of NICHOLAS PERI SAMUELS Also Known As NICHOLAS SAMUELS,

NICHOLAS P. SAMUELS Date of Death: April 19, 2022

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Maurice R. Samuels of Weston, MA.

Maurice R. Samuels of Weston, 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: 05/27/2022

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE Notice is hereby given by D & G Towing and Auto Repair Services, Inc., 2 Emery Road, Allston, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass General Laws, Chapter 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after June 11, 2022 beginning at 10:00 AM by public or private sale to satisfy their garage keepers lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale:

2018 FORD ESCAPE VIN # 1FMCU9GD5JUC53450 2015 TOYOTA PRIUS VIN # JTDKN3DP8F3074826

• News Briefs (Continued from Page 1)

Hyundai Bets on USA

Hyundai Motor Group says it will be investing an additional \$5 billion in the United States by 2025 to strengthen collaboration with U.S. firms in advanced technology. The investments were announced during a visit to Seoul by President Joe Biden, for robotics, urban air mobility, autonomous driving, and artificial intelligence.

Hyundai Motor Group, which houses Hyundai Motor and Kia announced plans to invest \$5.5 billion in Georgia to build electric vehicles and battery plants. Georgia is a "right to work" state where workers are not required to join unions.

Biden calls himself the most pro-union president in history, but the deal announced by Republican Brian Kemp of Georgia showed the compromises Democrats like Biden would have to make to woo investments overseas.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

Middlesex Division Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way

Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI21P4038EA

Estate of

STEPHEN H. KONICK Also Known As STEPHEN HENRY KONICK Date of Death: June 09, 2021 INFORMAL PROBATE

PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Stephen Glines**, **Jr**. of **Medford**, **MA**, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Stephen Glines, Jr. of Medford, 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: 05/27/2022

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Middlesex Division Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P2530EA

Joe's Formula Stunt or Solution?

According to Eric Boehm from Reason Magazine, the baby formula shortage "is a crisis created, in significant part by the failure of government policy aimed at protecting domestic companies from foreign competition." Yet the shortage "isn't the result of there not being enough planes to transport baby formula from Europe, it's the result of the federal government making it nearly impossible to transport" due to FDA labeling requirements. And Americans "imposes huge tariffs on imported formula" making us more reliant on domestic production. So, "If you let markets work, there would be no need for a performative baby formula airlift orchestrated by the White House."

End Quote

"The thing that holds our country together is a base level respect for neutral rules grounded in our Constitution; exam scores do that well. Restoring the exam and grades, as the only criteria for the (BPS) exam schools is a start to reforming Boston's beleaguered public school system."

— Lou Murray, chair West Roxbury Republican Ward Committee

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2019 MITSUBISHI MIRAGE Vin # ML32A3HJ4KH007383 2014 MERCEDES BENZ C-CLASS

Vin # WDDGF8AB2EG231854 2006 TOYOTA COROLLA

Vin # 1NXBR32EX6Z751127 2014 TOYOTA CAMRY

Vin # 4T1BD1FKXEU125241 2007 TOYOTA PRIUS Vin # JTDKB20U877084670

2001 NISSAN SENTRA Vin # 3N1BB51D21L130726

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> Signed Todisco Services, Inc. Run dates: 05/20, 05/27, 06/03, 2022

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Pujols Keeps Cranking Homers

Albert Pujols hit two more homers this past Sunday in a game in Pittsburgh against the Pirates and he boosted his career total to 683. He is now 17 homers away from joining the 700 Club. Can he do it all depends how well he performs this year. Chances are good he might make it to 690 but 700

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

Suffolk Division Suffolk Probate and Family Court

24 New Chardon Street Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300

Docket No. SU22P0988EA

Estate of KENNETH WILSON DUMBLE

Date of Death: February 28, 2022 INFORMAL PROBATE

PUBLICATION NOTICE To all persons interested in the above cap-

tioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Elsie M. Dumble of Galashiels, UK.

Eric R. Prichard of Bedford, 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: 05/27/2022

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000 Docket No. MI22P2049EA Estate of

JASON JOHN CANTONE Also Known As JASON CANTONE Date of Death: March 07, 2021 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 Heidi Winter of Medford, 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 **Heidi Winter** of **Medford, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **unsupervised** administration. might need one more season if it is in him.

It Was a May Day for "Joltin" Joe that Year

On May 21, 1948, Joe DiMaggio had two home runs, a triple, a double, and a single to lead the Yankees to a 13-1 victory over the Chicago White Sox.

Four Years Later On May 21st

Duke Snider's home run highlighted a 15-run first inning in the Dodgers' 19-1 win over the Cincinnati Reds in Brooklyn. Snyder, Pee Wee Reese, and Billy Cox made three plate appearances in the first inning. **Eovaldi Will Never Forget**

This Game

The Boston Red Sox played the Astros on Tuesday, May 17^{th} at Fenway Park and it wasn't a good day for Sox fans and a horrible day for one Nathan Eovaldi who gave up five home runs in 1 2/3 innings. What a nightmare that must have been for the poor guy. At the end of the second inning, the Sox were down 9-1, losing the game 13-4.

Eovaldi did bounce back in his next start. He didn't win, but he didn't give up five homers. I am still wondering why Alex Cora left him in for all five homers in those two thirds of the second inning.

Happy Birthday To ...

Former NFL player Archie Manning turned 73 on May 19th. Happy Birthday to Tommy John who turned 79 on May 22nd.

Stanley Cup Sours

In 1974, the Philadelphia Flyers beat the Big Bad Bruins 1-0 to win the Stanley Cup in six games.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

Middlesex Probate and Family Court 10-U Commerce Way Woburn, MA 01801 (781) 865-4000

Docket No. MI22A0347CW In the matter of GABRIELLA LORELAI PEREIRA NOTICE OF PETITION FOR

TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS G.L. c. 210 § 3

To: Kari Lee Pereira of Lynn, MA and any unknown or unnamed father, parent(s) of the above named child.

*A putative father will not have standing as a party to this case without a voluntary acknowledgment of parentage or an adjudication of paternity.

A petition has been presented to said court by DCF Northeast Regional Office/ Lawrence, Lawrence, MA 01843 representing that the parent(s) of the child lack(s) current ility capacity fitness and readiness to as sume parental responsibility for the child, that the petitioner's plan for the child will serve the child's best interests, and, requesting that this Honorable Court enter a decree under the provisions of the General Laws of Massachusetts Chapter 210, Section 3, that shall have the effect of terminating the rights of the person(s) named herein to receive notice of or to consent to any legal proceeding affecting the custody, guardianship, adoption or other disposition of the child named herein. IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT WOBURN ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING (10:00 AM) ON JULY 04, 2022. YOU ARE ENTITLED TO THE APPOINT-MENT OF AN ATTORNEY IF YOU ARE AN INDIGENT PERSON. An indigent person is defined by SJC RULE 3:10. The definition includes but is not limited to persons receiving AFDC. EAEDC. poverty related veteran's benefits, food stamps, refugee resettlement benefits, medicaid, and SSI. The Court will determine if you are indigent. Contact an Assistant Judicial Case Manager/Adoptions Clerk of the Court on or before the date listed above to obtain the necessary forms. Witness, HON. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: April 04, 2022

2013 HYUNDAI ACCENT VIN # KMHCU4AE4DU283077

2008 TOYOTA PRIUS VIN # JTDKB20U083349963

2003 HONDA ODYSSEY VIN # 5FNRL18073B116018

1997 TOYOTA TERCEL VIN # JT2AC52L2V0231689

2011 HYUNDAI SANTA FE VIN # 5XYZHDAG6BG053530

2021 NISSAN ROGUE VIN # 5N1AT3BB0MC738747

2008 SUBARU OUTBACK VIN # 4S4BP63C484339423

2005 SUBARU FORESTER VIN # JF1SG63695H755010

2010 HONDA CIVIC VIN # 2HGFA1F56AH586069

2007 TOYOTA COROLLA VIN # 2T1BR32E17C770930 2006 FORD FIVE HUNDRED VIN # 1FAFP25136G185041

2013 HONDA ACCORD VIN # 1HGCR2F3XDA138453 Vehicles are being stored at D & G Towing and Auto Repair Services, Inc., and may be viewed by appointment only.

> Signed D & G Towing Run dates: 05/27, 06/03, 06/10/2022

Estate of BARBARA B. ELMES

Date of Death: November 09, 2021 INFORMAL PROBATE

PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner David C. Elmes of Lincoln, MA, Petitioner Derrick B. Elmes of Woolwich, ME, Petitioner Bank of America, N.A. of Waltham, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

David C. Elmes of Lincoln, MA, Derrick B. Elmes of Woolwich, ME, Bank of America, N.A. of Waltham, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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Run date: 05/27/2022

Docket No. MI22P2467EA Estate of PHILLIPPE ROLAND FLANNERY Also Known As PHILLIPPE R. FLANNERY Date of Death: March 02, 2022

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Paul Flannery of Wayland, MA, a Will has been admitted to informal probate. Paul Flannery of Wayland, MA has been

Paul Flannery of Wayland, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

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Run date: 05/27/2022

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 June 01, 2022.

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. MAUREEN H. MONKS, First Justice of this Court. Date: May 13, 2022

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 05/27/2022 Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate

Run date: 05/13, 05/20, 05/27/2022



Remembering Rocky Graziano in Photos Former Middleweight Champion Passed Away on May 22, 1990 at the Age of 71



Graziano kayos former Welterweight Champ Freddie Cochran



Rocky Graziano



Rocky in fighting pose



Rocky "Horses" around with Jockey Eddie Arcaro



Graziano looks out over New **York City**



by Richard Preiss

a Boston neighborhood just a College and later to the NHL.

And now he is a stalwart performer on the ice for the team based in that certain city to the south. Yes, Chris Kreider, at age 31, has been a very dependable performer for the New York Rangers since the spring of 2012.

But first, he started life as a "Townie," spending the first five years with his family in Charlestown - a short walkfrom the Garden. Kreider would experience all the atmosphere of that special place as a college player and later by playing against the Bruins.

After those first years in Charlestown, his parents moved the family to Boxford — best known in hockey circles as the community where former Bruins All-Star defenseman Ray Bourque raised his growing family.

Out on the ice things started small, of course, for Kreider and with some disappointments. For you see, as a freshman at Masconomet Regional High has been somewhat of a gap for School, he failed to make the varsity team.

That's a bit hard to believe. But sometimes you do hear of a player initially not making the high school varsity team right away and being relegated to the junior varsity as a freshman or sophomore (a famous example - former basketball megastar Michael Jordan).

In Kreider's case, the varsity endured a losing season during his freshman year, winning only four games. But the following year things improved dramatically as Kreider helped the squad to a winning record (17-4-2) while scoring 28 goals and getting 13 assists across 20 games.

For his final two years of high school Kreider chose to a lofty status. He is presently move on to Phillips Academy in concluding the second year of a Andover where, in two seasons that encompassed 50 games, he scored 59 goals and added 38 assists for a total of 97 points.

Down at Chestnut Hill the eyes of veteran Boston College Coach Jerry York grew wide as he glanced at those numbers. In but rising to stardom while playno time, Kreider was an Eagle ing in another (Madison Square and flying high. During the Garden). He was chosen by the course of his three years at The Rangers as the 19th pick of the Heights, BC won two national championships. In the 2010 title contest, Kreider scored a goal in the championship game as the Eagles defeated the University of Wisconsin to take the crown. While BC did not make it to the Frozen Four in 2011, the Eagles did win the Beanpot with Kreider round series, it might have been taking home MVP honors in Boston's much beloved February classic. Then, in 2012, BC climbed to the summit of college hockey once again winning the national championship by defeating Ferris State. Kreider played a big part in getting the Eagles there, scoring 23 goals and adding 22 assists for 45 points in 44 games. That's just a tick under a point per game.

Once, early in life, he lived in three-year entry-level contract with the New York Rangers short distance from the Garden. and never looked back. Just for He later moved to the Boston starters, he made his NHL debut suburbs, then went to Boston in the Stanley Cup Playoffs. Just think about that for a moment. Not in a preseason game. Not on the opening night of the regular season — but in the Stanley Cup playoffs — and less than a month following the conclusion of the Frozen Four.

He first skated for the Rangers in the third game of the opening round of the Stanley Cup on April 16th when he was 20 years old.

Then on April 23rd, he scored the game winning goal in Game Six, a victory that knotted the series at 3-3. The Rangers went on to win Game 7 and faced the Washington Capitals in the second round. Kreider scored the winning goal in the first game of that series, thus becoming the first player in NHL history whose first two goals were gamewinning playoff goals.

The Rangers would go on to win that series with the Caps before losing to the New Jersey Devils in the Eastern Conference finals.

However, over the years there the star forward's career - no Stanley Cup.

The closest the Rangers have gotten during Kreider's years with the team was in 2014 when they lost the Stanley Cup Final to the Los Angeles Kings, four games to one. Entering the playoffs this year the Rangers had not won a playoff series since 2017 - until they beat Pittsburgh in the opening round.

Right now Kreider is putting the finishing touches on the best season in his career. He scored 52 goals to go with 25 assists for 77 points across 81 games. In the playoffs, he had six goals and two assists through the first 10 games.

And the financial rewards have seven-year pact that will pay him a total of \$45.5 million over its duration. That averages out to about \$17,800 a day, year round over the life of the contract.

Chris Kreider — starting his formative years of life in the shadow of the Boston Garden -2009 NHL Draft while the Bruins selected Jordan Caron with the 25th pick. So goes the history of the NHL as time rolls by. THORNTON'S LAST STAND? - When Joe Thornton left the ice following the sweep of the Florida Panthers by the Tampa Bay Lightning in their second the finale for the former top draft pick of the Bruins. The big center, who spent 15 years in San Jose after starting his career with the B's, had signed on with the Panthers because he felt the team was a Cup contender. The 4-0 wipeout dashed Jumbo Joe's hopes. He now faces the prospect of concluding his long NHL career (24 vears) without his name on the trophy - unless he continues Shortly after the conclusion his quest, at age 42, by signing



Rocky, Tony Zale, and Toots Shoor



Two Rockys: Graziano and Marciano



Rocky with Manager Irving Cohen outside Stillman's Gym



Rocky stands over Johnny Greco

of the Frozen Four, he signed a up for another season.