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Santa Rosalia di Palermo Society's 78th Annual Mass and Procession



by Matt Conti, NorthEndWaterfront.com



Santa Rosalia Society members

Santa Rosalia di Palermo Society held their 78th Annual Mass and Procession on Sunday, September 10th, in Boston's North End. The Santa Rosalia Society was formed in Boston in 1939 by Italian immigrants

hailing from Palermo, Italy. This year's celebration was in memory of late member Pino Zannelli.

Highlighting this year's procession, a relic was displayed that was gifted from the Sanctuary of Santa Rosalia in Palermo, Sicily.

THE STORY OF SAINT ROSALIA: Rosalia was born of a noble family descended from

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News Briefs

by Sal Giarratani

What Happened to Sha La La Time?

Wouldn't it be nice if we could all just relax like Al "Sha La La Make Me Happy" Green and enjoy some peace and love without any craziness in our lives. However, sometimes the only place you get that feeling is in a song's recording, huh?

Is Trump Passive-Aggressive?

President Trump recently met with leaders from both Houses up on Capitol Hill to address the legislative agenda going forward and during that meeting, he, Chuck Schumer, and Nancy Pelosi came to a deal that would lift the debt ceiling for three months and fund hurricane damage to both Texas after Harvey, and to Florida after Irma. Paul Ryan and Mitch McConnell were fuming mad after getting snookered by Trump, who decided to work with Democrats for a change.

Whatshisname Lawrence O'Donnell over on *MSNBC* is such an airhead. During his monologue he stated that Trump got trumped by Democratic leaders over the debt ceiling when that is hardly correct. Trump may be many things, but stupid is not one of them. I think he wanted to show the GOP leaders that they needed to do their jobs or find a new line of work. Yes, he was a bit passive-aggressive in the strategy he used, which publicly shamed both Ryan and McConnell. The GOP, since taking control of both Houses in January, has been impotent and letting the Democrats make them look like fools. Score this a big Trump victory. East Boston Gathered in Memory of 9-11





Sanctuary Cities Must Pay a Price

Back when I was younger, I remember all those southern states pushing states' rights. Remember Governors Lester Maddox and George Wallace? They

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East Boston ROTC Color Guard

This year, once again, East Boston gathered at Piers Park in memory of those who perished, their families and the first responders who rush in as others rushed out. September 11, 2001, marked the largest loss of life in a terrorist attack on American soil, including the largest loss of life of first responders who courageously did all they could to save lives. This year marked the 16th anniversary of that terrible morning back on Tuesday, September 11, 2001. This year's anniversary ceremony took place on Sunday, September 10th, which for me marked the last day America lived in pre-9-11 innocence and a day that changed America forever. It is easy to say, "We will never forget." However, in Eastie words change to action, the action of a neighborhood bound together in memory of all that September 11, 2001, meant to

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by Prof. Edmund Turiello

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



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Constitution Day and Citizenship Day

"September 17th is designated as Constitution Day and Citizenship Day [to] commemorate the formation and signing on September 17, 1787, of the Constitution and recognize all who, by coming of age or by naturalization, have become citizens."

- (36 U.S.C.106)

Aulus Vitellius was born on September 24, 15 A.D. During those ancient times, it was the custom to prepare a horoscope for male children. His parents were so horrified at his signs that even in later years everything possible was done to prevent his assignment to any high office. We are told that Vitellius spent his boyhood on the island of Capri among the lewd and immoral youths at the Villa of Tiberius. History also implies that he was branded with the nickname "Spintra," which translates into "male prostitute." This stain upon his moral character stayed with him for the rest of his life. He was on very friendly terms with Caligula, Claudius, and Nero, and because of this closeness he was honored with many political appointments, including proconsul in Africa. Although he served with great integrity, there are some reports of his stealing gold ornaments from the temples and substituting brass in their places.

Galba surprised everyone by sending Vitellius to govern in Lower Germany. That emperor felt that no one could be feared less than a person who thought of nothing but eating, and it became clear that the new governor was chosen with contempt rather than favor. It was also fairly common knowledge that Vitellius lacked even the funds to provide transportation to his new assignment; consequently, he moved his wife and children into a rented garret, leased his house, and pawned some of his mother's jewelry



VITELLIUS

in order to defray his travel expenses. Even as he prepared to embark upon his journey, a throng of creditors detained him, but he managed to forestall any action on their part.

When Vitellius eventually arrived in Germany, he found that there was an intense dislike for this emperor, Galba, and the troops were on the verge of mutiny. They received Vitellius with open arms because of his past consulates, favorable age, and easy-going disposition. He granted all requests that were made of him and even freed some of the prisoners. Within the first month on the job, he made such a favorable impression on his troops that they took him from his quarters, carried him through some heavily populated areas, and hailed him as emperor. The news spread throughout the province with great speed and within a few days, he was also accepted by the forces in the north. He approved their gift of the name Germanicus but refused that of Caesar.

As soon as the news of Galba's murder and Otho's seizure of the government was received, Vitellius committed half of his troops to the engagement against Otho. Following Otho's defeat, Vitellius ordered punishment for Galba's murderers and started his journey back to Rome, riding through cities as a triumphant general. He was wined and dined everywhere at public expense, he granted freedom to slaves at his personal whim, and he severely chastised anyone who objected to his actions. It was said in truth that the pillaging and wantonness of his troops was scandalous.

The returning troops held an all-night festival on the hills to the north of Rome and, on the following day, Vitellius entered the city to the sound of trumpets. He wore the "Palaudamentum" (short red cape) over his armor, his staff wore their military cloaks, and the troops marched with drawn swords. His first act was to assume the office of high priest, and he then appointed himself consul for life. Later, he conducted a memorial ceremony to Nero in the middle of the Campus Martius.

> **NEXT WEEK:** The Voracious and Vicious Vitellius

of the United States as a relatively young nation. It was just a bit over 500 years ago that Christopher Columbus from the Republic of Genoa on the Italian peninsula discovered the New World, and even less time since the planting of the thirteen colonies that would become the United States. And yet we operate under the second oldest written constitution in the world. (Quiz, what nation has the oldest written constitution still in force?)

We are accustomed to think

Our Constitution is claimed to be the world's shortest. I can believe it! Certainly it is much, much shorter than the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. But then, unlike the Massachusetts Constitution, our nation's fundamental law has not been frequently amended. In 224 years, there have been but 27 amendments adopted.

The stability of our Constitution over time is even more evident when we remember that the first ten amendments — the Bill of Rights — were ratified shortly after entry into force of the Constitution. In fact, the promise of prompt passage of such a Bill of Rights was one of the arguments the Federalists made for adopting the Constitution, so much so that those first ten amendments may be thought of as being practically part of the original text. That leaves but 17 changes made in the period 1795 to 1992 nearly 200 years, or, on average, between one and two per decade

Addressing his fellow Americans on September 17, 1796, George Washington spoke of our national unity and pride as free Americans living under a Constitution at the time not yet a decade old, saying: "Citizens, by birth or choice, of a common country, that country has a right to concentrate your affections. The name of American, which belongs to you in your national capacity, must always exalt the just pride of patriotism ..." and he expressed his desire "that the free Constitution ... may be sacredly maintained; that its administration in every department may be stamped with wisdom and virtue; that, in fine, the happiness of the people of these States, under the auspices of liberty, may be made complete by so careful a preservation and so prudent a use of this blessing as will acquire to them the glory of recommending it to the applause, the affection, and adoption of every nation which is yet a stranger to it."

On September 17th, all citizens, by birth or choice (to borrow Washington's beautiful phrasing), are called on to commemorate the signing of our federal Constitution and the blessings of liberty under our Democratic Republic.

Quiz answer: The Republic of San Marino, an independent state on the Italian peninsula surrounded entirely by the Republic of Italy, has the oldest written constitution still in force, dating to 1600.

Online Tools to Expand Access to Affordable Housing

Mayor Martin J. Walsh recently launched new online affordable housing tools and an information guide to increase residents' access to income-targeted and subsidized housing, a deliverable of Boston's *Housing a Changing City: Boston 2030* plan.

"We know creating and maintaining affordable housing in Boston is crucial for our residents. It's critical every Bostonian who needs affordable housing knows where to look for it, how to apply for it, and use the City's resources to help them through the process," said Mayor Walsh. "I appreciate the work the Department of Neighborhood Development, the Office of Fair Housing and Equity, and the Boston Planning and Development Agency have done to streamline our processes and information to make housing more accessible to those that need it." Residents can now find acomplete guide to affordable housing on the City's website. This new guide helps residents understand the different types of affordable housing available in Boston, including vouchers, income-restricted rentals, single-room occupancy units, and affordable homeownership opportunities. It lays out in simple terms how Bostonians can apply for income-restricted housing, and explains what residents need to prepare to qualify for and apply for different types of housing units. It also consolidates various available housing search tools, including those housing options are encouraged to subscribe to Metrolist.

In addition, the City of Boston has also standardized and brought online its applications for affordable housing through a collaborative process including DND, BPDA, Fair Housing, DoIT, the Housing Innovation Lab and the Boston Housing Authority. In the past, applications were only available on paper and needed to be both picked up and delivered by hand. Moving the application online is expected to significantly increase the ease with which residents can apply for affordable housing opportunities and will expand the number of people who apply for these units. "As a realtor that helps people find affordable homes in the city, I've seen firsthand how bringing the affordable housing application online has improved access to those that need it," said John Costello, a housing specialist at Maloney Properties. "Since applicants no longer need to wait for a paper application to arrive by mail or to make time to visit the post office, we've seen the number

MassDOT Advisory: Medford/Everett Route 16/Woods Memorial Bridge Project MBTA Orange Line and Haverhill Commuter Rail Line Weekend Diversion and Local Road Impacts

Saturday, September 16th and Sunday, September 17th The Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT)

has announced that shuttle buses will replace subway service on the Orange Line from Sullivan Square Station to Oak Grove Station, and that the MBTA's Haverhill Commuter Rail Line will terminate/ originate at Malden Center. Shuttle buses will be provided between Oak Grove, Malden Center, Wellington, Assembly, and Sullivan Square Stations for an Orange Line connection to North Station.

from outside partners.

The new affordable housing guide complements the City's revamped Metrolist (www.boston.gov/metrolist), which is the City's resource for available affordable housing opportunities. The Department of Neighborhood Development's Innovation and Technology unit collaborated closely with the City's Office of Fair Housing and Equity to bring Metrolist online, resulting in a database to which users can subscribe to receive emails about property listings, lotteries and services; and search for affordable housing opportunities in Boston and the surrounding metro area. In addition, landlords, property owners, and property managers can now easily post their affordable housing listings with the City; these listings will then be distributed to Metrolist subscribers. Residents in search of

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Regular MBTA service will resume at the start of service on Monday, September 18^{th} .

During the rail diversion, Rivers Edge Drive, which travels under Route 16, will be closed to vehicular and pedestrian traffic with Wellington Circle and Santilli Circle as the alternate route to reverse direction.

These impacts are necessary in order to allow demolition activities to replace the bridges carrying Revere Beach Parkway (Route 16) over the Malden River (Woods Memorial Bridge) and over the MBTA/Rivers Edge Drive.

Drivers are encouraged to seek alternate routes. Drivers that must travel through the affected area should expect delays.

Customers are encouraged to subscribe to T-Alerts, download the mTicket app, and follow *@MBTA* and *@MBTA_CR* on Twitter for updates.

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• Visit *www.mass511.com*, provides real-time traffic and incident advisory information.

• Follow MassDOT on Twitter @MassDOT

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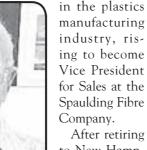
Vincent P. Nobile **Riposa** in Pace

Vincent P. Nobile of Boston, Massachusetts of Boston, MA, and Hollywood, FL, formerly of Greenland and Durham, NH, Ann Arbor, MI and Upper Saddle River, NJ. passed away following a brief

illness on September 9, 2017. He was 91 years old.

Cherished son of the late Adelina (Seminara) and Peter Nobile, and beloved husband of the late Edith W. Nobile. He is survived by his three children: Chris and Suzanne Nobile of North Andover, MA, and Ogunquit, ME; Larry Nobile of Excelsior, MN; and Vanessa Freytag of Cincinnati, OH. Brother of Peter, Jr., Robert, and the late Anthony Nobile, and grandfather to Roland, Alec, Ethan, Travis, Abby, Corey and Tyler.

Vincent Nobile was born in Dorchester, in his grandmother's kitchen. He worked with his family in the North End until World War II, during which he served his country in the Army. After the war, he graduated from in biology and pursued a career



to New Hampshire, Nobile fulfilled a lifelong dream and

opened a coffee shop, Café Roma, in Boston's North End. He ultimately moved to the North End of Boston and spent many hours engaging with friends and family along Hanover Street. Vincent especially enjoyed his Friday night dinners at the Union Oyster House with his brother Peter and friends Angelo Picardi, Albano Ponte, Sal Venezia, and Robert Trifiletti

A celebration of life mass at Sacred Heart Church, 12 North Square, Boston at 11:00 am on Thursday, September 14, 2017.

Donations in Vincent's name can be made to either 4C for Children, 2100 Sherman Ave., #300, Cincinnati, OH 45212, www.4cforchildren.org; or Saint Leonard Parish of Port Maurice, 320 Hanover Street, Boston, Boston University with a degree MA 02113, saintleonardchurchboston.org.

Angelo Joseph A. DeNucci

"If you have something you believe in, that you want to do, go after it. Don't be afraid. As you reach out to success, reach out to help people who need help and everything will take care of itself. If you help people who need help, someday, someway, it will come back to you."

— Joe DeNucci

DeNucci was born August 30, 1939, to the late Alexander and Katherine (Maiocca) DeNucci. He grew up in Newton (Nonantum) Massachusetts and graduated Newton High School, where he began his professional boxing career as a junior at the age of 17. DeNucci was a top-ranked contender and has the distinction of having the most boxing matches in the history of

the old Boston Garden. He was inducted into the National Italian American Sports Hall of Fame in Chicago. After his boxing career ended, DeNucci was elected in 1976 to the Massachusetts House of Representatives where he served as Chairman of Human Services and Elderly Affairs. He was then elected State Auditor in 1986 and was the longest-serving Auditor in the Commonwealth's history, serving 24 years before retiring in 2011. He will be most remembered for being a champion for the most vulnerable and for all immeasurable compassion for all.

He is survived by his loving wife Barbara and their five children: daughter Deborah



Asaley and her husband Edward, daughter Diane Busa and her husband Richard, son Alexander and wife MaryBeth, son Joseph, and daughter Donna Busa and husband Eric. Joe had 14 loving grandchildren: Eddie, Brianna, Michael, Lisa, Andrew, Joseph, Angela, Sophia, Nicholas, Ava, Olivia, Anthony, Vincent and Domenic. Remembered by his

devoted sister Patricia Doherty and her husband Joe, his brother Anthony DeNucci, brother-in-law Robert Cedrone, sister-in-law Margaret Buckley, brotherin-law Ronald Cedrone and his wife Joyce, daughter-in-law Melissa DeNucci, and all of his wonderful nephews, nieces and cousins.

A Funeral Mass was held at Our Lady's Church in Newton, Massachusetts. Burial followed in Newton Cemetery. Donations in Joe's memory may be made to Alzheimer's Association of Mass: alz.org/manh/ or Boston University CTE Research Center: bu.edu/cte/.

DAMIAN R. PEREZ

May he rest in peace

Damian R. Perez passed away peacefully on August 21, 2017.

He was the beloved son of Richard and Jacqueline Perez. Loving father of Jacqueline, Richard, and Maria Perez. Husband of Charlotte (Vilkas). Beloved brother of Vincent Perez and his wife Susan Santaniello, and devoted uncle of Emma Perez. He was the loving grandson of the late Vicente and Josephine Perez and John and Mary Messina.



food, a friendly ear to someone in distress, or some friendly advice. He gave of himself time and time again. Damian also loved his friends and would never turn his back on them. He lived by the motto — A friend in need is a friend indeed!

Upon his graduation from Don Bosco High School, Damian awarded the Outstanding Catholic Youth Medal from the Archdioceses of Boston for his volunteer

LETTERS POLICY

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Perez leaves countless aunts, uncles, cousins and their children from the Bollettiero, Bruno, Cammarata, Ciccolella, Messina, Perez, and Ricciardi families who loved him and will miss him very much. He also leaves many close and loyal friends who mourn his passing.

While the last period of his life was difficult, both for him and the ones he loved most, Damian will be best remembered for the kind, gentle, generous, and loving person that he truly was. From his early years, he always displayed compassion for people less fortunate than him. He would think nothing of removing his shoes or his coat and giving them to someone who needed them. He did this many times, in addition to providing



work with the elderly and homeless.

Damian's parents invite family and friends to join them in the celebration of a Funeral Mass at St. Stephen's Church on Hanover Street, Boston, on Saturday, September 16th, at 10:30 am, at which time his cremains will be blessed for future entombment in the church of Santa Maria in Souto, A Coruna, Spain. They also suggest that as an expression of your sympathy you show kindness to someone in need as he did throughout his life.

Damian's parents would also like to thank in a special way Michele Petringa Martins, Andrea Peracchi O-Brien, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald (Skippy) Imbergamo for their kindness to Damian during his difficult time. It is, and always will be, greatly appreciated.

L'Anno Bello: A Year in Italian Folklore Feasting on the Fruits of Fall

by Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz

It is no secret that I love to bake. The bookshelf adjacent to my kitchen brims with dogeared cookbooks whose chocolate-stained, worn pages tell the stories of delicious treats past. I especially enjoy baking when the calendar turns to the months of autumn, when chilly dark nights propel me into the warmth of a cozy kitchen. Fall is also an optimal time for baking because of the abundance of fruits and vegetables harvested around this time of year. As surely as the colorful leaves swirl gracefully in the September wind, I know that crisp apples, juicy pears, and creamy pumpkins will form an essential part of my fall baking repertoire. However, baking is not the only way to enjoy the generosity of Earth's harvest. Autumnal produce makes a wonderful addition to salads, pastas and drinks and, of course, nothing can quite compare to a fresh, seasonal fruit eaten in its plain natural state. One can develop an even deeper appreciation of fall's bounty when one examines the manner in which these fruits have shaped not only culinary creations but the very culture and traditions of societies around the world. So as the autumn unravels around us in all its rustic and comforting glory, let us take a look at the folklore, superstitions, and recipes of four of our favorite seasonal treats. Apples: Apples are synony-

mous with the fall for me. They conjure memories of collecting bags of bright jewel-toned fruit at a sunny apple orchard, of the tingle of tart apple cider dancing on my tongue, and of fresh-baked breads and streusel-topped crisps cooling on the kitchen counter. I have a difficult time thinking of an apple recipe I did not enjoy, and apples eaten straight from the trees are equally delicious with their burst of juicy, bittersweet pulp. As one of the quintessential fruits of the season, with a fairly long harvesting period, apples also figure heavily in European myths and legends. The Greek demigod Heracles (or Hercules to the Romans) had to obtain golden apples as one of his arduous twelve labors, and the Celtic King Arthur recovered from his wounds in a mythical land called Avalon, or "isle of apples." Apples symbolized wisdom and immortality a horse-drawn carriage, which to the ancient Norse, while in then takes Cinderella to a the Germanic fairy tale Snow much-anticipated royal ball. White, an apple causes the titular princess to fall into an



enchanted slumber from which only a true love's kiss could awaken her. Popular tradition equates the apple with the fruit of the Tree of Knowledge in the Garden of Eden, though it was never actually identified as such in the Bible. Apples also formed the crux of many Halloween divination rituals, as unmarried girls would interpret the shape of an apple peel or eat an apple in front of a candlelit mirror to reveal her future spouse on this spooky night. In Italy, apples are known as mele and are often baked into tarts or dumplings. Northern Italians are particularly fond of making Germaninspired apple strudels.

Pumpkins: Ah, the pumpkin! This rotund, sunny fruit - and yes, pumpkin is a fruit! - carries the connotation of cozy, communal festivities. After all, pumpkins are one of the most recognizable symbols of Halloween worldwide, and pumpkin pie has become a mainstay at autumnal harvest celebrations like Thanksgiving. The autumn means pumpkin to me, and whether I am making pumpkinchocolate chip bread, pumpkin butter cake, or pumpkin scones, the aroma of this fall favorite wafts through my kitchen on the darkened evenings of the season. Like apples, pumpkins also hold an important place in cultural history. Native Americans used pumpkins, including pumpkin seeds, for culinary and medicinal purposes long before the Europeans arrived on the continent. After pumpkins were introduced to Europe, the orange fruit found its way into several familiar fairy tales and tidbits of lore. In the French folktale Cinderella, a fairy godmother turns a pumpkin into Strange superstitions became attached to pumpkins, including the fruit's alleged ability to cure snakebites and banish freckles! Nowadays, pumpkins are instantly recognizable as carved and illuminated jack-olanterns at Halloween, a holdover from an old Irish custom of hollowing out turnips and placing a candle in them in order to frighten the evil spirits perambulating the world on this night. Italians love to cook with pumpkin — known as zucca in Italy — in savory dishes, such as pumpkin ravioli and pumpkin gnocchi, often accompanied by buttery sauces with sage. Yum!

Pears: My mother loves pears, and eagerly awaits the arrival of these green-yellow fruits at the supermarket every autumn. Pears drizzled with caramel sauce or yogurt are simply sublime, as the sweetness of the topping brings out the subtle, slightly nutty taste of the fruit. I like to bake pears in cakes or breads, and they taste especially good when mixed with tart apples in a pie or crisp. Pears do not occupy as big of a space in folklore as some other fruits, but nevertheless several fascinating bits of folklore abound. In China, it is bad luck to split and share a pear with a close friend or loved one. That is because the Chinese term for "sharing a pear" sounds like the word for "separate," and thus holds an ominous connotation. In Europe, it was bad luck for a pear tree to bloom out of season, and such an unusual event portended calamitous consequences. Italians know pears as *pere*, and use them in many inventive dishes. Pears can form the main component of tarts or cakes, or can be enjoyed in savory dishes like salads. Italians like to serve pears poached in wine or drizzled with balsamic syrup for a simple yet decadent finale to an autumnal meal.

Chestnuts: Finally, I am compelled to add chestnuts to this list because of nostalgia. Every fall, my father would bring home a bag filled with chestnuts, gleaming like polished wood, straight from the supermarket or, even better, a small Italian grocery store. He would then cut an opening at the top of each chestnut to release the stream and roast them in the oven. The warmth of the oven and the creamy aroma of the roasting chestnuts enveloped the whole house like a bear hug, and to this day chestnuts remind me of cloudy, drizzly fall days spent in the joyful company of friends and family. Superstition dictates that carrying a chestnut protects a person from a whole bevvy of ills, and I am pleased that this veritable little nut has such a positive association in folklore. Italians harvest chestnuts, or castagne, every fall, dropping them from the trees like a cascade of glossy marbles. The chestnuts may then be enjoyed roasted, as my father liked, their pulp soft and pillowy. They may also be ground into flour to make cakes or piecrusts. No matter how they are cooked, chestnuts remain one of Italy's best fall flavors. The fruits and produce of autumn teem with the very



The Future After DACA is Coming Soon

to phase out DACA over a sixmonth period in order to give the House and Senate on Capitol Hill time to do their jobs when it comes to the fate of some 800,000 undocumented young people brought to this country illegally as small children.

President Trump understood clearly that President Obama's executive order was an unconstitutional overreach and needed to be replaced with a constitutional approach. While President Obama criticized his successor for phasing out DACA, even he knew at the time he signed it that it was just a temporary solution to a problem needing a permanent solution.

Already, Trump's core base has started to revolt over this latest presidential action, saying they feel sold out by Trump's action. Jeff Kuhner on his weekday radio show on WRKO seemed quite upset and warned that Kuhner Country opposes both executive and legislative amnesty. The Republicans in Congress see themselves split on this issue. Many support it, but the hardcore conservatives in the U.S. Congress oppose it. Things aren't always black or white, sometimes things get grey. This is one of those times.

Over with the Democrats and liberals, there is still anger with the president over his attempt to phase out a solution never meant to be forever. State Attorney General Maura Healey thinks the president's actions are unconstitutional because he doesn't like Hispanics and, along with other attorneys general across the country, is suing

President Trump has decided him in court. Liberals in Congress are also calling the end of DACA a disgrace and activists within the immigrant community are quite upset that the program is going away. When it comes to this fake controversy with the unbending Left and Right, nothing seems to satisfy their need to continuing to bash Trump relentlessly.

> As far as the Democratic leadership goes, like their counterparts in the GOP ranks, why should they work with President Trump? What is their incentive to cooperate and get things done? The dysfunction we see is cancerous and not just for immigration reform, but also for taxes, healthcare, and everything else.

> President Trump, to his credit, has warned if those we elect to do their jobs can't do their jobs then he will have to find a constitutional way to solve the issue of all these young people caught in a political spider's web despite those ineffective voices of the people on Capitol.

> Here's hoping Congress, under threat from our president, will do its job and stop acting like a bunch of wrestlers jumping around in the ring during a WWE-like Smackdown event.

> There are those who will oppose Trump on both sides of the aisle, liberals and conservatives alike. Kudos for moving this issue that hasn't moved one inch in years. Trump has done the right thing forcing Congress to do its job and stop crying. We elect people to lead, not to follow. They have six months to do something other than whine.



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Remembering Fran Rowan with a baloon salute

each of us individually and as a community.

When I think of this annual gathering, I think of Fran Rowan, who created the energy for the community to stand together and united. Her spirit still lives on at this annual gathering. She is still with us. Her presence was felt by all. This event was the inspiration of Fran, who thought we all needed healing after that horrific day and that it should begin right here where those two planes began that deadly trip into the World Trade Center.

Sunday was indeed East Boston Strong Day at Piers Park, where the beauty of Boston Harbor can be seen and the ugliness of that day remembered. We choose not to be victims but to be survivors.

East Boston. Boston and the United States of America will never forgot the day the whole world changed. We mourned those who perished and came together as one people with resolve. The terrorists didn't win that day and that is another reason for never forgetting the events of that day, which will always remain in our hearts; we will survive and prosper.



"Touch of Class" chorus East Boston YMCA





L-R: Liane Sherman (center) with Fran's two boys Jimmy and Bob Rowan



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Registration Now Open for **MAYOR'S CUP SOCCER TOURNAMENT**

Mayor Martin J. Walsh and the Boston Parks and Recreation Department have announced that registration is now open for the 2017 Mayor's Cup Soccer Tournament.

This year, the Mayor's Cup Soccer Tournament will be held on the weekends of October $21^{\mbox{\tiny st}}$ – $22^{\mbox{\tiny nd}}$ and October $28^{\mbox{\tiny th}}$ – $29^{\mbox{\tiny th}}$ at Moakley Park in South Boston.

The Mayor's Cup Soccer Tournament offers local youth soccer programs the opportunity to compete against each other for the right to be called the best soccer team in Boston. Reflecting changes implemented by U.S. Youth Soccer,

divisions are now grouped by grade and age. This year's age/grade groupings are: Grades 3/4 (U10), Grades 5/6 (U12), and Grades 7/8 (U14) with boys and girls divisions for each age/grade grouping.

Coaches may register their teams online at: tinyurl.com/2017MayorsCupSoccer. Registration is open now through Friday, October 13th.

For more information about the Mayor's Cup Soccer Tournament, please contact Woodley Auguste at *woodley.auguste@boston.gov* or call 617-961-3084.

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ALL THAT ZAZZ by Mary N. DiZazzo

ALOE ... 2017



Ciao Bella,

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So hop on the Aloe Vera train and get Beautiful!

Buona Giornata and God Bless the USA!

– Mary N. DiZazzo-Trumbull

Read prior week's "All That Zazz" columns at www.allthatzazz. com. Mary is a third-generation cosmetologist and a Massachusetts distributor of **Kosmea** brand **rose hip oil** products. She may be contacted at (978) 470-8183 or mary@mary4nails.com.

Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli was born on November 25, 1881, in Sotto il Monte, a small country village in the Bergamo province of the Lombardy region of Italy. He was the fourth of 13 children and the eldest son of Giovanni Battista Roncalli, a farmer, and his wife Marianna Giulia Mazzolla.

Roncalli's career within the Church began in 1904, when he graduated from university with a doctorate in theology. He interrupted his studies for service in the Italian Army but returned to the seminary and was ordained in 1904. Continuing his studies in canon law, he was appointed secretary to the new bishop of Bergamo, Giacomo Radini-Tedeschi. He held this position for nine years and also taught apologetics and church history.

With the entry of Italy into World War I in 1915, he was recalled to military service as a chaplain. On leaving the service in 1918, he was appointed spiritual director of the seminary but found time to open a hostel for students in Bergamo. It was at this time also that he began the research for a multi-volume work on the Episcopal visitation of Bergamo by St. Charles Borromeo.

In February 1925, Roncalli was summoned to the Vatican and given a new mission. This time he was sent to Bulgaria as the Apostolic Visitor to that country. Later, he was



by Bennett Molinari and Richard Molinari



appointed apostolic delegate to Turkey and Greece and made archbishop of Mesembria.

Beginning in 1935, racial tensions and anti-Jewish sentiment began to explode into actual acts of violence against the Jews and other ethnic minorities. Roncalli started using his influence to save what people he could from both local authorities and, later, the Nazis. During his tenure as archbishop, Roncalli saved thousands of Jews, enough that he was named a "Righteous Gentile" following the war.

In 1952, Roncalli was offered a new position, this time as Patriarch of Venice. At the same time he assumed his new title, Roncalli became the Cardinal-Priest of Santa Prisca. He assumed his new responsibilities on March 15, 1953.

Pope Pius XII died on October 9, 1958, and Cardinal Roncalli was summoned to Rome where he was to participate in the process of selecting a new pope. The College eventu-

ally elected Roncalli and he accepted, saying, "I will be called John."

Pope John XXIII surprised those who expected him to be a caretaker pope by calling the historic Second Vatican Council (1962-1965), the first session opening on October 11, 1962. His passionate views on equality were summed up in his famous statement, "We were all made in God's image, and thus, we are all Godly alike."

Pope John XXIII did not live to see the Vatican Council to completion. He died on June 3, 1963, four and a half years after his election and two months after the completion of his final and famed encyclical Pacem in Terris (Peace on Earth) in which Pope John declares, on establishing universal peace in Truth, Justice, Charity and Liberty: "Peace on Earth — which man throughout the ages has so longed for and sought after can never be established, never guaranteed, except by the diligent observance of the divinely established order."

His other notable encyclical was Mater et Magistra (Mother and Teacher), where John XXIII declares that the Catholic Church is "Mother and Teacher of all Nations," responsible for the care and guidance of God's people. He was canonized by Pope Francis on April 27, 2014. The Feast Day of Saint John XXIII is celebrated on October 11th.

St. Leonard Parish Religious Education

Confirmation Classes

We are inviting high school juniors or older to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Classes will start no sooner than the beginning of the new liturgical year, November 26, 2017. We require at least 15 students to register before scheduling the program. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office (Tuesday-Friday, 1:00-5:00 pm) for a registration form as soon as possible.

First Holy Communion Classes

For the time being, St. John Parochial School is not able to have Catechism Class for anyone who is not a student of the school. Therefore, the parish will provide a program to prepare children for First Holy Communion. Please contact the Parish Office (Tuesday-Friday, 1:00-5:00 pm) for an enrollment form. Deadline for enrollment is Sunday, October 15th. Applicants will not be accepted after that date.

Saint Leonard Parish, 320 Hanover Street, North End, Boston, MA; 617-523-2110; www.SaintLeonardChurchBoston.org

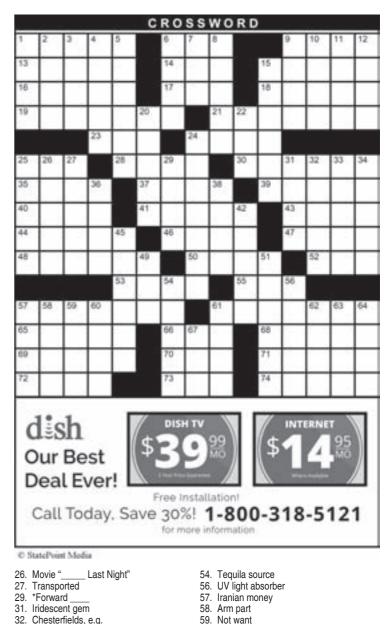


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EAST BOSTON SAVINGS BANK Warms Up for the 12th Annual 5K Bay Run/Walk

East Boston Savings Bank (EBSB) announced that its 12th annual 5K Bay Run/Walk will take place on Sunday, October 1st. Adults and children of all ages and from all communities in Greater Boston are invited to run or walk the flat, scenic course, overlooking Dorchester Bay and Carson Beach. The 5K Bay Run/Walk begins at 9:00 am from DCR, Carson Beach, at 165 Day Boulevard and heads out toward Castle Island before looping back to the start/ finish line.

The event also includes an awards ceremony (scheduled for 10:30 am) where \$250 in cash prizes will be awarded to the top overall male and female runners and \$50 prizes will be given to top male and female runners in each age group. Free giveaways, refreshments, and fun activities round out this family-friendly event.

Proceeds from the race will benefit the East Boston Savings Bank Charitable Foundation in support of numerous non-profit programs in the communities that the Bank serves. "Last year's road race drew approximately 400 participants and over \$70,000 in total sponsorships. We hope to achieve an even higher level of success this year, but most of all we are looking forward to sharing this event with our local community members," said Chairman, CEO and President, Richard Gavegnano.

East Boston Savings Bank is also continuing the "Non-profit Challenge." The two non-profit organizations that have the most participants will receive donations of \$1,000 and \$750 for 1st and 2nd place. Additionally, an award of \$500 will be randomly selected from the pool of other organizations who actively secure participants.

Non-profits interested in this aspect of the race can contact Joyce Patterson at (857) 524-1123 or email her at *jpatterson@ebsb.com*. For more information or to register, visit www.ebsb.com or stop into any of our East Boston Savings Bank branch offices.

Girl Scouts New Troops Forming Now in Towns Across Eastern Massachusetts!

Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts (GSEMA) invites all girls in grades K-12 to discover fun, friendship, and adventure as part of the largest girl-led organization in the world! Back to school means back to troop with Discover Girl Scouts events taking place in communities throughout eastern Massachusetts. Girls and their families are invited to learn more; beyond troop membership, GSEMA offers hundreds of programs annually to satisfy a range of girls' interests, including outdoor adventure, STEM (science, technology, engineering and math), community service, art, and music. This year, Girl Scouts is introducing 23 new STEM and outdoor badges for girls of all ages, and there are more ways than ever to unleash the power of every G.I.R.L. (Go-getter, Innovator, Risk-taker, Leader)™.

At a time when only 39 percent of Massachusetts girls choose a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) college major and girls can feel not as smart as boys by age six, Girl Scouts is an essential resource for caregivers, especially those trying to counter societal gender bias. Girl Scouts is a unique, proven leadership development program that pairs girls with strong, caring female role models and mentors who prepare them to take the lead. Within Girl Scouts' supportive, girl-centric environment for learning and taking healthy risks, girls can pursue their passions, bond with new besties, build their own cookie business, enjoy the thrill of the outdoors, help their community, and discover other exciting activities.

"When a girl enters a safe, girl-only space to discover new skills, she can unleash a wellspring of potential. She gains an appreciation for STEM fields, the outdoors, community service, and more, while building the confidence to lead, the courage to make change, and the character to stand up for what she believes," says Patricia A. Parcellin, Chief Executive Officer of Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts. "Innovative programming has made Girl Scouts the preeminent girl leadership organization for 105 years, a place where girls continue to find their path to a lifetime of success.' FOCUS ON OUTDOORS AND STEM - One of the foundations of Girl Scouts is an appreciation for nature and exposure to the great outdoors. With new outdoors badges and related activities for girls as young as kindergarten age, Girl Scouts experience the outdoors in a new light while gaining a sense of self, developing positive values, and sparking an interest in environmental stewardship. Girl Scouts has also expanded its offerings of STEM activities and badges to address girls' lack of exposure to this 21st century skill set. Girl Scouts can design robots, write code, plan environmentally conscious camping trips, collect data in the great outdoors, or try their hand at engineering.





You can email your questions to postgazette@aol.com to the attention of Freeway. Don't forget folks, Freeway is not a vet, so please keep the questions light-hearted! Thanks.

What Dog is Right for Me?



Deciding what kind of dog to get is as important as deciding whether to get a dog in the first place. The AKC recognizes over 160 different breeds of dog, and each of these breeds has its own unique temperament, appearance, activity level and set of needs. You should do some serious and careful research to determine which breed of dog is right for you and your family. Here are some things to consider:

TEMPERAMENT: You're going to be living with this dog for a long time, so you need to make sure he has a personality you can live with. Do you want a dog that is active or subdued? A dog that is easily trained or strong-willed? A dog that is friendly to everyone he meets, or one that is loyal to family but aloof toward strangers? A dog that needs a lot attention from family members, and lots of activity to prevent him from becoming bored and destructive, or a dog that is content to be left alone for periods of time during the day?

SIZE: All little puppies are adorable, of course, but they grow quickly — and some of them grow a lot! Find out how large — in both height and weight — that cute puppy will become before you bring him home. Remember that larger dogs require more food and space — is your yard or living room big enough to meet his needs? And keep in mind that some little dogs still need lots of room to run around and burn off energy.

COAT/GROOMING NEEDS: All dogs need to be groomed regularly to stay healthy and clean; most dogs will shed. But some dogs shed profusely all year around; some shed in clumps for a few weeks; and some dogs shed only a little bit. Long-coated dogs are beautiful to look at, but require a lot of effort to stay that way. Shortcoated dogs are easier to care for, but may still shed, and may require protection in cold or wet weather. Dogs with fancy trims may need professional grooming. Decide how much dog hair you're willing to put up with, and how much time and energy you can afford for grooming, when you're deciding which breed is right for you. MALE OR FEMALE: In general, there is no significant difference in temperament between male and female dogs. If you are getting a dog for a pet, you will want to have your dog spayed or neutered, which will eliminate most minor differences anyway. If you plan to show or breed your dog,

you must be vigilant about preventing unwanted breeding by keeping your intact male safely confined to your house or yard, and by keeping your intact female away from other dogs when she comes into heat twice yearly.

PUPPY OR ADULT: The advantage of getting a puppy — aside from its irresistible cuteness — is that you can raise it by yourself from the beginning, and participate in its training and socialization every step of the way. The disadvantage is that training a puppy requires a great deal of time and patience. Busy families should keep in mind that puppies cannot be left alone for more than a few hours at a time. They need plenty of trips outside, frequent meals, and lots of interaction with people. Adult dogs, whether purchased directly from a breeder or adopted from a rescue group, can be ideal for people who want a dog with fewer needs. Mature dogs tend to be calmer; some are already house trained and know some basic obedience.

HEALTH: Some breeds may be prone to hereditary diseases or conditions. Many breeds can be screened for certain conditions, such as hip or eye problems; this certification should be available to you when you go to look at a puppy. Being educated about the health considerations of your chosen breed can help you to avoid or alleviate future problems.

PET INSURANCE: Being a responsible owner means considering your dog's lifelong health care needs, whether for preventive care or for unexpected accidents, injuries and illnesses that could happen at any time however well you look after your dog. It is sensible to consider planning for these unexpected expenses.

START YOUR SEARCH: Make a checklist of the characteristics you're looking for. Go to AKC Breed Search or to an All-Breed Dog Show to start your search for the right dog for you!

I decided to write this article only because of a young boy; his name is Daniel Toscano and he is 12 years old. He was so gentle and kind to me knowing that I was an older dog and he was amazed that I was 18 years old — in dog years 126, WOW!

Daniel wants a dog so badly and I thought this article could help him in some way. My human got a book - What Dog is Best for Me-and guess what! You got it! She decided that a Shih Tzu would be her companion for the rest of her life. This little boy stole my heart with his gentle and kind ways and I hope he decides to get the right dog that will make him happy for the rest of his life.

If you have any questions, Daniel, you can write to me at postgazette@aol.com, Attention Freeway. I'll be glad to help you out!

That's all for now ... REMEM-BER TO PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET!



Additionally, Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts is one of several councils nationwide selected to test new space science badges in the "Reach for the Stars" initiative supported by GSUSA, NASA and SETI Institute.

RESOURCES FOR VOLUNTEERS — New program resources are available to volunteers through the recently expanded online Volunteer Toolkit, Girl Scouts' first "digital assistant" for troop leaders. Launched in the fall of 2016, the "VTK" allows volunteers to plan meetings more easily, customize activities, track important information, communicate with families and, ultimately, support amazing experiences for girls all in one place.

Girl Scouts' effectiveness in building leaders is proven: in the U.S., 90 percent of female astronauts, 80 percent of female tech leaders, 75 percent of current senators, and 50 percent of female business owners are Girl Scout alumnae!

To join, volunteer, or learn more, visit gsema.org.

Wake Up Everybody to Harold and the Blue Notes

bu Sal Giarratani



Every summer I love attending those free Wednesday night concerts on City Hall Plaza. This was the 45th year of the Dorothy Curran Summer Concert Series and the finale for this summer's entertainment was Harold Melvin's Blue Notes, not to be confused with Harold Melvin & the Blue Notes. Poor Harold sang his last note in 1997 and, even thought he's gone, those Blue Notes keep playing that great Philly Soul sound that I grew up with and appreciated so much on the dance floor.

Of course the most famous alumnus was none other than the man, Teddy Pendergrass, whose voice was velvet. He is still greatly missed and was an original doo-wopper from the '50s when the band's original name was The Charlemagnes. What an elegant name, huh? What class. Named after an emperor. The band broke up and then reunited in 2013. They had a number of signature songs, but my favorite remains "Wake Up Everybody." What a great song to wake up to!

Well, on Wednesday, August 13^{th} , at the summer concert finale, the band was at the top of its game. Folks were out on the plaza bricks and there was a no parking zone in effect as everyone was dancing on the dance floor. Sitting the music out on the sidelines was never an option.

Surely, everyone walked away from this concert on that night thinking about back in the day when that music was new and they were much younger. Sometimes the old stuff always remains the best because you can't improve on the musical perfection that the Philly Sound handed us.

Hopefully, the Blue Notes will play on forever and keep waking us up with their incredible sound.



Lyric Stage Artistic Director Spiro Veloudos has found his Gypsy. In Leigh Barrett, he has found an actor who can step into the iconic role of Mama Rose. Ms. Barrett makes this her Rose and we get to see one who fully embraces the part with a powerful performance. From her first number, "Some People," you know she is going to be very special. It has to be a daunting role to step into, but Barrett's got what it takes.

Veloudos has also found his Louise in the amazingly talented Kirsten Salpini, who gives a perfectly measured character that goes from being the unsteady second fiddle to her sister to growing in confidence and gaining the ability to stand up to her domineering (and, it can be argued, abusive) mother. With Ms. Salpini, we see that transformation occur seamlessly. It is not an easy part to play.

And Veloudos has found his June in Kira Troilo, who gives us the fair-haired daughter that finally realizes she has to flee the smothering grip of her mother. The child who realizes that in order to become a woman, she has to walk away from it all. At first, her character seems very superficial, but Ms. Troilo gives her sensitivity and a humanity that allows us to respect June and leaves us knowing she will make a good life for herself.

And then there is Herbie. Veloudos has found a marvelous Herbie for us in the everso-talented Steven Barkhimer. Barkhimer plays a character that could be taken for weak, but he persuades us that it is not weakness, but kindness, that inhabits this very decent man who has taken up with a very diffcult woman. Having seen Mr. Barkhimer before, I was not at all surprised to see how truly wonderful he is in this



The Lyric Stage Finds its **GYPSY**



Leigh Barrett

role, and it is such a pleasure seeing him practice his craft.

Veloudos has found all of this talent and more, including the young June and Louise played by Margot Anderson-Song and Cate Galante who, accompanied by this fabulous ensemble, contribute so much to the very strong first act. Impressive, they are.

And finally, Veloudos has found Director and Choreographer Rachel Bertone, who pulls it all together for an amazing production of Gypsy. Ms. Bertone gets it all just right in this scaled down, but remarkable production of what has been called the greatest of all Broadway musicals.

The six-piece orchestra led by Dan Rodriguez coupled with a simple but poignant set make this first-rate work capable of

The score is timeless and

Okay, so now, I have to add something, and I know I am in a very tiny minority when I say this. I have seen productions of Gypsy before, and I have always enjoyed Act I. It is Act II that would leave me flat, or rather with the feeling the story is left unresolved and told with an unnecessary cruelty. I feel the dysfunction of Mama Rose has been taken too far. In truth, I was not looking forward to seeing it again (Act II that is). This time was the exception. Director Bertone brings it all together thoughtfully at the conclusion. Yes, Rose is still flawed, but something special happens. It may not be a Kodak Family moment, but it is real and it works.

As I said at the beginning of my review, Veloudos has found a great Gypsy, and Barrett, Salpini, Troilo, Barkhimer, and company light the Lyric Stage up. If you miss this production, you are making a huge mistake. Spiro Veloudos has kicked off

his 20th year at the Lyric Stage in great fashion. He has found something very special and is sharing it with all of us. Accept this gift from this wonderful man. He knows how to Light the Lights!

Gypsy is appearing at the Lyric Stage, 140 Clarendon Street, Boston, now through October 8^{th} . For more info, call 617-585-5678, or visit www. lyricstage.com.







91st Italian Feast of Saints Cosmas and Damian



The Drifters: Linwood Peel, Andre Reina, Smokey Nonle and Stephone Jones



My Cousin's Place aka Contrada's

North End Marching Band

The 91st Annual Italian Feast of Saints Cosmas and Damian took place in East Cambridge September 8th-10th with with great celebration of tradition, cultural pride, and fun for the whole family.

Entertainment for the weekend included the legendary Jimmy Osmond, Expose, Martha Wash, The Drifters, local favorites Vinyl Groove, The Reminisants, Smokin' Joe and the Henchmen, Seabreeze with Stephen Savio, and Vanessa Salvucci! As always, there was a food festival, parades, amusement rides, meatball and cannoli eating contests, Monsters, Inc. and Star Wars movie characters, carnival games, street performers, cooking demonstrations, live entertainment, and a special healing service.

A Feast Mass was celebrated by Bishop Peter Uglietto at St. Francis of Assisi Church on Sunday followed by the Grand Procession through the streets of East Cambridge and East Somerville with marching bands, floats, trolleys and, of course, the Saints. The Grand Procession arrived on Warren Street for a large celebration and a shower of confetti.









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The DeDomenico Family gather together at feast time (Photos by Sal Giarratani) A Musical Concert featuring

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sive street separating the two

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TAKE THOSE FRIDGE DOORS

OFF BEFORE TRASHING IT

noticed a white refrigerator

being thrown out the day before

trash pickup and the doors

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were not taken off as the law

demands. I called 3-1-1 to turn

in this violation to the law,

which was instituted to ensure

that little kids did not acciden-

tally get locked inside them and

suffocate to death. It seemed

the 3-1-1 operator was more

concerned with my personal

information than the fact that

this fridge was a public safety

danger. I decided to stop by a

firehouse where I knew these

guys would also see the public

doors on a fridge if you are

throwing it out for the garbage

truck on trash day. Think of

the little kids and the potential

Getting back to 3-1-1, next

time I'll just go to the firehouse.

I have more confidence in Bos-

ton Fire than I do with City Hall.

No one at the firehouse wrote

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A CLOSER LOOK AT

harm you might be causing.

Word to the wise: never leave

safety danger.

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Last week while driving, I

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ROARING ABYSS (DVD) IndiePix Films

Music venues in Addis Ababa abound, but to get an idea of the diversity of Ethiopia's musical universe, one must enter the *Roaring Abyss* of more than 80 different nationalities and cultures. Those are spread along mountains, deserts and forest, where disappearing musical traditions are many and vast. To reveal these to a wider audience, filmmaker Quino Pinero spent two years performing field recordings around every corner of Ethiopia, documented in this audiovisual poem.

NCIS: NEW ORLEANS: THE THIRD SEASON (6-DVD) CBS DVD + Paramount

In the third season of NCIS: New Orleans, protecting America's wildest party town is a full-time job for this elite crimefighting unit. Nothing will stop special agent-in-charge Dwayne Cassius "King" Pride (Scott Bakula) from defending his beloved city, with the help of reliable right-hand man Christopher Lasalle and unstoppable undercover expert Sonia Percy. As the field agents hit the streets, their evidence is analyzed back at base by digital security expert Patton Plame, skilled medical examiner Dr. Loretta Wade, and idiosyncratic forensics specialist Sebastian Lund. As the team copes with a rogue sniper, a cartel's conspiracies, and a deep-sea oilrig primed to explode, they face a new crisis that hits closer to home. In the wake of a betrayal compromising the unit's integrity, they find themselves under investigation by FBI special agent Tammy Gregorio, a hard-charging New Yorker who makes a fierce friend and a tireless foe. The team will never be the same after the 23 nerve-wracking episodes. **BLACK SAILS: THE FOURTH** SEASON (3-Blu-ray) Lionsgate Home Ent. It's war in the West Indies, and the shores of New Providence Island have never been bloodier. While Eleanor Guthrie and Woodes Rogers hold Nassau, Captain Flint sails to strike the final blow ... and from the interior, an insurgency builds, fueled by the legend of Long John Silver. But the closer

civilization comes to defeat, the more desperately, and destructively, it will fight back. **BLUE BLOODS:**

THE SEVENTH SEASON (6-DVD)

CBS DVD + Paramount The Reagan family delivers justice once again in the unpredictable seventh season of Blue Bloods. The pressure is turned up on Frank (Tom Selleck) as he navigates a series of high profile crises within the NYPD. His oldest son Danny (Donnie Wahlberg) crosses paths with the Russian mob and becomes the target of an international drug cartel, while his other son Jamie (Will Estes) tries to balance his cases and burgeoning relationship with his partner. Meanwhile, daughter Erin (Bridget Moynahan) calls on a detective to help put away the city's worst criminals. In this New York family, duty never sleeps

THE ORIGINALS: FOURTH SEASON (3-DVD) Warner Bros. Home Ent.

Season Four's fateful episodes begin on the fifth anniversary of the once all-powerful Mikaelson family's greatest defeat, with Klaus held captive by Marcel Gerard and siblings Elijah and Rebekah deep in an enchanted sleep. After daring rescues, the Mikaelsons are reunited, only to face an even bigger threat: the revival of a malevolent power that has strong ties to their most vulnerable family member. In response to a devastating attack by this nightmarish entity, the Mikaelsons stand their ground and forge an alliance with former friends Marcel and Vincent Griffith, leader of the New Orleans witches, to confront an enemy more powerful than them. The dysfunctional siblings and their allies have no choice but to fight together — even if this is to be their final battle.

A BLAST (DVD) IndiePix Films

Maria is running away on the highway. She is alone in her roaring SUV. Behind her, fire and a case full of money. Seeing in front of her, only the hopeless vastness of the motorway. Only a day before, she was a caring mother, a loving wife, and a responsible daughter. Unwilling to reconcile with a life of unreturned care, lost dignity and a broken-down desire to live, Maria wants out, attacking her past, the people she loves, her country and the perception of her sex in a relentless battle to find truth, both in her and around her. Today she has gone rogue.

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

walk starts at 10:30 am. For more information and directions, call Patty McCormack at 617-635-3992.

HE SHOULD CALL HIMSELF "SADIKI KA-BOOM"

I accidentally caught an episode of Sadiki Kambon's cable show *Black Power Hour* on *BNN-TV*. He thinks, among other things, that Dudley Square needs to be renamed since the Dudley it was named after was a slave owner back in 17th century Roxbury. He also expressed gladness that New Dudley Street was renamed for someone else and seeks to eliminate the name Warren from Roxbury streets and squares.

As far as his idea to exorcise the name "Dudley" out of Roxbury history, that is pure ignorance, isn't it? The Dudley family was one of the oldest families to live in Roxbury going back to the mid-17th century. The family was quite political and one member of that family, Joseph Dudley, was the Royal Governor of Colonial Massachusetts from 1702 to 1715. Sadiki obviously doesn't sound like a true historian.

He needs to stop ka-booming and delivering fake news to folks on *BNN-TV*.

Sadiki is expressing the latest liberal outrage, erasing history from our society and bashing 17^{th} century values because they are not 21^{st} century enough.

MAYOR'S HEALTH & FITNESS SENIOR WALK

The Boston Commission on Affairs of the Elderly just announced that the mayor's health and fitness walk for

\$100-7100 pm

seniors will be held on Wednesday, October 4th, starting at 10:00 am at Joe Moakley Park in Southie. Pre-registration deadline is September 27th; for more information, call 617-635-4168. **REMEMBERING A**

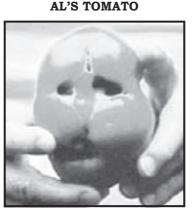
TRUE CHAMP

Former State Auditor Joe DeNucci, who started out fighting in the ring early in life, passed away on Friday, September 8th, at age 78. After retiring from the ring at the young age of 32 to run for office, he ended up being state auditor for 24 years. He fought hard inside the ring and in public office.

DeNucci once said of boxing, "When a fight's over, what's the first thing fighters do? They hug. And the harder they fought, the harder hey hug, because there's so much respect between them."

As an Italian-American I always thought highly of Joe DeNucci because he defied the stereotypes. He knew the discrimination that Italians in public life seem to face too often and he would not let others stereotype him. He took a lot of political heat for coming out in support of gay marriage, but he was against discrimination in any form. If he believed in something, he stood up to anyone who challenged him. The political world's rules weren't that different than the world of boxing. You take on your adversaries and your goal is to win every time.

DeNucci was a winner right up to that last round. He will be remembered as both a good guy and someone who would have your back.



Upon request, here's a closer view of Al Marando's interesting looking tomato. The first thing that came to mind was a relief pitcher for the Red Sox in the early '60s named Jack "Tomato Face" LaMabbe. We got him along with Dick Stuart for Don Schwall and Jim Pagliaroni before the start of the 1963 season.



Staty Senator

NCIS: LOS ANGELES: SEASON 8 (6-DVD) CBS DVD + Paramount

Shocking arrests, a spy inside the department, and a compromised secret mission in Syria change the game forever for everyone in this 23-episode collection. L.A.'s most elite squad proves their mettle time and again, as they navigate humanity's deadliest threats, both domestically and abroad. With brilliant picture and sound, and thrilling special features, this is the way to experience NCIS: Los Angeles — again and again. Includes over one hour of special features.

Last week in this column, I offered Al Marando a Happy Birthday on his 90th birthday and ran a great photo of him holding one of his homegrown tomatoes with that face on it. So many people informed me they wanted a closer look at that tomato, so here it is this week. I asked Al about it and he told me it looks like one of his old friends from back in the day over in St. Philip's Parish when he lived on East Lenox Street in Lower Roxbury.

DON'T FORGET THIS DATE: SEPTEMBER 24TH

The Walk to End Alzheimer's takes place at North Point Park on Sunday, September 24th. The



730 pm

The Federal Trade Commission works for the consumer to prevent fraud and deception. Call 1-877-FTC-HELP (1-877-382-4357) or log on to www.ftc.gov. • Santa Rosalia (Continued from Page 1)



Charlemagne before being led by angels to a solitary life in a cave on Mount Pellegrino where she died alone in 1166. On the cave wall she wrote *"I, Rosalia, daughter of Sinibald, Lord of Roses, and Quisquina, have taken the resolution to live in this cave for the love of my Lord, Jesus Christ."* In 1624, during a plague in Palermo, Rosalia appeared to a sick woman and then to a hunter to whom she directed to find her remains. In a procession of her bones through the city, the plague was lifted. Santa Rosalia is also known as The Little Saint.

The Santa Rosalia di Palermo procession caps off this season's Italian religious processions in Boston's North End.















(Photos by Matt Conti, NorthEndWaterfront.com)

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Further increase the

humidity and decrease your

workload by placing the

plants on a gravel tray. Place

pebbles in the bottom of the

saucer or other shallow con-

tainer. Set the pot on top of

the pebbles. Allow excess

water to collect in the pebbles

Successfully Transition Houseplants Indoors for Winter

by Melinda Myers

Help your houseplants make a smooth transition from their outdoor summer home back inside for winter. The lower light and humidity indoors along with any insects that hitched a ride indoors make it difficult to keep these plants looking their best.

Give them a shower before they move indoors. A gentle blast of water washes dust and dirt off the leaves and dislodges aphids and mites that might be feeding on the plants.

Gradually prepare the plants for the lower light conditions indoor. Start by placing plants in the sunniest south- or west-facing window available or grow them under artificial lights. Leave them here for several weeks if the final destination receives less light.

Next move them to an east-

facing or well-lit north facing window. Again, leave them here for several weeks. Gradually decrease the amount of light the plants receive until they reach their final location. This gradual acclimation helps the plants develop more shade tolerant leaves. Foregoing this process results in yellow leaves and massive leaf drop. This is stressful on the plant and its caretaker.

Skip this step, reduce the stress on your plants and keep them looking their best throughout the winter by growing them under artificial lights. Using a combination of natural and artificial light helps plants better tolerate the less-than-ideal indoor growing environment.

Isolate these plants from your indoor houseplant collection until you are sure no insects tagged along. Check under the leaves and along the stems for aphids, mites, scale and white flies. Use an eco-friendly product like Summit Year-Round Spray Oil (SummitResponsible Solutions.com) to prevent these pests from moving onto the rest of your indoor garden. This highly refined mineral oil suffocates the insects, doesn't

Using a combination of artificial and natural light helps plants better tolerate the less-than-ideal indoor growing environment.

(Photo by Gardener's Supply Company)

below the pot. As this water evaporates, it increases the humidity around the plants.

plants.

You'll also eliminate the amount of time spent and mess made when pouring off the excess water that collects in the saucer. Plus, you'll avoid root rot and other diseases caused by plants sitting in a water-filled saucer.

Give your plants a bit of TLC as you tuck them into their winter lodgings. Your efforts will be rewarded with healthier, pest-free and better-looking plants to enjoy all winter long.

Gardening expert Melinda Myers has written over 20 gardening books, including Small Space Gardening and the Midwest Gardener's Handbook. She hosts The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything: Food Gardening For Everyone" DVD set and the nationally syndicated Melinda's Garden Moment TV & radio segments. Myers is also a columnist and contributing editor for Birds & Blooms magazine and was commissioned by Summit for her expertise to write this article. Myers' website is www.melindamyers.com.



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ANTOINETTE'S PEANUT BUTTER BISCOTTI

DOUGH:

 $2\frac{1}{2}$ cups flour ³/₄ cup butter ³/₄ cup water

¹/₄ cup sugar 1/2 cup chopped walnuts Two $6^{"}x 9^{"}$ cookie sheets

In a bowl, cut butter into flour with a butter knife. Add sugar and then add water. Stir with fork until it looks like little balls. Do not knead. With your hands, make a ball of the mixture and refrigerate for one-half hour.

After one-half hour, cut dough into four parts. With rolling pin, roll each portion one at a time into a thin rectangular shape. Cover rectangular piece lightly with peanut butter. Then lightly spread jelly of choice over peanut butter. Sprinkle walnuts over jelly. Fold into a long roll beginning at side of rectangular piece of dough (about three inches wide). Place lengthwise (seal side down) in lightly greased cookie sheet. Continue to do same with the remaining portions of dough, placing two rolls in each baking sheet. Brush tops of rolls lightly with milk for a golden color. Bake in a preheated oven at 375°F for 20 to 30 minutes.

For ease of handling, use a spatula to remove from baking sheet and allow to cool on cutting board. Cut diagonally into biscotti. Store cooled Peanut Butter Biscotti in a canister.

NOTE: I am pleased to share this unique recipe with you. A dear friend created it years ago. Antoinette (Marcantonio) Benda, sister of Dr. Joseph Marcantonio, and Rose Sinopoli decided to put together ingredients that she enjoyed with the hopes of making a different cookie. She created these delicate and tasty biscotti.

SOUTH STREET DINER Customer Appreciation Day

Featuring Pony Rides, Cartoonists, Ice Cream Truck and Face Painters!

South Street Diner is hosting its annual South Street Diner Customer Appreciation Day on Sunday, September 17th, from **2:00 – 6:00 pm.** Between 150 and 200 people are expected to attend the fun-filled, family-friendly afternoon with free pony rides, face painters, cartoonists, an ice cream truck, and a live DJ playing family-friendly hits, all between Kneeland Street and Beach Street. Owner Sol Sidell will be present to meet and greet loyal South Street Diner customers and serve up free hamburgers, hotdogs and refreshments for all ages.

Please join us at South Street Diner, 178 Kneeland Street, Boston, MA.

This is a **FREE** event!

For more information, please visit www.southstreetdiner.com or call 617-350-0028

ABOUT SOUTH STREET DINER:

South Street Diner (formerly the Blue Diner) was built in 1943 by the Worcester Dining Company to serve local factory workers. Over the years, the Diner has become a local landmark, a constant in Boston's after-hours scene, and a final evening destination for local residents, students and visitors. When the clubs close, the Diner is the place to grab something to eat, hang out with friends, celebrity watch, and keep the party going. No visit to Boston is complete without a stop at the South Street Diner. Over the years, the Diner has been called "The PLACE for college students to start their Spring Break Tour" by Rolling Stone Magazine. The Diner has also been featured in numerous feature films, including: Hiding Out with John Cryer; Second Sight with John Laroquette; House

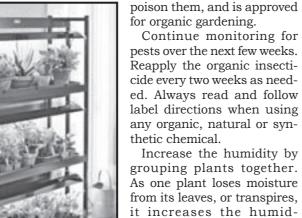
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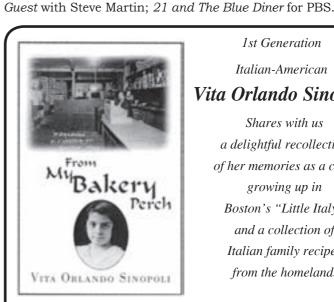
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1st Generation Italian-American Vita Orlando Sinopoli Shares with us a delightful recollection of her memories as a child growing up in Boston's "Little Italy" and a collection of Italian family recipes from the homeland.

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We are dealing with the worst hurricanes to hit the U.S. since 1900. In late August of that first year of the 20th century, a Category 4 hurricane hit Galveston, Texas, and wiped out the city, killing 12,000 people. Back then, there was no way to predict storms of that intensity and the city, which was only nine feet above sea level, was totally destroyed — wiped out.

Mom told me that a hurricane hit Boston in September of 1938 as a Category 5, and I was born less than a month later, on October 21st. She always said that the storm had something to do with an early delivery. Of course, I don't remember that far back, but having lived through several hurricanes, I can only imagine what my folks went through. I can just picture Nanna saying the Rosary as the storm came through East Boston and Babbononno pouring another glass of wine to settle his nerves.

I can remember two hurricanes that hit this part of the country when I was a teenager.

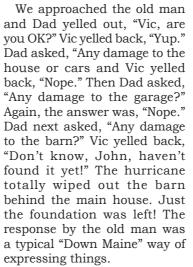
The first was Hurricane Carol in 1954. It lasted from August 25th to September 1st. We had just closed up the cottage in Maine and returned home. On Saturday the 28th, I had to work the kids' matinee at the Seville Theater and had to walk from Eutaw Street to Meridian Street and then toward Central Square, bucking the winds of a Category 2 storm all the way. It's a good thing I was built close to the ground. If I wasn't, the winds coming north from Maverick Square toward Central might have blown me all the way to Chelsea.

The following summer, we had another hurricane, this one named Diane. It hit the U.S. beginning on August $7^{\mbox{\tiny th}}$ and continued up the coast until the 23rd. We were in Maine at the time and I knew nothing about what was happening weather-wise. Not having any brothers or sisters, Dad used to give the OK for my friends to stay with us. One of my fellow ushers from the Seville, the late Carl Sinatra, was my guest for a week and we knew nothing about a storm coming north. We

speed of the out-board motor just to buck the headwinds. It got to the point that I had the throttle on full to head forward, but we were going backward. I finally made it to shore and Carl Sinatra and I had to drag the boat along the rocks until we reached the small beach that was beside our cottage. Dad ran on the beach swearing at us in Italian and English, and when we sheepishly asked what was wrong, he calmed down and told us a hurricane was coming through Maine. We beached the boat and I tied the bow to a nearby tree and then we were herded into the cottage by Mom, who had just finished closing the window shutters along with Babbononno. Nanna was cooking for us just in case the storm was going to hang around for a while.

By now, Dad had calmed down and told us what he had heard on the radio. A tropical hurricane named Diane (Category 2) had come up the east coast and was now hitting us in south central Maine. He added that a neighbor, a local, had asked Dad for a favor. Arthur Gordon and his family had befriended us several years earlier, and asking Dad for a favor was not a problem. It seems that he and his wife were taking their two daughters to Portland for a pediatrician appointment and he wanted Dad and Babbononno to look in on his elderly father who would be alone during the storm. Dad had agreed to help out and told Arthur to have his father come to our cottage while the rest of the family was gone. The father, a man everyone referred to as "Old Vic," refused to leave the Gordon homestead and Dad assured Arthur that after the storm left, he, Babbononno and I would check on Old Vic.

With the shutters up and the wind howling, Nanna and Mom served lunch. We ate and just waited for the storm to pass. When it dwindled, Dad said that he wanted to check on Old Vic to see if he was OK. He, Babbononno, my friend Sinatra, and I headed out. Luckily, we had no damage whatsoever. En route to the Gordon house, about a quarter of a mile down the road, we picked up several tree branches and threw them to the side of the road to allow traffic to be able to pass. When we approached Arthur Gordon's house, we saw Old Vic sitting on the front steps whittling away. He had his trusty pocket knife working away on a piece of pine. When he spotted us, he yelled out, "Hello they-ah."



When Hurricane Andrew hit Florida in August of 1992, we were on the beach in Ocean Ridge, the A1A section of Delray Beach. We were told by the police that everyone on the islands that run parallel to the coast of Florida had to leave. There had to be a total evacuation from the Key West to Miami Beach and all coastal points north to the Georgia border. The kids were young at the time — John, 11, and Michael, 9. We had my mother, Loretta's brother, and two of the women Loretta taught with at the time with us. One of the ladies was also in the travel business and made reservations for us at the Holiday Inn in Orlando. When we headed there, we had a convoy of four cars with mine leading the way. I had to make several detours because Interstate 95 looked like America's largest parking lot with cars, bumper to bumper, for a hundred miles or so.

When we arrived at Orlando's Holiday Inn, the line was out the front entrance, four abreast, down the driveway to the sidewalk, down the block and around the corner. People who had left the coastal area numbered in the hundreds, if not the thousands, all trying to escape Hurricane Andrew. We were lucky that Loretta's friend had made the reservations ahead of time. We checked in and watched the storm on TV. As I said, we were lucky. My thoughts go out to the folks in Texas, on the Caribbean islands, and in Florida that have been affected by these latest storms. If Nanna and my mother were still with us, I know they would be saying prayers in Italian and English for the families who have suffered due to these disasters. GOD BLESS AMERICA

BCYF Citywide Swim League *Recruiting Youth Participants* Swim Team Experience Not Necessary

Boston Centers for Youth & Families (BCYF), is currently enrolling youth participants, age 6-17, for the annual BCYF Citywide Swim League.

Every year, over 300 young swimmers participate in the BCYF Swim League. In addition to improving swimming skills, participants make new friends and enjoy visits to other BCYF swimming pools in Boston for meets. The league is a developmental league and serves as an introduction to competitive swimming, so experience on a swim team is not necessary. Participants will be tested to make sure they are able to swim one length of the pool. The regular season meets are held once a week, beginning in November. The Championship Meet will take place in March.

To sign up to participate, e-mail or call the contact listed below. Team enrollment will continue through November or until each team reaches capacity.

For more information, contact Antonio Rosario, BCYF Aquatics Manager, at *Antonio.Rosario@boston.gov* or 617-635-4920, ext. 2150.

Teams and Contact Info:

B.E.S.T. Orcas

Locations: Dorchester House, 1353 Dorchester Avenue; BCYF Madison Park Community Center, 55 Malcolm X Boulevard, Roxbury; BCYF Holland Community Center, 85 Olney Street, Dorchester; Contact: *best.orcas@gmail.com*

BCYF Blackstone Community Center, 50 West Brookline Street, South End; Contact: *Marco.Torres@boston.gov;* 617-635-5162

BCYF Condon Community Center Lobsters, 200 D Street, South Boston; Contact: *Tafadzwa.Kambarami @boston.gov*; 617-635-5100

BCYF Charlestown Community Center, 255 Medford Street, Charlestown; Contact: Jesus.Gambaro@boston.gov; 617-635-5169

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Chinatown; Contact: Helen.Wong@boston.gov; 617-635-5129

About Boston Centers for Youth and Families: Boston Centers for Youth & Families (BCYF) is the City of Boston's largest youth and human service agency. BCYF operates 36 community centers in Boston that offer a variety of engaging and enriching programs for people of all ages created through community input and need. BCYF also oversees many citywide programs, including the nationally recognized violence intervention and prevention Streetworker Program and SuccessLink, the Mayor's Summer Jobs Program.

didn't have a TV at the cottage and the only thing Carl and I listened to on the radio was early rock and roll (doo wop).

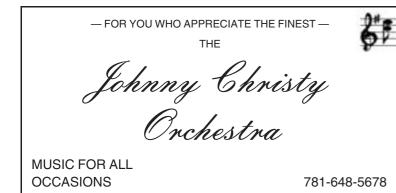
One morning, he and I jumped into my speed boat and headed out to the middle of Lake Maranacook to do a bit of fishing. Dad was soon on the dock waving to us and we waved back. As we continued on our journey, I had to increase the



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Mix 104.1 has brought some of your favorite acts to the radio for more than twenty years and once again they will be bringing some of their acts to Boston for everyone to enjoy!

On Saturday, September 16th at the DCR Hatch Shell, you will be able to enjoy talented artists like Kelly Clarkson, the first ever *American Idol!* Andy Grammar will be back this year as well, and let's not forget about Blondie!

Who is playing MixFest 2017?

Kelly Clarkson, Blondie, and Andy Grammer! Music starts at about 2:00 pm. We'll post set times as we get closer to the show.

How much to get in? — MixFest is FREE!

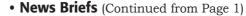
What time should we get there? — Gates will be opening at 11:00 am. We strongly encourage you to get there as close to 11:00 am as possible because capacity is limited and entrance into the event will be closed once capacity is reached. For continued updates on the day of the show, please follow @mix1041 on Twitter.

What Can I Bring Into MixFest? — Blankets, umbrellas (small hand-held style), baby strollers, portable/collapsible chairs, binoculars, personal camera, and water (in sealed bottles, not to exceed two liters)

What Is NOT ALLOWED At MixFest? — Backpacks, large bags, weapons of any kind, alcohol, coolers, glass containers, cans, pets, tents, bicycles, drones or UAVs. And no illegal vending is permitted!

IMPORTANT: NO BACKPACKS are allowed!! Small bags only.

For more info visit *mix1041.cbslocal.com/ mixfest.*



defied the federal government when it came to issues of race. All the liberals up here were blasting states' rights.

Fast forward to today, and see all the liberals defying the feds with sanctuary cities, which is nothing more than liberal states' rights. I guess it depends if liberals like their reasons for going against Washington, DC. I guess when it comes to liberals, they are no different than the bad old days of Wallace and Maddox.

Gender Neutral Insanity?

While watching the Tucker Carlson show on *Fox* the other evening, I was amazed what one of his guests was spouting on air. She sounded so intelligent, but what she said was total nonsense. She noted if she had a child, she would not assume the baby's gender but let that evolve over time. She supported the idea of having three boxes on birth certificates: male, female, and other. Dare I say the third box ought to be labelled "Crazy Parents?"

Carlson pointed out exactly what I was thinking. Isn't gender a scientific term in biology? Why is it that we all must accept global climate change or be called science deniers, but when it comes to gender, forget about science and biology?

Washington National Cathedral Goes PC?

The Washington National Cathedral is a beautiful Gothic landmark in Washington, DC. Yes, it is an Episcopal church but has always been an open church, open to all other faiths. As a kid, I remember it was President Dwight D. Eisenhower's church. Gothic cathedrals are historical churches. This particular church has had a stained glass window with both Generals Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson pictured, but now the church has decided to remove it and apparently put it into storage. Now, after being on display for generations of congregants, it has become unflattering and a hurtful image to many. This image on stained glass was never glorifying war, slavery, or anything else, it was reflecting American history over America's lifetime. Does that church now take down a stained glass window of St. Mother Teresa or Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., too? I am sure there are folks somewhere who are offended by those images as well.

President Woodrow Wilson is entombed in this church, do we have to dig him up and plant his body somewhere else since many now think he was a racist?

Finally, did you know that the Washington cathedral's official name is the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul or that it is a church chartered by U.S. Congress? What about the separation of church and state? Someone out there must view that as offensive, right?

When will this liberal nonsense end?

End Quote

"Only two things are infinite, the universe and human stupidity, and I am not sure about the former."

— Albert Einstein



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Affordable Housing (Continued from Page 2)

of applications nearly triple. I want to commend the City of Boston for streamlining this process and their dedication to making Boston a more affordable place to call home."

The City has also standardized and expanded the types of documentation that are acceptable to establish Boston residency. In the past, each agency responsible for the creation of affordable housing set its own standards for proving residency. In addition, under the new standards, Boston residents who fill out the City's annual resident census will now be able to use the census as proof of residency when applying for affordable housing. This is a significant step that allows residents who might have been otherwise unable to prove their residency, e.g.,

homeless families in shelters outside Boston and those ineligible to vote, to establish residency for affordable housing opportunities.

With this project, Imagine Boston 2030 is building on Housing a Changing City by increasing access to affordable housing resources and information. Other initiatives of the plan include: working to increase the overall housing supply; deploying tools to support the preservation of affordable housing citywide; putting forth an anti-displacement package that will create and preserve affordable housing; preventing eviction; linking housing and transportation; and supporting homeownership. For more information included in the plan, please visit imagine.boston.gov.

Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300 Docket No. SU17P1902EA

Estate of BARBARA E. NEALE Date of Death June 14, 2017

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Jennifer Royal of Sandown, NH a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Jennifer Royal of Sandown, NH has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered unde 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 restrict ing 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: 9/15/17 Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300 Docket No. SU17P1901EA Estate of ROBERT J. KUCHEFSKI Date of Death May 26, 2017

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Jane W. Kuchefski** of **Boston, MA** a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Jane W. Kuchefski of Boston, 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: 9/15/17

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• L'Anno Bello (Continued from Page 4)

sensations of the season. They are reminders of communal gatherings that honor the bounty of the Earth, of the rhythmic dance of the harvest, of family recipes that have withstood the flow of time and inspired each future generation. By exploring the folklore surrounding some of these fruits, we are recognizing the importance of agriculture and sustenance for our ancestors. By delighting in their tastes, we have become part of living history, participating in the joys of each passing season. So go ahead and enjoy your apples, pumpkins, pears, and chestnuts, and remember that these delicious treats belong to the tapestry of human culture and storytelling and holidays. Share them with others, especially those who have trouble putting food on the table. Let us carry the pleasures of autumn and the harvest wherever we go, and delight in the blessings of the season that surrounds us.

Ally Di Censo Symynkywicz is a Graduate Student in History at the University of Massachusetts Boston. She appreciates any comments and suggestions about Italian holidays and folklore at adicenso89@gmail.com.

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> Docket No. MI17P4567EA Estate of

GARY THOMAS SPARKS Also Known As Gary T. Sparks, Sr., Gary T. Sparks Date of Death July 25, 2017 INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Suely P. Sparks** of **Watertown, MA** a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Suely P. Sparks of Watertown, 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 Repre-sentative 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

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Estate of WALTER RAYMOND VEDOCK Also Known As WALTER RAYMOND VEDOCK, JR. Date of Death June 10, 2017

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION To all interested persons:

A Petition for Formal Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Pauline V. Ewing of Westminster, 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 **Pauline V. Ewing of Westminster, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **an unsunervised** administration

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> SAMARA MURRELL vs. CALVIN L. RUFFIN, II

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

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

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Samara Murrell, 8 Museum Way, Cambridge, MA 02141 your answer, if any, on or before October 17, 2017. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR. First Justice of this Court. Date: September 5, 2017

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Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI17D1732DR

DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING KRISTIN SIDNEY STOCK

ANDREW SHANE STOCK

To the Defendant: The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for cruel & abusive treatment.

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

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Kristin S. Stock, 8 Silversmith Way, North Billerica, MA 01862 your answer, if any, on or before October 13, 2017. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court. Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR.,

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JF First Justice of this Court. Date: August 31, 2017

Tara E. DeCristofaro, Register of Probate Run date: 9/15/17

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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 October 1, 2017 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:

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Yawkey Foundation Still Proud of Owner's Team Legacy

John Harrington, former Red Sox Club owner and chair of the Yawkey Foundation, took on a recent Boston Globe editorial which called Yawkey no hero, stating his own opinion in a the letter to the editor. Harrington wrote that the Globe perpetuates inaccurate statements and mischaracterizations about Yawkey's life and beliefs. He added that he must speak up for Tom and Jean Yawkey since they are no longer here to defend themselves against these "malicious and baseless' charges. In closing his letter, Harrington said, 'We are proud to carry on Tom and Jean's legacy and we will continue to work to improve the communities they considered their home."

The Miracle Braves of 1914

On September 7, 1914, the Boston Braves had to move to Fenway Park for its home games since Braves Field was not big enough to handle the crowds. The "Miracle Braves" played the rest of that season's home games at Fenway and that year's World Series home games, too.

Four Homers in One Game Not That Rare Anymore

J.D. Martinez, who was just traded to the D-Backs from the Tigers, tied a Major League record by slugging four homers in one game. He is only the 18th player to accomplish this feat and 16th in modern history. Earlier this year, Scooter Gennett of the Reds also hit four homers in one game. Back in the '50s and '60s when I was a kid who loved baseball, I only remember two players who did the four thing. They were Joe Adcock of the Milwaukee Braves and Rocky Colavito of the Indians. Another sign of watering down baseball.

Walk for Jimmy Fund

Join Team Improper/Leslie's Links on Sunday, September 24th, for the Boston Marathon Jimmy Fund Walk to raise monies for the Leslie's Links Ewings Sarcoma Fund at the

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EXTRA Innings

by Sal Giarratani

Dana Farber Cancer Institute. To donate or join the team, go to *jimmyfundwalk.org/2017/ teamimproperleslielinks*.

Never Knew This About the Great Jerry West

Growing up a Celtics fan in Boston, the LA Lakers were always basketball's version of the NY Yankees. One of the legendary players back in the day was Jerry West, one of the top scorers in the NBA, who teamed up with Elgin Baylor as a mighty duo on the parquet when they visited Boston. I just found out that for decades he struggled with dark bouts of depression and now he is speaking out about it. He says speaking out about this dark subject isn't courage but honesty.

Said West, "Some people hide their pain. I'm proud of the fact that I don't feel good about myself a lot of the time but it's nothing I'm ashamed of." I give this NBA legend credit for speaking out rather than pretending nothing's wrong; it shows the true measure of this guy for surviving the struggle and never letting it stop him in his tracks. His struggle is shared by so many and speaking out gives others hope, too.

Satchel Paige's Beginnings Who knows how great Satchel

Paige could have been in Major League Baseball had he been allowed to play in the Majors in his prime. On August 13, 1948, this guy pitched his first Major League complete game against the White Sox en route to a 5-0 Indians victory.

52 Years Ago for the Great One

A high school All-Star from Brooklyn, Sandy Koufax signed a contract with his hometown

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Middlesex Probate and Family Court 208 Cambridge Street Cambridge, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800 Docket No. MI17D2491DR DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING HAYDEE OTERO aka HAYDEE PENA

JOSE ANGEL OTERO

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

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An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would penatively impact Brooklyn Dodgers in 1955 after an Ebbets Field tryout. After an uneventful first half dozen years, Koufax was on his way to being the best pitcher in baseball by 1961. On September 9, 1965, he threw a perfect game against the Cubbies, beating them 1-0. That year, Yom Kippur fell on the day of Game 1 in the World Series and he wouldn't pitch on that day for religious reasons. The Dodgers lost Game 1, but Koufax came back to throw a complete game shutout in Game 5, helping his team win the World Series in seven games.

A Few Months Back Over in Dorchester



"Boogieman Bill" Coleman

Back in late spring, I attended a fundraiser for the Dorchester Day Parade Committee over at Florian Hall in Neponset. The music DJ for the evening was Billy Coleman, scion of the late Ken Coleman, who was the voice of the Red Sox during the Impossible Dream season fifty years ago. Billy calls himself Boogieman Bill DJ Services. I had a great time talking with him about the 1967 Red Sox and the important role his dad played for Red Sox fans that year.

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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 October 3, 2017.

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

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

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

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: September 5, 2017

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For more information, call 617-227-8929.

Boston, MA 02114 (617) 788-8300 Docket No. SU17P1545EA Estate of MARIE COSINDAS Date of Death May 25, 2017 INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Kimberly E. Cohen** of **Brookline**, **MA** a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Kimberly E. Cohen of Brookline, 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 restrict ing 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: 9/15/17 ing any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Haydee Otero, aka Haydee Pena, 5 East Wyoming Ave., Melrose, MA 02176 your answer, if any, on or before October 17, 2017. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: September 5, 2017

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the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Harvey Alford, Esq., Alford Legal Group, LLC, 60 Arsenal St., Post Office Box 322, Watertown, MA 02471-0322 your answer, if any, on or before October 13, 2017. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court.

Witness, HON. EDWARD F. DONNELLY, JR., First Justice of this Court. Date: August 31, 2017

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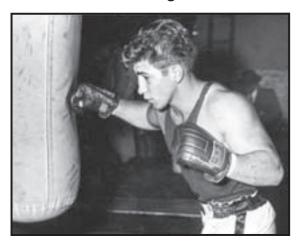
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IN MEMORY OF JOE DENUCCI Who Has Answered His Final Bell August 30, 1939 - September 8, 2017









"Joe was an exceptional man who helped a lot of people. We were always buddies, real buddies. I can't say enough about him. He was a great guy, a positive thinker. I'll miss him. A lot of people will miss him. I am saddened by this loss."

— Tony DeMarco

"I would like to thank Christine Lewis for contributing photos to this remembrance.





HOOPS and HOCKEY in the HUB

by Richard Preiss

It may still seem like summer but hockey season is right on the doorstep as the Bruins training camp gets going in earnest.

Bruce Cassidy, the longtime head coach for the B's AHL affiliate in Providence, begins his first full season behind the Boston bench after auditioning, in a sense, for the position while serving on an interim basis last season following the firing of Claude Julien in February.

To his credit, Cassidy righted the listing B's ship enough to claim a playoff berth, a result that no doubt led to his being named to the permanent position during the offseason.

"We were right up and running in a hurry," said Cassidy who was serving as a B's assistant coach when Julien was shown the door. "We had the luxury of a couple of practices to sort of start the process of how we were trying to change. But there wasn't a lot of time to overthink it and off we went."

The changeover came as the B's were starting their stretch drive in a quest to claim a playoff berth — something that had eluded the Bruins since 2014.

"The urgency level was there," noted Cassidy, who moved to Winchester with his wife and children over the summer. "They knew that. They wanted to get in. So that was an advantage, I think."

The Bruins did gain a playoff berth but were eliminated in the first round by the Ottawa Senators.

Concerning the full season and whether it will present a different challenge than when he took over during last year, Cassidy stated, "to me the challenge is getting up and running early. It's too hard to make up ground in this league. That will be our sole focus — to pick up where we left off in terms of our style of play plus getting better and making sure we get our points."

Cassidy indicated that, like Bruins President Cam Neely and former coach Julien, he is a believer in the importance of Thanksgiving as being an important benchmark during the season.

Those who cite Thanksgiving believe that the NHL standings as of Thanksgiving Day offer a pretty good indication of how the standings will look at the end of the regular season in April. camp — one made up of rookies, those who have played in Providence in the past plus seasoned Bruins veterans.

Not everyone in camp will be on the Bruins roster come opening night on October 5th when the B's take on the Nashville Predators at the Garden. Cassidy says that he must try to make the younger players understand that just because they may not be out on the Garden ice on opening night all possibilities are still open for them.

"They have to understand going into camp that you don't always have to make the team by opening night. You can still be in the lineup by Christmas and be a good player for us as well. They have to keep that in mind. It's not over on October 5^{th} if they are sent down. There's a lot of guys that come up partway through the season and then they stick. It might take them a while to get in there. These are the conversations you have to have with those guys (younger players) so they understand."

Another aspect that Cassidy stresses with younger players is how the talent is better at the NHL level. Many times, a player moving up from the minors might have been a standout at that level. But the NHL takes it up a notch.

Cassidy says he talks to them about what is necessary to play the NHL game.

"It is about the focus that is necessary and they need to understand that." He noted that a player in the minors "might be the best at his position because he's good. Now he gets to this level and the talent gap closes in a hurry. Even though he knows that he's good, he really got away on talent alone down there."

The coach added that chances are, young players are "not going to be able to do that up here. The talent gap closes very quickly so the details of the game become important. It is very important that they learn those parts of the game and work on them in practice. I try to just hammer away on it because I know they've heard it 100 times. And if it takes 150, that's what it takes to get it. That's the message I try to get



Or as Cassidy phrased it: "You've got that Thanksgiving measuring stick and that will be the challenge there."

The coach emphasized that "fitness is very important to us. We want to be a team that is assertive. That's our style of play. We use the term 'play fast.' We have our meaning for it and we want to make sure that they (the players) are aware of what that means."

The early stages of training camp feature a combined out to these guys."

Turning to another subject, the coach indicated that advances in technology may bring changes to coaching. "The iPads behind the bench make a difference now," he noted. "I think you'll see a lot more teams with four coaches behind the bench because you have the technology right there to show the player."

It is possible all Bruins assistant coaches may be behind the bench — rather than having one of them stationed in the press box. It is something that the team will evaluate as the season progresses.

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