

HONORING THE EHS GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM



Mayor Carlo DeMaria last week presented citations to the EHS Girls Basketball Greater Boston League champions and their first-year coach, Riley Dunn. Pictured (right to left): Celeste Fuccillo; Kayley Rossi; Ashley Fitzgerald; Maya Kirnon; Coach Dunn; Mayor De-Maria; Tatianna Moran; Ashley Cordeiro; Gigi Boyce; and Jane Odiari (missing from pic is Andrea Manley).

ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL

Adrien mayoral campaign brings on Kate Burnett

Staff Report

The Gerly Adrien for Mayor campaign has brought on Kate Burnett to be the campaign manager of the effort, having started about two weeks ago.

Burnett said she left a stable job to run the campaign and is ready to help Councilor Adrien win in September and November.

“To be honest, I was a little nervous on my first day,” she said. “I left a sta-



Kate Burnett is the new campaign manager for the Adrien for Mayor campaign.

ble job during a pandemic to help run a campaign.

Not just any campaign, but one that’s going up against a mayor that has been in office for 12 years. But I saw a chance to create a better Everett for all with Gerly as mayor and knew I wanted to help.”

Burnett helped to coordinate a virtual fundraiser last Sunday, May 23, with a \$35 suggested donation. However, she said the “movement” is powered by small donations, so any contribution was appreciated.

COVID-19 case updates

The City of Everett announced it would no longer be publicly posting daily case counts, as the numbers have grown low enough not to report on a daily basis. “As we enter the next phase of the COVID19 recovery period, we will no longer be posting daily numbers because of the consistent low numbers our city has seen,” read a statement. “If there are any spikes, please know, the Administration will use this platform to keep everyone informed. Thank you, stay safe, and God Bless.”

COVID Case Count May 25-29 = 16
COVID Case Count May 18-25 = 24
COVID Case Count May 11-18 = 35
COVID Case Count May 4-May 11 = 67
The most recent numbers are as follows:

- Tuesday, June 1 – No Reports.
- Monday, May 31 – No Reports.
- Sunday, May 30 – No Reports.
- Saturday, May 29 – 2
- Friday, May 28 – 2
- Thursday, May 27 – 2
- Wednesday, May 26 – 3
- Tuesday, May 25 – 7

•Everett moved its testing full-time indoors at the Samuel Gentile Recreation Center on Elm Street. Testing is done Monday to Thursday, 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., and then 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. On Friday and Saturdays, testing is done noon to 6 p.m. It was announced this week that the Rec Center test site will remain open until June 30.

Real Estate Transfers

BUYER 1	SELLER 1	ADDRESS	PRICE
Park, Jessica	Bradford Condo Corp	170 Bradford St #5	\$555,000
Hernandez, Genaro	Angelo Dibartolomeo RT	17 Cannell Pl	\$710,000
Lavita, Richard A	Johnston FT	135 Central Ave	\$500,000
Genin, Noah	Delarosa, Edison J	40 Everett St	\$515,000
Kolek, Christopher W	Krausman, Rachel E	61 Foster St	\$685,000
Reynoso, Manuel	Periera, Luis M	25 Luke Rd	\$560,000
Shrestha, Ganesh	Rosa, Jose R	50-52 Pearl St	\$860,000
Lila, Nezar C	Farhat, Malika	9 Peirce Ave	\$330,000
Sunoco Retail LLC	Best Petroleum Net Lease	1707 Revere Beach Pkwy	\$817,849
Jaymangal Everett LLC	Mingoelli RT	1795 Revere Beach Pkwy	\$1,001,000
Appleton Grove LLC	Parlatore, Mary L	17 West St	\$280,000



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hood Health Center CEO Manny Lopes.

The percentage of the population in Everett that is Black is 23 percent, but the numbers of Black residents that have been vaccinated fully or with one dose is 10 percent. Similarly, Hispanic residents make up 33 percent of the population in Everett, but the vaccination numbers for them are around 22 percent.

Meanwhile, white residents make up 38 percent of the population, but are vaccinated at a rate of around 40 percent. Asian residents make up 6 percent of the population and are vaccinated at a rate of about 8 percent.

In neighboring Chelsea, which has one of the highest Hispanic populations in the state at 68 percent of the population, that City and its partners like EBNHC have vaccinated 51 percent of that population. In Revere, the Hispanic population makes up 41 percent, and around 35 percent of that population is vaccinated. The Black population in Chelsea is much smaller than Everett, at 9 percent, and has about 6 percent vaccinated. It’s a similar story in Revere with Blacks at 6 percent of the population and being vaccinated at a rate of 4 percent.

Those are numbers that EBNHC CEO Lopes said are some of the highest in the state, and largely due to the unique work they have been doing in tandem with those municipalities and the community groups in those cities.

The City of Everett has had a far-reaching vaccine clinic it set up with its Board of Health, being one of the only cities in the state to stand up its own free-standing vaccination clinic. The clinic vaccinated more than 10,000 people in a weekly effort at the former Pope John High School – with appointments available by calling 3-1-1. That strategy is now winding down to take on a more mobile role.

“Since March, the City of Everett has vaccinated approximately 10,000 individuals through our weekly vaccination clinic at Pope John,” said Mayor Carlo DeMaria. “Additionally, the Everett Board of Health continues to provide vaccine clinics onsite at Everett Housing Authority sites. Those unable to make our weekend clinics can always call 3-1-1 to schedule an appointment during City Hall business hours. Recently, the City has partnered with the Department of Public Health and ASG Communications for more direct communication with residents regarding the facts and myths of the vaccine. Through this partnership we are making direct contact with residents who may not have been vaccinated. I look forward to continuing to ensure that all residents have the opportunity to be vaccinated.”

Last week, the City announced it was pivoting in that effort as the clinic has slowed down. They have now started moving to pop-up clinics at places like parks and food pantries. This Saturday, June 5, will be the last day at the Pope John vaccine clinic, and on that same day, a

Everett Vaccination rates (as of May 25):

- Overall – 48 percent
- Asian – (6 percent of the population) – 8 percent
- Black – (23 percent of the population) - 10 percent
- Hispanic – (33 percent of the population) – 22 percent
- White – (38 percent of the population) – 40 percent

pop-up vaccine clinic will begin in Glendale Park.

That’s something Rev. Myrlande DesRosiers of the Everett Haitian Community Center (EHCC) has been calling to implement for some time, as part of a Vaccine Equity and Training Grant EHCC has received from Cambridge Health Alliance (CHA) for the region’s non-English speaking minority groups. That grant covers efforts in Everett and five other communities and partners with other organizations to provide education and access to the vaccine in Portuguese, Spanish and Haitian Kreyol.

The issue in Everett, she said, is battling spiritual beliefs, cultural beliefs, historic mistrust, and inconvenient access points for these communities.

“It’s a mixture,” she said. “It’s bits and pieces of all these things. It’s the particular population, it’s access and the question of enrollment for appointments at the beginning. We have had to battle the fear and they were based sometimes in cultural beliefs and spiritual beliefs and it was also about convenient access and those who were just not comfortable taking it.”

One of the questions often presented to her dealt with mistrust, and the kind of vaccine offered in Everett. That historic mistrust of medical institutions played a part in the low numbers, she said – especially when people didn’t get to choose which vaccine they wanted of the three offered. Many Haitians, she said, work in the medical field and saw one vaccine given to nursing home residents in wealthy communities where they work, but in Everett they saw a different vaccine being given.

“Many people thought the vaccine given to Black people or Haitian people was the bad vaccine,” she said. “There was this belief and some thought the best vaccine maybe was being given and reserved for white people. They thought the Johnson & Johnson was being reserved for the Black or immigrant community. People questioned that. They wanted to know why they couldn’t choose. That began all kinds of conspiracy theories and a lot of that comes from how it is distributed. We’ve made a lot of progress on that with education, but it lingers.”

A second issue, she said, was the access provided – especially in the Haitian community, which has the lowest rate of vaccination right now along with Spanish-speaking and Arabic-speaking communities. While some Haitians work in other industries, most Haitian residents she said work in the medical field or at nursing homes – many at multiple jobs – and keep far different hours than the rest of the City’s residents. Because many also take the bus, she said she has suggested that pop-up clinics be offered at busy bus stops very early in the morning or late at night,

when most of the population is going or coming from work – with their schedules usually being from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., and/or 3 p.m. to 11 p.m.

“You need to have someone stationed two hours before 7 a.m. to get them so that it coincides with their schedule, say maybe at a bus stop even or very near a bus stop,” she said. “If you don’t have stations that are open two hours before 7 a.m. you aren’t going to get that population...These are the conversations we need to have that are real.”

EBNHC CEO Lopes and COO Greg Wilmot said their efforts in Chelsea, East Boston and Revere are being lauded by the state, but they said it’s nothing they did on their own. In Chelsea, they turned to places like La Colaborativa – a trusted human services provider – to provide a space for the vaccinations in its offices and to assist in canvassing the neighborhoods to knock on doors and promote vaccination as early as last February. That work, Wilmot said, was learned when EBNHC began testing sites in the region and at Suffolk Downs. Quickly, they said, they learned they needed to partner closely and collaboratively with trusted members of immigrant communities that understood the barriers and spoke the appropriate languages.

“Our role as a health care provider is to relay accurate information to these communities so they can thrive,” said Wilmot. “It’s not new, but it’s that the stakes are so high that the effects are felt disproportionately. It has helped us broker new relationships and show how important it is to have trusted relationships with trusted community partners. It has been so important.”

Said Lopes, “Equity has been top of the list always, but as the pandemic unfolded it just highlighted how important that health care is in providing access and equity. When we and our partners have this conversation with the community, we’re in a position to follow with the vaccine right behind them. If we don’t have convenient access, it’s hard for someone to turn that knowledge into an action. Having these community partners has helped us to do just that.”

Having been offering pop-ups in their communities over the last several months, and canvassing the neighborhoods with partners, Lopes and Wilmot said they are now also moving towards offering the vaccine with primary care doctors.

“We thought it was important that during a regular visit with your doctor, you could ask these nuanced questions in the exam room,” he said. “We are now offering vaccines as part of a Primary Care visit so they can have that higher-thinking experience with their doctor. That’s making a difference now too.”

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Developers build 33 new affordable homes for seniors in Everett,” said MassDevelopment President and CEO Dan Rivera. “St. Therese will be a welcome addition to Greater Boston’s housing stock by offering an affordable, safe, and vibrant community for many seniors to call home.”

St. Therese will include a community room, fitness room, common laundry, central air conditioning, and 58 surface parking spaces. The facility will be part of a larger mixed-use project that will include an additional 44 affordable rental units, six three-bedroom homeownership units, and a senior-focused health care center operated by East Boston Neighborhood Health Center. A pocket park on the property will be redeveloped to recognize the history of St. Therese Parish and will include remnants from the former church building.

In addition to the tax-exempt bond, MassDevelopment assisted the Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) with the approval of federal low-income housing tax credits, which will provide approximately \$5.5 million in equity for the project. DHCD also awarded subsidy funds in support of both this 33-unit project, as well as the adjacent 44-unit rental development.

“Older adults make up a growing portion of our Commonwealth, and we need to increase the supply of affordable, quality senior housing with services in every region,” said Housing and Community Development Undersecretary Jennifer



A rendering of the finished project at St. Therese Parish.

Maddox. “Since 2015, we have invested more than \$1.4 billion in the production and preservation of affordable housing in support of projects. Stable housing for working families, seniors, and vulnerable populations is vital for resilient communities. We are proud to support the St. Therese development which will create new, affordable homes for seniors with support services to help them thrive in Everett.”

Said Mayor Carlo DeMaria, “The addition of the St. Therese project will bring much needed affordable housing opportunities to Everett. Altogether, this project will provide 77 senior citizen affordable units with a local preference of up to 70% for Everett residents. The affordability of these units will range from 30% Area Median Income to 60% Area Median Income. This would translate to a typical one-bedroom having a monthly rent as low as \$1,296 with some rents as low as \$0 depending on tenant income. In addition to the 77 rental units, the project will also construct six new three-bedroom townhouse condominiums, which

will be for sale below market rates, marketed for first-time homeowners with a shared income from \$85,000 to \$154,000 a year. I look forward to being able to welcome residents to their new homes upon completion.”

The Neighborhood Developers, Inc. (TND) is a nonprofit community development corporation headquartered in Chelsea. The organization’s mission is to create strong neighborhoods that enable community members to secure a stable home, achieve economic mobility, and determine their own future. TND owns 488 affordable housing units in Chelsea and Revere.

“In 2020, COVID-19 painfully highlighted the connection between health and housing; at St. Therese people will have access to healthy, affordable housing and convenient medical services and wellness programs at the same time,” said TND Executive Director Rafael Mares. “The PACE model to be offered at St. Therese will provide seniors the support and resources to safely continue living in the communities they are rooted in.”

Middlesex DA’s office along with Everett Police investigating fatal crash into Broadway Street home

The Middlesex District Attorney’s Office and Everett Police have confirmed the ongoing investigation into a fatal crash that occurred early Monday morning on Broadway in Everett.

At around 12:25 a.m. Everett Police responded to the report that a vehicle had crashed into a Broadway home. Upon arrival police located the

vehicle, a Honda Pilot, that had crashed into the porch of the home. The driver of the vehicle, a female, was pronounced dead on scene. The other passenger of the car, an adult male, was also transported and is currently in stable condition. The preliminary investigation indicates that the car was traveling from Glendale Square toward Malden

when it hit a parked car, a tree and subsequently the porch of the home. No one in the home was injured. The investigation into the crash is ongoing at this time.

The investigation is being conducted by the Middlesex District Attorney’s Office, Everett Police and Massachusetts State Police Crash Reconstruction and Analysis Section.

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ority as we reopen positions.”

At a meeting of the MGC on Wednesday, May 26, the Commissioners voted to lift three orders from June 23, 2020; Oct. 8, 2020; and March 11, 2021. Those restrictions included the overall COVID-19 regulations, and also specific regulations for playing Roulette, Blackjack and Craps. Lifting those regulations also allowed the reintroduction of Poker games at the casino, which haven’t been allowed for feasible since the pandemic closed down operations at Encore more than a year ago.

The MGC Commissioners voted 4-0 to rescind all the orders on the state’s casinos, including Encore.

“It’s been 15 months since the Gaming Commission convened with all three casino licensees in a virtual setting to discuss the rapid reach of the coronavirus pandemic,” MGC Chair Cathy Judd-Stein said. “The three gaming licensees have cooperated fully throughout this process, working always to serve the public’s

interests and protect their patrons and employees.

“We thank Plainridge Park Casino, MGM Springfield, and Encore Boston Harbor for their compliance and dedication to health and safety during this difficult period,” Chair Judd-Stein continued. “I also wish to extend my sincere gratitude to the entire MGC team for its consistent commitment over the last 15 months.”

The orders were rescinded subject to the following conditions, which were agreed to by the gaming licensees:

•The licensees shall conduct business in accordance with all COVID-19-related orders and advisories issued by the Governor or the Commonwealth of Massachusetts that remain in effect, as well as any applicable CDC guidelines.

•The licensees will ensure their pandemic safety officer remains in place until further notice.

•The licensees will continue to report any positive COVID-19 tests related to the gaming establishment to the MGC’s Investigations and Enforcement Bureau (IEB) and their respective local boards of health.

•The licensees will continue to work cooperatively with the IEB to ensure the relevant guidance and practices are being followed.

HORSE RACING AND SIMULCASTING ALSO RESUME

In separate 4-0 votes, the Commission also allowed horse racing and simulcasting licensees, including Plainridge Park Casino, Raynham Park, and Suffolk Downs, to rescind their respective MGC-approved COVID-19-related reopening plans.

Those restrictions were rescinded with the same restrictions as were attached to the casino licensees.

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ration of a public health emergency under the public health statute.

Under this order, the Executive Office of Health and Human Services and the Department of Public Health will be proposing to the Public Health Council the continuation of some public health orders in the coming weeks to maintain flexibilities and policies for vaccination, testing and other critical operations.

ernor Baker filed legislation to extend certain emergency measures currently in place via executive orders that are set to expire on June 15 with the end of the State of Emergency. The bill would extend measures providing for a temporary suspension of certain open meeting law requirements, special permits for expanded outside dining at restaurants, and surprise billing protections for COVID-19 patients.

Earlier this week, Gov-

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PLANNING BOARD
484 BROADWAY
EVERETT, MA 02149

EVERETT PLANNING BOARD
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Public Hearing on a Proposed Amendment to the Lower Broadway District Urban Renewal Plan

Public Notice is hereby given that the City of Everett Planning Board will hold a public hearing to discuss a proposed amendment to the Lower Broadway District Urban Renewal Plan on **Monday, June 14, 2021, starting at 7:00 P.M.**, via Zoom. The public may view and participate in the hearing at this link: <https://ci-everett-ma.zoom.us/j/95367693926>. This link and a telephone access number for the hearing will be provided on the hearing agenda and on the Planning Board’s website. For those wishing to view the meeting live but who do not wish to participate, the meeting can be viewed live on YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdwaOnTb-geJaekx02IH54Q>).

The Planning Board is seeking to determine whether the proposed amendment is consistent with the General Plan for the City of Everett. A draft of the amendment is available on the City of Everett website, (<http://www.cityofeverett.com/DocumentCenter/View/6289/Urban-Renewal-Plan-Amendment-Lower-Broadway-Economic-Development-District->) and at the City Clerk’s Office at 484 Broadway, Room 10, Everett City Hall between 8:00 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. on Monday and Thursday, and 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on Tuesday and Wednesday. Questions and comments can be directed in advance of the public hearing to Matt Lattanzi of the Department of Planning & Development at Matt.Lattanzi@ci.everett.ma.us or 617-394-2230.

Frederick E. Cafasso, Chairman

May 26, 2021, June 2, 2021

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

484 Broadway
Everett, Massachusetts
02149

(617) 394-2498

To Whom It May Concern:

This notice is to inform you that a public hearing will be held on Monday, June 21, 2021 at 7:00 PM, Everett City Hall, 3rd Floor George Keverian Hearing Room. All interested parties may attend and opinions will be heard regarding the following petition. Whereas a petition has been presented by:

Property Address: 20 Mohan Street
Map/Parcel: A0-02-000052
Person Requesting: Richard Little
20 Mohan Street
Everett, MA 02149

To the said Board of Appeals Applicant seeks to change the use of the existing single-family dwelling to a two-family dwelling in a dwelling district. For a two-family dwelling they do not have the square feet required by City of Everett Zoning.

Several off-street parking issues are in violation of The City of Everett Zoning:

Parking too close to operable windows (carbon monoxide gases displaced from vehicles).

Applicant is proposing stacked parking.

Vehicles will be parked in the front yard off-set.

The permit is respectfully denied in accordance with The City of Everett Zoning Appendix A for the following reasons:

Reason for Denial:

1. Section 4 Dwelling Districts (b) Dimensional Requirements. (17) (b) (2) Requires a minimum lot size of 7000 square feet for a two-family dwelling, the existing lot requiring relief is 3164 square feet, (3836 square feet deficient).

2. Section 17 Off-Street parking (M) requires that no parking be located within 8 feet of any window or habitable room in the basement or first floor. This dwelling will have seven windows on the driveway side that appears to be within eight feet of the parked vehicles.

3. Section 17 Off-Street parking (J) which states: Parking facilities shall be designed so that each motor vehicle may proceed to the parking space provided for it without requiring the moving of any other vehicle. The Board of Appeals, however may by special permit modify this requirement and the dimensional requirements of paragraph (I) of this section, where a parking facility is under full-time attendant supervision.

4. Section 17 Off-Street Parking (K) Parking facilities shall be designed so that no vehicles shall be parked nearer to any street lines than the minimum specified building setback for the Zoning District in which the parking facility is located.

Applicant must seek relief in the form of a variance from the zoning Board of Appeals

June 2, 2021
June 9, 2021

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Property Address: 48 Westover Street
Map/Lot: A0-05-000230
Person Requesting: Marie Prosper
Rena Prosper
48 Westover Street
Everett, MA 02149

To the said Board of Appeals, the applicant seeks to construct a 15’-4” x 12’ addition on the rear of the existing structure.

Reason for Denial:

Permit was denied in accordance to the City of Everett Zoning Ordinance Appendix A as follows:

The existing structure is a non-conforming structure in that it does not have the proper front yard, side yard or rear yard.

Violations:

Section 3 General Requirements paragraph C which states the following:

Existing non-conforming structure or uses may be extended or altered, provided that such extension, alteration or change of use shall be permitted only upon the grant of a Special Permit by the zoning board of appeals after a public hearing and a finding by the board that such extension, alteration or change of use shall not be substantially more detrimental to the neighborhood than the existing non-conforming use or structure. (Ord. of 4-29-91)

For reference the requirements are as follows:

Section 4 Dwelling Districts (b) Dimensional Requirements line 4. Front Yard:

Twenty (20) feet minimum except where the average front yard of a least two (2) buildings on the same side of the street and within two hundred (200) feet of the lot are less than twenty (20) feet, and the front yard may be equal to the average of those buildings but not less than ten (10) feet. Porches may encroach ten (10) feet onto the required front yard. Stairs shall be excluded from any front yard restrictions. (Ord. of 6-29-87)

6. Side Yard: a. Four (4) feet minimum with a total of sixteen (16) feet

7. Rear Yard: a. Twenty-Five (25) feet minimum except for open decks and porches, which may encroach in the required rear yard provided that in no case shall the rear yard be less than fifteen (15) feet measured to any part of the porch or deck Twenty-five (25) feet minimum, except for open decks and porches

Violations:

• The Front yard is shown to be only 5’
• The side yard on the left side is shown to be only 2’ +/-
• And the current rear yard is only 23’ and after the proposed addition it will only be 11’ +/-

Applicant must seek relief in the form of a variance from the zoning Board of Appeals
Mary Gerace – Chairman
Roberta Suppa – Clerk
Board of Appeals

June 2, 2021
June 9, 2021

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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CLASS OF 2021

Graduation Day is one of the few occasions that brings a smile to the faces of everyone in a community, regardless of whether they have a personal connection to a graduate. It is an occasion when all of us share in the joy -- and pride -- that graduation day marks in the lives of our young people. For older folks, graduation day recalls a time when we too, were young and our entire future lay in front of us.

Graduation day marks a bittersweet moment for parents, friends, family, and teachers, as well for the grads themselves. As befits every turning point in our lives, it is a time of mixed emotions of joy, sadness, and reflection. Although the graduates and those close to them are looking forward to the exciting future that lies before them, they also will be looking back on the passing of their carefree youth and the experiences that have shaped their lives to this point.

The young women and men who will be receiving their diplomas no longer are considered “youths” in the eyes of the world. They are full-fledged adults who have been deemed ready to assume all of the rights -- and responsibilities -- that adulthood implies.

The graduates, most of whom have turned 18, can vote, run for public office, enter into contracts, be tried fully as adults in the criminal justice system, and fight and die for their country.

For the parents of the grads, watching their “little boy or girl” proceed to the podium to receive his or her diploma will be a poignant moment. No doubt every parent will be thinking of the sentiments expressed in the song, Sunrise, Sunset, from Fiddler On The Roof:

Is this the little girl I carried?
Is this the little boy at play?
I don't remember growing older
When - did - they?
When did she get to be a beauty?
When did he grow to be so tall?
Wasn't it yesterday when they - were - small?

Although economists these days tell us that the value of a high school diploma is not what it was a generation or more ago, the graduates should keep in mind, as they contemplate venturing out into an uncertain world, that their mere presence on the podium has proven that they have the ability and the determination to achieve whatever goals they may set for themselves.

We recently came across a news item that appeared in the Winthrop Sun on June 24, 1898. The article, which reprinted the Class Ode for the Winthrop High Class of 1898, is as timely today as it was 123 years ago, and sums up the feelings of all of us on Graduation Day.

The years pass by in swift array
We cannot check their onward flight;
The moments that were ours today,
Have passed forever from our sight.

Yet while the course of life moves by
We too, must never lag behind;
But work and strive as best we may
To aid and benefit all mankind.

This we must do, or soon too late
We think in sadness of our loss,
For “Each is Master of his Fate,”
Though some must bear a heavy cross.

And when the race of life is run,
This life that holds so much for each
Shall come the gentle words, “Well done!”
As we at last the goal have reached.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

MAYOR DEMARIA TO HOST VIRTUAL COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Mayor Carlo DeMaria is pleased to announce that he will be virtually hosting community meetings on Zoom on Wednesdays until July 14, at 7 p.m. Each meeting will be with a different ward of the City of Everett to learn more about the current issues facing the specific neighborhood.

“My Administration and I are excited to meet with the different wards of Everett,” said Mayor DeMaria. “Over the past year, the pandemic presented many issues in addition to the ordinary concerns that arise and I want to hear from our residents. We look forward to further connecting with the community and discussing the issues that are affecting their everyday lives.”

The schedule for the meetings is as follows:

- Ward 3: Wednesday, June 9, 2021
- Ward 4: Wednesday, June 23, 2021
- Ward 5: Wednesday, June 30, 2021
- Ward 6: Wednesday, July 14, 2021

To join the meeting for your ward, please use the following Zoom information:

Join the Zoom meeting using this link:

<https://ci-everett-ma.zoom.us/j/91511213761>

Meeting ID: 915 1121 3761

Dial in: +1 646 558 8656

COUNCIL ON AGING/CONNOLLY CENTER

Mayor Carlo DeMaria and The Council on Aging, together, have been working diligently to be able to offer programing to our senior residents to slowly open up The Connolly Center while maintaining current safety practices and protocol. We are happy to announce our “Coffee Clutch” program.

The Connolly Center will be open Mondays and Fridays only, beginning Monday April 12. There will be two sessions offered to Everett Seniors, and one session offered on Friday. Each session will allow a maximum of 24 seniors. There will be 6 tables of 4 people each for a 90 minute session. Seniors will have the opportunity to see old friends, enjoy a snack and coffee and scheduled entertainment. Safety protocols, such as mask wearing, temperature checks and social distancing are mandatory.



Plan the work, and then work the plan. It has remained the City's goal to continuously improve pedestrian safety throughout Everett. Pictured is a Marchese Construction sidewalk crew working diligently to improve sidewalks on Fuller Street last week. If anyone is in need of a sidewalk repair, please call 311 and report the concern.



On February 6, the City of Everett opened our doors at Pope John High School to provide vaccinations to Everett residents. Vaccine supply was scarce, and the need was imminent. Throughout this clinic, we have vaccinated over 10,000 Everett residents! Over the past few weeks our clinics have slowed down and the City has made the decision to pivot, work with mobile providers, and provide vaccines at places like parks and food pantries. June 5th will be our last day at Pope John for vaccines but there are multiple other places around the community to be vaccinated.

Monday – Friday, Encore Boston Harbor, 1 Broadway Everett – 8:00AM – 3:00PM

Wednesday, May 26th – Connolly Center, 90 Chelsea Street Everett 8:00AM – 12:00PM

Saturday, June 5th – Glendale Park, 100 Elm Street Everett – 8:00AM – vaccine runs out

Our staff is required to sanitize before and after each session.

The “Coffee Clutch” Schedule is as follows:

- Monday from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
- Monday from 10:45 a.m. to noon
- Friday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon
- Reservations are a must. To make a reservation please call Margaret @ (617) 394-2323.

MAYOR DEMARIA'S SUMMER BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Mayor DeMaria is pleased to announce that the Mayor DeMaria's Summer Basketball League will begin on Tuesday, June 29, 2021 and will run through Saturday, August, 7, 2021. The games will occur at Rivergreen Park on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 4pm-8pm and on Saturdays between 9am-12pm.

“The Summer Basketball League is an exciting way to start the summer,” said Mayor DeMaria. “This program will not

only provide normalcy to the children's lives, but it will also promote health and fitness. I encourage all the eligible youth in the community to participate.”

Registration is required to participate in the league, and both boys and girls are welcome to participate. There is a \$20 registration fee per child in the form of cash or money order. Teams will be broken down into 4th/5th/6th grade, 7th/8th grade, and high school students.

Beginning on Saturday, July 10th, there will also be an instructional class on Saturday mornings between 9am-10am for boys and girls in the 1st/2nd/3rd grade. This class will be held for four weeks with no fee.

Registration will be available in the lobby of the Samuel Gentile Recreation Center between 4pm-8pm on the following days:

- Friday, June 4th
- Tuesday, June 8th
- Thursday, June 10th
- Tuesday, June 15th
- Thursday, June 17th
- Tuesday, June 22nd

For any questions or concerns, please email summerbball@ci.everett.ma.us.

EVERETT KIWANIS CLUB TO HOLD BOCCE TOURNEY IN METHUEN

Everett Kiwanis is proud to announce the Third Annual Frank Mastrocola Bocce Tournament to be held on Saturday, June 12 at the Methuen

Sons of Italy, 459 Merrimack St, Methuen. First place team wins The Ersilia Cup and a \$1,000 cash prize.

BOSTON GLORY TO HAVE FULL CAPACITY AT HOME GAMES

In accordance with state and local guidelines, Boston Glory will have full capacity at Hormel Stadium. Boston Glory is a professional ultimate team and member of the 22-team AUDL (American Ultimate Disc League). Featuring men's players from across New England, the team is poised to begin its inaugural season.

“This is what it is all about,” team owner Peter Coltery said. “Going through this past winter and spring without the guarantee of fans in the building was tough, we're so excited to be able to shar our product. We're going to create a really fun environment for fans of all ages. With an incredible product on the field, we're excited to get the stands packed. Even if you're not too familiar with ultimate, we're confident you'll fall in love after a couple hours at Hormel.”

The AUDL has been gaining popularity across the country since 2012. Boston Glory's season will begin in Pittsburgh on June 5. Glory will make their home debut at Hormel Stadium in Medford on June 11 against Atlanta. Tickets are available now on the team website.

SCHIAVO CLUB’S ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY PROCESSION AND GATHERING

COURTESY PHOTOS

The Schiavo Club held its annual Memorial Day procession and gathering on Monday, May 31. The procession marched to the corner of Oakes and Tufts to decorate and honor the Hero Square dedicated to Carmen Schiavo. Cpl. Schiavo was killed in action in World War II on June 7, 1945 on Okinawa Island.

Then, the group moved back to the Schiavo Club for a fun gathering and outdoor social event.



Don Auger decorates the Hero Square dedicated to Cpl. Carmen Schiavo.



Don Auger reads some of the history behind Cpl. Carmen Schiavo.



Mayor Carlo DeMaria and a friend catch up at the Schiavo Club.



Ward 6 Council Candidate Al Lattanzi, Dolores Lattanzi and Mayor Carlo DeMaria.



Father Joseph Chacha Marwa, State Rep. Joe McGonagle and Councilor Anthony DiPierro.



Members of the Schiavo Club prepare to march.



Father Joseph Chacha Marwa blesses the event with an Invocation.



Families enjoyed the ice cream truck that was on hand.



An Everett High band member plays ‘Taps’ after the dedication.



Walking the procession were Mayor Carlo DeMaria, State Sen. Sal DiDomenico, Councilor Rosa DiFlorio and Councilor Anthony DiPierro.



Members of the Schiavo Club, including Don Auger and Joseph Ruggiero – among others, pose with Councilor Anthony DiPierro, State Rep. Joe McGonagle and Mayor Carlo DeMaria.



Mayor Carlo DeMaria reads a proclamation for the event.



Director Gene O'Brien and the Everett Crimson Tide Band were on hand to perform.

CITY OF EVERETT, VETERANS SERVICES HOLD ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES

The City of Everett in partnership with the Veterans Services Department hosted its Annual Memorial Day Exercises on Monday, May 31. Due to the impending rain, services were held in the auditorium of Everett High School rather than the traditional venue of Greenwood Cemetery.

Mayor Carlo DeMaria, Commissioner of Veterans Services Jeanne Cristiano, State Senator Sal DiDomenico, State Representative Joe McGonagle, U.S. Coast Guard Warrant Officer Robert Leper, and Bishop Robert Brown were among those speaking at the event.



Ray LePore, who served on the San Jacinto during WWII, takes a moment to reflect.



Everett's Ashlaay Villard was featured to sing the National Anthem on Monday.



Mayor Carlo DeMaria addressed the crowd.



State Rep. Joe McGonagle.



A member of Everett Fire delivers a speech for Memorial Day.



Sen. Sal DiDomenico delivered a message for Memorial Day.

COURTESY PHOTOS




Bishop Robert Brown started off the exercises with an Invocation prayer, and was also a featured speaker.



The Everett High School Marching Band showed up in force under the direction of Gene O'Brien. The band hasn't been able to perform at a City-sponsored event for some time.



The Drum Line for the Everett High Marching Band played a selection.




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EVERETT HIGH SCHOOL CRIMSON TIDE VARSITY SOFTBALL TEAM



Captains- Madison Smith and Ashley Fitzgerald.



Back row (left to right) Kayley Rossi, Kristi Skane, Bryanna Mason, Kaleigh Snook, Celeste Fuccillo, Kaylin Seward and Emma E. Longmore. Front Row Left-Right- Haley Oteri, Macayla Bessler, Madison Smith, Alyssa Bessler, Sarah Dumeng and Ashely Fitzgerald.



Seniors Kaleigh Snook, Macayla Bessler, Madison Smith, Alyssa Bessler, Sarah Dumeng, Ashley Fitzgerald and Haley Oteri.

EHS Roundup

EHS SOFTBALL
TEAM NIPS
SOMERVILLE, 7-6

The Everett High softball team earned its first victory of the season in walk-off fashion, defeating Greater Boston League rival Somerville, 7-6, in extra innings last Thursday at Glendale Park.

Celeste Fuccillo tossed all nine innings for Everett, allowing just five hits, while fanning 14 opponents and walking only two.

Fuccillo helped her own cause in the second inning when Everett grabbed a 2-0 lead. Macayla Bessler started the rally with a base hit and Bryanna

Mason reached first on a Somerville error with two out. Fuccillo then came through with a base hit to deliver Bessler and freshman Emma Longmore singled to drive in Mason with the second run.

The contest remained in that status until the sixth, when Somerville erupted for three runs, with some Everett fielding miscues proving costly.

The Lady Crimson Tide struck back in their half of the inning when Alyssa Bessler singled and her courtesy runner, Sarah Dumeng, made it all the way home to tie the contest at 3-3 when Somerville

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EVERETT HIGH SCHOOL CRIMSON TIDE BASEBALL TEAM



Head Coach Joel Levine, Asst. Coaches Steve Gallagher and Curtis Tuden with the 2021 EHS Crimson Tide Varsity Baseball Team.



Head Coach Joel Levine with Tide's Captain, Brandon Gibbs.

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ville threw the ball around on a hit by Ashley Fitzgerald, who ended up on third base.

After a scoreless seventh inning, the teams utilized the international tie-breaker rule to start the eighth inning in which a runner is placed at second base with none out. Somerville made the most of its opportunity, scoring two runs to grab a 5-3 lead.

Everett then had its chance in the bottom of the eighth. Kayley Rossi started the inning at second base and Macayla Bessler, the Lady Crimson Tide's cleanup hitter, laced a single into the outfield to score Rossi. After Macayla moved to second on a ground-out and then to third on a base hit by Fitzgerald, sophomore Kristi Skane came in as a pinch-hitter and delivered a clutch base hit to score Bessler with the tying run.

The teams began the ninth inning in the same fashion. Somerville pushed across a single tally in its half of the inning, setting the stage for the exciting conclusion.

Emma Longmore took second for Everett at the start of the inning. Senior Maddy Smith then came through with a big blast for a triple, easily scoring Longmore, and Maddy herself soon came home with the winning run on a base hit by Rossi.

"We were getting the bat on the ball, but we

hit it directly to people in position throughout the game until the last two innings," said EHS head coach Stacy Schiavo. "The girls never gave up and fought until the end. Maddy Smith's triple and Rossi's hit were perfectly-executed.

"Celeste Fuccillo pitched an amazing game," Schiavo continued. "After the Medford game we told her she needed to lay off outside pitches because when they come around late, they were getting a piece of the ball. She adjusted and as a result she had 14 strikeouts and allowed only five hits."

Among the top defensive plays by the Lady Crimson Tide during the contest was a throw by Bessler, the Everett catcher, to shortstop Smith at second base to nab a Somerville girl on a steal attempt.

The day before, the Everett girls came up on the short end of a 14-2 decision to Medford. The Lady Mustangs grabbed a 1-0 lead in the first on a home run and then added four runs in the second, a solo tally in the third, and three more in the fourth.

The Everett bats came alive in the bottom of the fourth. A base hit by Macayla Bessler was followed by walks to sister Alyssa and Kristi Skane and a hit batter, Fitzgerald, forcing in Macayla Bessler. The second Everett run came across on



Asst. Coaches Curtis Tuden and Steve Gallagher and Head Coach Joel Levine with the Tide's seniors, Brenden Currie, Matthew Chaves, Adrian Figueroa, Egan Goveira, and Captain Brandon Gibbs.



Catching for the Tide of Everett High, Justin Longmore.



Emilio Guzman started the season off for the Tide.

an error, scoring Sarah Dumeng, who had come in as a courtesy runner for Alyssa Bessler, the Everett catcher.

That closed the gap to 9-2, but Medford added two runs in the fifth and three in the sixth for the 14-2 finale that was halted via the mercy rule.

"This was not the best I have seen our girls play," said Schiavo. "Routine plays that we have gone over in practice just were not executed. Our bats were not in this game at all, and without the hits and runners, we can't score. Medford has always been a great hitting team which means we

have to make the plays when we are in positions to do so."

The Everett defense made a couple of heads-up defensive plays in the third inning. Fitzgerald threw out a Medford girl from right field on a throw to first base to take away a base hit and Smith tagged out a Medford runner who was en route from second to third when Maddie faked a throw to first after snaring a ground ball.

Schiavo and her crew have a busy week ahead, starting this afternoon (Wednesday) when they will host Malden at Glendale at 4:00. They will play at Chelsea tomorrow

(Thursday); host Lynn Classical on Monday for Senior Day festivities; and travel to Lynn English next Thursday.

The team then will compete in the GBL tournament on the weekend of June 12.

EHS BASEBALL TEAM SEEKING FIRST VICTORY

The Everett High baseball team is scheduled to travel to Malden today (Wednesday) and will host Chelsea tomorrow (Thursday) at Glendale Park in search of their first victory of the pandemic-shortened 2021 season.

Last Wednesday the Crimson Tide came up on the short end of a 6-0 decision to Medford. "Once again we loaded the bases with nobody out, but could not come up with a timely hit," said EHS

head coach Joel Levine.

Sophomore Matthew Turilli threw five strong innings for Everett, allowing just three earned runs.

The Crimson Tide fought valiantly in an 8-5 loss at Somerville last Thursday. After spotting the Highlanders an early 1-0 lead, Everett battled back to tie with a run in the top of the fourth. Brandon Gibbs led off with an infield hit, stole second, took third on a balk, and eventually scored on a fielder's choice.

Somerville erupted for three runs in the bottom of the inning, but once again the Crimson Tide responded with three markers in the top of the fifth to bring the contest back to level at 4-4.

Somerville continued with its cat-and-mouse game, scoring four mark-

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ers in the bottom of the fifth to take control of the contest. The Crimson Tide added one run in the seventh for the 8-5 finale.

After their contests today and tomorrow, Levine and his crew will trek to Lynn Classical this coming Monday and will return home to Glendale to host Lynn English next Thursday.

EHS GIRLS TRACK WINS TRI-MEET

The Everett High girls outdoor track and field team opened its 2021 season in outstanding fashion with two victories in a tri-meet with Greater Boston League rivals Chelsea and Lynn Classical last week.

The meet was scored as a true tri-meet, with a first-place finish earning five points, three points for second, two points for third, and one point for fourth. The Lady Crimson Tide finished with 69 points, followed by Classical with 46 and Chelsea with 29.

Eduarda Bernardo was the top point-scorer for Everett with 10 points, taking first place in the 400 intermediate hurdles in a time of 1:28.3 and first place in the high jump.

Other Everett girls who took first place in their events were: Gigi Boyce in the 100 meter dash in 14.2; Anaika Accilien in the mile in 8:05.2; Laki-sha Kirnon in the 110 high hurdles in 23.3; Dajana Tadic in the triple jump with a leap of 26’-3”; and Alyssa Hurley with a javelin toss of 57’-3”. Alyssa also took a second place in the shot-put with a throw of 24’-8”.

Scoring three points for Everett with second place efforts were: Leslye Rojas Rujel in the two-mile run in 17:46; Luca Jean Noel in the 400 dash in 1:32.3; Victoria Macao in the 200 dash in 31.1; and Rejeana Guillaume with a long jump of 12’-5”.

Macao added two points to the Everett side of the scoresheet with a third place effort in the 100 dash in 15.3, as did Angelee Torres in the jav with her throw of 36’-2”.

Single points for their fourth-place performances came from Macao in the javelin (32’-6”), Jessica Landaverde in the discus (30’-11”), Dajana Tadic in the long jump (11’-8.5”), Ida Bittaye in the 200 dash (32.5), and Hannah Alvarado in the 800 (3:41.8).

Everett also added 10 points thanks to first-place finishes in the 4 x 100 and 4 x 400 relays.

“It was a great meet for the girls team starting the season 2-0 with a win against both Chelsea and Lynn Classical,” said EHS head coach Jehu Cimea. “Senior Eduarda Bernardo was the top performer for the girls. Over-

all, it was a great meet for the team running in the blazing sun.”

Cimea and his crew were scheduled to engage in tri-meets yesterday (Tuesday) with Revere and Medford and next Tuesday against Malden and Somerville.

PREVILON WINS THREE EVENTS IN TRI-MEET

Brandon Previlon served notice that he will be among the top track and field athletes this season in the Greater Boston League after winning three events in last week’s tri-meet with GBL rivals Chelsea and Lynn Classical.

Brandon easily sped to victory in the 400 hurdles in a clocking of 1:01.5 (his closest competitor came across in 1:19) and the 200 meter dash in a time of 22.9 (fully 1.9 seconds faster than his nearest rival). Brandon also won the high jump to complete his tri-fecta.

“Captain Brandon Previlon had a great meet, scoring the most points in the meet and running a state-qualifying time in the 200 in 22.9,” said EHS head coach Jehu Cimea. “Brandon is looking to have a great senior year.”

A number of Crimson Tide teammates also turned in outstanding efforts. Samuel Desir-Mafouana took first place in the mile with a time of 5:48; Wensley Mompremier finished first in the two-mile run in 12:35.2 (which was 2:13 ahead of the second-place runner); and Brandon Ho captured the long jump with a leap of 17’-10”. Brandon also took second place in the triple jump with a final landing of 34’-12.5”.

Samy LaMothe sped to a second-place finish in the 100 meter dash in 11.8.

Adding two points to the Everett scoresheet with a third-place effort was David Matthias in the 400 dash in 61.1. David also grabbed a fourth-place point in the javelin with a toss of 54.9.

Contributing single-points for the Crimson Tide for their fourth-place performances were Purvansh Aujila in the 800 in 3:25.2, Mervens Amazan in the 100 dash in 12.1, and Ricardo Abraham in the discus with a toss of 56’-10.5”.

The final score of the meet showed Chelsea with the top score of 70 points, Everett with 47 points, and Classical with 37.

“For a first meet back from a one-year hiatus since the 2019 outdoor season, it was great to be back and competing again,” said EHS head coach Jehu Cimea.

The EHS boys were

scheduled to engage in tri-meets yesterday (Tuesday) with Revere and Medford and next Tuesday against Malden and Somerville.

EHS TENNIS TEAMS OPEN SEASON; GIRLS TOP REVERE IN SHUTOUT

The Everett High girls tennis team celebrated its first match on the new EHS home courts at Rossetti Park in appropriate fashion with a 5-0 shutout victory over Greater Boston League rival Revere last Thursday.

Senior captain Rose Jean Pierre, playing at first singles, defeated her Lady Patriot opponent in three sets in a hard-fought battle, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.

Fellow senior captain Regine Georges triumphed at second singles in straight sets, 6-0, 6-2, and freshman Alanna O’Brien stepped up and clinched the victory for the Lady Crimson Tide with a win at third singles, 6-1, 5-7, 6-2.

In the match at first doubles, the tandem of sophomore Luisa DaSilva and freshman Yasmine Laabadla handily topped their Revere counterparts in straight sets, 6-2, 6-1.

Everett was awarded the final point of the day by forfeit when Revere did not have enough girls for the contest at second doubles.

EHS head coach Courtney Meninger’s 2021 squad is comprised of the following team members: Seniors Rose Jean Pierre, Regine Georges, and Danara Roseme; junior Hanadie Laabadla.; sophomores Luisa DaSilva, Yeylin Mendoza Ezquivel, Alinee Silva, Rebecca Ribeiro, and Isha Barua; and freshmen Rebecca Hickey-Schultz, Yasmine Laabadla, Allana O’Brien, Isabella Barbosa, and Kirsty Hall.

Meninger and her crew, who stand at 1-1 on the season, were set to host Malden today (Wednesday) and will play at Somerville tomorrow (Thursday). They will trek to Lynn Classical on Monday and to Lynn English next Thursday.

The EHS boys team also swung into action last week and came out on the short end of a 5-0 decision to Medford.

“We lost in straight sets to an excellent Medford team,” said EHS head coach Greg Bluestein. “We have some young talent and many first-year players.”

The boys were scheduled to play at Malden today (Wednesday) and will entertain Somerville tomorrow (Thursday), Lynn Classical on Monday, and Lynn English next Thursday at Rossetti Park.

this Order, and papers on which the Order is based, shall be filed on or before the first day of publication; and it is further ORDERED that in addition to the publication, that a copy of the Summons with Notice, Notice of Automatic Orders, and Notice of Guideline Maintenance shall be sent by US Postal service to the defendant’s last known address, 163 Bell Rock Street, #2, Everett, MA 02149 within sixty (60) days of the first day of publication. Dated: April 23, 2021 Hon. Jodi Orlow, J.S.C. 5/19/21, 5/26/21, 6/2/21 EV

FROM THE MAYOR’S OFFICE

Meet the team: Rana Wehbe

What do you do in the City?

I am the Health & Wellness Grant Coordinator. My role has changed and evolved since I first started. I began working with the Mass in Motion Grant and I now run the Everett Matters COVID Aid Rental and Mortgage Assistance Program, COVID Safe Cooling Grant, and Virtual Youth Works Program. I also help constituents fill out forms and applications to apply for these grants. I always make myself available to help people.



What is your favorite part about working for the City?

How much my role has changed and evolved. I love the opportunity to work on different range of projects. I also enjoy working with the Ever-

ett Youth! I was able to volunteer last summer at Crimson Kids. I love being in the community.

What is the biggest lesson you’ve learned from your role?

Always make connecting with others a priority, and that opportunities don’t happen, you create them.

What do you like to do when you are not working?

Bike riding with my husband, traveling, and playing backgammon with my dad.

LOCAL STUDENTS EARN ACADEMIC HONORS

LOCAL STUDENTS GRADUATE FROM COLLEGE OF THE HOLY CROSS

Holy Cross celebrated nearly 750 bachelor of arts degree candidates at its 175th Commencement held in person on Friday, May 21 on the College’s Fitton Field.

Ambassador Linda Thomas-Greenfield, a career diplomat and Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, delivered this year’s address virtually to the Class of 2021 and received an honorary degree.

A distinguished career diplomat with 35 years in the Foreign Service, Ambassador Thomas-Greenfield reminded graduates that their education has equipped them to make a positive difference in the world and to do everything in their power to keep hope alive.

“Class of 2021: I have hope - I have light in my eyes - because of you,” Ambassador Thomas-Greenfield told the graduates. “When I think of your promise, your potential, I swell with pride. With your Holy Cross mentors and role models by your side, I believe you will become men and

women for others. I trust you will go where you are needed. And graduates, I know you will keep hope alive.”

In addition to Thomas-Greenfield, Holy Cross also awarded an honorary degree to Holy Cross alumnus Dr. Michael Collins ‘77, chancellor of the University of Massachusetts Medical School and senior vice president for the health sciences for the University of Massachusetts. Dr. Collins also offered a reflection for the Class of 2021.

The following local students earned degrees:

Amanda Fernandes, of Everett

Julianne Lopez-Picardi, of Everett, Cum Laude

Trishala Manandhar, of Everett

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UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE ANNOUNCES MAY 2021 GRADUATES

The following students graduated from the University of New Hampshire in Durham over the weekend of Saturday, May 22 and Sunday, May 23, 2021. Students who received the honor of summa cum laude graduated with a GPA of 3.85-4.0; students who received the honor of magna cum laude graduated with a GPA of 3.65-3.84; and students who received the honor of cum laude graduated with a GPA of 3.50-3.64. Students are only graduated after the Registrar’s Office has certified that all degree requirements have been successfully completed. A traditional, in-person commencement ceremony will be scheduled at a future date yet to be determined.

Diego Velasquez of Everett graduated with a BS degree in Biology

Julia Passanisi of Everett graduated Cum Laude with a BS degree in Health Management & Policy

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LEGAL NOTICE

At the Matrimonial Part 51 of the Supreme Court Of the State of New York Held in and for the County of Queens, at The courthouse. Located At 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, New York on the 23rd day of April 2021. Present: HON. JODI ORLOW, J.S.C. PEGGY OLIVO Plaintiff, Against WILMAR LOPEZ, Defendant Index No. 7156/2019 ORDER FOR ALTERNATIVE SERVICE Upon the reading and filing of the affidavits of plaintiff,

of Peggy Olivo sworn to on April 28, 2020 and April 1, 2021, and it appearing therefrom to the satisfaction of the Court that the plaintiff has a good and meritorious cause of action against the defendant for a divorce and that the plaintiff has not and can not locate the defendant with due diligence within or outside the State of New York, and that service cannot be made any other prescribed method. Now on the motion, Peggy Olivo, plaintiff, it is ORDERED, that service of the Summons upon the defendant, Wilmar Lopez, in the above entitled action, be made by publication thereof in accordance with Section 316 of the CPLR and Section

232 of the Domestic Relations Law in one newspaper which will be in the English Language to wit: Everett Independent, published in the County of Middlesex, State of Massachusetts, once a week for three consecutive weeks, together with a notice to the defendant and a brief statement of the object of the action, said newspaper being designated as most likely to give notice to the defendant; and it is further ORDERED that the publication of the Summons with Notice, Notice of Automatic Orders, and Notice of Guideline Maintenance shall be made within sixty (60) days after entry of this Order; and it is further ORDERED that the Summons,

Administration’s MassTrails Team announces Impact of Shared Use study results

Staff Report

The Baker-Polito Administration’s MassTrails Team is pleased to announce the release of the Impacts of Shared Use Paths Study which was undertaken to conduct a detailed review of the economic, health, transportation, environmental, safety, accessibility and equity impacts that current shared-use paths have on communities across the Commonwealth. The MassTrails Team is an inter-agency initiative which was created to expand and connect a network of shared use statewide pathways and includes the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT), the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs and the Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR).

“The Study exemplifies the important role that shared-use paths play in the Commonwealth’s comprehensive transportation network to provide safe connections that are easily accessible and efficient,” said Acting Transportation Secretary and CEO Jamey Tesler. “MassDOT continues to identify ways in which shared use paths can be developed or incorporated into design plans for statewide projects to facilitate future economic development opportunities, and healthy and environmentally-friendly transportation options.”

The study focused on four statewide trails that represented a variety of geographies from the Connecticut River Valley to Cape Cod and from urban to rural. They were the Northern Strand, the Minuteman Commuter

Bikeway, the Norwottuck section of the Mass Central Rail Trail, and the Cape Cod Rail Trail. The data for the study was collected between July 2019 and October 2019 in order to analyze the health, accessibility and equity, transportation, economic, environmental, and safety impacts of these shared use paths on each respective community.

The key findings from the study are as follows:

- Economic: Paths improved the local economy by generating between \$378,000 and \$9.2 million per path for businesses near the trails during the four-month study period alone.
- Health: Paths increased the level of physical activity for those who live nearby, saving a combined \$2.8 million on healthcare expenditures across the four paths in 2019.
- Transportation: During the study period, the shared use paths encouraged over 90,000 active commute trips and reduced motor vehicle travel by over 700,000 miles.
- Environmental: The reduction in motor vehicle trips led to \$2.2 million in savings from reductions in the social costs of greenhouse gas and other emissions during the four-month study period.
- Accessibility and Equity: Paths connect people with destination and access to opportunities, and broaden who has mobility without having to rely on a car for every trip. The Northern Strand path provides access to 31 essential destinations and has low stress walking and biking connections that can be used by over 8,000 people in elderly or youth age groups, over 3,000 people with a disability,

and 2,200 households with no vehicles.

The Impacts of Shared Use Paths Study along with the accompanying Benefits Primer, which highlights key findings of the study, are the latest in a series of tools and informative guides provided by the MassTrails Team. The Team, which was created by Governor Baker in 2017, continuously seeks to develop a unified vision for a trails network and translate that into strategic investments and policy innovation to facilitate the development of a connected network of multi-use trails and shared-use paths, across the Commonwealth.

Since 2018, the MassTrails Team has worked to assist individuals, communities, non-profit organizations and advocacy groups with the design, construction,

and maintenance of shared use paths. Over that time, more than \$15 million in MassTrails grants has been awarded to facilitate the construction and maintenance of a variety of public trails throughout the state trails system, such as hiking trails, and shared-use paths. To date, over 40 miles of trails have been completed statewide.

MassDOT’s 2020-2024 5-year Capital Investment Plan (CIP) sets aside \$203.4 million for multi-use pathways as well as \$60 million for high-priority bicycle and pedestrian projects to implement the statewide Pedestrian and Bicycle Plans.

For detailed information on the Impacts of Shared Use Paths Study, please visit: <https://www.mass.gov/guides/benefits-of-shared-use-paths>.

OBITUARIES

Eva May Adamson Lifelong Revere Resident

Eva May Adamson, a lifelong resident of Revere, died on May 31 at the age of 85. Born in Revere on October 11, 1935, she was one of 11 children raised by her late parents, Ernest Sargent and Margaret (Allen). She was the beloved wife of the late Arthur L. Adamson, devoted mother of Randolph Adamson and the late Arthur Adamson Jr., and Margaret Adamson. She was preceded in death by eight of her siblings and is survived by her two sisters, Elaine Tolwson, and Carol D’Avanzo. She was the cherished grandmother of six and adored great grandmother of eight.

A visitation will be held



at the Paul Buonfiglio & Sons-Bruno Funeral Home, 128 Revere St, Revere on Thursday, June 3 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon followed by a Prayer Service in the funeral home. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Interment will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. For guest book, please visit www.buonfiglio.com.

Latino Equity Fund names Evelyn Barahona as first director

Staff Report

The Latino Equity Fund (LEF), a unique partnership between local Latino leaders, The Boston Foundation (TBF), and Hispanics in Philanthropy, announced that Evelyn Barahona will serve as the organization’s first director. Barahona will work alongside the LEF advisory committee to enhance its advocacy work and allow a greater focus on its mission to strengthen health equity and economic opportunity for the Latino community across Massachusetts.

“The Latino Equity Fund will certainly benefit from having a dedicated person focusing on our strategy and stakeholder groups,” said Juan Lopera, co-chair of the Latino Equity Fund. “Evelyn has the track record of being a big-picture thinker who gets things done. Her role as director is a crucial one because it will help us realize the vision for health equity and economic inclusion for our Latino community.”

“It is with immense pride that I join Latino Equity Fund to help lead the organization to new heights,” said Barahona. “I want LEF to be the resource for Massachusetts’ Latino community when they think about issues; we can be the connector and convener for them. Nationally, I want us to

become the model and framework for other funds throughout the United States to aspire to create equitable philanthropy for Latinos.”

Barahona begins her new post as the Latino Equity Fund is during a \$10 million dollar campaign and is ramping up efforts around vaccine equity and access for the Latino community. LEF is working with the Commonwealth to improve cultural adaptation and underrepresented community engagement, and it has been leveraging its connections to help get the “Mobile Vax” into Latino communities – a retrofitted bus than can provide up to 500 shots per day.

While those are critical areas of focus, Barahona also sees broadband access – or lack thereof - as impacting all sectors including the most vulnerable in the Latino community. English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) is another primary focus area; vocationally focused ESOL programs can have immediate payback for students/community, but there is a significant shortage of these programs to enhance professional or job-related skills and opportunities.

“This isn’t just an educational problem – it’s also an economic necessity,” said Barahona. “The Latino Equity Fund has long had a serious interest

in ESOL, largely because of the intersectionality of health equity and economic outcomes.”

Barahona most recent served as Donor Relations Officer of the Philanthropy Group at TBF. Among her responsibilities: managing a portfolio of donor advised fund holders, strategically advising key stakeholders, and developing donor engagement projects related to racial equity. In 2017, she helped organize the Massachusetts United Puerto Rico Fund (MUPR) and managed a \$4 million disaster philanthropy fund at TBF for strategic disbursement in Massachusetts and Puerto Rico. Prior to that she held leadership positions at the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, Quality Interactions, Inc., and Baring Asset Management.

“Evelyn brings a powerful commitment to making Massachusetts a more just and equitable Commonwealth,” said Aixa Beauchamp, co-founder and co-chair of LEF. “The Latino Equity Fund is honored to be working with Evelyn to leverage the strengths of the Latino community and to help them prosper and thrive beyond this crisis.”

Barahona currently serves as Board Chair of the Conexon Board of Directors, is a board member of The Latina Circle, founding board member of Amplify Latinx, and is a member of the Board of Ambassadors at Eastern Bank. She holds a bachelor’s degree in International Business from Northeastern University. She lives in West Roxbury.

About the Latino Equity Fund

The Latino Equity Fund (formerly the Latino Legacy Fund), a unique partnership between local Latino leaders and the Boston Foundation (TBF), is the first Latino-focused



Evelyn Barahona.

fund in the Greater Boston area. The Latino Equity Fund (LEF) uses its influence and platform to amplify diverse voices and perspectives within the Latino community and beyond in Greater Boston, with a focus on achieving greater and more equitable access to economic prosperity and well-being. The Fund partners closely with nonprofits, funders, government leaders, and the private sector, commissioning research and reports addressing critical issues facing the Latino community and other communities of color. Since it was established in 2013, the Latino Equity Fund has raised more than \$1 million, established an endowment to support the Latino community in Greater Boston in perpetuity, made \$600,000 in grants to community-based organizations, and created a dynamic platform to increase and galvanize Latino philanthropy. LEF is raising an additional \$10 million over the next three years for initiatives to expand economic prosperity and address the well-being/health disparities that have been exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic. Learn more at tb.org/LEF.

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This notice is to inform you that a public hearing will be held on Monday, June 21, 2021 at 7:00 PM, Everett City Hall, 3rd Floor George Keverian Hearing Room. All interested parties may attend and opinions will be heard regarding the following petition.

Whereas a petition has been presented by:

Property Address: 25 Locust Street
Map/Parcel: D0-02000012
Person Requesting: Ms. Priscila Elias
Mr. Weber Coelho DePaula
25 Locust Street
Everett, MA 02149

To the said Board of Appeals, Applicant seeks a permit for to convert the existing building from a two (2) family into a three (3) family.

The permit is respectfully denied in accordance with The City of Everett Zoning Appendix A for the following reasons:

Reason for Denial:

The proposed FAR will be 0.59.

Permit was denied in accordance to the City of Everett Zoning Ordinance Appendix A as follows:

Zoning:

Section 4 Dwelling Districts b) Dimensional Requirements:

Line 2 Lot Area C:

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June 2, 2021
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CHURCH News

Mystic Side Congregational Church

News and Notes

Mystic Side Congrega-tional Church is located in Everett, on Malden-Ev-erett border, at 422 Main Street. We offer a warm, inviting atmosphere, and all are welcome. Our Sun-day Church service starts at 10:30 a.m. and Commu-nion is offered on the first Sunday of each month. A very pleasant coffee hour

and socializing follow our services. Parking is avail-able in our lot next to the church on Wyllis Ave. (one way off Main Street). We look forward to welcoming you this Sunday.

**Mystic Side
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422 Main Street
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Immaculate Conception Parish

News and Notes

Our Parish Staff: Father Joseph Chacha Marwa, S.M.A. Administrator; Father Ernest Egbedike, S.M.A. Parochial Vicar; Secretary Barbara Canon

Weekly Mass Schedule at Immaculate Conception is as follows:

Saturday (Sunday Vig-il) 4 p.m., Sunday a.m., 9 a.m. (Family Mass), 11 a.m., and 5:30 p.m.

12:15 p.m. Spanish Community

4 p.m. Haitian Commu-nity

Masses are being held in the Chapel.

Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Thursday from 7:45 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. in the Chapel. Each Thursdays’ adoration

will conclude the Benedic-tion of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 6:30 p.m. All are invited to spend a few moments with Our Blessed Lord

Bring a Book-Buy a Book - We have a new Fundraiser Program in the back of the Church. It’s called Bring a Book-Buy a Book. All books are a dollar and any money col-lected will go towards our Stain Glass Fund. Brink a Book and Buy a Book and make a donation. Our se-lections are great and var-ied. Please stop by the ta-ble and see what we have. Thank you

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Zion Church - Everett

News and Notes

Senior Pastor Bishop Robert G. Brown will be hosting Virtual Masses to bring the people togeth-er, spiritually while they can’t physically. Their virtual sanctuaries can be accessed via their face-book page, “Zion Church Ministries.”

For more information, they can be reached on-line at zionchurchminis-tries.com or via email at office@zionchurchminis-tries.com

Glendale United Methodist Church

News and Notes

Glendale United Meth-odist Church is open to all and we welcome people of all faiths, race, nationalities and sexual preference. No one is ever turned away. If you are looking for a new home church, we would like you to check us out and let us know what we can do to make church a better fit in your life.

Bible Study: Consider joining us for Bible study on Sunday. We meet in the Church Parlor off the Chapel from 9:30 to 10:00 a.m.

Sponsor the bulletin! For a \$5 donation, you can dedicate the Sunday bulletin to recognize family, friends, or special occasions. There is a sign-up sheet in the Pastor’s study. Feel free to choose your particu-lar week and leave a copy of your dedication in the mail in that is on the Pas-tor’s door. Please contact the Pastor if you have any questions.

Boy Scout Troop 814: Meet in Cooper Hall on Tuesday evenings from 6-9 p.m. Cub Pack 11 meets on Saturday mornings.

NA Meetings – Mon.

book page, “Zion Church Ministries.”

Bring Your Own Book 7:30 – 9:30 p.m.; Thurs. I Can’t But We Can, 8:00 7:30 – 9:30 p.m.

AA Meeting – Saturday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Pastor’s Office Hours: Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Other times by appoint-ment.

Bread of Life Donations – This outreach is being done to honor the Unit-ed Methodist Women’s Group, who for so many years were our outreach source. Please bring any food item(s) to church and place in the box located on the altar.

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Glendale United Methodist Church
Pastor David Jackson
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Please enter the church by the driveway on Walnut Street
617-387-2916
PastorDavidJack-son58@gmail.com
Pastor’s Office Hours:
Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Other times by appointment.

Glendale Christian Lighthouse Church

News and Notes

Sunday 10:30 a.m. ness, Faith, Love, Truth Worship service.

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Church at the Well Everett

News and Notes

Church at the Well Ev-erett is a new church for Everett that will begin meeting in 2021. Check us out on Facebook at www.facebook.com/churchforeverett to view weekly devotions and up-dates, visit us at www.for-everett.church to sign up for our newsletter and see how we can help you, or connect with the Everett Community Aid Network at www.everettcan.com to request any additional help.

Grace Anglican Episcopal Church

News and Notes

Grace Anglican Episco-pal Church is open and wel-coming to all.

There are 3 services on Sundays: 10 a.m. English, 1 p.m. South Sudanese (Din-ka) and 3 p.m. Haitian Cre-ole.

Come all and let us walk together in this season of hope, renewal and new be-ginnings.

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tion for the eminent clergyman. “To Father Healy’s extended family who are with us today, thank you very much for giving him to us.”

O’Flaherty presented city and state citations to the Rev. Healey honoring his lifelong achievements and his continuing service as chaplain at the Soldier’s Home “to the eternal gratitude of veterans, residents, and neighbors alike.”

O’Flaherty, who was corporate counsel to former Boston Mayor Martin Walsh, delivered a special congratulatory message from President Joseph Biden through U.S. Labor Secretary Martin Walsh, wishing Healy a happy 100th birthday. Flaherty also read a congratulatory letter from the President of Ireland, Michael Higgins. The Rev. Patrick F. Healy was the ninth of ten children of Patrick and Catherine Healy, immigrants to Boston from Kerry and Limerick, Ireland.

Addressing the gathering, Flaherty said, “I know that each and every one of you has a very special relationship with this man. You’ve gone to him in times of trouble, you’ve gone to him in times of joy. But everyone has a special relationship with this man, which is why we’re going to make sure today that we took the time to say, ‘thank you, Father, for all you do for

us each and every day, for the example you set to us as Catholics, and how to live each and every day.”

Family, friends laud Healy

Jim McLaughlin, nephew of the Rev. Healy, was one of several family members who traveled from throughout New England to honor the eminent clergyman the family calls, “Padre.”

“He’s a great spiritual leader and a pastoral legend,” said McLaughlin. “We’ve been blessed to have him as an example in our family. He’s stood as a wonderful symbol in faith. As an uncle, he’s married us, baptized us, and buried us.”

Bob McLaughlin, also a nephew, said that his uncle was present when he was inducted into the United States Navy during a ceremony in South Weymouth.

“My father was a pilot and a commander in the Navy Reserve, so he swore me in and Father Healey was present and I was so honored to have him there,” said McLaughlin.

Frank Kowalski, who assisted with Communion at the service, said, “Since he came to us several years ago, he’s just been a godsend to everybody here at the Chapel. He takes care of all the veterans and all the members that now call St. Michael’s

their church. We’re very happy to have him. Only God knows how long he’s going to keep him here for us, but we hope it’s still a long, long time.”

The Rev. Healey recalls his early years

Patrick Francis Healy grew up on Prescott Street in Charlestown and graduated from Boston English High School in 1939.

As a youth, he attended St. Mary’s Church in Charlestown. He was a member of the CYO and played football, hockey, basketball, and baseball. He earned a tryout with the Boston Red Sox.

“We had the Bunker Hill Boys Club at one place and at the other end of the town was the YMCA with a gymnasium,” said Healy. “We had a group called the Chestnut Eagles and five of us went into the priesthood.”

On celebrating his 100th

One could feel the outpouring of love and respect in St. Michael’s Chapel for the Rev. Healy throughout the birthday celebration Sunday.

“It’s been here all the time, from the beginning and it’s mutual,” said Healy.

To what does he attribute his longevity and incredible energy?

“Just following the will of God – it’s up to Him,” he said.



A large delegation of Charlestown residents attended the 100th birthday celebration for the Rev. Patrick Healy, who grew up on Prescott Street in Charlestown.



From left, former state representative Gene O’Flaherty, Chelsea Councillor-at-Large Leo Robinson, the Rev. Patrick Healy, Chelsea Soldier’s Home Commandant Eric Johnson, State Rep. Dan Ryan, and Secretary of Veterans’ Services Cheryl Lussier Poppe.



Long-time Soldier’s Home employee Anthony Mafale was among the many people who joined the Rev. Patrick Healy at his 100th birthday celebration Sunday at St. Michael’s Chapel.



Rosemarie DeFelice and Joseph Fineran, with the Rev. Patrick Healy.



Chris Barry of Everett thanked the Rev. Patrick Healy for his outstanding spiritual leadership at St. Michael’s Chapel in his remarks at the 100th birthday celebration.



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The Everett Public Schools held a Covid-19 mobile vaccine clinic at Everett High School on Friday, May 21. Ward 5 School Committee member Marcony Almeida-Barros helped to bring the MobileVax clinic, a collaborative effort of Tufts Health Plan, Harvard Pilgrim Health Care, and the East Boston Neighborhood Health Center to the school.

“It’s vital that our students get vaccinated, for their health and the wellbeing of their families, teachers and school staff,” he said. “I’m happy to see that there will be a second vaccination bus coming on June 4, which will be free for students, families and Everett residents.”

The next vaccination bus will be located in the parking lot of the Allied Veterans Memorial Pool on 65 Elm St. across from Everett High School on Friday, June 4 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Residents are encouraged to pre-register at 617-904-7441 though walk-ins are welcome. Students under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian, or have a signed release.



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