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WELCOME HERCULES!



The City of Everett will be welcomed Retired U.S. Army Lt. **Colonel Gerry Scott** as he rides into Everett for a visit with his horse, Hercules. Jason LaMonica takes in the height of Hercules. See Page 6 for more photos.



Gerry Scott rides Hercules up Edith Street to the Lafayette School with an escort from the Everett Police.

# DeMaria files lawsuit for defamation

Special to the Independent

Mayor Carlo DeMaria has filed a defamation lawsuit in Middlesex Superior Court seeking an award of damages for a series of news articles and commentaries that appeared in the Everett Leader Herald in the months leading up to the recent city primary election.

Those named in the lawsuit include Everett Leader Herald, LLC, City Clerk Sergio Cornelio, Joshua Resnek, Matthew Philbin, and Andrew Philbin, Sr.

The lawyer representing DeMaria, Joseph D. Lipchitz, Esq. of Saul Ew-

ing Arnstein & Lehr LLP released the following statement:

"Today, Mayor De-Maria has filed a defamation lawsuit in Middlesex Superior Court seeking an award of damages against the Everett Leader Herald, its publishers and one of its employees, for the latest in what, as the lawsuit states, has amounted to a campaign of 'malicious and outrageous publications of defamatory falsehoods' against the Mayor.

"The lawsuit also names an individual who is the supposed 'source' for certain of the defamatory articles. The defendant newspaper, its pub-

lishers, and its reporter have month after month published falsehood after falsehood, fabrication after fabrication, about the Mayor, apparently betting that because the Mayor is a public figure, and putting up with utter falsehoods is sometimes thought to 'go with the territory,' he would never hold them accountable.

"They made a bad bet.

"At some point enough is enough. The defendants' arrogant campaign of falsehoods has done damage to the Mayor and to his family. If this sort of conduct is not held to ac-

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# Everett is seeing an explosion of new parks, recreation areas

The explosive growth over the past decade of new and renovated parks, playgrounds, and recreational areas has been unprecedented in the city's history.

These new and improved facilities have fulfilled a pledge made by Mayor Carlo DeMaria when he first ran for the city's top office. DeMaria

Residents enjoying the Rivergreen Playground.

made it a cornerstone of his campaign to upgrade and fix all of the city's crumbling parks and make them a safe place to play for youngsters or simply as an area for all residents to enjoy on a warm summer evening.

With the last of the parks on that initial list now on-schedule to be renovated, few residents would have dreamt that DeMaria during this same

time frame would have added an additional 11 acres of parkland and a six-mile loop of riverfront walkways to the list of outdoor spaces available for Everett residents.

Few would have even thought it possible that they would be able to see the water and have access to the Malden River for canoeing and kayaking.

But that is exactly what has happened.

Like many ambitious projects, this process has taken years and much effort in order to bring the final stages of walkways, playing fields, passive and active recreation areas, and bike paths to near-completion.

DeMaria's master plan calls for the riverfront from the Charlestown line

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# Ballot positions announced for Nov. 2 General Election

Special to the Independent

Danielle Pietrantonio, Director of Elections for the City of Everett has announced the ballot positions for the General Election on November 2. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Residents are urged to vote. Absentee ballot applications are now available at the City Clerk's Office in Everett City Hall.

The candidates in the order they will be found on the ballot.

**MAYOR** Carlo DeMaria\* Fred Capone

**COUNCIL AT LARGE** Stephanie V Smith Michael K Marchese\* John F Hanlon\* Richard J Dellisola Jr Guerline Alcy Angelmarie DiNunzio

Kenneth P Giannelli Allen L Panarese Irene M Cardillo James A Mastrocola

**COUNCIL WARD 1** Wayne A Matewsky\*

**COUNCIL WARD 2** Stephanie Martins\*

**COUNCIL WARD 3** Darren Costa Anthony N. DiPierro\*

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# Central Fire Station dedicated in the memory of Boardman L. Dennett

On Saturday, October 9, Mayor Carlo DeMaria led other city officials in dedicating the Central Fire Station in memory of Boardman L. Dennett.

Boardman L. Dennett was born on January 27, 1844. He was the father of five children and the husband of Clara J. Folsom. He was originally from Charlestown, but moved to Second Street in Everett in 1867. Upon moving to Everett, Dennett opened Folsom & Dennett, a small mom and pop grocery store. Boardman Dennett was a hero in various ways. He enlisted in the Union Army in 1861 at the young age of 17 and



Shown from left Stacy DeMaria, Mary Butler and Mayor Carlo DeMaria stand in front of the dedication plaque

# Rodriguez sets the tone as Everett rolls to 44-0 win

By Cary Shuman

We're not sure if even all-time greats Bobby Leo, Gennaro Leo, Frank Nuzzo Jr., or Frank Nuzzo III ever returned the opening kickoff for a touchdown and then forced a fumble on the ensuing kickoff that instantly led to a second Everett touchdown.

Everett sophomore

Pedro Rodriguez accomplished that feat in the Crimson Tide's 44-0 victory over Lynn Classical Friday night at Everett Memorial Stadium. Rodriguez, a rising talent, took the opening kickoff and raced 75 yards for a touchdown. Adoni Santos booted the PAT for a 7-0 lead.

Rodriguez then took his spot on the other side

of the special teams and forced a Revere fumble on the kickoff. JC Clerveaux, one of the state's premier running backs, rushed 30 yards for a touchdown, and it was 13-0 just a minute into the proceedings. Rodriguez received Globe 'Star of Week" recognition for his dual exploits.

"We got off to a very See TIDE Page 7



BYE BYE: Running back Cam Mohamed gestures as he pulls away from Lynn Classical defender Daren Omoregie (6) and sprints to a 21-yard touchdown run that put Everett up 20-0 on the way to a 44-0 win over Lynn Classical Friday night at Everett Stadium. Everett's Richie Malloy (22) trails the play.

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### **COUNCIL WARD 4**

Jimmy Tri Le\*

### **COUNCIL WARD 5**

Vivian Nguyen Rosa DiFlorio\*

# **COUNCIL WARD 6**

Alfred J Lattanzi Ross N. Pietrantonio

# **SCHOOL**

**COMMITTEE** AT LARGE Margaret A Cornelio Samantha S Lambert\*

Cynthia E Sarnie\* Berardino Bernie D'Onofrio Robert A Santacroce Joseph A LaMonica

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### **SCHOOL** OMMITTEE WARD 1

Millie J Cardello\*

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WARD 3 Samantha MC Hurley Jeanne M Cristiano

### **SCHOOL** OMMITTEE WARD 4

Michael J Mangan Dana Murray\*

### **SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

WARD 5 Marcony A Almeida Bar-

### **SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

Michael J McLaughlin Catherine Tomassi Hicks

WARD 6

\*Candidate for reelection

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# Samantha (DeFlumeri) Hurley announces her candidacy for Ward 3 School Committee

Samantha (DeFlumeri) Hurley announced her candidacy for School Committee of Ward 3. Th following is her statement.

Hello Everett.

My name is Samantha (DeFlumeri) Hurley and I am running for School Committee in Ward 3. I am a 4th generation lifelong Everett resident. I grew up on Kinsman Street next to St. Joseph's Church and currently reside on Franklin Street near Glendale Park. I am married to a local Everett firefighter and together we have three children who attend Everett Public Schools since pre-school.

My favorite attribute of this great city is that our community is a family. In my family, we enjoy giving back to the community through school fundraisers, charitable walks, the city-wide clean-up, and memorial day flag placement (just some of our children's favorite events). I appreciate the sense of familiarity, connection, and hope these events instill in our children and many generations to follow.

I am a dedicated youth volunteer with Everett Girl Scouts for over 12 years. I am currently serving as a Troop Leader, Service Team Promoter, and Fall Fundraiser Mentor. I have



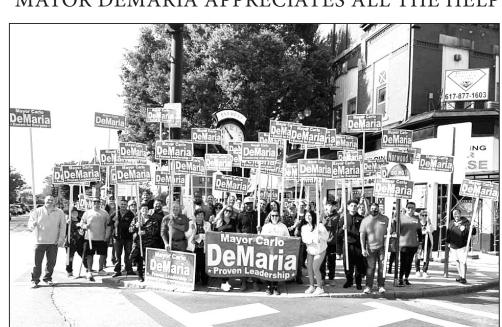
Samantha (DeFlumeri) Hurley with her family.

received the Green and Growing Award, Volunteer of Excellence Award, and GSEMA Appreciation Pin for my commitment and dedication through the years. If elected, I will apply this same dedication, commitment, and persistence as a School Committee member.

If elected, I look forward to addressing the overcrowding in both our schools and classrooms, the under-staffing issues among educators, facility upkeep and the possibility of building expansion, artistic and expressive programs introduced to our elementary schools, open communication and transparency from our administration, and exploring vocational and apprenticeship opportunities so that ALL our students are set to succeed in life.

Again, my name is Samantha Hurley, I am running for School Committee in Ward 3 and I will never stop Putting Students First! Today's youth are tomorrow's leaders and I look forward to being a part of their journey to greatness. Thank you for your consideration.

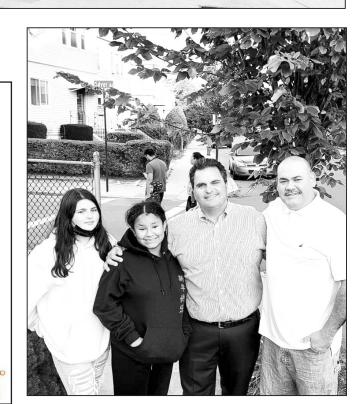
# MAYOR DEMARIA APPRECIATES ALL THE HELP





Mayor DeMaria would like to thank all of our volunteers for their continued support!





# Lawsuit / CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

count, everyone suffersnot just the Mayor and his family, but the good people who work in municipal government and the people of Everett more generally.

ward to placing those responsible for this campaign of falsehoods under oath, and to asking a jury to hold them accountable for those falsehoods."

Attempts by the Inde-"The Mayor looks for- pendent ahead of our press

time to reach Andrew Philbin, Sr., were unsuccessful.

The Independent also tried to contact City Clerk Sergio Cornelio at the clerk's office, but was unable to reach him there.

# Parks / CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1



The portion of the bike path behind Everett's Department of Public Works! We have created walking paths for easier access to the trail.

to the Malden Line to be a continuous walkway of almost six-miles. The area encompasses four parks Encore Park, Gateway

Park, City Landing, and Rivergreen Park — with planned walkways connecting all parks.

Perhaps the most ambitious part of the plan calls for a construction of a boathouse and dock near River Green Park.

DeMaria has committed more than \$1 million in this year's budget to undertake the planning, permitting, design, engineering, and grant-writing for the final pieces of the project to be put into place.

It was only a few years ago that much of this area was overgrown with invasive plants that blocked access and views of the river. In addition, the land itself was contaminated.

However the gem of this area, the Rivergreen Park at the old GE site, has been transformed into a first-class recreational area. The Rivergreen Park was built by Encore at the start of their development project because they needed to take the one-acre site of the former Line Street

Under state law, public parkland must be replaced in kind if it is taken for a private use.

DeMaria offered Encore the land that they needed if they would redo the site of the future Rivergreen Park. However, instead of just doing one acre, Encore agreed to do the entire site of 11 acres. This involved first stabilizing the brownfield, then adding almost three more feet of soil on top of the four feet that General Electric had put in to cap

"Rivergreen Park is one of my favorite areas in the City. It offers an urban oasis in a former industri-



The walkway at Encore Boston Harbor Casino.



Boating on the Malden River.

al area. The future of this tion, on the last Earth Day, area is bright. I envision more than 30 trees were a vibrant area for all residents to utilize including open green spaces, a regulation baseball and softball field, a regulation track for our track and field team, a practice area for the Everett gold team, and a formalized dog park. There is no longer a need for dirty, industrial uses and heavy trucking in that area," said DeMaria.

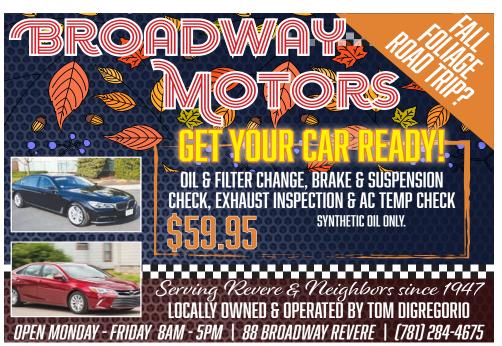
However, the work of redoing the waterfront is not only about creating new parks. Much work over the last few years has been dedicated to removing the phragmites that are not indigenous to New England. These invasive plants, as well as the so-called Tree of Heaven plants, spread quickly, overwhelming most of the native plants.

Over the last several years, these species have been controlled and are being slowly eradicated from the area. In addiplanted in the area. The goal is to return the area to native marshland that not only will create filters for the water in the river, but also be able to absorb stormwater runoff from Everett in order to prevent flooding. Public access to view the wetlands closeup will be available by means of pathways.

All of the hard work over the past several years seems to be paying off. Testing of the Malden River and the shoreline reveal that the pollution rates are well below EPA-allowable levels.

City officials also are optimistic that if everything proceeds on schedule, next year there could be the additional activity of rowing on the river.

"Providing state-ofthe-art parks for Everett's youth will pay dividends in the future of our community," said De-Maria.



# From the Mayor's Office

# Meet the team: Eric Rizza

Eric Rizza is an employee of the Police Department and has worked with the City of Everett for 20 years.

What do you do in the "I am a Police Officer,

K-9 Handler at the Everett Police Department. I've been a K-9 Handler since 2005 and together with the K-9, we search for drugs. The first dog I worked with retired in 2014, and now I'm working with my second dog, Jugo. Jugo specializes in searching for the odor of narcotics to assist the Drug Units."



### What is your favorite part about working for the City?

"I really enjoy interacting with the community. Most people like dogs, so everyone loves it when we attend a community event. Jugo is always a hit, and he enjoys being around

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

"The biggest lesson I've learn would be to treat people how you want to be treated. You really have to give people a fair chance because you don't know what's going on in their life."

What do you like to do when you are not work-

"I like to spend my time outside of work in the outdoors. I fish, hunt, and field trial dogs in the

# Almeida-Barros brings \$35,000 for homeless students gousing

Ward 5 School Committee Member Marcony Almeida-Barros announced \$35,000 in new funding to assist the Everett Public Schools (EPS) homeless students this school year. The money will help reduce truancy, assist with food and case management, and improve graduation rates, as part of EPS Student Homeless Assistance Program initiated by Almeida-Barros. To date, this one-of-a-kind program in a public high school has brought nearly \$100,000 in funding to EPS since its inception.

Part of this year's subsidy was possible thanks to the continued assistance of the Massachusetts Housing and Shelter Alliance (MHSA), who has heard Marcony's call since he joined the School Committee. State Senator Sal DiDomenico also assisted to secure additional funding for this program through the state budget this year. "Being able to address housing stability for our most vulnerable students has been a top priority of mine," said Almeida-Barros.

**EPS Student Homeless** Assistance Program was initiated in 2018 as a pilot program. When Almeida-Barros heard about homeless student population, he invited in the MHSA visit Everett High, and initially won a \$30,000 grant to help homeless students and their families in crisis to cover emergency expenses for food and housing. In the program's first year, 11 students received assistance with rent, food, and case management through Youth Harbors, a local organization working with students in housing crisis, to improve absenteeism, school grades and gradua-

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"One of the proudest moments I've experienced was when I attended the special graduation ceremony at Youth Harbors, whose assistance to several EHS students helped them overcome difficult barriers to graduate," Almeida-Barros said. "It proved that investing in our kids by providing housing stability will give them a chance to succeed." The program is administered by EHS Guidance Department and Youth Harbors.



**Ward 5 School Committee** Member Marcony Almei-

### - LEGAL NOTICE -CITY OF EVERETT



**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS** 484 Broadway

**Everett, Massachusetts 02149** To Whom It May Concern:

This notice is to inform you that a public hearing will be held on Monday, November 1, 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: 41 Wolcott Street Map/Lot: K0-01-000041

Person Requesting: Mr. Hector Angel Trustee Wolcott St. Realty Trust

45 High Street Everett, MA 02149 To the said Board of Appeals, the owner wishes to convert the existing three (3) family dwelling into a seven (7) family dwelling

with the construction of a 3-story rear addition that is 27 feet wide and 53'-6" feet long that will have the 4 additional units. Reason for Denial: Permit was denied in accordance to the City of Everett Zoning

Ordinance Appendix A as follows:

• This is an existing non-conforming structure

• The lot area 6913 square feet is below the required amount of 11,000 square feet

• The FAR (Floor Area Ratio) is 1.02 which is above the allowable FAR of 1 to 1.

• The Frontage is only 50 feet where 75 feet is required • The front yard is 12 feet+/- where it is required to be 20 feet.

• The existing building is non-conforming in that the side yard/s do not meet the required dimensions for minimum and total dimensions with 5.2' on the right side, where 10 feet is required

• The parking plan provided indicates a 15.6' aisle where an 18' driveway is required to allow vehicles to ingress and egress at the same time.

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

1). Section 3 paragraph C. Existing non-conforming structure

or uses may be extended or altered, provided that such extension, alteration or change of use shall be permitted only the grant of a Special Permit by the zoning board of appeals after a public hearing and a 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)

2). Section 5 B. Dimensional Requirements Line 1 a. Frontage Forty (40) feet plus five (5) feet per unit up to seventy (70) feet

3). Section 5 B. Dimensional Requirements Line 1 b. Four thousand (4,000) square feet plus one thousand (1,000) square feet per unit up to a total of ten (10) units, then five hundred (500) square feet per unit for all units in excess of ten (10) units. (Ord. of 6-29-87)

4) Section 5 B Dimensional Requirements line 2 All other residential: Floor Area ration, 1 to 1 Maximum (Ord. of 6-29-1987)

5) Section 5 B Dimensional Requirements line 5 Front Yard a. Twenty (20 feet minimum of which ten (10) feet shall be used for landscaping?

6). Section 5-Dimensional Requirements line 6 Side Yard a. Ten (10) feet minimum up to and including three (3) stories and forty-five (45) feet in height. 7). Section 17 Off Street Parking (O) 5. "All parking areas shall

have an access road with a minimum of eighteen (18) feet to allow ingress and exiting at same time." MARY GERACE – Chairman

Roberta Suppa - Clerk Board of Appeals

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# Everett Independent

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### THE PERNICIOUS EFFECTS OF SOCIAL MEDIA

The recent revelations about the harmful influences of social media upon young people that first appeared in the Wall St. Journal and then before Congress with the testimony of a former Facebook employee (who had provided the Wall St. Journal with the documents for its expose) have demonstrated once again to the world what we already know about these platforms: They will do anything just to make a buck.

The former Facebook employee provided the Journal with Facebook's own internal research that shows that Instagram (which is owned by Facebook) can have a negative effect on teen mental health, especially among girls. The Facebook researchers concluded, "We make body image issues worse for one in three teen girls."

In addition, the researchers concluded that its algorithms on Instagram can steer users toward content that can be harmful. Yet despite its own research, Facebook has done lit-

tle or nothing to address this issue, as well as a host of others, ranging from spreading disinformation to human trafficking.

The reason that Facebook and other social media companies can get away with such atrocious behavior is that they are shielded from civil and criminal liability by a federal law, known as Section 230, that was enacted in the mid-1990s before any of today's popular social media platforms even existed.

Thanks to Section 230, a social media platform cannot be sued for libel (unlike traditional media such as ourselves) and cannot be prosecuted for any role it may play in enabling a criminal enterprise.

The information that was brought to light by the former Facebook employee once again has highlighted the pernicious effects of social media upon our society in general and young people in particular.

More significantly, the Facebook Papers show that these companies never will police themselves because they place profit above anything else. Their irresponsible behavior essentially is part of their business model.

Congress needs to repeal Section 230 -- it's as simple as that.

# Your opinions, please

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# Independent Forum

# GUEST OP-ED

# Transforming Everett's transportation future

By Mayor Carlo DeMaria

One of the wonderful things about Everett is its proximity to some of the best economic, health care and educational centers in the nation. The investments this Administration has made to our transportation infrastructure has made Everett a great place to live for generations of families and new residents who want to live in neighborhood communities and have convenient access to work, school and medical facilities. Our investments in roadways, sidewalks, rapid transit lanes, and bike and pedestrian access are part of the reason Everett is recognized as one of the best places to live north of Boston.

It is important for us to understand that transportation is not just about moving people and goods from place to place. It is important for us to think of our transportation system in a bigger way-how it moves not only us and goods forward, but also how it moves our City forward and creates investment that more secure and delivers new streams of funding for years to come.

We have made significant investments in our streets and sidewalks. We have advocated each year for the City to invest its own capital dollars to repaving roads and repairing sidewalks. While other communities choose to rely upon only state roadway funds, this Administration recognizes that maintaining the streets and sidewalks that we use every day is an essential service that our residents deserve. The investment made by the state also will allow for major renovations to Ferry and Elm Streets.

We also have found innovative ways to help our residents get where they need and want to go. Everett is a model that other communities are following for Rapid Bus Transit. Creating bus lanes for morning and evening commutes helps eliminate conflicts for buses with vehicle traffic and reduces roadway congestion. We are working with the City of Boston to

makes the housing market expand these bus lanes to include center bus lanes that will extend to Lower Broadway and Rutherford Avenue to provide residents the ability to access connections at Haymarket and North Station.

There are additional measures in place to reduce congestion within Everett. Our Administration proposed a Traffic Demand Ordinance that prohibits new developments from having any off-street parking permits. The City's software will prevent permits from being issued to tenants at these sites. Eliminating parking creates space to build housing units instead of parking spots. These housing sites are being marketed to residents who embrace a lifestyle that isn't dependent on owning a car. Developers support these residents by providing them with T passes and shuttle services to stations, access to bike racks, and providing access to bike and car sharing services.

There is more work to needed as part of our transportation vision. We will continue to advocate for

the expansion of the Silver Line Service. We are awaiting the announcement from MassDOT about funding for the Mystic River Pedestrian Bridge that will connect Everett and Somerville. We also are fighting for the electrification of the commuter rail to include a stop at Encore now and creating a subway stop there in the future because of modernizing public transit will open important economic doors for Everett and its residents.

Transportation is one of the critical elements of Everett's continued economic development strategy that will bring benefits to all our residents. Transit oriented development will bring more affordable housing options, additional job opportunities and additional ways to move the city forward with less congestion. The work that we have accomplished and the efforts under way will enable us to realize the future of Everett

that will benefit us all. Carlo DeMaria is the *Mayor of Everett.* 

# GUEST OP-ED

# Charter changes belong with the people

By Fred Capone

Our Charter is akin to the city's constitution. It sets out the powers and restrictions of government. Amending the Charter was a slow, tedious process. It was studied by a group elected for that specific purpose. Proposed changes were presented to Everett voters, and were accepted in November 2011.

There are two ways to change our Charter. One, present the matter to the voters to decide. The alternative is Home Rule Petition, where a measure is approved by the City Council and Mayor and

sent to the State House for adoption. Although Home Rule petition is an option, I feel charter amendments should be decided by the people, not 12 elected officials.

Since your Charter vote, your elected officials have changed the Charter multiple times without your input. One change was extremely self-serving, allowing an elected official to take a job with the City after only 30 days from stepping down. The prior timeframe was 1 year. Among other changes were adding the mayor as a voting member of the school committee,

councilors and school committee members are elected. Elected officials should not decide how they are elected! I voted NO on every charter change proposal, not because I didn't see merit in the piece but because I feel that the voters should make the decision.

and changing the way Ward

One proposal I wanted to support was term limits. I spoke in favor of the sentiment, but stated I would be consistent and vote no as charter changes should be decided by the people. I was thrilled when the Council passed the matter. Term limits only required the mayor's signature to become a reality. Sadly, our mayor vetoed it! The mayor approved every prior charter change, but stopped when one was proposed that could negatively impact him.

This is just another example of this mayor serving his own interests rather than those of the people. As your Mayor, your interests will be served - not mine. For other areas of concern or ideas, please visit my webpage at www. fredcaponeforeverett.com.

Fred Capone is a City Councilor, and a candidate

# **LETTERS** to the Editor

### I SUPPORT MAYOR CARLO DEMARIA

To the Editor:

The election on Nov. 2, is critical for Everett, a progressive and diverse city that continues to thrive under the leadership of Mayor Carlo DeMaria. The Mayor knows this city, has led this city; he brings results to this city. Look around us. The enhancements to resources, industry, transportation and real estate are undeniable. These things come about by quarterbacking, not Monday morning quarterbacking. In uncertain times, I

want an experienced leader, one that is both tested and prepared. We can't afford to be fumbling around in the dark without a flashlight. Carlo DeMaria, four more years. Joseph Merrullo

### **GETTING STARTED** To the Editor:

Being a City Councilor has taught me that nothing is accomplished alone and

it takes teamwork to get

the job done. Since I was

first elected, I have worked tirelessly to build the relationships it takes to be an effective public servant. I have worked even harder to earn your trust and build your confidence by ensuring your needs continue to be met by City Hall in an efficient manner and that your voice continues to be heard. I'm still as excited to do this job as I was on the day I was first elected. In Everett, people expect

one thing from their elected officials; results. As your city councilor, I have ensured that your tax dollars continue to be spent wisely on public safety resources, the education of our students, infrastructure improvements and the beautification of our city. During the COVID-19 Pandemic, I worked closely with and supported the DeMaria Administration's efforts to distribute masks, food, fi-

As our City emerges

from the COVID-19 Pan-

demic, the future is bright.

We are in a position that

WE'RE JUST nancial assistance, testing and vaccines to residents that were in need.

other cities can only envy, as we have the means to transform formerly blighted and contaminated industrial sites into major new employers for our residents. For the first time in generations, we have access to waterfront parks and open spaces that give the city's children more room to play and grow up healthy. This will all continue to happen with private investment in our community and not your local tax dollars.

Everett's best years are undoubtedly ahead of us. Look around and you will see positive change everywhere. Confidence in our community is high. People believe in Everett. We must work together to make sure that we maximize all of this positive growth while protecting and improving our quality of life. The decisions we make today will shape our city for generations to come and we must work closely together to seize every opportunity for positive action.

tional city, we face some

of the same problems that

While we are an excep-

every major city across the country faces, like making sure that our residents can afford to live here and that our families struggling with the health problem of addiction can access the resources and support they need. We must continue to work together on these challenges that impact so many of our residents, while recognizing what a privilege it is to perhaps be able to truly help with the issues that touch people's lives.

Our work in city government is not about any one of us, it's about ALL of us and the community we live in. By working as a team, we have positively impacted the lives of the people of Everett. Serving on the Everett City Council has been a tremendous honor and I look forward to continuing serving the residents of Ward Three. On Tuesday, November 2nd, I humbly ask for your vote so I can continue to serve the City I love.

Thank you

**Anthony DiPierro Ward 3 Councilor** 

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# **Investing In** & Improving **Our Parks**

Under Mayor DeMaria, Everett has committed to providing safe, clean and accessible public spaces, particularly in our urban environments. Everett is proud to have spaces that are both safe and fun for all of our residents to enjoy.

# Parks Completed since 2014:

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### HORSES OVER AMERICA COME TO LAFAYETTE SCHOOL

Another stop on their tour through the City Of Everett, the Horses Over America team of Retired U.S. Army Lt. Colonel Gerry Scott, Hercules the horse, and Molly the Labrador Retriever made their easy to the Lafayette School. They attracted a lot of attention as they made their way up Edith Street to the delight of kids and adults.

The mission of Horses Over America is to create partnerships between the police departments of America's 15,000.00 towns and cities and 15,000.00 horse owners (up to 30,000.00 horses) for the mental health needs of our nation. Our nation's population was facing enormous strains on its emotional and psychological health pre-COVID-19, now worsened following COVID-19, leading to historically high levels of loneliness, disconnection,

depression, suicide, autism, a range of emotional disorders and often drug overdosing.

At the root of the problem our population feels disconnected and the broad national partnership with many of our 2 million horse owners and use many of our almost 10 million horses as an antidote will create a cost-effective magical connection.



Moss Baptiste with his daughters Naomi and Brooke.

PHOTOS BY DEREK KOUYOUMJIAN



After arriving at the Lafayette School Gerry Scott, Hercules, and Molly are greated by surprised and curious spectators.



Brother and sister Sephora Pierre and Chris Noel are thrilled to pose with Molly.



Pendal and Ada Tsang are amazed at meeting Hercules, who was very interested in what



Stephanie Jean holds her daughter Keysha up close for her to pet Hercules.



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Khyle Hope was getting used to being a good human for Hercules as the massive Friesian horse got an enthusiastic reception.



Gerry Scott leads Hercules and their new friend Khyle Hope to a car that pulled over for a closer look.



The team of Gerry Scott, Hercules, and Molly succeeded good cheer through their tour of the City Of Everett.



Everett DPW employee Khyle Hope is invited to get on Hercules and don the cowboy hat.

# **Sports**

# Tide / CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

fast start and it set the tone for the entire game," said head coach Robert DiLoreto.

Cam Mohammed scored on a 20-yard run to make it 20-0 in the first quarter. Mohammed also caught a 36-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Kamari Ellerbe. Syeed Gibbs rushed for a 20-yard touchdown for another score.

"I felt we played really well against Lynn Classical," said DiLoreto. "The players were focused. Having home games with fans in attendance really adds to the excitement. We're getting back more toward normalcy having the band, and the students, and community members

at the game. I feel our team fed off that energy in a positive way."

### **GBL** title game versus Revere

Everett travels to Della Russo Stadium Revere Friday (6 p.m.) for what amounts to the Greater Boston League championship game. Revere is 4-1 and unbeaten in league play. A huge crowd is expected for the matchup.

"It's nice to see the GBL rivalries back," said DiLoreto. "We're all excited about that. We feel that going forward that the league is the best thing for all of the cities involved. Revere seems to be clicking on all cylinders, so we know we have a challenge

ahead of us, and we need a good practice week of preparation to get ready for this game.

### Biggi offered full scholarship to Bentley

If you see Everett High football star Jayden Biggi, you should congratulate him on receiving a full scholarship offer to Bentley University, an elite institution known for its superb business curriculum.

Biggi is having an excellent season as the Tide's starting offensive guard and defensive tack-

The Boston College running backs coach attended the Everett-Lynn Classical game to scout JC Clerveaux and Everett offensive linemen, while UMass/Amherst representatives were expected to be at an Everett football practice Tuesday.

Former EHS standout Isaiah Likely had a school record-setting 99-yard touchdown reception in Coastal Carolina's 52-20 win over Arkansas State. Likely had eight catches for 232 yards and scored four touchdowns for the No. 15-ranked Chanticleers, who are 6-0.



BREAKING BAD: Running back Richie Malloy (22) breaks away from the tackle of Lynn Classical's Kyle Durant (4).



EARLY AND OFTEN: Everett's Darrion Green (6), Cam Mohamed (2) and Shane MacKenzie (97) celebrate with Pedro Rodrigues (14) after Rodrigues returned the opening kickoff 65 yards for a touchdown and set the tone for Everett's 44-0 win over Lynn Classical Friday



October 8 at Everett Stadium.



SIDELINE STOP: Everett's Moses Seide (5) takes down Lynn Classical's RJ Faessler after a short gain.

UNSTOPPABLE OFFENSE: Everett's Ismael Zamor (3) fights for yardage after catching a



TURN AND GO: Everett running back Jayden Clerveaux (4) pivots and then found daylight to race for a 30-yard touchdown that put Everett up 13-0 less than two minutes into the

Medford. Sophomore cap-

tain Layla Betancur-Car-

dona and freshman Yelsa

Garcia scored the goals for

"It was a very close

game," said Steeves. "Our

goal keeper, senior captain

Mariana Madrigal Orrego,

really stepped up to keep

Two days later the Ev-

erett girls earned a 2-1 vic-

tory over Malden. Garcia

supplied the offense for

the Lady Crimson Tide,

reaching the back of the

Lady Golden Tornados'

net twice to account for

"We worked hard

the Everett goals.

us in the game."

the Lady Crimson Tide.

# EHS Roundup

### EHS BOYS SOCCER DEFEATS MALDEN, 3-1

The Everett High boys soccer team turned in excellent performances against Medford and Malden, its chief rivals for the championship of the Greater Boston League, with a tie and a victory this past week. Last Tuesday coach

Pedro Blas and his crew overcame a 2-1 deficit late in the game to earn a 2-2 deadlock with Medford, with whom the Crimson Tide are locked in a tight race for the top spot in the GBL.

Senior Luan Cruz scored both of the goals for Everett, including the tying tally with 10 minutes left in the contest. Medford and Everett previously had dueled to a 1-1 standoff in their first

meeting of the season. Cruz's clutch goal allowed the Crimson Tide proach the final third of

to remain even in the loss column with the Mustangs. Both Everett (6-1-2) and Medford (5-1-5) have one loss apiece in the GBL, but Everett has more wins and has two games in hand. Two days later the

Crimson Tide earned a 3-1 victory over Malden, the third place team in the league. Dan Cadet reached the back of the Golden Tornado net for two goals and junior Gui Meireles added another marker.

"The game with Malden was a little bit sloppy for us," said Blas. "We had a tough time controlling the ball, but found a way to come together as a team

with injuries." have their fate in their own hands as they ap-

and win. I really liked that our bench stepped up, especially after having some of our starters go down The Crimson Tide now

sea yesterday (Tuesday) and will host Lynn Classical -- who handed Everett its only loss of the season -- tomorrow (Thursday). They will entertain nonleague rival Lynn Tech on Saturday and trek to Lynn English next Tuesday.

### EHS FIELD **HOCKEY TEAM** TOPS MALDEN The Everett High field

their GBL schedule. Blas

and his crew have a busy

week ahead. They were

scheduled to take on Chel-

hockey team defeated Greater Boston League rival Malden, 6-3, in its only contest this past week. Robert Fuccillo struck

the back of the Malden net for four goals to pace

the Crimson Tide to the victory. Teammates Adam Marshall and Kaylee Rossi added a goal apiece. "We had great offense and defense against Mal-

den," said EHS head

coach Melissa O'Donnell.

O'Donnell and her crew have a busy week ahead with five games in eight days. They are scheduled to host GBL foe Revere today (Wednesday) and will entertain non-league opponents Northeast Regional on Friday and St. Mary's of Lynn next Monday. They will make the long trek to Hamilton-Wenham next Tuesday and return home to face Malden next Wednes-

### **EHS GIRLS SOCCER DEFEATS** MALDEN, 2-1 The Everett High girls

soccer team played well in both of its contests this

past week, earning a split against Greater Boston League opponents Medford and Malden. Last Tuesday, coach Sheryl Steeves and her

crew came up on the short

end of a 3-2 decision to

to come out with the win," noted Steeves. "The whole team played hard right through the end of the game."

Steeves and her squad were scheduled to host Chelsea yesterday (Tuesday) and will travel to

Lynn Classical tomor-

row (Thursday). They will

entertain Lynn English next Tuesday.

### EHS GOLF TEAM IS SHOWING **IMPROVEMENT**

Although the Everett High golf team dropped both of its matches this past week to Greater Boston League foes Medford (50-22) and Somerville (40-32), EHS head coach Steve Gallagher saw some good signs from his squad.

"We are playing very well off the tee, but continuing to struggle around the green," noted Gallagher. "Junior Matt Turilli rolled the ball well this week. But the putts just didn't seem to fall when we needed them." Gallasgher and his crew

finish up their season this week with a tri-match against Somerville and Lynn English tomorrow (Thursday).

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**OBITUARIES** 

# Marie Perrella

Revere School Department retiree

Marie (Frongillo) Perrella of Revere died on October 8 at the age of 92.

Marie worked as a bookkeeper and manager for over 30 years in the School Department for the City of Revere. She will be sorely missed by all who knew her.

Marie was one of 11 children. Born in Revere on February 10, 1929 to the late Andrew and Jeanette (DeMasse) Frongillo, she was the beloved wife of 69 years to the late John Perrella Sr., devoted mother of Janice Perrella of East Boston, Kenneth Perrella and his wife, Nancy of Revere and the late John Perrella Jr., cherished grandmother of 10 and adored great grandmother of 22. She is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

A Funeral will be held from the Paul Buonfiglio



& Sons-Bruno Funeral Home, 128 Revere St, Revere on Thursday, October 14, at 9 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Anthony's Church at 10 a.m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. A Visitation will be held today, Wednesday, from 4 to 8 p.m. Interment in Woodlawn Cemetery. For guest book, please visit www. buonfiglio.com.

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# **Camille Manning**

July 16, 1928 - October 3, 2021

Camille Manning, 93, of Exeter, NH and formerly of Chelsea - beloved mother, grandmother and friend to all, died peacefully on Sunday, October 3 with family by her side.

Camille was a devoted mother to three children: John Manning of Clinton,

NY, Adele Fee of Seabrook, NH and Amelia Emerson of Sanbornton, NH. She was a dearly-loved grandmother to four grandchildren: Jessica (Fee) Sprouse of Stoneham, MA, Matthew Fee of Raymond, NH, Janelle (Emerson) Phillips of Hoschton, GA, and Lauren Emerson of Sanbornton, NH, as well as great-grandmother to Zara May, Luna Jane, Violet Ann and Henry Cash Sprouse of Stoneham. Camille was also a dear mother and grandmotherin-law to: Bonnie Manning, Bob Fee Jr., Randy Emerson, Kelly Scott Sprouse and Ben Phillips and "Auntie Camille" to many nieces and nephews. All share in mourning the unique and memorable woman affectionately referred to as "Gram."

Born in Boston on July 16, 1928, Camille was the youngest of Salvatore and Amelia LaRiccia's eight children: Sylvia (Pennacchio), Angelina (Welsh), Consalvo, Phyllis (Perkins), Anthony, Jane (Pellegrino) and Gloria (Fallstich) – part of a loving Italian family in a close-knit Chelsea neighborhood. Shortly after World War II, Camille left high school to work as a switchboard operator for New England Telephone, an occupation she worked at throughout her life. She met her 'wonderful husband,' John Dee Manning Jr., a handsome young Coast Guardsman from Arkansas, at a Chelsea High School football game – a love story she enjoyed retelling again



and again. Cherished by her husband throughout their 57 years of marriage, Camille spoke affectionately of him daily after his passing in 2004.

"Camille with the Zeal" was a devout Witness of Jehovah, and spent nearly 50 years enthusiastically sharing the good news of the Kingdom with all. Her strong faith in a promised resurrection gave her the strength to face her terminal diagnosis of heart failure with courage.

She loved beautiful clothes, shoes and handbags and was always impeccably dressed, often reciting this little poem with a smile "a little powder, a little paint – makes you look like what you ain't!" She deeply appreciated the compassionate care provided by the staff of Langdon Place Assisted Living of Exeter, and Beacon Hospice. She had an abiding love for music, played piano enthusiastically and often and was observed joyfully singing just days before her pass-

Camille was wellknown and loved by her large extended family and many friends for her lifelong course of gracious hospitality warm-hearted generosity. She will be dearly missed and never forgotten.

All are invited to join a Memorial Service for Camille, being held via Zoom video-conference on Saturday, October 30 at 1:30 p.m.

# Mary McLaughlin

Dedicated homemaker

Mary T. (Mylott) Mc-Laughlin entered eternal rest on Saturday afternoon, October 9, at the Kaplan Family Hospice House in Danvers surrounded by her loving family. She was 82 years of age.

Born in Williamstown County Galway Ireland, the daughter of the late Thomas and Ellen (Reilly) Mylott, Mary grew up in Ireland and attended school there and graduated from Williamstown High School.

When Mary turned 18, she came to the United States. She dedicated her working career as a homemaker, taking care of her home, her husband and their four children. Mary liked to remain active and devoted her time to her family, especially her grandchildren. She was a long time Everett resident but moved to Wilmington three years ago to be close to her family when her health began to decline. She will be sorely missed by all who loved her.

The wife of the late Patrick J. "PJ" McLaughlin, she was the beloved mother of Atty. Sean P. McLaughlin of Maryland, Teresa F. Murphy and her husband, Brian and Kevin B. McLaughlin, all of



Wilmington and James M. McLaughlin and his wife, Jeannie of New York; dear sister of Sheila O'Brien of Everett, Catherine Mylott of Quincy, Bobby Mylott of Ireland, Tom Mylott of Scotland and the late Kevin Mylott and Sister Teresa Francis Mylott. She is also lovingly survived by 10 grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend Mary's visiting hours at the Carafa Family Funeral Home, 389 Washington Ave., Chelsea on Thursday, Oct. 14 from 3 to 7 p.m. Her Funeral will be held from the funeral home on Friday at 11 a.m. followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at Immaculate Conception Church, 487 Broadway, Everett at 12 Noon. Services will conclude with interment at Woodlawn Cemetery in Everett.

# Salvatrice "Sally" Pace

Retiree of Grover Manor Hospital and Viking Seafood

Family and friends are invited to attend Visiting Hours on Thursday, October 14 from 5 to 8 p.m. in the Vertuccio & Smith, Home for Funerals, 773 Broadway (Rte. 107) Revere for Salvatrice "Sally" Pace of Revere, who passed away on Sunday, October 10 surrounded by her loving family. Her Funeral will be conducted from the Funeral Home on Friday, October 15 at 10 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass in St. Anthony of Padua Church, 250 Revere St., Revere at 11 a.m. immediately followed with interment in Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett.

Sally was born in Pietraperzia Italy on June 11, 1936 and she moved to The United States in 1955. Sally retired after many years of employment at The Grover Manor Hospital and Viking Seafood in 2001.

She was a devoted mother, grandmother, sister and friend. Her sense of humor and larger than life personality is something that will resonate with all who had the pleasure to know her. Sally spent her time in her yard, at the gym, and in the kitchen with family and friends. Her presence will



be sorely missed by all who knew and loved her.

She was the loving wife of 36 years to the late Biagio Pace; devoted mother of Vincent J. Pace of Revere and Richard S. Pace and his wife, Terry of Martinez, GA; cherished grandmother of Kayla Pace, Daniele Pace, Karly Pace, Maggie Pace and Kelsie Pace; adored great grandmother of Erin and Merideth; dear sister of Rocca Cilano of Revere, Maria Morello of Peabody, Nancy Penta of Revere and the late Biagio

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Funeral Arrangements entrusted to the care and direction of the Vertuccio & Smith, Home for Funerals.

# **OBITUARIES**

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**PLANNING BOARD** 484 Broadway Everett, Massachusetts 02149

**EVERETT PLANNING BOARD** PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Public Hearing on a Proposed Zoning Amendment Section 32 - "Inclusionary Zoning" - of the City of Everett **Zoning Ordinance** The Everett Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on

Monday, October 25, 2021 at 7:00PM in the Speaker George Keverian Room (Room 37, Everett City Hall) to consider a proposed Amendment to Section 32 of the City of Everett Zoning Ordinance. This proposed amendment is as follows: To strike out the entirety of Subsection 5:

For projects proposing a total of ten (10) or more dwelling units and where the project site requires environmental remediation or is located within a FEMA Flood District (or both), the planning board may, in its discretion, reduce the affordable unit requirement to ten percent (10%) of the total number of dwelling units in the development. For any site which has a recorded activity and use limitation (AUL), a reduction of the affordable unit requirement down to five percent (5%) of the total number of dwelling units shall be automatic. (C0187-18).

To replace Subsection 5 with the following: For project proposing a total of ten (10) or more dwelling units and either (1) where the project site requires environmental remediation; (2) the project site is located within a FEMA Flood District; or (3) the project site has a recorded activity use limitation (AUL), the planning board may, in its discretion, reduce the affordable unit requirement to ten percent (10%) of the total number of dwelling units in the development.

All persons interested in or wishing to be heard on the proposals may attend and participate in person. This proposed amendment, along with all other projects to be discussed at the meeting, can be found on the posted Agenda at the following link: http://www.cityofeverett.com/AgendaCenter. 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 Cafasso, Chairman

October 6, 2021

October 13, 2021

### - LEGAL NOTICE -CITY OF EVERETT



**LEGAL NOTICE EVERETT CITY COUNCIL** PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Public Hearing on a Proposed Zoning Amendment Section 32 - "Inclusionary Zoning" - of the City of Everett **Zoning Ordinance** 

The Everett Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Monday, November 8, 2021 at 7:00PM in the City Council Chamber Everett City Hall 3rd Floor 484 Broadway Everett, MA to consider a proposed Amendment to Section 32 of the City of Everett Zoning Ordinance. This proposed amendment is as

To strike out the entirety of Subsection 5:

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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 Can-

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. Spanish 12:15 p.m.

Community

4 p.m. Haitian Commu-

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

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will conclude the Benediction 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 collected will go towards our Stain Glass Fund. Brink a Book and Buy a Book and make a donation. Our selections are great and varied. Please stop by the table and see what we have. Thank you

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News and Notes

Senior Pastor Bishop Robert G. Brown will be hosting Virtual Masses to bring the people together, spiritually while they can't physically. Their virtual sanctuaries can be accessed via their facebook page, "Zion Church Ministries." For more information,

they can be reached online at zionchurchministries.com or via email at office@zionchurchministries.com

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evenings from 6:30 to 8:30

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# Glendale United Methodist Church

News and Notes

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Glendale United Methodist 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 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 particular week and leave a copy of your dedication in the mail in that is on the Pastor'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.

# **Glendale Christian Lighthouse Church**

News and Notes

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

Wednesday hour of Power, worship, prayer and Bible Study, via Zoom. "Whatever you do,

work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters," Colossians 3:23 "In Pursuit of Spiritual

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**Pastor** pastorlarry@ thelighthousechurch701.net

# Church at the Well Everett

News and Notes

Church at the Well Everett 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 updates, visit us at www.foreverett.church to sign up for our newsletter and see how we can help you, or connect with the Everett Community Aid Network www.everettcan.com to request any additional help.

# **Grace Anglican Episcopal Church**

**News and Notes** 

Grace Anglican Episcopal Church is open and welcoming to all. There are 3 services on

Sundays: 10 a.m. English, 1 p.m. South Sudanese (Dinka) and 3 p.m. Haitian Cre-Come all and let us walk

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# A Triumphant Return

# Everett boxer Greg Vendetti claims WBC Silver middleweight title

By Cary Shuman

Making his return to the ring after a one-year hiatus, Greg "The Villain" Vendetti took care of business and took home a title belt from Connecticut.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Vendetti hadn't boxed since his WBA world title bout against Erislandy Lara on national television on August 29, 2020.

After shaking off some ring rust in the opening rounds in the Sept. 24 main event at the Hartford Civic Center, Vendetti earned a 10-round split-decison victory over Jimmy Williams to capture the World Boxing Council (WBC) Silver junior middleweight title.

The "split" part of the decision irked Vendetti's trainer, Joe Ricciardi, somewhat (one of the judges had Vendetti winning by a 99-91 margin), but Ricciardi was very pleased with his fighter's overall performance in his opponent's backyard.

"I honestly felt Greg was going to knock him out, but what happened was the 13 months of not being in the ring caused some ring rust, but after a few rounds, he got some bounce in his motion, and Greg just pummeled him with a barrage of punches," said Ricciardi.

Vendetti, who trains at the Broadway Boxing Club that is run by Dennis Willcox and Joe Ricciardi, felt he was in control of the fight from the opening bell.

"I thought we won every round, but I got the belt and that's the most important thing," said Vendetti. "I did learn that ring rust is definitely a real thing. I never really experienced that kind of layoff before, but it did take a few rounds to warm up."

Vendetti said he applied all his boxing skills in the fight, showcasing his pressure, power, footwork, and head movement throughout the bout.

"I felt going into the fight, I was well-prepared and had fought better fighters, so I had a lot more experience than my opponent," said Vendetti. "It was definitely a different experience than fighting during the COVID-19 era when there were no fans at my last fight."

He sees the new title belt as a step forward in his quest to be the undisputed champion in his di-"It's definitely a good

win – it puts more eyes on me," said Vendetti. "I feel we'll get another big fight soon." Ricciardi said Vendetti

is rising in the WBC rank-

ings and the team is looking at its options. "The fight we're really trying to get is [former welterweight world cham-

pion] Danny Garcia," said

Ricciardi. "We'll feel it

Villain or not, the future

would be a great fight for Greg style-wise. We'd love to have the fight at Encore [Boston Harbor]."

Indeed, Vendetti is now considered one of New England's brightest boxing prospects. His previous fight at Encore drew a tremendous crowd, and the hope among the entire Boston boxing community is that Encore hosts a major boxing show in 2022 and Greg Vendetti tops the card.

Meanwhile, some are questioning whether Vendetti may want to change his villainous nickname. "He may be the villain to his opponent, but he's one of the nicest, most admired guys in the entire sport because of his grit, his determination and his dedication to his craft," said one observer. "There are many people rooting for him to be champion of the world."

is bright for Greg Vendetti.



Greg Vendetti, who trains at the Broadway Boxing Club in Everett, is pictured with his trainer, Joe Ricciardi, after winning the WBC Silver junior middleweight title Sept. 24 in Hartford.

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Twenty-seven communities in Essex, Middlesex, Norfolk, and Suffolk counties are athigh risk and 71 communities are at moderate risk. There are no additional risk level changes associated with this new case.

"The risk from WNV

is starting to decline but some risk will remain until the first hard frost," said Acting Public Health Commissioner Margret Cooke. "Although people over the age of 50 are at greater risk from West Nile virus, all ages can be affected. People should remember to take steps to prevent mosquito bites anytime they are outdoors."

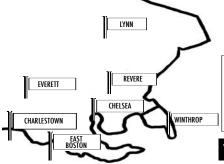
While WNV can infect people of all ages, people over the age of 50 are at higher risk for severe disease. Most people infected with WNV will have no

symptoms. When present, WNV symptoms tend to include fever and flu-like illness. In rare cases, more severe illness can occur.

People have an important role to play in protecting themselves and their loved ones from illnesses caused by mosquitoes.

More information, including all WNV and EEE positive results, can be found on the Arbovirus Surveillance Information web page at www.mass. gov/MosquitoesandTicksor by calling the DPH Epidemiology Program at

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### **HOLIDAY** ASSISTANCE **PROGRAM** FOR INCOME **ELIGIBLE EVERETT** RESIDENTS

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Applicants should have proof of residence (Everett only), birth certificates for underage dependents, and verification of low income status. Applications will not be taken over the phone. During the current health crisis, you must wear a mask, and follow COVID protocol. Please only one member per family may apply. For additional information please

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### **EVERETT HIGH GRADS WELCOME** TO SENIOR SOCIAL

Mayor Carlo DeMaria and The Council on Aging welcome Everett High School Graduating classes 1940 to 1970 to our monthly Senior Social,

Wednesday October 20, 2021 at Anthony's, 105 Canal Street in Malden. Come and celebrate your graduating class reconnect with your classmates at this exciting event. The Social begins at 11:45Am. You will feast on a delicious catered dinner, Garden Salad, Pasta, stuffed chicken breast, rice pilaf, mixed vegetables, coffee and dessert. You will dance to the sounds of Ray Cavicchio. As an added treat this is also a Halloween Party, costumes are encouraged as prizes are given. Ticket sales are ongoing at The Connolly Center until Monday October 18. For additional information please call 617.394.2323.

# **Cohen Florence Levine Estates** holds lively country western day

Cohen Florence Levine Estates Assisted Living was recently transformed into a colorful country **Festivities** jamboree. included popular country music songs, Western style food, creative costumes and fun-filled

The Activity Room was the place to be as staff and residents participated in such games as "Pin the Tail on the Donkey" and "Bean Bag" toss. Residents and staff came decked out in cowboy hats, bandanas, cowboy boots, western vests and more. To top the day off, residents enjoyed an outdoor concert, led by beloved Jimmy Honohan, who performed a medley of country music songs such as "Hey Good Looking," "Your Cheating Heart" and "Margaritaville." The highlight of the concert: residents were treated to line dancing by the staff. Who knew we had such a talented staff?

"Our Country Western Day was a huge success," said Kristen Donnelly, Executive Director of Cohen Florence Levine Estates. "It was hard to tell who enjoyed the day more -the residents or the staff!"

Let's hope that Country Western Day becomes an annual event at the assisted living.

About Chelsea Jewish

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Megin Hemmerling, Senior Director of Assisted Living Services at Chelsea Jewish Lifecare and Jen Fazekas, Director of Marketing, Chelsea Jewish Lifecare.

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compassionate care.

# Round Up // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 7

On Friday, the Crimson Tide will compete in the the GBL tournament in which the six GBL schools (Chelsea doesn't have a team and Revere and Malden have combined for a co-op team) will send their top two players.

Everett will be represented by its #1 player, Alex Velasco, and #2, Makenzie Powers.

### EHS CROSS **COUNTRY** DOES WELL VS. **SOMERVILLE**

Although the Everett High cross country team came up on the short end of its meet at Somerville this past week, coach Brendan Hahesy was pleased with his runners' overall performances on the Highlanders' 2.5 mile course along the Mystic River.

For the boys, Wensley Mompremier finished in 6th place with a time of 15:35 and Samuel Desir finished in 7th spot with a clocking of 16:01.

Anthony Cooper came across the line in 10th place in 16:29, followed by teammates Matth Telson in 11th in 17:20, Sebastian Fong in 12th in 20:14, and Fausto Paniegua in 13th in

On the girls' side, Luca Jean Noel finished in 6th place with a time of 25:04. Olivia Lavaud finished in 7th with a clocking of

39:26 and Suzanne Maherjan came across in 8th position in 39:28.

"It was a good meet for both the boys and girls," noted Hahesy.

Hahesy and his crew are scheduled to run at Medford today (Wednesday) and will host Lynn Classical next Wednesday at 7 Acre Park.

### **CRIMSON TIDE B SQUAD ROLLS**

The undefeated Everett Crimson Tide B team traveled to Dracut this past Sunday to take on the Dracut Middies. With the exception of a pass coverage breakdown leading to a Dracut touchdown, the Tide dominated on both sides of the ball and came away with a 34-6 victory.

Everett's offense, led by quarterback and captain Tyler Freni, is averaging

30 points a game and is really clicking heading into the tough part of the schedule.

Everett's offensive line, manned by Omarian Ayala, Armani Negron, Derek Soper, Eddie Skeffington, Anthony Capalino, Jacquez Green, Nate Fuller, Antonio StJohn, opened gaping holes for running backs Brian Green, Chance Barreto, and Ousman Kaba who each scored touchdowns.

The Tide defense again owned the line of scrimmage with Guerlins Christalin, Sherman, Lamar Tiblanc, Mizz Navavez, Dio Acosta, Jazz Gonzalez and the linebacking corps holding Dracut to negative yards on the day.

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Public Hearing on a Proposed Zoning Amendment Section 30 - "Lower Broadway Economic Development District (LBEDD)" - of the City of Everett Zoning Ordinance The Everett Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Monday, October 25, 2021 at 7:00PM in the Speaker George Keverian Room (Room 37, Everett City Hall) to consider a proposed Amendment to Section 30 of the City of Everett Zoning

To amend Section C - "Establishment of District and Subdistrict Boundaries" – by amending the Zoning Map to include parcels H0-05-00162A, H0-05-00162B, H0-01-000130, H0-10-000069, H0-11-000080, H0-05-000162 in subdistrict LB-E: Lower Broadway, Employment.

Ordinance. This proposed amendment is as follows:

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posals may attend and participate in person. This proposed amendment, along with all other projects to be discussed at the meeting, can be found on the posted Agenda at the following link: http://www.cityofeverett.com/AgendaCenter. 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.

October 6, 2021

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Frederick Cafasso, Chairman

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AM on December 1st, 1886 Boardman L. Dennett and his group of firefighters responded to a call. During the response, they had to pass railroad tracks where the safety gate was not functioning properly. While the Gatekeeper attempted to

stop the train, he did not succeed. The first engine made it across the tracks in time, but the second engine- the one that Dennett was occupying was struck by the train. Dennett was killed instantly.

In his remarks, De-Maria said, "Our former Fire Chief David Butler was the biggest advocate for naming this station after Boardman Dennett. Chief Butler insisted that Boardman had not been given the recognition that he deserved for his heroic actions. It truly was an honor to join alongside the

Butler family to dedicate Central Fire, the way that Chief Butler would have wanted."

Other speakers at the event included Acting Fire Chief Scott Dalyrmple and Sgt. David Butler, son of Former Fire Chief David Butler.



A large number of Everett officials and residents turned out for the dedication.



Members of the Dennett and Butler families who attended.



Shown are Ward 3 Councillor Anthony DiPierro, Ward 5 Councillor Rosa DiFloria and Ward 6 Councillor Michael McLaughlin.



David and Nancy Butler are shown with their daughter, Alyssa.



Mayor Carol DeMaria (right) and Acting Fire Chief Scott Dalyrmple.







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