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Many North End children turned out for the NEAD day fo tubing at Nashoba Valley. See Page 12 for more photos.

Families enjoy snow tubing at Nashoba

By Phil Orlandella

The recent snow tubing activity held at Nashoba Valley attracted many participants.

Sponsored by the Nazzaro Community Center and North End Against Drugs, many families enjoyed the day on the slopes.

"It was a great trip," NEAD

President John Romano said. "Numerous people had a fun trip with family and friends."

MBTA plans additional station shutdowns

By Phil Orlandella

Extensive plans to accelerate infrastructure projects for several subway lines and the commuter rail during calendar year 2020 have been announced by the MBTA.

Plans call for the improvement of service, safety and reliability on a faster timeline.

The T is planning a two-onemonth shutdown on the Greenline, the C Branch in July and the E Branch in August.

Reportedly, the 2020,

Infrastructure Acceleration Plan will deliver these projects eight years faster than originally planned, resulting in track replacement, upgraded intersection and station improvements.

A plan to expedite projects in 2019, apparently delivered projects 2.2 years ahead of time across the Red, Orange and Green lines according to the MBTA.

Throughout the 10-week shutdown on the Red and Orange lines, the team managed to accelerate improvements and accommodate customers by increasing existing parallel service and providing other replacement service where feasible.

In addition, to the C and E Branch shutdowns, an eleven-month suspension of regular Green Line service between North Station and Lechmere plans will go into effect starting May 1 to accelerate efforts to strengthen the historic Lechmere Viaduct while rebuilding the elevated segments of track the rule East Cambridge.

Plans also called for the realignment of the tracks to the new, relo-(MBTA Pg. 3)

NEWRA opposes Hanover Street occupancy change

By Phil Orlandella

Just three days after the North End/Waterfront Neighborhood Council (NEWNC) supported a legal occupancy change at 471-477 Hanover St., the other community group North End/ Waterfront Residents' Association (NEWRA) voted to oppose the same request.

The request to the City of Boston Board of Appeals called for zoning relief to change the legal occupancy at 471-477 Hanover St., to change from a seven residential unit to six residential condominium units.

One unit will be extended into the basement. Exterior wood decks will extend approximately $5\frac{1}{2}$ feet out from the rear of the building on the second, third, and fourth floorsand existing separate dormers at the rear roof (Fifth floor) will be combined.

Even with the two different opinions relating to the request, it appears the petitioner will still go before the Board of Appeal for a decision.

A second appeal to the Board (NEWRA Pg. 3)

Perry guest speaker at upcoming NEAD dinner

By Phil Orlandella

Another community Family Dinner/Family Talk has been scheduled at the BCYF Nazzaro Center, a great free family event.

"The event features guest speaker David Perry, the newly appointed manager of the North End Coalition for Substance Use Disorder Prevention and Treatment and the newest member of NEAD," according to President John Romano.

field of treating addictions since 2014 working at Saint Elizabeth's Medical Center, Brigham and Women's Faulkner Hospital and providing therapy and counseling to the North End/Waterfront Health community," Romano added.

Space is limited so reserve a spot by emailing John Romano at jromano45@gmail.com. All children must be accompanied by their parents or grandparents. Deadline to sign up is Monday, March 16, at 6 p.m.

"Perry has worked in the





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MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD --VOTE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

The revelation last week by members of our intelligence agencies to Congress that the Russians once again are, and will be, interfering in our electoral process is an ominous portent for the national election in November.

The recent experience of the mismanaged vote-counting at the Democratic caucuses in Iowa has shown the limits of the technology that we have employed to replace paper ballots and its susceptibility to being bungled and hacked.

Even worse, the extreme form of gerrymandering and voter suppression in the Southern states brings into question whether some in our own country even believe in the democratic process.

Together, these developments should give all of us good reason to be fearful about the future of our republic. That may sound dire and overly-dramatic, but it's a reality that we cannot ignore.

The one thing that had set us apart from every other nation in the world -- the sanctity and fairness of our electoral process -- has been shown to be vulnerable not only to foreign influence, but also to a combination of our own incompetence, our misplaced faith in 21st century technology, and the blatant self-interest of certain political groups.

In an era when cynics are proclaiming that we are sliding into the realm of a banana republic, it therefore is essential that all of us who have the ability to vote must do so.

Early-voting already is underway in Massachusetts for the Presidential Primary election, which will be held this coming Tuesday. There are 15 candidates on the Democratic side of the ballot and four Republicans, as well as Libertarian and Green party candidates.

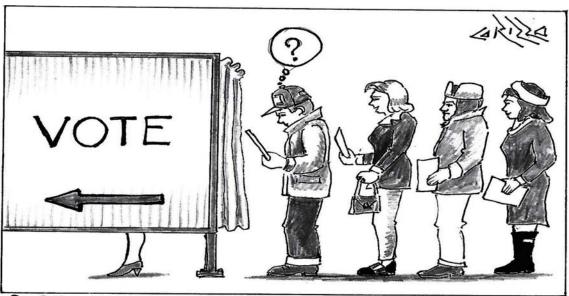
The only way that we can overcome the forces who are seeking to destroy our democracy is to exercise the one thing -- our right to vote -- that has set us apart from every other nation in the world since our founding.

We urge all of our readers to get out and vote -- doing so never has been more crucial to maintaining our democratic principles.

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GUEST OP-ED Nursing Home Care - A National Issue

By Dr. Glenn Mollette

About 1.5 million American seniors now live in nursing homes. Seventy percent (70-percent) of them rely on Medicaid to pay the bill, which means they are low-income or have otherwise spent down their assets.

My mother spent the last few months of her life in a nursing home. My first wife died in a nursing home. My wife's mother spent a lot of time in nursing homes. Today, I have elderly friends in nursing homes who I try to occasionally go and see. It's the same old story. I continue to see a multitude of lonely, forgotten people who have been warehoused in facilities until they breathe their last breath.

Placing my wife in a nursing home was one of the hardest things I've ever done. She was in the final stages of multiple sclerosis and needed 24 hour care which I couldn't physically give. However, looking back emotionally and even physically I don't think I would have been as drained if I had just kept her at home and tried to have cared for her. Nursing Homes are exhausting. You think at the time it's the only answer, but then you are there numerous hours every day trying to make sure your loved one is not being neglected. In today's nursing homes the chances are great they will be neglected because the average nursing home cannot keep enough staff to take care of everyone. One worker told me once she was in charge of taking care of 60 persons every night.

She said that oftentimes there would be people she never saw on her shift.

Nursing home care cost is astronomical. Just a bed, three meals a day and an occasional bath will cost you around \$7,500 a month. My mother-in-law needed rehabilitation. Three years ago her cost was over \$15,000 a month for four months. My father-in-law shelled out \$60,000 of their life savings for rehab. They had worked hard to save that money, but you can't take it with you. However, most people don't intend to work all of their lives so that they can turn their savings over to a nursing home.

Nursing homes are not a relief emotionally or physically and financially they will break you. Most Americans end up paying for their nursing home care via Medicaid. Going on Medicaid is no picnic as it means, in reality, you no longer have any means to pay for your care. Twenty years ago I was the pastor of a church with a small salary and financially we didn't have anything except a house payment. Going to the local county office for health and family services and applying for Medicaid for nursing home care for the care of my invalid dying wife was tough. It was our last resort. We were glad it was available but it was emotionally tough. It's the same office where you go and apply for food stamps.

There are some good nursing homes out there and many, many hardworking, caring nurses. There are some really bad ones out there too and they are all extremely expensive. All the time we hear about Americans being medically insured. What about long term care insurance for aging Americans? Our nation is getting older. The baby boomers are a large chunk of our population - 75 million! Baby boomers are going to face bankruptcies and mega financial challenges as is this nation with the long term care of our generation.

Our politicians must come up with a long term care plan that does not require the financial ruin of millions of Americans. I know longterm care insurance is available if you are not sick and can afford it. However, somehow we have to add long term care insurance to Medicare. Yes, it will cost us every month to pay for it just like we are paying for part B now. However, it would be for real medical care in the nursing home with real rehabilitation if it is needed; and not just for a bed and three meals a day and an occasional bath. Plus it would spare the elders in this nation from having to file bankruptcy and go into poverty to have a shelter over their heads the last few months or even years of their lives.

Please add this issue to the national discussion.

Dr. Glenn Mollette is the author of Nursing Home Nightmares -America's Disgrace, and is the publisher of Newburgh Press, Liberty Torch and various other publishing imprints; a national columnist – American Issues and Common Sense opinions, analysis, stories and features appear each week In over 500 newspapers, websites and blogs across the United States.

ABIDE BY DOG PARK RULES

Two negative things are currently occurring in the Prince Street Dog Park that need to be corrected immediately.

Users are not picking up after their dogs, and dog barking has become a problem for neighbors.

Spring or at least some warmer weather will be coming soon and more traffic is expected at the dog park, so these problems need to stop. Members need to remind other members that the rules at the park must be abided by.

NOT REGISTERED TO VOTE YET?

Boston residents should stop texting continuously and take the time to register to vote in the upcoming Presidential election.

Voting is one-way to express your opinion at the ballot box. Voting is your voice so don't be silent, register and get out to vote.

TWO SUCCESSFUL ROUND BALL PROGRAMS

Two basketball programs were held this season, Nazzaro Center and Saint Leonard's Knights.

Both groups worked hard to provide great basketball programs for the youth of the neighborhood.

Everyone involved did an admirable job putting these round ball programs together.

NEWRA (from pg. 1)

of Appeal to change the legal occupancy at 27 Sheafe St. was supported by NEWRA.

Plans call for the rental property to increase from five residential units to eight residential units. This was the second time the request was before NEWRA.

Back on June 14, 2018, NEWRA voted to support the request, but the Board of Appeal voted to deny it without prejudice.

The appeal has been resubmitted to Zoning Board of Appeal (ZBA) with one change: The utility room access has been moved to a separate entrance of Sheafe Street to the interior of the building.

North End Attorney Daniel Toscano represented both petitioners.

Boston City Counselor Annissa Essaibi George and Katie Forte of the City of Boston Neighborhood Development were guest speakers.

The next NEWRA public monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, March 12, at 7 p.m. at the Nazzaro Community Center, 30 North Bennet Street.

St. Francis House Flea Market/Bake Sale scheduled

By Phil Orlandella

Friends of Saint Francis House has organized its annual Flea Market/Bake Sale to benefit the homeless shelter.

"After a one-year hiatus, the special event is back so now is the time to start looking in closets, draws and cellars for items to donate to help raise money for the homeless," said John Romano, one of the Friends.

Donations will be accepted starting on Monday, April 13 through Thursday, April 16, from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Nazzaro Center, 30 North Bennet St.

The Flea Market/Bake Sale will take place at the Center on Friday, April 17 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday, April 18 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

No clothes, TVs, computers or worn-out items will be accepted.

"Another easy way to help is to donate spare change," Romano said, "A small amount adds up more than you think."

"Bring your change to the event or give me a call at 617-570-9749 and arrangements to pick it up will be made," Romano noted.

Friends include: John Romano, Patricia Romano, Mary Romano, Olivia Scimeca and Kathy Carangelo.

MBTA (from pg. 1)

cated Lechmere Station as part of the project to extend the Green Line to Somerville and Medford.

The MBTA has apparently taken steps to provide replacement services to accommodate riders affected by a diversion by increase in parallel services and assessable shuttle bus, operated by the T or a private carrier.

A special website has been set up for upcoming work to keep customers informed and is available at MBTA.comm/bbt2020.

Nazzaro Community Center to hold Easter party April 11

By Phil Orlandella

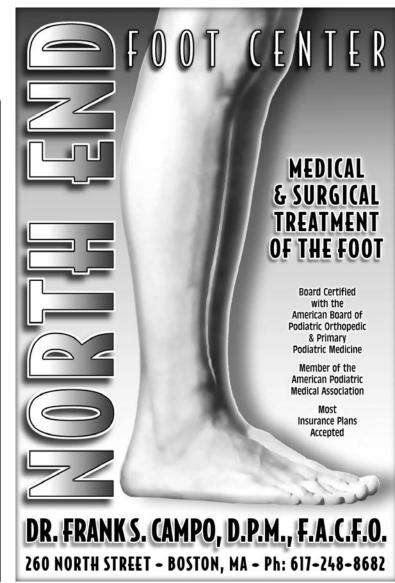
BCYF Nazzaro Community Center will be the site of this year's North End Against Drugs (NEAD) Easter Party on Saturday, April 11, from 10 a.m. to noon. There will be a lot to do at the party including photos with the Easter Bunny, Easter egg coloring, arts and crafts, face painting and balloon making.

Each child will receive a free Easter Goodie Basket.

"The event is sponsored by

Michael "Mickey Fud" Giannasoli in memory of his mother Florence. The event is free to all North End/Waterfront Residents, BCYF Nazzaro Center Members, NEAA players and all their families," NEAA President John Romano said.

TO PLACE YOUR AD CALL 781-485-0588



September of Public Meeting

175 Federal Street

Monday, March 2 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM **Fiduciary Trust Building** 175 Federal Street, 11th Floor Boston, MA. 02110

Project Proponent: Deka Immobilien

Project Description:

The Proposed Project consists of an approximately 12,180 square foot addition to the existing building (also known as the Fiduciary Trust Building) located at 175 Federal Street and associated streetscape and public realm improvements in and around the site.

mail to: Raul Duverge

Boston Planning & Development Agency One City Hall Square, 9th Floor Boston, MA 02201 phone: 617.918.4492 email: raul.duverge@boston.gov

Close of Comment Period: 03/09/2020

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NEWS AND NOTES By Phil Orlandella

CITY SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Applications are now available for the 2020 City of Boston Scholarship Program that is designed to support higher education.

Residents who meet eligibility requirements should apply by email to COBscholarship@boston. gov or Boston.gov/scholarship.

"Through the City of Boston Scholarship Fun, we can help turn students dreams of attending college into a reality," Mayor Martin Walsh said.

FORECLOSURES IN BOSTON DROPS

Foreclosures in Boston have reportedly dropped 61-percent since 2018, apparently reaching a 17-year low according to year-end reporting.

"These results show that our programs and policies to prevent foreclosures and evictions are working," Mayor Martin Walsh said.

BOSTON EXPANDS TFCC PROGRAM

Joining with students, the Office of Work was Development and members of the community, Mayor Martin Walsh announced the expansion of the Tuition-Free Community College Plan (TFCC) to include Urban College of Boston.

This is the sixth institution to join the TFCC since it was launched by the Mayor in 2016.

The TFCC program pays for up to three years of college for Boston's income-eligible students who have earned their high school credentials.

LOWEST YEAR-OVER-YEAR RENTAL INCREASE

Average listing price for rentals

in Boston saw the lowest year-overyear increase in housing increase since the City began tracking this data since 2014, Mayor Martin Walsh recently announced.

Accordingly, from analysis of Boston rental data, from 2018 to 2019, rental prices increased an average of 1.3 percent citywide compared to last year's rental price from 2017-2018 when average rental listings increased by 3.3 percent.

While rentals in several neighborhoods saw no price increase our reduction in prices across the span of listings, the North End was not one of them.

MAYOR NAMES NEW HR TRANSFORMATION DIRECTOR

The City of Boston has a new Human Resources Transformation Director, Joanne Wisniewski of teh West End. Joanne will lead the City's work to transfer for its human

resources services, better management, trained recruits and retain the work force made up of 18,000 e m p l o y e e s in 60 departments.



Joanne Wisniewski.

DEBORAH HADDEN GRAY 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 Deborah Hadden Gray Memorial Scholarship must have community service or work 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 24, 2020. For more information on the Deborah Hadden Gray Memorial Scholarship, including an application checklist, please visit www.massport.com/ scholarships.



LOWELL L. RICHARDS 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 24, 2020. For more information on the Lowell L. Richards III Memorial scholarship, including an application checklist, please visit www.massport.com/ scholarships.



Ward 3 Democrats to Hold Caucus

Registered Democrats in Ward 3 of Boston will hold a caucus at the Nazzaro Community Center, (30 North Bennett St.) on Saturday March 7, at 10:30 a.m. to elect delegates to the 2020 Massachusetts Democratic Convention. Registration will begin at 10 a.m.

The Convention will be held on Saturday, May 30, at the Tsongas Center at UMass Lowell. Democrats from across the Commonwealth will gather to discuss party priorities and vote on candidates for the US Senate ahead of the September primary.

For caucus information please contact Ward 3 Chairman Jason A. Aluia at WardThreeDem@ gmail.com or call 617-447-4987.



Fire regulations in the City of Boston *prohibit* open fires and charcoal and gas grills on roofs, fire balconies and fire escapes.

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A 2020 Summer in the City A B

BEACON HILL NURSERY SCHOOL 74 JOY STREET BOSTON, MA 02114 617-227-0822 BHNS.NET

Beacon Hill Nursery School is excited to announce its annual summer programming for 2020, packed with creative learning adventures for children ages 2 to 6. The program offers eight one-week sessions from June 15-August 14 (no camp June 29-July 3) for Toddlers (children ages 2-2.8) and Mixed Age (children ages 2.9-6), from 8:30-1pm. An extended day option is available until 3:30pm for children 2.9-6. In addition to the Mixed Age program for children ages 2.9-6, we are offering four one-week Specialty Camps (8:30-2pm) culminating in a showcase for families at 1:30pm on each Friday, as follows: Spanish Camp (June 15-19), Yoga and Mindfulness

Camp (June 22-26), Theater Camp (July 6-10), STEM Camp (July 13-17). Please do register for our waitlist if a week is currently full, as we do see movement throughout the spring into the summer and we actively manage the waitlist.

This unique summer program is staffed largely with the school's own EEC qualified teachers and offers a stimulating and nurturing environment. Children enjoy spending their days exploring our two natural playscapes, discovering science and nature, participating in music, art, and yoga, and engaging in water play and outdoor activities. In addition, a wide variety of in-house field trips are part of the summer program experience, including visits from places such as The Museum of Science, Barn Babies, and the New England Aquarium. Utilizing the school's outdoor natural playscapes, the program integrates exciting opportunities for young children in the city to engage with nature-based activities. Please visit our website (www.bhns.net/summer-program) to register now!

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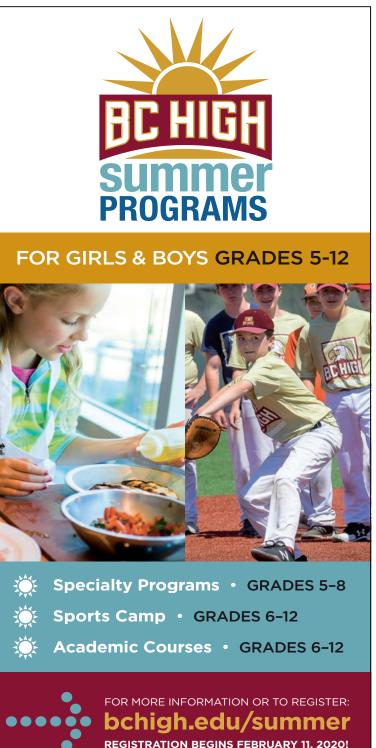
Belmont Day School's Summer Camp combines the best of summer fun with enriching programs for children entering pre-K through Grade 9. At Belmont Day, summer is about making new friends, pursuing interests, and gaining independence. Activities include archery, movement, sports, art, nature and much more, with daily swimming lessons and a free swim period. Belmont Day summer programs are led by dedicated and experienced counselors. Be part of the Belmont Day community where kids explore, play, and grow. For more information visit www.belmontday.

org/summer-discoveries. BOSTON CHILDREN'S SCHOOL 8 WHITTIER PLACE BOSTON, MA 02114 617-367-6239

Summer Fun Program

The Boston Children's School Summer Fun Program celebrates it's 37th year of providing exceptional summertime experiences and academic enrichment to children between the ages of 3 and 10 years old. The Summer Fun Program at The Boston Children's School is conveniently located at Charles River Park, in the historic West End section of Boston. The location is fully air-conditioned. The school has its own private playground, which allows children to play outdoors away from the noise, congestion and traffic of the city streets. The location also allows children to explore the cultural richness of the City of Boston through field trips to museums, theaters, libraries and historic sites. The Summer Fun program is organized by age. Each age group is supervised, taught and nurtured by certified teachers, along with teacher interns from local area colleges. All activities are designed to be developmentally appropriate for each age group. Children can use the pool areas, on a daily basis,

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at The Clubs at Charles River Park. The Summer Fun program also offers children music appreciation, gymnastics, field trips, arts and crafts, tennis, and interactive storytelling. Parent involvement and participation are always a part of the program, which begins June 22 and ends Aug. 21.

If you would like your child to become part of the 2020 Summer Fun Program at the Boston Children's School, call Judy Langer, Program Director, at 617-367-6239.

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Boston Explorers combines

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The city of Boston IS OUR CAMPGROUND.

Program tuition includes two snacks and lunch every day, ferry and admission tickets and all activity fees. As a non-profit organization, Boston Explorers opportunity to all children. Financial aid is available based on need.Session 1: July 6 - 17, Session 2: July 20 - 31, Session 3: August 3 - 14 Bike Week (Ages 10+): August 17 – 20

Tuition: \$1,250 per session Bike Week tuition: \$500 (4-days)

Financial Aid available Hours: M-F, 9:00 am - 4:30 Children start and end the day at our base camp location

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Summer Camp is for ages 6 (or entering First grade in September) to 12 years and will run 9:00am - 4:00pm. Extended day available 8:00am - 5:30pm.

The Teen Young Leaders Program for ages 13-14 runs 9:00am - 4:00pm.

Teen Evening Program for ages 13-18 are from 4:00 -8:00pm

Summer Camp is July 6th -August 21st

Mini Camp - July 6th - 10th Session 1 - July 13th-24th Session 2 - July 27th - Aug

7th

Session 3 Aug 10th -21st Camp Open House - Feb. 28th at 6:00

Registration Starts Monday, 2nd for Current March Members

Registration for New Members starts Monday, March 23rd

For more information, please contract Maura at 617-242-1775 or mcannon@bgcb.org

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Then we flip to the Animals of the Savannah - come on Safari with us across Africa!

"e" inc.'s Summer Science and Discovery Program is happening the last two-weeks of August. Week one is about our Avian Friends (August 17-21) and Week 2 takes us to the open fields of the Savannah (August 24-28). You won't want to miss these great fun-filled days.

Camp times are from 9AM to 3:30 PM each day, with aftercare available, as well. Each week has a field trip off-site to add to the fun. Camp is open to children entering first grade in fall and goes up to fifth grade. As ever, at Science and Discovery Program, the days are full -- conducting experiments, building models, observing live specimens, artistic opportunities, etc. - there's something for everyone at "e" inc.!

For more information visit: www.einc-action.org and click on the camp tab for information, sign-up papers, etc. We look forward to exploring these new frontiers with you.

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Ask about out after school Art Club for ages 4-10, and April Vacation session as well!

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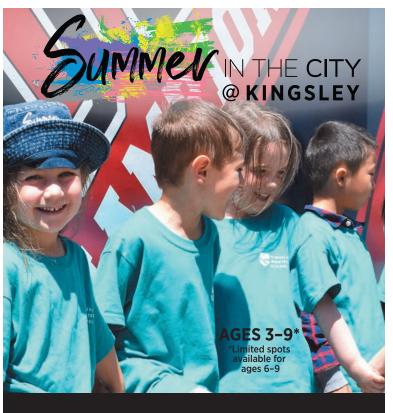
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Boston Explorers helps kids explore their interests, and their city

By Seth Daniel

When Alphonse Litz was growing up in Syracuse, there wasn't an historic site or a walking trail that his working class family didn't visit and learn about. It was a way for them to experience their surroundings, and occupy their time on a fixed budget.

But, he said, it was so enriching for him growing up, that he was surprised after many years of being a Boston Public School teacher that many kids in his classes and under his guidance had never seen Boston's rich historic trails or experienced its lush amenities. It was with that in mind – and some disappointment as an educator existing in the standardized testing era – that he set out to found a program to let kids explore their interests and the historic city they live in.

That's when he founded Boston Explorers – a summer and school vacation program that has grown from 11 kids in the basement of a South End Church in 2011 to more than 275 kids in three twoweek camp sessions (plus February and April School Vacation weeks).

"I was going into a third grade classroom carrying a large stack of MCAS tests into the room, and one of the third graders said, 'There's the man that brings the tests," said Litz, a long-time resident of the South End and former public school teacher in Mission Hill. "I was devastated. I had been about radical changes in education and focusing on kids learning, and then that came out. I went home and told my partner Bob about it and it had been the most depressing day I'd ever had. That's when I started to launch Boston Explorers. It wasn't a question of if, but when. I had the luxury of being able to go out and start the camp in 2011. We started with 11 kids in the church basement and

we explored the entire city."

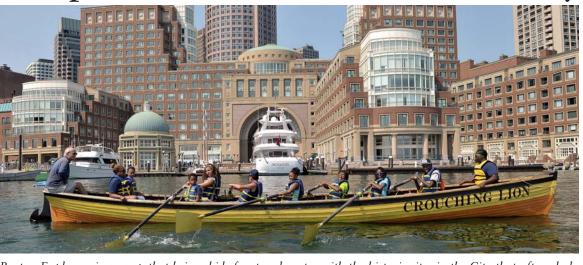
In addition to visiting places like the USS Constitution, historic homes like the Nichols House or Otis House, the Public Gardens, rowing on Boston Harbor and figuring out how to travel on the MBTA – the camp also features a time of reflection for kids where they can choose to do things they like, but in a non-electronic environment.

That could mean building something in the wood shop, playing Foosball or bumper pool, jumping rope, building with Legos or quietly reading. The four goals of every day, Litz said, are to explore Boston, have fun, be kind to everyone and make things with their hands.

"We try to do those things every single day," he said. "I want to get kids back to working with their hands, learning like I did from my father, who was a carpenter. I want to share that. Kids don't miss the phones. Some of the feedback I've gotten is that even the older kids don't mind leaving the phone behind because they can really just be a kid again...So much play is scripted by adults like in sports or ballet or music lessons. This is a place kids can go to have full choice over what they want to do. They are guided by adults, but kids have room to choose and learn."

That's where it becomes what Litz and Assistant Director Sakura Tomizawa call a throwback kind of summer camp.

"This is the kind of camp your grandmother would recognize," said Litz. "The kids value the freedom...It's a child-centered program really all about play and exploration. We have turned down grants because we don't want to do education. It's about play, exploring and learning through that. Kids love it and we keep on exploring."



Boston Explorers is a camp that brings kids front and center with the historic sites in the City that often elude those who live here, and it also allows kids to explore their own interests in a non-electronic environment. The camp has grown from 11 to 275 per year since 2011.

Boston Explorers is tailored to kids age 6-14 in a mixed-age camp that features numerous staff members and older teen trainees. Campers are well-supervised on the trips through Boston, and many of those supervisors are former campers too.

Over time, Boston Explorers has moved its base camp from Union United Church in the South End to the Rafael Hernandez School in Jamaica Plain. From there, they start and end their days, but have excursions that include visiting historic homes, or leveraging partners like Emerson College to get a behind the scenes tour of the Majestic Theatre.

It's literally like a buffet of activities – going so far as to include African drumming with the Hyde Square Task Force partner from Jamaica Plain. Ironically, many of the kids in the camp have never been on the Freedom Trail or contemplated the statues in the Public Garden. For a lot of kids in Boston, those things can seem like parts of the city that are only for tourists – not for children growing up here.

At Boston Explorers, Litz said, the City is in their hands.



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Hill House Summer Camp

By Marianne Salza

Hill House Summer Camp is an opportunity for children to be kids in a fun and safe environment. From skipping through the Alfond Spray Deck, playing games on Teddy Ebersol's Red Sox Fields, and creating art at the Mount Vernon Street Firehouse, campers will have an action-filled summer from June 15 through the end of August. Hill House is encouraging families to register soon, as almost all of the weekly sessions are 80 percent full.

"Kids love our summer camp because it is a place for them to hang out with their friends," said Lauren Hoops-Schmieg, Executive Director. "Many of our kids go to different schools. Hill House tries to keep that neighborhood feeling. Kids can hang out with their next door neighbors and be outside."

Day Campers, ages 5 to 12, enjoy arts and crafts at the Firehouse, and playing field games on the Esplanade. Children attend educational and fun field trips to the New England Aquarium, The Arnold Arboretum, space centers, farms, Canobie Lake Park, and Sky Zone. Several days a week, campers swim at The Clubs at Charles River Park, where they are staffed by American Red Crosscertified lifeguards, as well as Hill House staff; and nearly every day, they frolic through the Esplanade's spray deck.

"The spray deck is a great asset because on a hot day in the city, there is nothing better," Schmieg explained.

Kiddie Campers, ages three to five, explore a variety of art mediums and outdoor athletics on the Esplanade and Boston Common to build confidence and friendships. The New England Aquarium will visit with touch tanks, and farmers introduce children to animals at the Firehouse, where little ones can enjoy puppet and magic shows.

"We try to make a comfortable and safe place for them to explore and build social skills," explained Hoops-Schmieg. "We have a lot of sensory activities."

When children graduate from Day Camp, they can participate in the Leaders in Training (LIT) program, for teenagers, 13-15-yearsold who wish to continue at Hill House, but with a new dimension: being a mentor. This is the third year that Hill House has offered LIT for children to explore beyond their comfort zones, build their strengths, and self-reflect. They learn conflict resolution, how to play with children and have first aid training.

"There aren't a lot of opportunities for 13-15-year-olds. This program challenges them and builds their critical thinking skills," said Hoops-Schmieg. "This is a way that they can explore what their own capabilities are. It's learning by doing and being around their peers."

Teenagers gradually transition from campers to counselors as they take part in leadership workshops, in addition to planning and



Teenagers in the Leaders in Training program learn to become counselors.

assisting camp activities. The LITs also participate in community service projects throughout the three-week program.

"The most successful Leaders in Training are those willing to be vulnerable and learn about themselves," described Hoops-Schmieg, who spent many summers at an overnight summer camp where her mother served as a director.

Schmieg describes camp as being her first love. From age three-24, Hoops-Schmieg has been a camper, advancing to a counselor-in-training, to a counselor, and then administrative staff member. She was also the former director

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of a summer camp in the woods of Rhode Island.

"I am passionate about summer camp because you have the room to physically and mentally explore and become a full person," explained Hoops-Schmieg. "Camp helps you be a kid, develop interests, and gives you freedom of expression."

Register for Hill House Summer Camp and learn more about the weekly sessions by calling (617) 227-5838, visiting www.HillHouseBoston.org or the Firehouse, located at 127 Mount Vernon St.



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GALA ON THE GREENWAY

The Gala on The Greenway is the Conservancy's signature fundraising event. Mingle with the Greenway Conserancy's top supporters, including elected officials, business and other community leaders, and Greenway neighbors while enjoying cocktails and hors d'oeuvres under a festive tent on The Greenway, June 4, 6 to 9 p.m.

SKI TUBING TRIP

Working together the BCYF Nazzaro Community Center coordinated a family snow tubing trip to the Nashoba Valley Ski area.

Three hours of tubing took place for children six years old and their parents.

The North End Athletic Association (NEAA) helped sponsor the trip.

WARD 3 CAUCUS

Ward 3 registered Democrats will hold a caucus on Saturday, March 7, at 10 a.m. at the Nazzaro Community Center.

FRIENDS CELEBRATE IMMIGRANT EXPERIENCE

Friends of Heritage Park will celebrate the immigrant experience on the Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway on Wednesday, March 25.

FLEA MARKET BAKE SALE

Saint Francis House Flea Market/Bake Sale will be held on April 17 and April 18, at the Nazzaro Community Center. For more information call John Romano at 617-750-9749.

FREE HEALTH SCREENING

The Nazzaro Community Center will hold a free health screening on Saturday, March 28, from noon to 4 p.m. Must sign up by March 18. For more information call 617-635-5611.

CURB DOG BARKING

North End neighbors have contacted RUFF about excessive barking in the park especially in the evening hours.

Please be courteous of neighbors and curb your dog's barking. Anything prolonged or aggres-

sive means it's time for a break from the park.

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The two-part monthly series, a collaboration of the City of Boston, The KITCHEN at the public park and the Friends.

LIBRARY LEGO CLUB

A Lego Club will be held at North End Library on Wednesday, Feb. 26 at 4 p.m. Build with Legos and Duplos. Homework help is available from 4 to 6 p.m.

LIBRARY PRESENTS BOOKS IN BLOOM

Books in Bloom is coming to the North End Library from April 1 to April 4.

Friends of the Library are seeking local groups or individuals to make a flower arrangement to be exhibited at the library during Books in Bloom.

Email Teresa for more information at TeresaOConnell@me.com.

NEW COFFEE HOUR

The North End/West End Neighborhood Service Center (NSC) has a new daily drop-in coffee hour from 9 to 11 a.m. and discussion. Drop in for a cup of coffee.

DOG PARK A MESS

The Prince Street Dog Park is a mass as dog owners are not picking up after their pets and disposing the bag properly. Those that use the park should remind others to abide by the rules.

If anyone has any ideas how RUFF can increase members to pick up after their dogs should email them to info@ruffboston. org.

CITY SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications for the 2020 City of Boston Scholarship Program are currently available. For more information or to apply visit www. bostongov/scholarship.

NAZZARO CENTER SUMMER CAMP

Nazzaro Center Summer Camp applications are now available. All information is listed online and must be turned in at the Nazzaro Center. Contact lauriedelia@boston.gov.

BASEBALL REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2020 NEAA Baseball season is taking place. For details visit www. neaabaseball.org.

FOCCP MONTHLY MEETING SCHEDULE

Friends of Christopher Columbus Park (FOCCP) holds monthly meetings the second Tuesday of every month at the Mariners House, 11 North Square at 6:30 p.m. Meetings are as follows: March 10, April 14, May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8, October 13, November 10, there will be no meeting in December.

NEWRA MONTHLY MEETINGS

The North End/Waterfront Residents' Association (NEWRA) conducts meetings the second Thursday of each month at the Nazzaro Community Center, 30 North Bennet Street at 7 p.m. No meetings on holidays. Meetings are as follows: March 12, April 9, May 14, June 11, July 9, August 13, September 10, October 8, November 13, and December 10.

NEWNC MONTHLY MEETINGS

The North End/Waterfront Neighborhood Council (NEWNC) meets the second Monday of each month at the Nazzaro Community Center, 30 North Bennet Street at 7 p.m. No meetings on holidays. Meetings are as follows: March 8, April 13, May 10, June 7, July 12, August 9, September 13, October 11, November 8, and December 13

TEEN CREATIVE WRITING

Each Friday from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. the North End Library, 25 Parmenter Street hosts a Team



RUFF reminds everyone that dogs must be licensed to enjoy the North End Park. Animal Control does random drop-ins to check for licenses. RUFF will be holding a licensing event in March. Dog licenses are valid from April 1 to March 31 each year.

Creative Writing Group. Use writing prompts provided or work on a project. Get feedback from other teen writers. For more information call 617-227-8135.

HOMEWORK ASSISTANCE

Homework help is available at the North End Library, 25 Parmenter Street on Wednesdays from 4 to 6 p.m. For more information call 617-227-8135.

FREE FITNESS SERIES

Boston Parks and Recreation Department and the Public Health Department has started the Boston Parks Winter Fitness Series, sponsored by Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Massachusetts.

The program which runs through May 1, will offer free classes at eleven locations across the City. For more information call 617-534-2355.

FUEL ASSISTANCE

ABCD Fuel Assistance Program can help families stay warm this winter by covering some or all your heating needs this winter.

Qualifiers could receive up to \$1,440 for their fuel bill. For info call 617-423-9215.

STAR MARKET SHUTTLE

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COMPUTER ASSISTANCE

One-On-One computer assistance for adults is being held at the North End Library, by appointment only. Call 617-227-8135 to reserve a spot.

NSC ARTS AND CRAFTS

Every other Thursday from 10 to 11 a.m. the North End/West End Neighborhood Service Center (NSC), 1 Michelangelo Street conducts arts and crafts.



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IN BRIEF By Phil Orlandella

MANY PROGRAM **EVENTS AND** ACTIVITIES AT **ARMENIAN PARK**

Friends of the Armenian Heritage Park on the Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway have put together a year of programs, events and activities at the public park.

It all starts with celebrating What Unites Us on March 26 and concludes with a Candlelit Labyrinth Walk in Peace and Harmony on Sunday, December 13.

between, the annual In reconfiguration of the Abstract Sculpture will be held on Sunday, April 19.

In remembrance, a gathering to honor the lives of those lost during genocide on Friday, April 24 and Sunday, April 26.

A two-part celebration of ArtWeek will be held on Saturday, May 2.

There are many other events scheduled at the park full listing email hello@armenianheritagepark.org.

FREE HEALTH SCREENING AT NAZZARO CENTER

BCYF Nazzaro Community Center will conduct a free health screening on Saturday, March 28 from noon to 4 PM.

"The program is provided by the Kidney Disease Awareness Program (KDSAP) Harvard Medical School and Brigham & Women's Hospital," Nazzaro Center Program Supervisor Laurie D'Elia said.

The program includes: Body mass index (BMI) blood pressure test, urine test, blood sugar test and a physician consult.

Registration deadline is March 18. For more information call 617-635-5611. The Nazzaro Center is located at 30 North Bennet Street.

By Phil Orlandella

During the month of March, the North End Library, 25 Parmenter St. has coordinated a full-scale plan of activities, events and programs for all ages.

Five Friday films and five Wednesday films will be featured.

A book discussion and 30 Minute Reads Club have been scheduled and many more adult programs.

Eight children's events are planned as well.

EVENTS FOR ADULTS

Friday Films: Films of Ida Lupino

Friday March 6 - 1:00 pm High Sierra

Friday March 13 - 1:00 pm On Dangerous Ground

Friday March 20 - 1:00 pm Hard, Fast and Beautiful!

Friday March 27 - 1:00 pm The Bigamist

One-on-One Computer Assistance for Adults by Appointment

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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.

Wednesday Films: The Films of Oscar Wilde

Wednesday March 4 – 5:30 pm The Canterville Ghost

Wednesday March 13 - 5:30 pm The Picture of Dorian Gray

Wednesday March 20 - 5:30 pm The Importance of Being Farnest

Wednesday March 25 - 5:30 pm Oscar Wilde

Crafty Grown-ups: Flower Making

Thursdays March 5 and 19 -4:00 – 5:30 pm

Craft lovely paper blooms for spring. For grown-ups only,

Book Discussion Club Tuesday March 17 - 4:30-5:30 pm

March's book is Henry, Himself (2019) by Stewart O'Nan. Copies can be picked up at the library's

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30-Minute Reads Club Thursdays, March12 and 26 -4:00-5:00 pm

NORTH END LIBRARY PROGRAMS

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CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Drag Queen Story Hour Saturday, March 7 - 11:00 am

12:00 pm

Drag Queen Story Hour is a program for children ages 3 - 8 that raises awareness of gender diversity, promotes self-acceptance, and builds empathy through an enjoyable literary experience, and is led by local Boston drag queens who will sing songs, read picture books, and engage in a craft activity.

Kids' Crafternoon

Mondays, March 2 and 16 at 3:30 p.m.

Use different art supplies to create a project to take home. Ideal for kids 3-7 years old.

Toddler Story Time

Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.

Listen to stories, sing songs, and learn together through move-

ment and play. This story time is ideal for little ones who have started walking and moving on their own.

Baby Story Time

Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m.

Enjoy gentle stories, songs, and lap bounces for pre-walking babies and caregivers.

Tween Tuesdays

Tuesdays, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Explore science, engineering, technology, or art through different hands-on activities. For kids 10-12 years old.

Lego Club

Wednesdays, 3:00-4:00 p.m. Drop in after school to build whatever you can imagine with LEGOs and DUPLOs.

BTU Homework Help

Wednesdays, 4:00-6:00 p.m. The Boston Teachers Union sponsors a Homework Helper program in each of the Boston Public Library branches. The BTU provides a teacher to help a child with his or her homework for free.

Teen Creative Writing Group Fridays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

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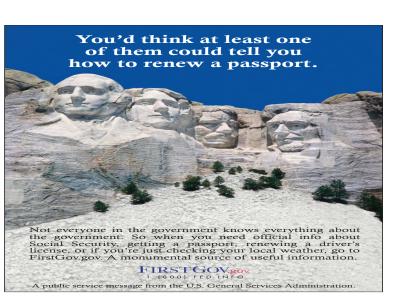
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Arlene Welnicki Of: Boston, MA To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by Massachusetts General Hospital of Boston, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Arlene Welnicki is in need of a Conservator or other protective order and requesting that (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Conservator to serve Without Surety on the bond. The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is disabled, that a protective order or appointment of a Conservator is necessary, and that the proposed conservator is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court. 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 03/12/2020. This 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

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COMMONWEALTH **OF MASSACHUSETTS** THE TRIAL COURT **PROBATE AND** FAMILY COURT Suffolk Probate And Family Court 24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA 02114 (617)788-8300 CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR

enter a formal Decree and Order that James G. Long, III of Boston, MA be appointed as Successor Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve With Coperate Surety on the bond and for such other relief as requested in the Petition. You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition 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 3/26/2020. 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 date, action may be taken without further notice to you. The estate is being administered under formal procedure by the Personal Representative under the **Massachusetts Uniform** Prohate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but recipients 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 WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Date: February 11, 2020 Felix D. Arroyo **Register of Probate** 2/27/20

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Capobianco seeks re-election for Democratic State Committee

Democratic State Committeeman Valentino Capobianco has formally announced he is seeking re-election for Democratic State Committee representing the First Suffolk and Middlesex Senate District. Capobianco will appear on the Democratic Presidential Primary Ballot on March 3.

Having served on the Democratic State Committee since the age of 18 and the Winthrop School Committee since the age of 25, Capobianco is in a unique position to use his experience as an asset to the committee. First Suffolk and Middlesex Democratic State Committee Woman Denise LoConte said that "Valentino is a proven Democratic leader and a rising young star in our party. He's a valued member of the Massachusetts Democratic State Committee and I look forward to serving with him over the next four years."

Capobianco was born in East Boston, and now calls Winthrop his home. Capobianco is a graduate of Winthrop High School and Suffolk University. He is currently Chief of Staff for State Sen. Paul Feeney and has worked on several high profile Democratic Campaigns. He is currently a sitting member of the Winthrop



Democratic State Committeeman Valentino Capobianco.

School Committee were he served as Chairman, a member of the Winthrop 2020 Census Committee, and the Winthrop Airport Hazards Committee.

Over the next four years Capobianco is committed to electing and preserving Democrats running for state and federal offices. He is committed to building a grassroots organization at the precinct level, and building party membership. Additionally he is committed to ensuring that President Trump will be defeated this November and he is committed to working day in and day out to electing the Democratic Party nominee.

FAMILIES ENJOY SNOW TUBING

Below, scenes from the recent snow tubing activity held at Nashoba Valley attracted many participants. Sponsored by the Nazzaro Community Center and North End Against Drugs many families enjoyed the day on the slopes.







