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Pictured (right to left) Nicla Marabito, North End (first place), Sulayman Abdirahman, Roxbury (second place) and Mira Yu, North End (third place)

Elliot School student Nicla Marabito is top speller

Special to the Review

A crowd of family members, teachers, and friends were on hand to congratulate 21 Boston youth from across the City competing in Boston's eleventh annual BCYF Citywide Spelling Bee at the Boston Public Library in Copley Square.

The winner of this year's Bee was Nicla Marabito age

12 from the North End, at the Elliot K-8 School, who won by spelling "Huckaback" correctly. The second place finisher was Sulayman Abdirahman age 9 from Roxbury and coming in third was Mira Yu age 13 from the North End, an Eliot alumnus and currently at Boston Latin School. The Bee went 33 rounds plus one final round before the Championship Round.

Organized by Boston Centers for Youth & Families (BCYF) and sponsored by the Boston Bruins Foundation, the winner now goes on to the Scripps National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C., in May.

"We are very proud to be hosting the BCYF Citywide Spelling Bee for the 12th year," said William Morales,

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Downtown/North End climate readiness open house held

By Phil Orlandella

A community open house was held at the Pilot House, 2 Atlantic Ave. to discuss climate readiness ongoing initiatives relating to Downtown/North End in the face of climate change.

The City coordinated open house presented a forum for people to understand current and future flood risks that could impact the areas, by talking to

experts.

Attendees were able to provide their input for a key consideration for designing near-term and long-term solutions to protect the neighborhood.

In the North End, the City plans to make necessary repairs along Langone Field which is endangered to be overrun by seawater that could flood the Little League Field, the Bocce Courts and the children's playground, possibly more areas.

North Square Public Art Project making progress

By Phil Orlandella

A + J Art + Design, working on the North Square Public Art Project recently traveled to Eliot, Maine to visit the Green Foundry for consultation/brainstorming session regarding the mold design and bronzed fabrication for the square's fourth sculpture, "The Things We Brought With Us."

This sculpture is a leather suitcase containing a North End feast procession. The street

scene has buildings and forced perspective receding into the distance. The main facade is North Square's Sacred Heart Church.

A + J Art + Design encourages families and friends with North End interests and connections to contribute to the North End Story Vault, where a collection of stories of local residents and events for later inclusion in the online component of the public art work. Send to #NorthSquarePublicArt.

Greenway Conservancy to honor Governor

By Phil Orlandella

Gov. Charlie Baker will be honored at the June 6 "Gala on The Greenway", celebrating 10 years of the opening of the park that has transformed the city, North End, Waterfront and Chinatown into a great place to enjoy for all ages.

The Governor will be on it

at the June 6 fund raiser for his leadership on behalf of the Greenway Conservancy since its inception a decade ago.

As a private citizen, the Governor served on the Founding Board of Directors and as Governor, his leadership was instrumental in creating The Greenway's Landmark in 2017, multi-party funding agreement.

— TOP PAID MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES —

NAME	TITLE	REGULAR	OVERTIME	TOTAL EARNINGS
Harris, Shawn N*	Police Officer	517,789.82	48,199.74	684,410.90
Williams, David C.**	Police Officer	95,184.68	45,176.88	677,680.65
Jones, Ronnie C*	Police Officer	462,149.98		577,123.44
Downing, George C*	Police Officer	417,664.03	29,567.40	536,870.65
Washington, Walter*	Police Officer	313,154.27	45,337.30	494,319.51
Finn, Joseph E.	F. Comm./Chief of the Dept	233,461.57		247,269.28
Gross, William G.	Commissioner (Bpd)	220,672.34		255,455.24
Walsh, John Francis	Chief of Support Services	214,984.43		234,941.88
Fontana, Gerard T.	Chief of Field Services	214,979.25		234,946.67
Lonergan, James J	Dep Fire Chief Administration	207,050.07	13,048.42	231,890.50

The Total earnings of the Top 5 municipal employees were subject to extraneous circumstances, and does not reflect their salary alone; more details about the circumstances can be found on Page 10.

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BRING ON THE SPRING

Yes, we know that the calendar told us that spring officially began with the vernal equinox on March 20. And yes, the crocuses have been in full bloom, bringing a welcome burst of color to the otherwise-dreary New England landscape at this time of year.

But those of us who call Eastern Massachusetts home know all-too-well that the actual spring season does not get underway until well into April and May, thanks primarily to the sea-breezes that wash over us with air that has been cooled by ocean temperatures that are only in the high 40s.

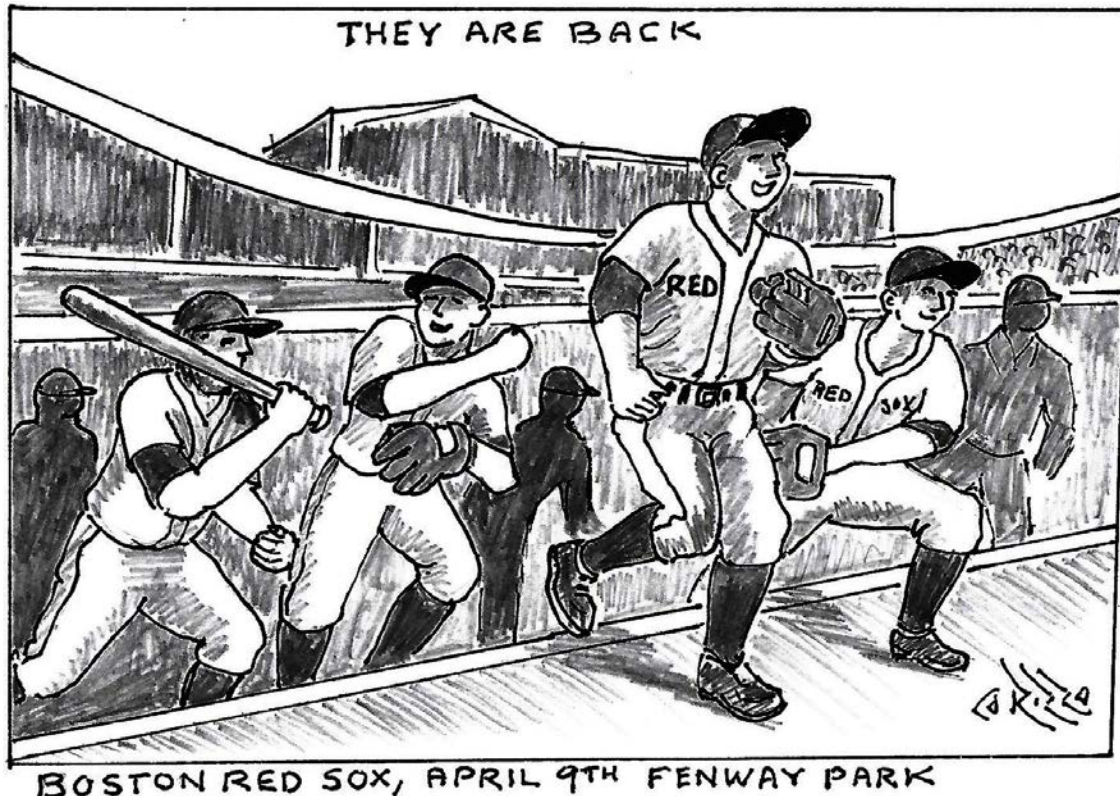
Still, with the winter of 2019 in the rear-view mirror, we can't complain too much about the weather.

The past winter season was easy on our backs because of the lack of snow that needed to be shoveled. Power outages were almost non-existent compared to the past few years. And coastal flooding, the bane of residents in our low-lying areas, thankfully did not occur, despite the potential that existed with the extraordinarily high tides in January, February, and March because of those super moons.

Still, we know that spring can bring its share of nasty and troublesome weather events. The bombogenesis (the term refers to a weather system that essentially explodes when the barometric pressure drops 24 millibars within 24 hours) that occurred with the coastal storm that came up the Atlantic Seaboard this week thankfully stayed out to sea.

But this near-miss served as a reminder that we may not be so lucky the next time around.

Still, with mild temperatures in the forecast for the first half of April, we can't complain -- and, like hope, our thoughts of warmer weather spring eternal.



GUEST OP-ED

Celebrating One Boston Day

By Mayor Martin J. Walsh

Every year on the third Monday in April, tens of thousands of athletes gather in Hopkinton, and begin the 26.2-mile journey to Boylston Street in Boston. All along the Marathon route, spectators cheer on their friends, family members, and complete strangers. It brings our city together like nothing else. That's why the Boston Marathon is much more than a road race. It's a celebration of everything Boston stands for -- our grit and heart; our resilience and hope.

In recent years, the Marathon has come to stand for something even bigger. April 15, 2013 left our city reeling -- it was one of our city's darkest days. But it also showed us the generosity and compassion of everyday people. We came together as one community, as one Boston, and we showed the world what it meant to be Boston Strong. We showed that we would never let the darkness win. And we vowed to take back the finish line.

Over the last six years, we have turned the Marathon into a movement. April 15, will always be One Boston Day. It's a Citywide day of service, reflection, and healing. It serves as a way to celebrate the resili-

ence, kindness, and strength demonstrated by the people of Boston and around the world in response to the tragedy. We honor those we lost, and those whose lives changed forever, with acts of kindness, big and small. It's a day when Boston shines brightest. And it's a tradition that we will continue for years to come.

This year, for the first time since 2013, One Boston Day and the Marathon fall on the same day. It will still be a citywide day of service. I call on everyone to do something good for your community on Monday or the weekend leading up to it. Go to OneBostonDay.Org and tell us what you will do.

This year, we are also finalizing our work on permanent markers on Boylston Street to honor the lives that were lost near the finish line on April 15, 2013. Artist Pablo Eduardo is working closely with families to honor their loved ones in a meaningful way. These markers will reflect our City's spirit after the tragedy: bent, but not broken.

This remembrance consists of stone markers on two separate sites. Bronze and glass pillars will rise and twist into each other, representing the lives lost. The markers will for-

ever serve as a symbol of hope, representing our city's resolve. We look forward to their completion this coming summer.

Until then, please join us in preparing for the fifth annual One Boston day on April 15, 2019. I encourage you to visit OneBostonDay.Org, to see the acts of kindness planned by individuals and organizations throughout the city and around the world. Last year, we counted more than 43,000 individual acts of kindness. Bostonians shared their projects on social media, and the hashtag #OneBostonDay was trending nationwide. This year, as we get closer, we'll be highlighting the projects people are planning. Whether it's volunteering at a food bank, or helping your neighbor with a household project, there are countless ways to honor this special day. I hope that the stories of others' actions inspire you to get involved this year, and for many years to come.

For 123 years, the Boston Marathon has represented the strength of the human spirit. Now, along with One Boston Day and our permanent marker, we will continue to show the world what it means to be Boston Strong.

Martin J. Walsh is the Mayor of Boston.

BE THE TALK OF THE TOWN

The Regional Review is interested in publishing the memories of North End residents in print. If you or someone you know would like to share your experiences, please send email to dave@reverejournal.com

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OPINION BY PHIL ORLANDELLA

LOWERING STREET SPEED LIMIT PROPOSED BY MAYOR

Mayor Martin Walsh is proposing lowering the speed limit on neighborhood streets to 20 mph from the current speed limit of 25 mph.

The Mayor plans to work with the City Council and the Legislature to reduce the speed limit on neighborhood streets as a way to all improve roadway safety for people walking, driving and bicycling on city streets.

The measures should be adopted in a speedy fashion.

PUBLIC SPACES, PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS NEED DOG DROPPINGS CLEANUP

It's springtime and the snow has melted leaving

community parks, playgrounds and other open spaces covered with months of dog droppings and debris uncovered.

The warmer weather will bring out children, teenagers, adults and seniors seeking to utilize these open spaces that need a real good cleaning for access and health reasons.

Only one neighborhood organization, that makes any kind of effort to coordinate and cleaning these open spaces is RUFF, which has been doing the volunteer community service for years.

But the group cannot do it alone. All North End canine owners should find the time to participate in these cleanup efforts with RUFF.

All North End public spaces are in need of some serious cleanup attention.

That's the City's job, doesn't cut it anymore. It's

everyone's job to pitch in to make the neighborhood clean.

Watch for RUFF announcements and join in the endeavor to have clean our public spaces.

NEAA 2019 BASEBALL SEASON OPENING DAY

A full schedule of North End Athletic Association (NEAA) 4-12-year-old baseball programs get underway on Sunday, April 28 starting at 10 AM.

The Majors (Little League) ceremonies will begin at approximately 12 noon followed by two games.

Players would love to see a great turn out at all the programs to showcase their baseball skills.

Residents should attempt to get to the park to support the players in these youth baseball games.

Play ball!

SPELLING (from pg. 1)

Commissioner of BCYF. "The competition is fierce and the young spellers are truly inspiring. Thank you to our long-time sponsor, the Boston Bruins Foundation, for supporting the BCYF Bee each year and giving us a chance to show off Boston's talented youth."

Over 3000 young people participated in Boston public and parochial school Bees to qualify for the BCYF Citywide Bee. The preparation for the school Bees helps young people improve their spelling, broad-

en their vocabulary and build self-confidence.

"The BCYF Citywide Spelling Bee is an opportunity for students to demonstrate their academic excellence and is a culmination of a lot of hard work and dedication," said Marty Martinez, Boston's Chief of Health & Human Services. "Participation in this spelling bee is not just an individual achievement, but it's also a communal achievement by each student and all of the people at their side. We are proud of the

work that went into each student's presence."

Commissioner Morales opened the speaking program and welcomed the spellers and their families and presented each speller with a participation medal. Chief Martinez shared greetings and congratulations from Mayor Walsh. The judges this year were Dhruvi Bhagat, Web Services Library, Boston Public Library; Roxanne Longoria, Director of Strategic Initiatives & Partnerships, City of Boston Health &

Human Services Cabinet; and Ann Siegel, Director of BCYF Roslindale Community Center. It was an exciting, suspenseful event with cheers (and some tears) from the audience and participants.

The Scripps National Spelling Bee is the nation's largest and longest-running spelling bee. School children from all over the country meet in Washington D.C., every May to compete in the National Bee. The one and only winner from Massachusetts was in 1939. In addition to

an all-expenses-paid trip to the National Bee, the BCYF Spelling Bee winner received the Samuel Louis Sugarman Award, a one-year subscription to Merriam-Webster Unabridged Online, a one-year subscription to Encyclopedia Britannica Online Premium, and a trophy. Second place and third place finishers received an Amazon Fire 7 Tablet, \$25 Amazon Gift Card, and trophies.

Stroll the North End for The Shop and Nibble event

Reacquaint yourself with one of Boston's most special neighborhoods on April 7

Spring is here and it is a perfect time to stroll around the North End on a Sunday afternoon. Enjoy nibbling and sipping while you shop at all the fun, little boutiques and shops that the neighborhood has to offer. The North End's annual Shop & Nibble will take place on April 7, from 1-4 p.m., and is free to everyone. It is the perfect opportunity to sample bites from various North End restaurants while shopping at the

boutiques and specialty stores. Participating North End shops include: in-jean-ius, Ensemble Boutique, Shake the Tree, LIT Boutique, I Am Books, Heart & Sole, Polkadog Bakery, SALMANGUNDI, Ivyees, Loft & Vine, Sedurre Boutique, and Boston Bottle.

Each shop will partner with a local restaurant which will provide free samples all afternoon! Featured restaurants include: Table by Jen Royle, Prezza,

Aqua Pazza, Lo Conte, Parziale Bakery, Antico Forno, Rina's Pizzeria, Dino's Cafe, Artu, Strega, Nico, Lulu's Sweet Shoppe, and Ernesto's Pizza.

Guests are asked to begin at in-jean-ius at 441 Newbury St. on Sunday, April 7, from 1 - 4 p.m. to collect their map which will be stamped at each location for the chance to win a grand prize of gift cards and a basket of goods from participating boutiques.

For more information and to register, please log onto www.eventbrite.com/e/north-end-shop-nibble-tickets.

NEAA Baseball returns to home parks

By Phil Orlandella

The Boston Parks Department has moved up the time for the planned renovation of the public space between the skating rink and the walkway to the Mirabella Pool.

The project and delay will allow the North End Athletic Association (NEAA) 4-12-year-old baseball programs to play in the North End instead of out-of-town parks.

After months of the NEAA planning the 2019 season on the road, things have changed due to the construction's new starting date.

The NEAA will hold its baseball opening day on Sunday, April 28, at 10 a.m. at Langone Field and Puopolo Park. All baseball leagues will participate.


Official ceremonies will be held at 12 noon at Langone Field. Two Little League (Majors) games will be played.

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NEWS AND NOTES By Phil Orlandella

MAYOR APPOINTS DIRECTOR

Alexandra Veldez has been appointed by Boston Mayor Martin Walsh as Director of Engagement for the City's Economic Mobility Lab, a team of social entrepreneurs that reaches and tests ideas with the potential to dramatically increase upward economic mobility for low- and moderate-income Bostonians.

"I look forward to seeing her excel in her new role and



Alexandra Veldez.

continue to make sure families can succeed in Boston," Mayo Walsh said.

GREENWAY CONSERVANCY TO HONOR GOV. BAKER

For his leadership role on behalf of the Greenway Conservancy, since its inception, Gov. Charlie Baker will be honored as the group's "Gala on The Greenway" scheduled for the June 6 annual fundraiser at Tia's Restaurant on the Waterfront.

As a private citizen, the governor served on the Founding Board of Directors, and as governor his leadership was instrumental in creating the Landmark 2017 multi-party fundraising agreement for The Greenway.

PICK-UP/DROP-OFF PILOT PROGRAM IN PROGRESS

A pilot program relating to ride-sharing, pick-up and drop-off is currently underway at various Boston locations.

The goal of the pilot designated parking program is to ease congestion caused by cars double parking and to increase safety for passengers entering

and exiting vehicles, according to City Hall officials.

TRANSPORTATION INNOVATION CONFERENCE

MassDOT will hold its eighth annual Transportation Innovative Conference on April 9 and 10 at the DCU Center in Worcester.

The Conference will showcase the latest technologies and equipment and to gather transportation officials, advocates, members of the private sector and municipal officials to discuss trends in the industry, programs and initiatives.

BOSTON CULTURAL GRANTS

Mayor Martin Walsh, the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture and the Boston Cultural Council recently celebrated the 221 Boston arts organizations and projects that have been awarded Boston Cultural Council organizational grants, totaling \$487,000.

Grants are used for visual arts, theater, film, music, dance and the humanities.

STATEWIDE AIRPORT STUDY UPDATE RELEASED

A statewide study update has been released which details how Massachusetts' 39 public use airports generate economic activities and support more than 199,000 jobs with approximately \$7.2 billion payroll, accord-

ing to MassDOT.

Since the most recent 2014 Statewide Economic Impact Study, there has been an increase of approximately 37,000 jobs, \$1.1 billion in payroll in economic output.

The study shows how public use airports promote economic growth in cities and towns throughout the state while ensuring people have more options for reaching the places they want to go.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE ONLINE

Following the success of the death certificate online service, Boston Mayor Martin Walsh has launched a web application, allowing residents to order Boston-based birth certificates directly from the Registry Department.

"Birth certificates are needed by many of our residents, and this new system will allow greater transparency and convenience, allowing residents easy access to the of vital records," the Mayor said.

ANOTHER SPEED LIMIT DECREASE

A proposal to once again lower the speed limit on neighborhood streets from 25 mph to 20 mph is a great piece of legislation that will obviously increase the safety of pedestrians, lessen the potential of vehicle accidents and the possibility of property damage.

Filed by Boston Mayor Martin Walsh, the measure

needs to be approved by the Boston City Council and the State Legislature.

This should be a speedy process.

IDP REPORT RELEASED

Boston Planning and Development has released the 2018 Inclusionary Development Policy (IDP) annual report detailing how Boston is leveraging the strong development market to create and preserving affordable housing opportunities in every neighborhood in the city.

"In order to maintain a strong middle-class and be a thriving diverse city we must continue to create and preserve housing for individuals and families at a range of income levels," Boston Mayor Martin Walsh said.

NEW MASSDOT BOARD MEMBER APPOINTED

Vanessa Otero has been appointed to the eleven-member of the MassDOT Board by Gov. Charlie Baker.

"Vanessa's financial management experience, extensive community engagement activities, leadership roles and strict teacher planning, and direct oversight of contracts and grants make her a well-positioned to assist MassDOT as a Board member with budget decisions, project delivery and public management in our many programs and initiatives," Secretary and CEO Stephanie Pollock said.

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Lovin' Spoonfuls cooking demo at NSC

Lovin' Spoonfuls will put on a demonstration of interactive cooking of barley risotto, with chicken and vegetables for the seniors at the Neighborhood Service Center, 1 Michelangelo

St. In addition, this will replicate this delicious, healthy, hearty meal in the Center's Kitchen for all participants to enjoy lunch following the demonstration.

This free special event is scheduled for Friday, April 5 at 11:30 a.m.

For reservations call 617-5238.

Call the Police Department at 617-343-4627 for a free security check of your home.

Celebrate public art at Armenian Heritage Park

By Phil Orlandella

Celebrate Public Art at the Armenian Heritage Park located on The Greenway on Saturday, May 4 in collaboration with Friends of Heritage Park starting at 12:45 p.m. with welcoming remarks, followed by World Labyrinth Day: Walk

as One at 1 p.m., immediately followed by a reception to view the 2019 abstracts sculpture reconfiguration at 1:30 p.m. Some refreshments will be served.

For a listing of the 2019 programs at the Armenian Heritage Park visit www.ArmenianHeritagePark.org.

NORTH END LIBRARY PROGRAMS

BY PHIL ORLANDELLA

A wide range of activities for the month of April has been coordinated at the North End Library, 25 Parmenter St. for children and adults.

Feature during the month will be computer assistance, Spring open house, library tours, poetry, an author talk, games, legal animation, concerts, storytelling and much more.

The library encourages residents to take advantage of all the programs provided in April.

EVENTS FOR ADULTS

Friday Films

Friday, April 5 at 1 p.m. - Bridge on the River Kwai.

One-on-One Computer Assistance for Adults by Appointment

Call 617.227.8135 to reserve a 30-minute spot for personalized assistance with PC computing, laptops, iPads, tablets, the BPL catalog, and online resources. Laptops are available to use or you can bring your own.

Mah Jongg Club - Thursdays @ 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Come and play the American-style variant of this tile-based game that originated in China and requires skill, strategy, and calculation. Beginners are welcome. No sign up is required.

Friends of the Library Books in Bloom Spring Open House Events:

Books in Bloom Display - Saturday, April 6, at 2 p.m.

View unique flower arrangements inspired by books.

Guided North End Library Tours:

Thursday, April 4 at 11:00 am 3:00 pm & 5:30 pm

Friday, April 5 at 11:00am & 3:00 pm

Saturday, April 6 at 11:00 am

Discover the library's many resources on a guided tour.

Poetry of Martin Scorsese's Mean Streets - Wednesday, April 10 from 5:00 -7:45 p.m.

David Blair's new book of essays Walk Around discusses Martin Scorsese's 1973 film Mean Streets as a poetic text and touchstone towards understanding urban geographies and as an introduction to personal art. David will join film series curator Barry Marshall in introducing the movie with a reading from his entertaining work about watching Mean Streets in Pittsburgh.

Author Talk: David Kruh on "Always Something Doing: Boston's Infamous Scollay Square" - Wednesday, April 24 from 6:30-7:30pm

Join author David Kruh as

he discusses his book Always Something Doing: Boston's Infamous Scollay Square. Learn about the Square's pre-Colonial origins through its heyday as an entertainment mecca, to its current incarnation as City Hall Plaza. Visit the Old Howard Theater, Crawford House, and Joe & Nemo's hot dog stand and relive the days when vaudevillians, slapstick comedians, and strip teasers ruled the Square. This program is generously sponsored by the Friends of the North End Library.

Crafty Grown-ups - Tuesday, April 23 from 3:30-5 p.m.

April 23: gorgeously decorated wooden eggs or sewn bunny treat pocket. For grown-ups only.

Games People Play - Tuesdays April 9 and 30 from 3:30 - 5:00

p.m.

Chess, Scrabble, Banagrams, Monopoly, Uno, anyone? Drop in to play board and card games with friends new and old! Feel free to bring a favorite game. For grown-ups only.

Seniors Connect: Prevent Injury by Training - Thursday, April 18, from 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Join us for an interactive discussion and demonstration on simple exercises to help prevent common injuries as you age. Please come ready to move, stretch, and participate. This program is in partnership with Boston's Jewish cultural center, the Vilna Shul. Free, light refreshments will be served.

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Lego Animation - Thursdays

April 4 and 11, from 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Bring your love for LEGO to the big screen! Empow Studios expert instructors work with students to develop story-telling skills, learn animation software, and capture the action of their LEGO movies. After filming, students work on the post-production process to add titles, transitions, sounds, and music to make their movies complete! Movies are available to take home to share with family & friends. Sign up for one or both sessions. This program is for students in Grades 2-5. Registration is required. Please register online.

Little Groove Concert - Monday, April 8 from 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Get ready to shake, wiggle,

and move with Little Groove! Children interact with parachutes, puppets, instruments, and more as they learn and play in a fun musical environment.

Behind the Scenes Spiderman - Tuesday, April 16 from 11:00 am - 12:00 p.m.

Harry Potter Craft - Wednesday, April 17, from 2-3 p.m.

Harry Potter Hogwarts Academy - Wednesday, April 17 from 6 -7 p.m.

Ruff Ruffman Mix It Up - Friday, April 19 from 10 - 11 a.m.

Boston Ballet Storytime - Monday, April 22 from 10:30 - 11:15 a.m.

Children and families are welcomed once a month to hear

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Lowell L. Richards III Memorial Scholarship for \$5,000



High school seniors who reside in the City of Boston, Chelsea, Revere or Winthrop and are interested in applying for the Lowell L. Richards III Memorial Scholarship must have community service experience and must submit a 1,000-word essay. To be considered, all academic and residency criteria must also be met.

Scholarship applications must be received by Massport no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 26, 2019. For more information on the Lowell L. Richards III Memorial Scholarship, including an application checklist, please visit: www.massport.com



David W. Davis Memorial Internship



College juniors and seniors who reside in the City of Boston, Chelsea, Revere or Winthrop and are interested in applying for the David W. Davis Memorial Internship must have community service experience and must submit a 1,000-word essay. To be considered, all academic and residency criteria must also be met.

The David W. Davis Memorial Internship is a 13-week paid public service opportunity at Massport and is awarded annually to an exceptional junior or senior in college. Internship applications must be received by Massport no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 26, 2019. For more information about the David W. Davis Memorial Internship including an application checklist please visit: www.massport.com.

Eagle Bank hosts St. Patrick's Day event at NSC

By Phil Orlandella

It was a full house at the North End/West End Neighborhood Service Center (NSC) for a St. Patrick's Day party hosted by Eagle Bank.

Approximately four-dozen members of the NSC, two groups of West Enders from the Amy Lowell House and the Blackstone Apartments, along with many representatives from Eagle Bank joined the festive party.

Attendees were treated to Shepard's Pie, potatoes, cabbage, corn, rolls, cookies, candy, and coffee. Boston City Counselor Lydia Edwards provided donuts.

NSC Advisory Board member Victor Brogna played traditional Irish tunes on his trumpet. Former Board Member and volunteer David Roderick assisted with serving food.

Eagle Bank employees, Senior Vice President of Marketing Jamie Addonizio, Vice President of Residential Lending Ingrid Mahoney and Gisele Paola, Vice President Business Developer Officer also helps serve the food.

According to the NSC, "All in all it was a delightful day spent at the drop-in center with



Maria Stella Gulla, Director ABCD NE/WE NSC addressing the crowd.

good food, conversation, and friends for those who traced their roots back to the shores of Ireland, along with the honorary Irish for a Day."

Special guest included Senator Sal N. DiDomenico and Gabriella Coletta, who attended Bering donuts from City Counselor Lydia Edwards' office. "It brings such joy for the seniors to have the elected officials visit their constituents in the space that so many consider a second home," NSC said.



A large crowd turned out for the event.

North End Basketball Banquet a buzzer beater

By Phil Orlandella

There were no basketball games played at the Nazzaro Center gym on Sunday, March 31, but the community facility

was full to the rims with players from several leagues, parents, siblings and guests for the annual North End Basketball banquet-luncheon event.

Individual medals were

presented to all players from each league coordinated by the Nazzaro Center, the North End Athletic Association (NEAA) and the Boston Catholic League, formally CYO.



Pictured (left to right) Maria Stella Gulla, Director ABCD NE/WE NSC; Ingrid Mahoney, Senior Vice President of Residential Lending, Eagle Bank; Gisella di Paola, Vice President, Business Development Officer, Eagle Bank, also of NE/WE NSC Advisory Board; Jamie Addonizio, Senior Vice President of Marketing, Eagle Bank; and Johannah Malone, Fundraising Specialist, ABCD NE/WE NSC (front center).

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Not well seasoned, over-seasoned, bland, perfectly seasoned, or salty are some of the words you might hear a chef use when critiquing a dish from his or her kitchen. When chefs talk about seasoning, they mean salinity or salt.

New Sodium Recommendations

In March the National Academy of Sciences released new guidelines for the “adequate intake” of sodium consumed by adults. They have reduced the daily intake guideline number from 2400 mg to 1500 mg. The report explained, “There is sufficient evidence to characterize

the relationship between sodium intake and risk of chronic disease. Therefore, the committee established a Chronic Disease Risk Reduction Intake (CDRR) for sodium using evidence of the beneficial effect of reducing sodium intake on cardiovascular disease risk, hypertension risk, systolic blood pressure, and diastolic

blood pressure.”

Some Salt Is Saltier

Since the publication of “Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat” by Samin Nosrat, we’ve been studying and experimenting with those four elements of cooking and learning new approaches. For example, after years of using Morton’s kosher salt, we’ve switched to Samin’s favorite Diamond Crystal. She is not alone in her preference.

In testing for Serious Eats, J. Kenji López-Alt found that a tablespoon of Morton’s weighs “1/2 ounce; 14g” while the same measure of Diamond Crystal weighs, “1/3 ounce; 9g.” Table salt weighed twice that at “2/3 ounce; 18g.” Both on Serious Eats and in his own books, all recipes are tested with Diamond Crystal.

Taste Test

To learn more about how salts differ in intensity and texture, Kenji suggest you do a tasting with a variety of salts on slices of tomato to understand the flavor profile for table salt, kosher salt, sea salt, etc. You may find yourself ready to use less plain salt and to try a few more artisan salts once you experience the taste and texture differences.

NORTH END STUDENT ELECTED TO BC HIGH MODEL UN SECRETARIAT



Congratulations to Theodore Pasto of the North End, a sophomore at Boston College High, who was elected on March 20, the Conference Chairman of the BC High Model UN Club. The BC High Model UN has 275 members and is one the largest Model UN Club's in the United States. Boston College High School is a Jesuit, Catholic, college-preparatory school for young men founded in 1863. The school enrolls approximately 1,600 students from more than 100 communities in eastern Massachusetts. For more <http://www.bchigh.edu>

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COMMUNITY NEWS

MIRABELLA POOL REPAIRS, PAINTING AND MAINTENANCE SCHEDULED

The City of Boston, Boston Centers for Youth and Families (BCYF) send out blind bids for services for the Marabella Pool and Bath House, Commercial Street, North End that includes repairs, maintenance and painting work.

BCYF, the City's acting Commissioner advised that bids are currently available and the deadline for submission is April 13, 2019 by 4 p.m.

NEAA BASEBALL OPENING DAY

The NEAA 4-12-year-old baseball league have been moved back to Langone Field and Puopolo Park.

Opening day will be Sunday, April 28 at 10 a.m.

The Majors (Little League) games will begin at approximately 12 noon.

POETRY OF MARTIN SCORSESE

The North End Library, 25 Parmenter Street, Poetry of Martin Scorsese Main Streets on Wednesday, April 10 from 5-7:40 5 p.m.

LIBRARY AUTHOR TALK

The North End Library will hold an Author Talk: David Krub on "Always Something Doing Boston's Scollay Square on Wednesday, April 24 from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

GREENWAY CELEBRITY SERIES

The Greenway Conservancy in partnership with Celebrity Series of Boston's Concert for 1:1 Minute of Live Music will take place in September as a public art project in part

Concert series-part social experiment that will produce thrilling, intimate free concerts The Greenway. Details will be provided at a later date.

GAMES PEOPLE PLAY

The North End Library, 25 Parmenter Street, Games People Play will be held on Thursday, April 19 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

LIBRARY STORYTIME

The North End Library, 25 Parmenter Street, Boston Ballet Storytime will be held on Monday, April 22 from 10:30 AM to 11:15 AM.

MOBILE EATS ON THE GREENWAY

A new season of Greenway Mobile Eats is underway featuring 36 full tracks and carts with flavors from around the world offering a variety of affordable, unique cuisine from seven different locations across the park.

Seven new vendors for 2019 have been added to the popular event.

RUFF CELEBRATES SPRING

RUFF recently celebrated the arrival of spring with an evening of fun, drinks, nibbles, discounts and raffle prizes at the Wine Loft and Wine.

BCYF SEEKS LIFEGUARDS

The City of Boston's Boston Center for Youth and Families (BCYF) is seeking permanent full-time lifeguards at sixteen indoor pools. For details call Wascar Castillo at 617-635-4920, ext. 2103 or wascar.castillo@boston.gov.

PUBLIC ART ON GREENWAY

Celebrate Public Art on The Greenway on Saturday, May 4 with several events scheduled starting at 1 p.m..

NO SOFTBALL LEAGUE

The North End Softball League will not be playing a 2019 season at Puopolo Park due to renovations of the softball field.

NSC COOKING DEMO

An interactive cooking demonstration of barley risotto with chicken and vegetables will be held at North End/West End Neighborhood Service Center, 1 Michelangelo Street on Friday, April 5 at 11:30 a.m.

PUBLIC SAFETY MEETING

The North End Public Safety monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, April 4 at 6:30 p.m. at the Nazzaro Community Center, 30 North Bennet Street. All residents are welcome to attend.

NEWRA MONTHLY MEETING

The North End/Waterfront Residents' Association (NEWRA) public meeting will be held on Thursday, April 13 at 7 p.m. at the Nazzaro Community Center, 30 North Bennet Street. All residents are welcome to attend.

NEWNC MONTHLY MEETING

The North End/Waterfront Neighborhood Council (NEWNC) will hold its monthly public meeting on Monday, April 8 at 7 p.m. at the Nazzaro Community Center, 30 North Bennet Street. All residents are welcome to attend.

FOCCP MONTHLY MEETING

The Friends of Christopher Columbus Park (FOCCP) will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 9 at 6:30 p.m. at the Mariners House, 11 North Square, 2nd Floor.

GOLF LESSONS AT NAZZARO CENTER

Boston Center Youth Family (BCYF) will hold an indoor Junior Indoor Golf Lessons Program for kids 7-18 and adults at the Nazzaro Community Center Gym.

The program is available for 25 participants on a first-come, first serve basis. The first 25 registered will be accepted, all others will be placed on a waiting list.

Registration papers are available at the front desk of the Center and must be returned to the center as well. For details call 617-635-5166.

BASKETBALL BANQUET

The Nazzaro Community Center will hold a Small Fry and CYO Basketball Banquet on Sunday, March 31 at 2 p.m. in the Center's Gym. For details call 617-635-5611.

LITTLE TYKES SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION

Registration is underway for the 2019 Nazzaro Center Little Tykes Summer Camp for children ages 6-12. For details call 617-635-5611 or 603-657-6605.

OLD NORTH LANTERN CEREMONY

The Old North Church and Historic Site will commemorate the 24th anniversary of when two lanterns were hung in the church's steeple signaling the advance of the British by sea on Sunday, April 14 at 7 p.m.

LIBRARY AUTHOR TALK

An Author Talk with David Krub will be held at the North End Library, 25 Parmenter Street on Wednesday, April 24 at 6:30 p.m. Always Something Doing: Boston's Infamous Scollay Square.

RECONFIGURATION OF SCULPTURE

The annual reconfiguration of the Abstract Sculpture on The Greenway will take place on Sunday, April 7 at 7 p.m. Rain date Sunday, April 14.

HOMEWORK HELP

The North End Library, 25 Parmenter Street will provide homework help for kindergarten through grade six on Wednesdays from 4-6 p.m.

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Arts and Crafts are held every other Thursday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Villa Michelangelo. For more information call 617-523-8125.

In class, seniors use their muscles in their hands and arms and engage in planning and critical thinking, while being with the peers.

Past projects have included painting, flower design, centerpieces, collages and masks. Material for projects will be provided. For more info call 617-523-8125.

COMPLIMENTARY WINE TASTING

V. Cirace and Son, Inc., 173 North Street, North End offers complimentary Wine tasting on Fridays from 5-7 p.m. All are welcome to participate by visiting the award-winning shop. For details call 617-227-3193.

ABSTRACT SCULPTURE RECONFIGURATION ON GREENWAY

The abstract sculpture at the Armenian Heritage Park on the Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway will once again be reconfigured on Sunday, April 7 beginning at 7 a.m.

Coffee and Conversation hosted by Starbucks at 8 a.m. RSVP hello@ArmenianHeritagePark.org.

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Youth Programs on The Greenway

By Phil Orlandella

Generous support from Yasso Frozen Greek Yogurt and it's Game On! Foundation, the Greenway Conservancy 2019 youth play programming will be held from May through September.

The programming includes weekly sessions in Chinatown on Thursday evenings and a SaturPlay series in partnership

with the Asian Community Development Corporations' A-VOYCE program from April to October.

The Conservancy, as in past years will continue to work with the Boys + Girls Clubs of Boston and other youth organizations to host 14 Youth Adventure Days on The Greenway.

The Greenway Conservancy offers 450 free programs each year.

LEGAL NOTICES

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COMMONWEALTH
OF MASSACHUSETTS
THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND
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CITATION GIVING
NOTICE OF
PETITION FOR
APPOINTMENT OF
GUARDIAN FOR
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PERSON PURSUANT

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s 5-304

Docket No.
SU19PO624GD

In the matter of:

Tina Moyer
RESPONDENT

Alleged Incapacitated Person
Of: Boston, MA

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by DMH c/o Office of General Counsel of Westborough, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Tina Moyer is in need of a Guardian and requesting that DMH c/o Office of General Counsel of Westborough, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve on the bond.

The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment

of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority.

You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of 04/18/2019. This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn,

First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 20, 2019

Felix D. Arroyo,
Register of Probate

4/4/19

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LEGAL NOTICE

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Vending Machine Concession

The Massachusetts Port Authority (the "Authority"), owner and operator of Boston - Logan International Airport (the "Airport") is issuing a Request for Proposals (the "RFP") from established and responsible business entities that have demonstrated expertise in the execution and management of vending machine concession programs.

The Selected Respondent(s) shall have the non-exclusive rights, privileges and duties of a concessionaire of the Vending Machine Concession, as further defined in the RFP and the Vending Machine Concession Agreement, and shall be responsible for the installation and maintenance of vending machines at employee and select public locations at Boston-Logan International Airport (including in the Airport Terminals, the Airport Cargo Properties, the Rental Car Center, the Limo Pool and Taxi Pool locations, and the Logan Office Center), L.G. Hanscom Field, Boston Fish Pier,

Flynn Cruiseport Boston, and Logan Express sites (Braintree, Peabody, and Framingham). The Term of the Vending Machine Concession Agreement shall be for a period of five (5) years, commencing on November 1, 2019.

The Authority will conduct a Pre-Submission Conference on Wednesday, April 17, 2019 at 10:30 a.m. Eastern Time at the Massachusetts Port Authority, Terminal C Briefing Room, 2nd Floor Old Tower, Boston-Logan International Airport, East Boston, Massachusetts 02128-2909. To confirm attendance at the Pre-Submission Conference please complete the RSVP form located on the Massport website at www.massport.com as early as possible and no later than 12:00 noon Eastern Time on Tuesday, April 16, 2019. For any questions related to the RFP, please call (617) 561-1662 or email Mr. Joseph Schirripa at jschirripa@massport.com.

Proposals must be received by the Authority at or prior to 12:00 noon Eastern Time on Wednesday, May 8, 2019 at the office of Mr. Michael Grieco, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, Massachusetts Port Authority, Logan Office Center, One Harborside Drive, Suite 200S, East Boston, MA 02128-2909.

The Authority is soliciting competitive proposals pursuant to a

determination that such a process best serves the interests of the Authority and the general public and not because of any legal requirement to do so. The Authority reserves right to accept or to reject any or all proposals, for any reason, to withdraw or amend the RFP at anytime, to initiate negotiations with one or more Respondents, to modify or amend with the consent of the Respondent any proposal prior to acceptance, to waive any informality and to effect any agreement otherwise, to re-issue this RFP without change or modification thereto, to issue a subsequent RFP with terms and conditions that are substantially different than those set forth in the RFP, or to cancel the RFP without issuing another RFP, all as the Authority, in its sole judgment, may deem to be in its best interest.

Copies of the RFP may be obtained on the Authority's website at www.massport.com.

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Docket No.
SU19PO483EA

Estate of:

Thomas P. Kennedy

Date of Death:

12/28/2018

To all interested persons:

A Petition for S/A - Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Mary Donovan of Hingham, 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: Mary Donovan of Hingham, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 05/02/2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file

a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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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. Brian J. Dunn,
First Justice of this Court.

Date: March 28, 2019

Felix D. Arroyo
Register of Probate

4/05/19

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Tobin Bridge Northbound lane closed

By Phil Orlandella

The Tobin Bridge northbound lane has been closed for a rehabilitation project that could impact traffic for some time, possibly two-years when the southbound lane needs to be close.

Both the Massachusetts Department of Transportation and the MBTA provided the information at a press conference held at the State Transportation Building regarding the closure which

has already been implemented and associated with the Tobin Bridge/Chelsea Curves Rehabilitation project.

These lane closures will create congestion and travel times along Route 1 northbound and will be in place for two-years.

MassDOT has encouraged travelers to make informed decisions during this project in order to reach designations in a timely and efficient manner.

Eventually the southbound lane of the bridge will also be closed for the rehabilitation project.

BCYF seeks indoor pool lifeguards

By Phil Orlandella

Boston Centers for Youth and Families (BCYF) manages 16 indoor pools and employees permanent, full-time lifeguards at these facilities.

Some qualified lifeguards can potentially make a carrier out of these positions and BCYF can possibly help with free lifeguard training.

Qualifications are: must be 18 years or older, a Boston resident, first aid and CPR quali-

fied and certified as a lifeguard.

Eligible staff benefits include: \$18.22 per hour to start, yearly salary increases, thirty-five-hour workweek, affordable health and life insurance, free dental and vision insurance, paid sick leave, vacation and 11 paid holidays, pension at retirement, if qualified by years of service.

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City watchdog urges caution in employee salaries, contracts

By Seth Daniel

With the City's 2018 payroll growing by more than 8 percent over the previous year, one City watchdog is urging caution and a tightening of the reins as this year's City Budget begins to move forward.

"We offer words of caution as we look now to the Mayor's budget proposal for FY20 coming out next month and beyond," said Pam Kocher, the new president of the Boston Municipal Research Bureau.

This year's list of the 2018 Top 70 highest municipal earners appears in this week's edition of the Sun, and the top regular earner was Fire Commissioner Joe Finn – who came in as the top regular earner at \$247,269.

He was closely followed by first-year Police Commissioner Willie Gross, who made \$255,455 in 2018. Mayor Martin Walsh made the top 20 earners at \$191,615, but the bulk of the list is made up of Police and Fire employees – and a large amount of the spending is on things like overtime and newly bargained union contract pay increase.

Overall, the salaries were up by 8.2 percent over 2017, which amounted to \$129.3 million more. Total earnings for calendar year 2018 (CY18) were \$1.721 billion.

The contract increases were particularly true as it related to contracts recently settled for the Boston Teacher's Union, City officials said. They said that was a driver of much of the increases

in salary spending in 2018, as were increases for contracts settled with public safety unions.

There were a few outliers in the budget that showed much larger salaries than usual, particularly for the top four highest overall earners. Those employees received large settlements and back pay as part of court cases that reinstated them to the Police Department.

Kocher said one of the major areas of concern is the deficits created in overtime spending for the Police and Fire Departments – which ran at \$15.3 million in deficit due to those expenses that exceeded their overtime budgets and some equipment purchases.

The Police Department deficit was \$14.3 million and 67 percent of that was due to overtime

pay for increased hours and special events. Those special events included things like the Freedom Rally, the National Grid Strike and the Marriott worker strike.

That also has to do with the shortage of police officers in the ranks right now as there are so many officers who have retired, and so few that have come on to replace them. Most officers right now, it is commonly said, work upwards of 60 hours a week on average due to the officer shortage.

The growth in police officer wages due to more lucrative contracts also contributed to increased overtime expenses.

Kocher said now is the time to show fiscal restraint.

"At a time when the City has to rely more on its own local revenue

sources due to cuts in federal funds and stagnant growth in state aid, the City of Boston needs to be vigilant in managing its employee expenses, which represent 68 percent of its total operating budget in fiscal 2018 and 70 percent of the operating budget's growth over four years," she said. "That means exercising tight control over employee headcount, being firm in employee contract negotiations regarding compensation and benefit increases, and improving operational efficiencies through changes in union contract language and utilization of technology."

Of the Top 100 highest earners, four Police and Fire employees earned more than \$40,000 in overtime payments alone over 2018.

Calendar Year 2018 included the following unusually high police earnings, due to reinstatements with back pay awarded in 2018. Asterisks designate the following court cases:

*Thompson v. Civil Service Commission, 90 Mass. App Ct. 462 (2016)

**City of Boston v. Boston Police Patrolmen's Association, 477 Mass. 434 (2017)

TOP 100 HIGHEST PAID MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

NAME	TITLE	REGULAR	OVERTIME	TOTAL EARNINGS
McMahon, Joseph G	Dep Fire Chief Administration	203,624.89	24,305.88	240,136.50
Dempsey, John	Dep Fire Chief Administration	203,624.89	20,921.02	236,751.64
Maughn, Reynold	Dep Fire Chief Administration	203,624.89	10,875.43	226,706.05
Walsh, David John	Dep Fire Chief Administration	203,144.03	8,246.22	220,187.09
Ruggere, Michael J	Dep Fire Chief Admn-Adv Technician	200,005.46	30,046.15	238,920.11
Daley, John J	Supn Bpd	195,601.09		235,707.00
Walsh, Martin J.	Mayor	191,615.46		191,615.46
Shaffer, Steven E	Dep Fire Chief Administration	191,536.76	13,462.72	208,910.23
Leonard, David J	President	189,999.94		211,151.79
Long, Gregory P	Supn-In Chief	189,290.99		284,439.20
Mancini, Frank A	Supn Bpd	188,023.35		275,619.34
Ridge, William G.	Supn Bpd	188,023.35		275,418.57
Lydon, Colm P.	Supn Bpd	188,023.35		274,582.03
McNeil, Stephen D	Dep Fire Chief	187,827.38	38,245.37	239,735.45
Doherty, Michael J.	Dep Fire Chief	187,827.38	42,535.30	239,168.82
Stallworth, Andre R	Dep Fire Chief	187,827.38	38,943.49	234,605.70
Tully, Bernard J.	Dep Fire Chief	186,104.62	24,781.81	218,173.25
Keeley, Stephen F	Supn (Bfd/Fad)	185,892.98	11,515.62	197,958.60
McCreary, Makeeba	Managing Partner	183,670.53		183,670.53
Harrington, Ronald A	District Fire Chief Admin	183,089.84	15,669.07	210,824.72
Hocking, Michael E	Dep Fire Chief	182,831.32	24,319.90	260,160.29
Muncey, Donna E.	Deputy Superintendent-(non-ac)	182,060.75		182,060.75
Jones, Francis G	District Fire Chief Admn-Adv Tech	181,566.35	6,156.27	194,275.54
McCormack, Martin P	District Fire Chief Admin	181,560.12	12,974.94	201,828.31
Paschal, Stephen P	District Fire Chief Admin	179,317.16	20,462.66	213,483.91
Keeley, Dennis L	District Fire Chief Admin	179,145.24	34,980.95	221,889.72
Celona, Michael O.	Exec Asst Commissioner	178,317.33		190,413.79
Cahill, Gerard M	District Fire Chief Admin	177,407.56	9,164.37	194,335.46
Mullane Jr., Neal A	District Fire Chief-Technician	177,259.99	20,345.15	205,598.14
Shea, Bartholomew J	Dep Fire Chief	177,142.96	36,646.72	238,208.52
Cox, Michael A	Supn Bpd	175,973.29		255,238.17
White, Dennis A	Supn Bpd	175,941.57		247,736.83
Tully, Brian P	District Fire Chief-Adv Tech	171,789.84	28,254.82	209,251.92
Wright, Tommy	Rotc Instructor	171,788.50		173,647.72
Gloria, Paul G	District Fire Chief Admin	171,753.97	7,543.14	182,813.56
Baston, Nora L	Supn Bpd	171,589.94		252,247.81
Walker Gregory, Caren S	Headmaster	171,507.97		171,507.97
Anderson, Edward A	Fire Captain Admn-Advance Tech	170,466.84	36,895.26	217,046.29
Hanlon, John Stephen	Asst Superintendent (non-ac)	169,831.15		169,831.15
Carey, Paul G.	District Fire Chief-Technician	169,177.52	34,139.79	206,884.36
Mullen, Brian P	Dist Fire Chief	169,058.29	15,821.21	185,429.50
Bailey, Gerard W	Dep Supn (Bpd)	168,729.66		250,257.59
Cotter, Winifred	Dep Supn (Bpd)	168,729.66		243,900.97
Walcott, Jeffrey I	Dep Supn (Bpd)	168,729.66		239,132.54
Whitman, Steven M	Dep Supn (Bpd)	168,729.66		239,081.43

LIBRARY (from pg. 5)

stories about a famous ballet or dancer. The story time is also supplemented with a movement experience that highlights major themes of the story. All story times are led by Boston Ballet faculty dance educators. This program is for children ages 2 and up. Younger children will need parental supervision.

Spring Library Open House

blossoms

Books in Bloom Spring Open House floral demonstration was held at the North End Library on April 3.

Attendees learned how to transform a bunch of hundred store-bought flowers into an artificial bouquet.

On the same day, the library presented Books in Blown Display

a unique flower arrangement inspired by books. The activity will take place once again on April 4 at 5 p.m. through Saturday, April 6. Guided Library Tours will take place on Thursday, April 4 at 11 a.m., 3 p.m. and 5 p.m., Friday, April 5 at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. and Saturday, April 6 at 11 a.m. Tours will show the library's many resources.

MAINTAINING THE URBAN TREE

Watering, fertilizer, and pest control maintenance are the three key ingredients for healthy trees in the urban jungle.

Newly planted trees require continued watering, ten gallons per week on the average throughout their active growing season. If you have a watering hose, set it at low pressure and water once a week for approximately 1/2 hour or more often during periods of hot weather. Best times to water are early morning or evening.

When fertilizing young trees, one application in the spring is

adequate. A slow release, high nitrogen fertilizer can be used for the first four years. Do not fertilize any tree in midsummer. Mature trees need not be fertilized on a yearly basis.

The days of public spraying of trees with insecticides and pesticides are a thing of the past. Contact a certified arborist to diagnose and manage insect and disease problems.

LEAVE IT and LOSE IT!

DON'T BE A VICTIM!

You have been given this notification as a cautionary reminder. Boston Police Officers are reminding you of the following:

- DO NOT** leave your vehicle unlocked.
- DO NOT** leave your keys in the ignition.
- DO NOT** leave your vehicle idling and unattended.

PLEASE REMOVE YOUR PERSONAL PROPERTY IN PLAIN VIEW!

this includes:

- Cell phones
- GPS devices
- Laptop computers
- Loose Change
- Bags/Luggage



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TOP 100 HIGHEST PAID MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

NAME	TITLE	REGULAR	OVERTIME	TOTAL EARNINGS
Driscoll, Mary E	Asst Superintendent	168,431.63		168,431.63
Papineau, Charles J	District Fire Chief-Adv Tech	167,553.36	24,947.10	193,916.93
Consalvo, Robert J.	Chief of Staff	167,379.71		167,379.71
Dowling, Robert L.	District Fire Chief-Technician	167,182.62	47,087.59	219,130.28
Skerritt, Rachel	Headmaster	166,833.05		166,833.05
Brienza, Horacio D.	District Fire Chief-Technician	166,725.79	27,746.74	199,327.13
Hogan, Gerald E	District Fire Chief-Technician	166,691.98	26,129.84	207,163.37
Dillon, Michael P.	District Fire Chief-Technician	166,691.98	22,484.22	197,053.32
Whelan, Michael J	District Fire Chief-Technician	166,582.69	17,577.12	195,040.85
Harrison, David C	District Fire Chief-Technician	166,268.83	21,137.41	192,255.37
Casper, Joseph	Dist Fire Chief (Scuba Diver)	166,258.52	44,484.41	213,838.88
Rose, Colin C	Asst Superintendent	165,844.76		165,844.76
Eddings, Marcus C	Dep Supn (Bpd)	165,840.58		251,214.94
Nichols, Emmet P	District Fire Chief-Technician	165,840.22	42,992.99	217,141.34
Smith, Douglas W	Dist Fire Chief	165,761.18	24,239.59	197,764.30
McNulty, Joseph G.	Dist Fire Chief-Adm Asst Dvmtr	165,650.95	26,338.03	224,017.56
Marshall, Rodney O.	Dist Fire Chief	165,477.67	25,760.11	201,461.31
Sloane, Christopher	Dist Fire Chief	165,115.73	17,511.19	190,371.85
Marshall, David C	Asst Supn (Bfd/Fad)	164,920.17	17,316.10	189,909.31
Murphy, Joseph W.	Chemist	164,837.72		169,586.43
Felton, Richard F.	Dist Fire Chief	164,803.05	24,593.20	195,886.81
Roberts, Monica M.	Asst Superintendent (non-ac)	164,208.76		164,208.76
Shea, Joseph D.	Dist Fire Chief	164,141.65	16,951.12	187,109.22
Stapleton, John	Dist Fire Chief	164,107.97	27,687.24	200,175.59
Raymond, Mark J.	Dist Fire Chief	164,107.97	21,428.46	193,299.96
Greene, James P	Dist Fire Chief	164,073.11	25,640.76	198,226.80
Welch Jr., Thomas M.	Academic Superintendent	164,007.70		164,007.70
Hoar, James J	Dist Fire Chief	163,896.33	16,739.23	188,389.79
Murphy, Patrick D.	District Fire Chief-Technician	163,811.74	17,661.62	182,863.10
Viola, Gerard	Dist Fire Chief	163,717.85	27,263.04	197,597.72
Burke, Christopher	Dist Fire Chief	163,684.69	16,594.20	182,521.81
Sweeney, David	Chief Of Staff	163,238.20		164,833.48
Luciano, Paul S	Dist Fire Chief	163,186.28	12,596.14	183,010.61
Smith, Timothy	District Fire Chief-Technician	163,180.33	21,942.58	216,617.98
Heelen, Brian P	Dist Fire Chief	163,018.95	21,273.48	189,451.77
O'Flaherty, Eugene Lloyd	Corporation Counsel	162,980.70		164,798.00
Taylor, Albert L	Operational Superintendent	162,891.02		162,891.02
Hung, Kelly M	Academic Superintendent	162,678.01		162,678.01
Lee, Edward S	Operational Superintendent	162,490.38		162,490.38
Pettaway, Erik C	Dist Fire Chief	162,385.21	22,935.48	193,008.50
Qazilbash, Emily Kalejs	Asst Superintendent (non-ac)	162,340.36		162,340.36
Cleary, Patrick D	Chief Admin Officer	162,241.82		162,241.82
Dalrymple, Keith D	Police Captain/DDC	162,161.32	33,740.56	216,131.99
Handy, Emme Lea	Collector-Treasurer	161,826.83		168,848.51
Tahiliani, Priya J.	Asst Superintendent	161,718.91		161,718.91
Noriega, Ligia B	Asst Superintendent	161,659.41		161,659.41

NEAA players and families attend Celtics game

By John Romano

For the third time this year, and many times in the past, the North End Athletic Association (NEAA) has sent local players and family members to a Boston Celtics game. This year 20 players and their families attended the game between the San Antonio Spurs.

While the Celtics did not play well the group had an awesome time. Some of the attendees were at their first Celtics game.

Part of the many events provided by the NEAA is going to live sporting events over the different seasons. Plans are already in progress to attend to three Red Sox games this season.

On another note, the NEAA

baseball programs registration has drawn 150 players between the ages of 4 to 21 that should produce another great season at both Langone Field and Puopolo Park on Commercial Street.

The organization is excit-

ed to have the sports complex area renovated this June thanks to Boston Mayor Martin Walsh and the Boston Parks Department. When completed, the new fields will be awesome and the NEAA will be able to increase programs to

Flag Football while increasing the soccer field to full size. Not to mention an unbelievable baseball field, handicap access Bocce Courts a new play area and much more.



Thomas Blake and Max Birnbaum.

April 19, 2019



Good Friday
7PM

GOLGOTHA

The Passion In Word and Image

Images - Bruce Herman
Narratives - Patricia Hanlon
Music - Various Artists

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