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Helping Hands Help the Homeless



Joseph Moccia, an honor roll senior at St. John's Prep., serves soup at a recent fundraiser, "Empty Bowls Dinner Party," held at St. John's Prep to raise money and awareness to help the homeless. The money raised went to Haven From Hunger, in Peabody. Prep students prepare and serve meals throughout the year at Haven From Hunger, to raise money and awareness to help the homeless.

NVC Bake Sales to Help Veterans

The Deacons of the Nahant Village Church are sponsoring Bake Sales (with other foods as well), following the worship service, on Sunday, June 13th and Sunday, July 11th, to help with the work of Shelter Legal Services Program.

Deacon Marilyn Wellington, volunteers with them. She says that they're the only Massachusetts legal service provider specializing in the legal needs of military personnel, veterans and their families. Shelter Legal Service is a charitable organization, offering free legal help to homeless and low-income women and veterans, in the Boston area, since 1991, and serves over 650 clients per year.

If you would like to bake, or prepare foods for these sales, your contributions toward this outreach program are requested. Bring baked goods, home-made casseroles, or other specialty items from your kitchen, to the Village Church, on the day of the sale, with a suggested price. Then queue up with others after the worship service, to buy a treat for your home. For more information, call the Village Church at 781-581-1202.

Worship service on June 13th, begins at 10:30 a.m., with the theme, "Choose Justice." On July 11th, the worship service begins at 9:30 a.m. (summer schedule). The theme for Worship will be, "Caring Neighbors."

The Nahant Village Church is affiliated with the United Church of Christ.

Please Help Me Kick-Off My Campaign for Selectman!

by Lainey Titus

I am thrilled to announce that I am running for the open seat on the Nahant Board of Selectmen. When I heard of the opening, I realized that this position would be the perfect opportunity to use my work experience and my education, to serve my hometown. On June 18th, I will formally kick off my campaign, at the Nahant Knight's of Columbus, at 7:00 p.m. I hope you will join me!

For those of you who don't know me, I would like to introduce myself. My bid for Selectman is not my first involvement with the Town of Nahant. In 2003, I served on the 150th Anniversary Committee and was one of those involved with the large parade we held that July. As is true in any city, or town, one involvement often leads to many more, and I have served on the Memorial Day Parade Committee, as well as a Memorial Day Parade Marshal, since 2004. I have also volunteered at the St. Thomas youth famine event, for the past two years and am a regular attendee and supporter, at many Nahant events. I am a lifelong town resident and my family has lived in Nahant for four generations, on both sides. I attended the Johnson Elementary School and Swampscott Middle and High Schools. I have some early memories of standing on the front steps of the Town Hall holding signs for local campaigns with my Mom and Dad, when I was very young.

Although I received my Bachelor's degree in Journalism, I have always been interested in politics, and more specifically, in the influence of public policy on everyday (Continued on page 15.)



Nahant Opening Day

Ahh...Summer In Nahant...Nahant Little League Opening day pitch. Ronan Locke, the youngest player, throws the first pitch to number 10, RayRay Rosa, the oldest player in the league. Submitted by Susan Rosa.





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Apollo Club Returns To Nahant

The Friends of the Nahant Public Library will sponsor the very popular Apollo Club of Boston, the second-oldest, continuously active, men's singing group in the U.S., will appear at the Nahant Town Hall, at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, June 6th.

Founded in 1871, the Apollo Club of Boston has long been a part of the Boston area's local history and today boasts a membership of about 30 local professional and business men. The Club's mission is to share the pleasure of men's voices singing songs from a varied and large repertoire of the familiar and the less-known.

There is no admission fee for this concert and refreshments will be served.

Submitted by Daniel deStefano, Director, Nahant Public Library

Nahant Fireworks 2010 T-shirts On Sale Now

The firework t-shirts are here! Call Jen McCarthy at 781-592-5272, or Robyn Howard, 781-581-1373, to order your shirts. Shirts are \$15 each. We have kid sizes and adult sizes up to xxxl.

Please help us reach our goal of \$15,000 for this year's show. And if you don't mind, could you help us get the word out by telling all your Nahant friends to get their shirts early. Thank you!

Nahant: A Garden of Art

The Nahant Historical Society's summer garden party will take place on Sunday, July 25th, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. The event will be held on the grounds of Snakehill, currently the home of Laurel and Norman Laliberte.

The Society's inspiration for this year's theme, "Nahant: A Garden of Art," comes from the beauty of our Atlantic coast. Several North Shore artists will spend a couple days painting scenic views of Nahant. Keep your eyes open for these artists, with easel and palette in hand. These original pieces of art will be exhibited at the garden party and will be for sale on that day, with a portion of the sale benefiting the Society's oral history project.

Admission is \$25 per person. Reserve by check to the Society at 41 Valley Road, by Wednesday, July 21st. Come enjoy the natural and painted views, as you sip wine and sample a fine summer fare with friends.

Submitted by Julie Tarmy

Worship in the Park begins June 13th

Come together with your neighbors and friends for an outdoor Worship Service at Marjoram Park, at 8:00 a.m., Sunday, June 13th. The service, hosted by members of the Nahant Village Church, is open to all. Bring something upon which to sit and enjoy the view, as we worship. In case of inclement weather, we will meet in the Dory Club. This is the first of four worship services at Marjoram Park, this summer and fall, each on the second Sunday of the month, at 8:00 a.m.

If you have questions, please call The Rev. Dr. Larry Titus at 781-581-1202.

Final Registration for Nahant Sailing Program

One final registration for the Nahant Sailing Program's 2010 Season, will be held on Saturday June 12th, from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m., at the Flash Road Little League field. In the event of rain, the registration will be held at the Dory Club, at the Nahant Wharf.

The Nahant Sailing Program will begin classes the week of June 28th and will continue through August 20th.

The Nahant Sailing program provides sailing instruction to children, age 8, through adult, at all levels of ability. Children's classes are available on week days, for basic instruction, cruising, racing and race team. The adult program offers instruction for all levels of ability, on Tuesday evenings. A new adult racing program will be offered on Thursday evenings.

This year, the program instructors are excited to launch our newly purchased Rhodes 19 sailboats, for the adult and children's programs. These boats will join the existing Optimist and 420 fleets.

For more information, please call Christine Johnson-Liscio at 978-790-5578.

NHT, HOOMPA, Nahant Dory Club & Nahant Resident Causeway Toll Pass stickers are still available at no charge from Rob Scanlan, Marine Surveyor.
Call 781-595-6225.



Smoky the Bear Sold Us a Bill of Goods Fires and Modern Forest Management—June 11th

Herb Motley will share the lessons of the family forest management in Northern California, at the Friday, June 11th, Nahant Village Church Breakfast. It's free and all are welcome!

Fire is a natural element in the woods, but the Smokey the Bear campaign of the last century, has led directly to the massive, uncontrolled fires, seen in the west each summer, for the past dozen, or more, years. The lessons of the west should not be ignored, as we look at forest management in the east.

All are welcome at this free breakfast, to be held on Friday, June 11th, at 8:00 a.m. Herb's presentation will begin at 8:30. Please join us for a great breakfast, wonderful camaraderie and an interesting presentation. Submitted by Marrit Hasting

NCC Tennis Open House June 6th

Nahant Country Club TENNIS is hosting a Mixed Up Doubles event for all tennis players, men, women, and juniors, to celebrate the season's opening of the best clay courts on the North Shore. Players will be assigned in groups of four and switch partners frequently. Play will begin at 9:30 a.m. and continue until noon on Sunday, June 6th.

New players are encouraged to attend, try out the courts and meet other players. Members are encouraged to bring guests.

Refreshments will be served and trophies awarded. There is a \$5 entry fee for all players. There is no fee for those attending the Open House.

Rain date: June 19th. Please RSVP to Maureen: mdecenzo@comcast.net, or Karen:kfat@comcast.net

From the Editor

After over 16 years as Editor of the Nahant Harbor Review, I am seeking an assistant editor, who will be trained to take over the monthly layout of the newspaper. I am planning to retire from the hands-on activity of the newspaper on December 31st, 2010. If anyone is interested in this opportunity, please email me, donna@nahant.com, for more information. No phone calls, please.

Nahant 2010 Junior Invitational Tennis Tournament

The annual Junior Invitational Tennis tournament will be held at the Nahant Country Club, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 28th, 29th and 30th. The Tournament is sponsored by the Tennis Committee of the Nahant Country Club and is open to all Nahant residents and junior member of North Shore Tennis Clubs. This is the first tournament of the summer season of all the North Shore Clubs, so it is a great opportunity for juniors to tune up their game!

The events are 10, 12 and 14 & under - boys and girls, singles and doubles. There will be two events for mixed doubles - 12 and under and 14 and under.

Nahant's right to the distinction of "Birthplace of American Tennis" is inscribed on all of the trophies. The first game of tennis in America was played right here in Nahant, in 1874. The tournament is now in its 11th year and has been very successful.. We consistently host over 40 players. The courts are busy for all three days, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

The entry fee is \$15 per event this year. The singles draw is limited to a maximum of 16 players and the doubles draw to a maximum of 8 teams. Tennis whites and tennis shoes, suitable for clay courts, are required.

For an application and tournament rules, check the Nahant Country Club bulletin board, or call Mary Livingston, Tournament Director, 60 Wharf Street, Nahant, MA 01908 (781-599-5515). The deadline for signing up is 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 23rd.

Submitted by Mary Livingston

An Invitation

Are you new in Nahant? Seeking a new church home? Or, are you lonely? Bored? Want to give back to the community? Then the Nahant Village Church is the place for you! The members of the Nahant Village Church represents a Union of all Protestant church groups in Nahant. We invite you to share in our fellowship and worship, to make this your church home and to call upon us for service.

Please visit the Village Church's web site at www.nahantvillagechurch.org, or call 781-581-1202 for more information.

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Class of 2010 Nahant Students Graduate from St. John's Prep

St. John's Preparatory School, held its 100th Commencement exercises on Sunday, May 23rd, at 11:00 a.m. Headmaster Albert J. Shannon, Ph.D., awarded diplomas to 305 seniors, during an outdoor ceremony, held on the school's campus. A Xaverian Brothers sponsored secondary school for young men, St. John's was founded in 1907.

Congratulations to Michael Joseph Dantona, Joseph Nicholas Moccia, Christopher Philip Oesterlin* and Stephen Richard Pasinski. (The * denotes membership in the National Honor Society.)

In his remarks, Dr. Shannon praised the graduates for all they had achieved during their years at St. John's. He challenged them to put their talents to work for others. "You each have the capacity to use your gifts as gifts for someone else. Give a piece of yourself in a compassionate way to someone less fortunate; then, you will know that you are a son of Xavier, a son of St. John's."

Michael Leonard of Salem, a member of the Religious Studies Department faculty, delivered the Commencement address. Leonard, who began his career at St. John's in 2003, teaches Social Justice and Western Philosophy.

About St. John's Prep: Founded in 1907, St. John's is a Xaverian Brothers sponsored secondary school for young men. With a century-long tradition of excellence in academics, arts and athletics, St. John's is recognized for a rigorous college preparatory curriculum that emphasizes academic achievement, spiritual development, leadership and commitment to Christian service. Located on a 175-acre campus in Danvers, Massachusetts, St. John's draws students from more than 80 communities.

Submitted by Denise DeChristoforo, ddechristoforo@stjohnsprep.org, 978-774-6727 ext. 297

Swampscott Middle School Qtr 3 Honor Roll 2010

Congratulations to Olivia Aswad, Kenneth Li and Ratchanon Rittiboon, who have earned High Honors this quarter. Also, congratulations to Charles Arena, Jesse Barbacoff, Emma Bartholomew, Jason Dignan, Dayna Fernald, Emily Fiore, Brian Fitzpatrick, Melissa Gavin, Victoria Laurano, Daniel Marini, Ian Munnelly, Shea Nugent, Ramon Rosa, Joseph Silva, Barry Tevrow, Anne Toomajian, James Whitlock and Melanie Wilson, for achieving Honor Roll status.

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News From the Johnson School

By Diane D. Mulcahy, Principal

The annual Gettysburg Address competition was held at the Johnson School cafeteria on Friday afternoon, May 14th. Students competed, to choose the student who would recite the Gettysburg Address, at Greenlawn Cemetery, as part of the Memorial Day ceremonies, in Nahant. A Johnson School student has recited the Gettysburg Address at this event every year since 1899. This year, Olivia Cooke represented the Johnson School and Corey Bleau was the runner-up.

The final round of MCAS testing has been completed. Students in Grades Three through Grade Six, were tested in math and the fifth graders also completed the science technology portion of the test. The teachers reported that the students worked diligently on each testing session. Due to excellent attendance, make-up tests were at a minimum. This concludes MCAS testing for this school year. We expect to receive the test scores in the fall.

Thursday evening, May 20th, parents and friends gathered at the Johnson School for the Arts Fest. Students in Grades Kindergarten through Grade 6, performed choral selections. Third- and fourth-grade students also performed musical selections on the recorder. The students in the instrumental music program played musical selections, that they have been learning this year. The halls of the school are adorned with art, for the next month, with original art work of students in all grades. This event was organized by Ms. Ehrman, Mrs. Beebe and Mr. Gershon, to showcase the arts at the Johnson School.

The calendar is beginning to fill up with end-of-the-year activities. Plans are being made for the Sixth Grade Moving-On ceremony, which will be held on June 16th, at 7:00 p.m. The week of activities will start off with the annual class trip to Canobie Lake Park. Parents are also planning a family evening, with a Potluck Supper. This year, this event will be held on Tuesday evening, June 15th. The sixth graders will surely have a week to remember.

Sixth graders are very busy rehearsing for the Sixth Grade play. This year, the students will perform Beanie and the Bamboozling Book Machine. This one-act play is a fantasy adventure featuring many favorite children's book characters, will be a delightful evening on Friday, June 4th.

Mrs. Schiffenhaus and a team of parents are organizing and planning this year's Talent Show. This event always proves to be very popular with all the talented Johnson School students. This year's show is planned for Thursday, June 10th, in the school cafeteria.

Friday, May 26th, was the annual Field Day Rally. Rally Day is when the students find out their teams and rally the team spirit of cooperation and fun, which is the foundation of the day. Students are looking forward to Field Day, which is June 8th, this year. Johnson School parent, Lori Nugent and Shawn Cummings and a dedicated team of parents are organizing Field Day this year.



Benjamin Lynn Smith Graduates

Congratulations to 2010 graduate, Benjamin Lynn Smith, of Nahant. He received a Bachelor of Science degree, specializing in Exercise Science, from the University of Connecticut.

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Children's Summer Reading Program 2010

By Rita Stepanova, Children's Librarian

What is man's impact on nature? How to decrease pollution? How to keep the sky blue, trees green, and water clean?

These challenging questions create an unlimited potential for exploration, for the participants of the Children's Summer Reading Program, "Go Green at the Nahant Public Library," at the Library from June 23rd to August 20th. The Nahant Public Library is located at 15 Pleasant Street in Nahant.

"Song and Stories of the Whole Earth," with Parents' Choice Award-winning performers, Davis Bates and Roger Tincknell, begin the celebration of the Summer Reading Program on June 23rd, at 3:00 p.m.

Subsequently, the Nahant Public Library will present Mad Science® of Greater Boston, four incredible interactive workshops: "Science of Magic," "Life in the Sea," "The Dirt of Garbage" and "Laser Light," on Wednesdays, June 30th, July 21st, July 28th and August 4th, at 10:30 a.m.

The famous Hampstead Stage Company will perform the play, "Alice in Wonderland," at the library on Wednesday, July 14th, at 3:00 p.m.

Then, Matt Gabriel's Animal World Experience, with live animals, many of which were rescued and adopted by Mr. Gabriel, invites children and families on Thursday, August 12th, at 3:00 p.m.

The Library Kung Fu will conclude the celebration of the Summer Reading Program on Friday, August 20th, at noon. As usual, the Nahant Public Library offers the book collection for any sphere of interest, age and taste. Please look for the library postings and updates about other summer reading activities.

Our story hour program, "Read with Your Kids," for children, aged 2 to 5, is available on Thursdays, at 11:00 a.m. Parents can call a week in advance to request the books they would like read to the children.

To participate in Summer Reading, call 781-581-0306, or drop in to register and pick up your Reading Record form. Borrow library books to read, fill out your Reading Record, include your name, age and telephone number, bring the completed form to the library by August 12th and collect your prizes, such as bookmarks, or special pencils.

Certificates will be awarded to active participants, who read 10 or more books. The winners will be eligible for the "Read and Win" awards and will get a prize-surprise. Go Green at Your Library is sponsored, or funded, by Nahant Public Library, the Massachusetts Regional Library System, the Boston Bruins, and the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners, the Nahant Cultural Council, a local agency supported by the MA Cultural Council, the Friends of the Nahant Public Library, Ms. Lucy Lowell Grimm and the Nahant Knights of Columbus. Read & Win program awards are sponsored by the Topsfield Fair. The Library thanks all contributors to the Summer Program.

All programs are free. The Library encourages everyone to "go green" and, twenty years from now, expects the participants of the Summer Reading Program, "Go Green at the Nahant Public Library," to generate creative scientific ideas to find effective solutions to the Earth's environmental problems.

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Nahant Honor Students at St. John's Prep

St. John's Preparatory School recently announced the names of students who earned academic honors for the third quarter of the 2009-2010 school year. Students who qualified for the Headmaster's List earned grades of A-, or above, in all courses; students who qualified for the Principal's List earned grades of B+, or above, in all courses; and students who qualified for the Honor Roll earned grades of B, or above, in all courses.

The following students were named to the Principal's List for the 3rd Quarter 2009-2010: Mario Forgione '11, Derek Osbahr '13 and Matthew Scalise '11.

The following students were named to the Honor Roll for the 3rd Quarter 2009-2010: Michael Dantona '10, Joseph Moccia '10 and Patrick O'Malley '12.

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Located on a 175-acre campus in Danvers, Massachusetts, St. John's draws students from more than 90 communities.

Submitted by Denise DeChristoforo, ddechristoforo@stjohnsprep.org

May Doorways Winners 2010

May Doorways 2010 was a smashing success, with twenty-seven participants. Judging, this year, was extremely difficult, because of all of the unique designs. We were awed by the variety and creativity of the entries. We had a chance to view the beautiful doorways of your Nahant neighbors!

Here is the list of winners: Honorable Mention, Lissa Stempek and Helen Clements; Third Place, Wendy Payne; Second Place, Christine Stevens and First Place, Joanna O'Neil. Special thanks to all who participated!

Submitted by Mary Ellen Schumann and Maria Welsh

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NSRMC Visit Nahant June 20th

The members of the North Shore Rock & Mineral Club of Massachusetts (NSRMC), will be visiting Nahant for a geological tour of our little tombolo*, on June 20th.

Particular areas of interest include the site of one of the earliest iron mines in New England, the Black Mine, aka the old iron mine, which was the source of the ore that was processed at the Saugus Iron Works during the early colonial days. Also of interest is the area of the flux excavation at Forty Steps.

* What's a tombolo? A tombolo is a geological formation of one or more sandbars, or spits, that connect an island to the mainland. A single tombolo may connect a tied island to the mainland, as at Marblehead, Mass. A double tombolo encloses a lagoon that eventually fills with sediment. Fine examples of these occur off the coast of Italy. The shallower waters that occur between an island and the mainland are the loci of such features because sandbars form there. A natural tombolo, Nahant is now a peninsula in Massachusetts Bay, connected to the city of Lynn by a causeway.

This formation is so named for the Italian city, Tombolo, Italy, and is derived from the Latin, "tumulus" (mound), or sometimes called ayre (Old Norse Eyrr – gravel beach) is a deposition landform in which an island is attached to the mainland by a narrow piece of land such as a spit or bar. Once attached, the island is then known as a tied island. Several islands tied together by bars which rise above the water level is called a tombolo cluster.

The North Shore Rock and Mineral Club, was founded in 1958, to stimulate interest in the field of geology as a hobby and to provide educational opportunities for amateur rockhounds and budding geologists. Club members benefit through educational and social activities including diverse guest speakers, field trips to mines, museums and geological sites, a monthly newsletter and an annual mineral auction.

The members of the NSRMC are the organizers and sponsors of the New England Gem & Mineral Show, held annually at the Topsfield Fairgrounds, on the first weekend in May. This is the largest club operated show in the entire country and has been held each year for 47 years!.

The Club meets monthly from September through June on the 3rd Friday of the month at 8:00 PM, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church on Washington Street in Peabody. Visitors of all ages are always welcome. FMI please call Donna at (781) 581-0648, or visit our web site: www.nahant.com/nsrmc.

Nahant Open Space Cmte Wild Flower Walk June 13th

Mark your calendars! The Nahant Open Space Committee is sponsoring an evening Wild Flower Walk, at Short Beach. We will meet at 5:00 p.m., on the beach dune across from the parking lot. At this time last year the dunes were graced by a stunning display of coastal bank wild flowers. For more information, or possible weather cancellation, call Linda Pivacek at 781-581-1114.

Update from the Northeastern University Marine Science Center

Submitted by Carole McCauley, c.mccauley@neu.edu

Please join us at the Marine Science Center, for the inaugural summer film series, that will take place in lieu of monthly lectures for the summer. The following marine-related documentaries are tentatively slated for showing:

Tuesday, June 22 – "Black Wave: The Legacy of the Exxon Valdez"

For twenty years, Riki Ott and the fishermen of the little town of Cordova, Alaska, have waged the longest legal battle in U.S. history against the world's most powerful oil company, ExxonMobil. They tell us all about the environmental, social and economic consequences of the black wave, that changed their lives forever.

Tuesday, July 27 – "The Fish Belong to the People"

Director Will Hyler will present this feature length documentary, which follows a group of family fishermen in Port Clyde, Maine, as they work to save their fishing grounds from government, market structure and themselves.

Tuesday, August 31 – "The End of the Line"

A selection of the 2009 Sundance, Toronto and Seattle Film Festivals, narrated by Ted Danson, this film delves beyond the surface of the seas, to reveal a troubling truth beneath: an ocean increasingly empty of fish, impacted by decades of overexploitation.

Please note that these events are free and open to the public. Screening will take place in the Murphy Bunker, beginning at 7:00 p.m., and popcorn will be served at 6:30. There is no need to RSVP. These films will vary between 1-2 hours in length and may be followed by an optional discussion, led by the film's producer and/or an expert in the subject area.

MSC Wraps Up Annual Program with Brickett Elementary School

The MSC's outreach team is busy wrapping up its annual program with the Brickett School in Lynn. Funded entirely by GE Aviation in Lynn, this program will have brought 52 outreach programs to over 300 students at the school. Part of the Lynn Public School System, the Brickett School is located on Lewis Street, not far from Lynn Beach, which is one of the reasons that the teachers and administrators have been so keen to keep marine science alive in the school. Instruction to these students in Grades Pre-K through 5, takes place in the classroom, as well as on the rocky shores of East Point.

The program aims to develop knowledge and skills among students in marine science, particularly the characteristics and ecology of local rocky shore ecosystems. A defining element of the program, and a large reason for its success, is the involvement of GE staff members, who donate time to assist in the classrooms and on field trips. Over 50 GE employees have donated well over 100 hours of time, in this year alone. The MSC hopes to continue to enhance this program in years to come.

Coastal Ocean Science Academy (COSA)

Registration continues for the Marine Science Center's COSA program for high school students, which runs from August 9 to 21. For more information about program logistics, please visit <http://marinesciencecenter.yolasite.com/summer-programs.php>. Nahant residents receive 50% off the tuition for this program.

Adopt-a-Beach Program

The weather did not cooperate for the May 8th survey of Short Beach. The session has been rescheduled for Saturday, June 5th, from 10:30 a.m., at noon. For more information about the Adopt-a-Beach program, please call Carole McCauley at (781) 581-7370, x321, or email c.mccauley@neu.edu.

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Mass Audubon BIRD-A-THON 2010

Submitted by Linda Pivacek

Our North Shore Team found 128 species of birds during the Mass Audubon's 2010 Birdathon!

The Birdathon is a "friendly" competition between Mass Audubon sanctuaries, to raise money for conservation and education. Teams from each sanctuary compete, to find the most bird species, during a 24-hour period from 6:00 p.m., Friday, until 6:00 p.m., Saturday, May 14th – 15th. The North Shore Team represented the Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary, which manages the Nahant Thicket. Sherry Smith and I, of Nahant, and Jan Smith, Karen Haley and Davis Noble, of Marblehead and Jim McCoy, of Medford, were teammates for the event. Here are some of the highlights from our feather quest.

We enjoyed the best weather in years for this Birdathon and a blocking cold front brought in a flood of migrants. We started in Nahant on Friday evening and had some good birds staked out, before the official start time. At the official start of the Birdathon, at 6:00 p.m., we had binoculars on Solitary Sandpipers and a Killdeer in a puddle, at the Spring Rd. composting area. A stunning Blackburnian Warbler was in a nearby Willow. Then we were off to the Nahant Thicket area, where highlights were: Common Yellowthroat, American Redstart, Blackpoll Warbler, Rose-breasted Grosbeak and Baltimore Oriole.

We decided to follow our successful route from last year's Birdathon and headed toward Revere Beach. Our goal was to find Manx Shearwater and Piping Plover, before dark. The trip to Revere Beach seemed like an eternity, as we made our way through traffic and as the daylight waned. We searched for Manx Shearwaters over the water. It seemed like finding a needle in a haystack, but in a few minutes there they were. First three flying along the waves, then five and finally, a total of 28! These oceanic birds must nest somewhere around the area, perhaps Egg Rock. So far their nesting burrows have not been found. After high fives all around, we were treated to a magic moment: a lovely Piping Plover sitting on a nest on the beach! This is the section of Revere Beach that is fenced off, to protect the endangered plovers. We were off to a great start for the Birdathon.

At daybreak on Saturday morning, we arrived at East Point in search of Pheasant, Great Cormorant and Purple Sandpiper. We were barely out of the car when we saw a male Pheasant strutting along the road. But then our fortunes changed – we could not find the cormorant, or sandpiper and had to plan other stops to find these key target birds. We picked up some additional warblers and Carolina and House Wrens at the Nahant Thicket, but it was a bit cool and shady there and birds were generally quiet. Suddenly, the rich "chiri, chiri, chiri" song of the secretive Mourning Warbler, rang out from the center of a wooded area. A very nice find.

Seeking a sunnier spot out of the increasing wind, we arrived at the base of the switchback Heritage Trail at the base of Ft. Ruckman. It was in the lee and loaded with warblers! We had the pleasure of trying to decipher the wonderful songs that surrounded us. We had great looks at Magnolia, Chestnut-sided, Yellow, Black-throated Blue, Black-throated Green, Blackburnian and Black & White and Blackpoll Warblers. Least Flycatchers were singing and a Ruby-throated Hummingbird was a pleasant surprise. We hated to leave, but we had lots of ground to cover before 6:00 p.m. So many birds, so little time.

After checking off additional warblers and thrushes at Marblehead Neck Sanctuary, our feather quest took us northward to the marshes of Essex. We used the time in the car to eat lunch, strategize and tally the list. Our key birds were Tri-colored Heron and Little Blue Heron, both difficult to find. The marshes were stunning and a nice change of scene, but extremely windy. Where were the birds? We did find egrets, shorebirds and terns, but not our targets. At another stop in Ipswich, we found Osprey on the nest, but little else. Disappointing.

We stopped at a horse farm in Ipswich with lush fields dotted with wildflowers. Bobolinks and Meadowlarks sang from the fields. A Glossy Ibis foraged in the middle of the horses, in a corral. A pleasant tiredness sunk in as we took in the scene, songs and birds. Birdathon was fast coming to a close when we received a phone call with a report of a Purple Gallinule! We quickly changed plans and headed to Gloucester for this rare Florida bird. What a way to end the Birdathon: feasting our eyes on this unexpected and beautiful creature.

Another Birdathon, with its ups and downs, took us to beautiful places with stunning birds, marvelous bird songs and unexpected pleasures.

The Ipswich River Sanctuary, which is responsible for the management of the Nahant Thicket, will reach its goal in donations again this year. Many thanks to the Nahanters who contributed to this event in support of the Nahant Thicket and other Mass Audubon wildlife sanctuaries, on the North Shore.

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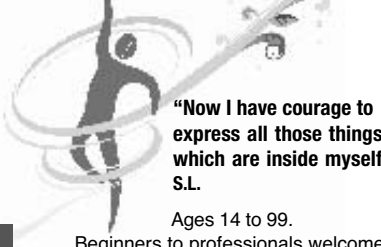
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Naturally Sweet Summer

By Sallee Slagle, Director, Dance Dimensions

As we approach summer, many of us will want to get our bodies out of our winter shape and ready to wear more revealing summer styles. I know I put a little extra weight on each winter. Dieting will be a big part of getting in shape and many of us will look to diet versions of our favorite snacks and beverages. I do not use artificial sweeteners, because, like many chemicals we ingest in processed foods, they are not a natural substance that our body knows how to digest and utilize. These foreign chemicals can be stored in our bodies and may have a negative effect on our health and well-being.

The most prevalent artificial sweetener is "aspartame," aka Nutrasweet, Equal, Canderel and Sweet N'Low. Aspartame is used to sweeten most diet beverages, sodas and teas, as well as fitness waters, "lite," or "sugar free" versions of ice creams, yogurt, snacks and more. There has been an ongoing controversy with aspartame, ever since the introduction of its use in 1980. I recommend you read up on this and decide for yourself. It has been labeled a neurotoxin, or excitotoxin, by several researchers. Hawaii and New Mexico, among other states, have tried to get the FDA to rescind its approval. I do not propose to know all the ins and outs of these claims and its politics, but I do know from personal experience, people who had adverse symptoms that disappeared, after removing aspartame from their diet. One woman, who was suffering seizures, drank four to six diet Cokes a day. When she stopped drinking them, she no longer suffered from any seizures!

Health is my primary concern with anything we eat or drink. We find pleasure in sweetness, but I would suggest sugar in moderation, rather than any of the current artificial sweeteners. There are some truly natural alternatives to refined sugar, that are available, too. Aspartame has had such controversy and negative campaigns

against it, that it will now be rebranded as "AminoSweet." Many of us may also remember the earlier saccharin debate. Like saccharin, aspartame is widely used and diabetics, as well as dieters, are consumers of this product.

Like all processed foods, the ingredients include chemicals we may not fully know, or understand, but they are by no means natural in our diet. Health risks may not be clearly understood, or publicized at this time. I say why risk it. Just find safe alternatives like natural fruit juice sweeteners, stevia, or honey. Sugar tastes good, but has little, or no nutritive value and only adds calories to burn, or be stored as fat. So consume sweet drinks and sugary treats in moderate amounts on special occasions.

Most of the overweight and obesity trend in the USA is due to our processed food diet. We all have included more and more refined wheat and sugar in our diets, as well as preservatives and other chemical enhancements for such things as flavor and shelf life. Fresh and raw is still the best way to get your nutrients. We are supposed to have 5-7 servings of fruits and vegetables daily. If we focused more on this in our diets, with lean protein sources, we would all be healthier. Buy fresh fruits and vegetables, or flash frozen without additives. Read the labels and buy foods with ingredients you recognize. We should all be avoiding trans fats like hydrogenated, or partially hydrogenated oils. We should also be avoiding added sugars, like high fructose corn syrup and of course, sodium.

Many local farmers do have farmers markets in our area. Take advantage of these, too. Buying local helps support the smaller farms of our region. I also prefer organic wherever possible, for the same reason: avoiding chemicals in my diet. The less chemical exposure, non-irradiated foods are more nutritious and often more flavorful, too. So, the natural choice is to drink water and eat naturally sweet fruits, to help us break the sugar habit and avoid the chemicals in diet, low-calorie, processed foods. Make your diet choices all natural.

A Great Night Out!

The Johnson School Extended Day staff would like to thank all of the people who came out to support our Summer Day Program. The spaghetti dinner fundraiser on May 14th was a great success. Over 100 people came and enjoyed a dinner of spaghetti, meatballs, salad, garlic bread and dessert, all for only \$5 for adults and \$3 for children. It was heartwarming for the staff to have so many of our "families" in attendance and to have additional support from those who could not attend, but donated to the cause. We raised over \$500, which will be used to pay for theme-related items for the Summer Day Program.

Both the Extended Day and Summer Day programs are vital to the Johnson School community. These programs provide affordable, reliable, care, as well as educational and social experiences, year-round, to children ages 5 - 12. We could not do this without your support. We look forward to a fun Summer of exciting and educational events. For those who have not yet registered, applications are in the office at the Johnson School. The Summer program begins on June 28th. Any questions, please call Barbara Deines, at 781-581-1600 x 129. Submitted by Julie Tarmy

Bodywork=Staying in the Game

By Susan Cadigan, LMT, CNMT, NCTMB, Nahant Therapeutic Massage

I was at a very special seminar, to learn from one of the world's leaders in holistic healing, a practicing naturopath/osteopath, author and acupuncturist, with over 40 years of clinical experience in the UK, Leon Chaitow. His assistant was Sandy Fritz, renowned for her ability to help a diverse clientele, her work with professional football/athletes and teacher of therapeutic massage.

Being with such leaders and learning from top-notch teachers and practitioners, is a cornerstone to a therapist's foundation. Absorbing the energy and techniques, as well as being with others whose intentions are to go beyond the ordinary, helped to instill that "marching to one's own drummer" is a good thing. Standing out may lead to outstanding.

The teachers had mentioned that world class/professional athletes frequently receive a number of therapeutic interventions, to keep injuries at bay and performance level optimal. We don't get to see this on TV. We are not able to witness the benefits and necessity, to have the different types of bodywork and how it is a normal and frequent occurrence, with the professional athlete. Had we been exposed to this, it may be an ordinary and regular part of our own training routine.

I have witnessed some pro athletes getting assisted, stretching on the field, but what we see behind the scenes, is they are indeed receiving specialized massage and bodywork (Neuromuscular and Myofascial) to remedy specific problem areas, as well as decreasing performance stress and anxiety. Even a little massage can go a long way. Helping muscle tissue stay healthy and balanced with maintenance bodywork, can help discover knots and trouble before it gets out of hand, helping to avoid injury, promote faster recovery and lead to a better performance. Sometimes, we just need a little helping hand to identify the need.

Neuromuscular and Myofascial techniques, integrated into your massage session, can be a pleasant surprise and very different from a typical massage. The outcome may be similar—you feel wonderful—but the results are long lasting and may even remedy the chronic discomfort/issue. You may find yourself finally free from the stiffness that was prohibiting full range of motion, causing pain, or your ability to complete that yoga stretch. Those nagging knots between your shoulder blades, in the back of your neck and head, may ease up and you may find yourself breathing easy, your stomach and digestion functioning better and able to have a wonderful deep sleep. Clearing an area of knots, lengthening, or balancing imbalance in an area, can help keep injuries from happening, or reoccurring. It is important to work wise. The area that is screaming, limiting, or nagging you, may be the result of an imbalance in another area that is too tight, or too loose, and most likely, has developed over time. A few sessions are suggested, to responsibly address the issue by locating and working on the cause, as well as the obvious area of discomfort.

Susan Cadigan is licensed and nationally certified in therapeutic massage and bodywork. She holds a diploma in advanced massage therapy and is certified in specialized deeper tissue techniques-Neuromuscular and Myofascial Mobilization. Nahant Therapeutic Massage is located within the Nahant Community Center; 41 Valley Road. Please visit www.nahantmassage.com for more information. Ms. Cadigan can be reached on her cell: 617-240-4252, or at her office, 781-780-3733.

Bloomsday Will Feature Leopold Bloom

The Seventh Annual Nahant celebration of Bloomsday will be held at the library on Wednesday, June 16th, beginning at 2:00 p.m.. Episodes Four (Cyclops) and Five (Lotus Eaters) will be read aloud. Everyone is welcome to read, or listen to, James Joyce's arresting voices from his monumental novel, Ulysses, set in Dublin, Ireland on June 16, 1904. Today, this date is celebrated as "Bloomsday" around the world. These episodes offer readers their first views of Leopold Bloom, who becomes a father figure for Stephen Dedalus during the course of the novel. Joyce turns the clock back to 8:00 a.m., the hour Episode One began, to give us a kind of split-screen sense of what was going on with Leopold Bloom, while Stephen Dedalus went about the business of Episodes One, Two and Three.

Maureen Edison, who will again moderate this year's open reading, said, "These are especially delightful episodes to read aloud, containing some laugh out loud moments and a good look at the domestic situation of Leopold and Molly Bloom."

Edison hopes the talented readers who have made this event special for the last several years, will attend, along with new faces and voices, to enjoy the linguistic feast that reading Joyce aloud offers.

Copies of the episodes will be available at the Nahant Public Library, during business hours, beginning on June 1st. For additional information, please call 781 592-0029 (Maureen), or 781-581-0306 (Library).

Submitted by Daniel deStefano, Director, Nahant Public Library

Explore the Connection between Prayer and Health

Worldwide, people are finding that prayer in Christian Science brings effective healing to their lives. International speaker, Christine Driessen, says, "There are divine laws which govern and maintain us—the Science of perfect God, perfect man. Spiritual healing through this scientific prayer is reliable, immediate and accessible to people anywhere in the world. Christ Jesus demonstrated this healing power and taught us to do the same."

Driessen, a teacher and practitioner of Christian Science healing, will be giving a lecture entitled, "Healing with Scientific Certainty Through the Christ," on Thursday, June 3rd, at 7:30 p.m., at the Lynn Museum and Historical Society, 590 Washington Street, Lynn, (half a block from the T parking garage).

Driessen's ideas are based on the original source book on Christian healing, the Bible, along with the book Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy. At this lecture, explore how mental and physical wholeness are natural to every single one of us, as children of God. Discover how fear, ignorance, and sin undermine health, and how an understanding of God as infinite good and ever-present Love, brings healing. Find out how this scientific system of prayer-based healing, called Christian Science, can be used by anyone to bring consistent and reliable health to their lives and the lives of others.

Christine Driessen has explored life to the fullest—relying on prayer through it all! She has performed professionally as a harpist and dancer; taught in the inner-city schools of Chicago; practiced as an attorney, specializing in criminal, juvenile and domestic litigation; developed a rehabilitation program for women prisoners and their children; and she is also a mother! Driessen has experienced the effectiveness of prayer, since she was a child. Recognizing the potential of Christian Science healing to relieve suffering worldwide, she became a full-time practitioner and teacher of this Science. Driessen is a member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship, lecturing internationally, with a focus on Africa. She travels from her home in New York City.

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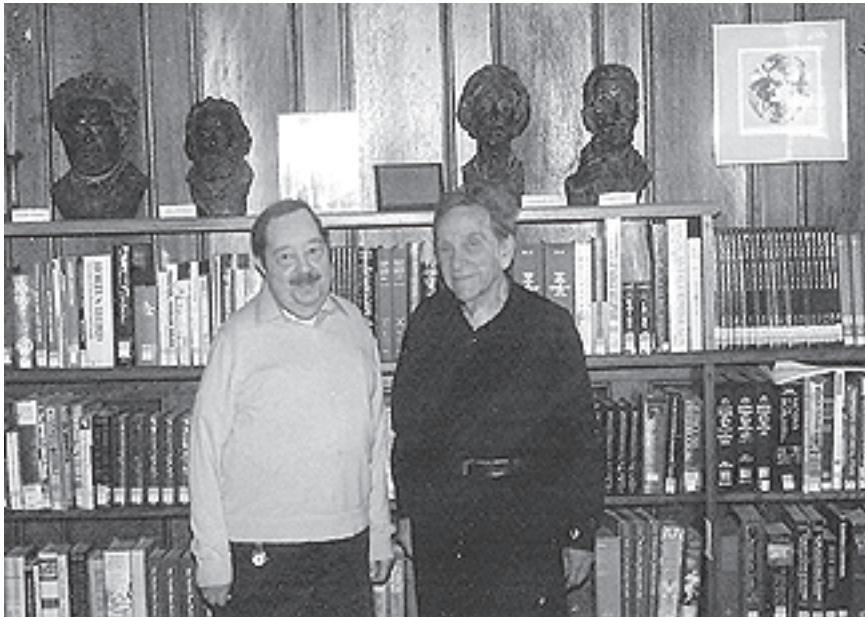
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Nahant Library Accepts James Joyce Portrait

Joseph “Ray Barron” Barisano, a longtime resident of Nahant, has given a portrait of James Joyce, made by Jack Coughlin, to the Nahant Public Library. Mr. Barisano, in 2003, donated to the Nahant library, four busts of literary figures, which was presented in memory of his beloved wife, Marilyn.

Appearing frequently in the New Republic magazine, Coughlin’s portraits also have been published in volumes of poetry, in both the United States and Ireland. While he has worked with watercolor and low-relief sculpture, the artist is most famous for his woodcut, intaglio and lithograph prints.



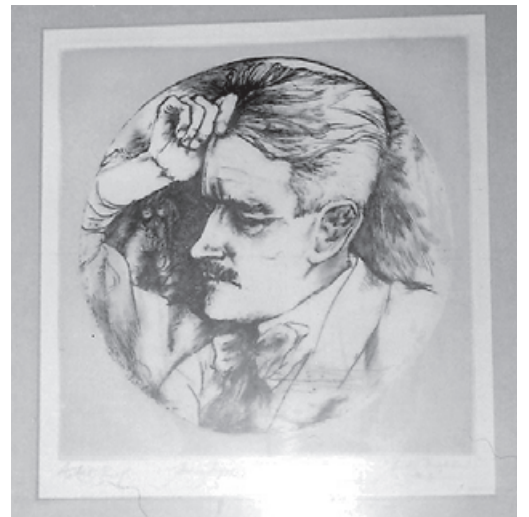
Most recently, Coughlin received the 2005 Gladys E. Cook Prize for Painting and the 2007 Dessie Greer Prize for Graphics and Drawings, both from the National Academy. Coughlin taught printmaking at the University of Massachusetts, at Amherst, for more than 35 years. He became well-known for combining traditional techniques with innovative methods and draws on the narrative traditions of Western art, to provide inspiration for his imagery.

Particularly celebrated, are Coughlin’s woodcut prints of portraits of Irish literary figures; the portrait of James Joyce, donated by Mr. Barisano, is one of these. Signed by the artist in pencil, the print also bears the subject’s name, “James Joyce” and the inscription “Artist’s Proof,” but carries no date. Measuring just under eight inches on each side, the square image seems to have been intended as an illustration.

The Library Trustees accepted the gift gratefully, at their regular meeting on Tuesday, April 20, 2010. They placed the portrait on permanent exhibit, in

the Reading Room of the library, where it is displayed with the four busts previously donated by Mr. Barisano.

Submitted by Daniel deStefano, Director, Nahant Public Library



Apollo Club Returns To Nahant

The Friends of the Nahant Public Library will sponsor the very popular Apollo Club of Boston, the second-oldest, continuously active, men’s singing group in the U.S., will appear at the Nahant Town Hall, at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, June 6th.

Founded in 1871, the Apollo Club of Boston has long been a part of the Boston area’s local history and today boasts a membership of about 30 local professional and business men. The Club’s mission is to share the pleasure of men’s voices singing songs from a varied and large repertoire of the familiar and the less-known.

There is no admission fee for this concert and refreshments will be served.

Submitted by Daniel deStefano, Director, Nahant Public Library

Nahant Garden Club News

“June is bustin’ out all over....” Rodgers and Hammerstein

The Nahant Garden Club’s calendar year is coming to a close. The spring has been very full and continues to keep everyone busy. Our own gardens are for many, the focus.

This last month included trips to King’s lilac farm in Boxford and Garden in the Woods in Framingham. The trips attract lots of interest and the farm and gardens are really beautiful when in full bloom. This year was certainly the case.

On May 20th, at the Nahant Village Church, we heard Fran West talk about pruning shrubs and small trees. Everyone always has questions about pruning the runaway boxwoods and azaleas the correct way. The event included member provided refreshments.

The annual Spring Plant sale took place over Memorial Day weekend under the expert supervision of Linda Jenkins and helpful club members. This event is always a successful fundraiser for the garden club. Geraniums from local growers and member contributions made for a great opportunity to find local plants at great prices.

During the plant sale, Madelyn Davis held a workshop at her home for wreath making. The wreaths were used at Greenwood Cemetery during the Memorial Day observance.

The Nahant Garden Club scholarship application process closed May 19, 2010. The scholarship will be awarded on Wednesday, June 16th, at the Johnson School 6th grade graduation.

The final event of the year will be the Annual Meeting on June 10th, at 11:00 a.m., at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The speaker will be designer Robin Murphy, who will arrange flowers to complement her five heirloom quilts. The Northeastern Director of the Garden Club Federation of Massachusetts will be our special guest at this final event.

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they drive me crazy

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they make me decay without me getting dead

i'll throw them to the soul's tomb
i'll strangle and tear them
this is what i'll do

i'll chase the soul from the soul
the brain won't produce a verse anymore

i'll take myself by the hand
i'll make me walk on the sidewalk
not to get knocked down by cars
i'll make me sit down on a wooden bench
i'll give me a rosary to say
that i may live without living, without love poems
that's what i'll do.

i'll close my eyes
not with my hands,
but with stones, with slabs of tombs.

i will not see
why should i see, who needs sight anymore?
the world—a thing, i—something else.
i'll shun him, who i was
not even myself i will see,
a crazy not-crazy
a decayed not-dead
living without living,
without love poems
i lost myself without finding me.

i'll strangle and tear apart
all that i've written and not written

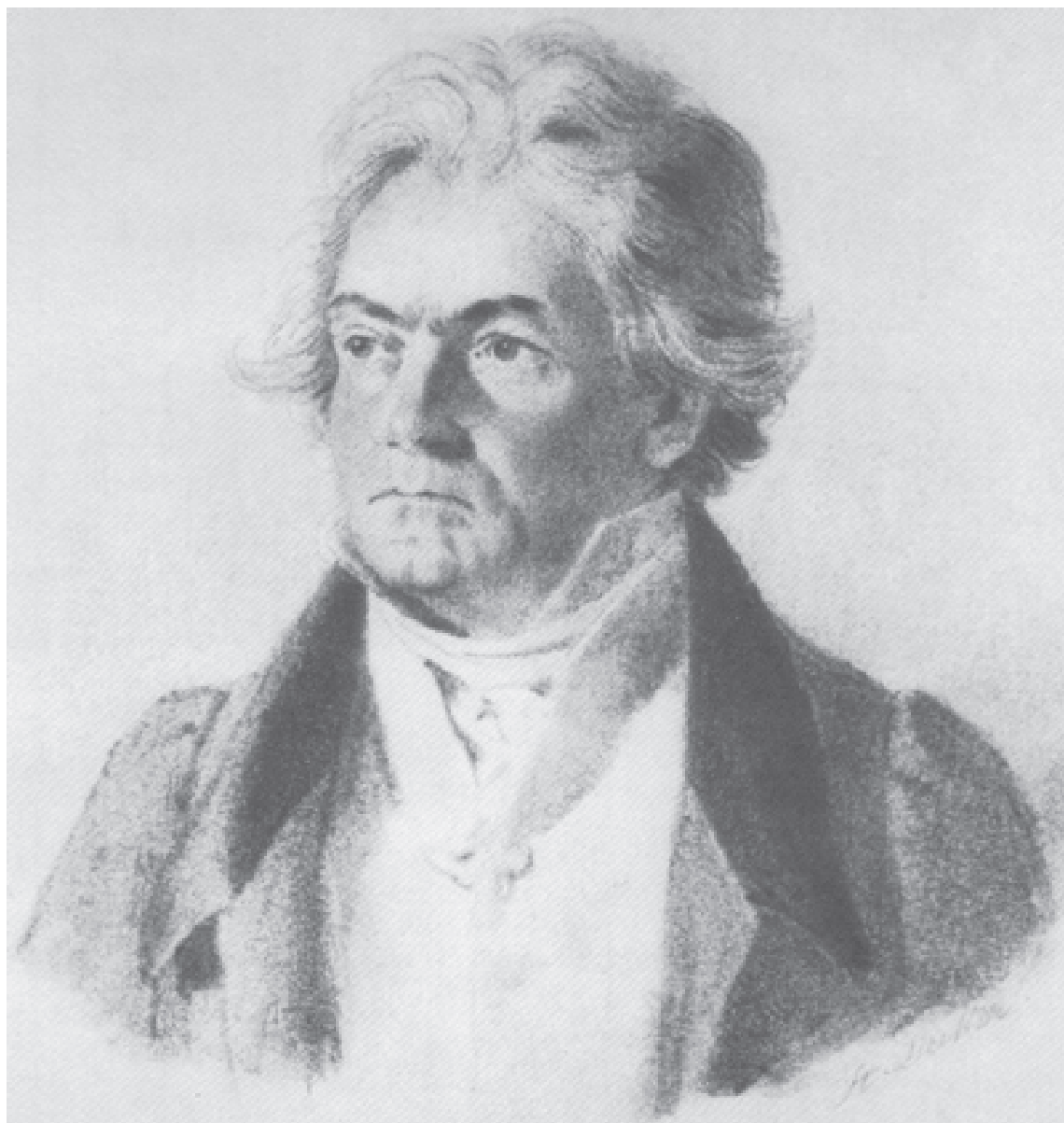
only my soul escapes
isn't it dead yet?
doesn't my soul lie in its tomb?
doesn't it lie with me any more?

i'll tear apart
all that i haven't yet written.

Submitted by Rozi Theohari
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Beethoven in Nahant

On Saturday, June 19th, Beethoven's 5th Symphony will be performed at the Ellingwood Chapel. Tickets will be available by emailing ellingwoodconcertsplus@gmail.com, or by calling Jim Walsh ,at 781-599-5533. The performance will start at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$20 for Seniors and Students. There are a limited number of tickets available and early reservations are suggested.



Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, perhaps one of the most widely-recognized compositions in the 20th Century, was also widely-known and recognized in the 19th Century, but usually, in a different form. There were no radios, no record players, no digital downloads, or ipods. But, the familiar Da-Da-Da-Daaah was widely known throughout Europe and America. How was this possible?

Enter Johann Nepomuk Hummel, a contemporary of Mozart and Beethoven. He also was a musician and composer. In fact, as a boy, Hummel lived with Mozart for two years. He was a composer of some renown as a young man, but he turned his creativity to transcription, as a way to support his growing family. It was with his refined, artistic temperment, that Hummel took Beethoven's symphonies, one through seven, and transcribed them for piano quartet. For every person who heard a symphony orchestra play Beethoven's Fifth, thousands heard it in a transcribed form, in this case for piano, violin, flute and cello. In those days, the performance of music was far more widespread than today. There were more musicians and more places for them to play. The hearing of music was more personal and intimate. That intimacy will be recreated in the Ellingwood Chapel.

Performers will be Mark Kroll, scholar and soloist with the Boston Symphony (piano); Carol Lieberman, a widely-recorded musician of international stature (violin); Alan Weiss, a member of the Boston Classical Orchestra since 1987 and master flute maker and Emmanuel Feldman, who is on the cello faculty of Tufts and Brown Universities and the New England Conservatory. Their websites may be consulted for further information.

There will be an Ellingwood Music Festival in September 2010. Consult www.Nahant.Org, for further information. These concerts are partially funded by the Nahant and Massachusetts Cultural Council and the Friends of the Ellingwood Concerts. Become a Friend.

Submitted by James Walsh, Nahant.

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Public Meeting for Nahant Beach/Causeway Project

The DCR will hold a public meeting on the Nahant Beach Reservation Rehabilitation Project, on Wednesday, June 2nd, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., at the Nahant Town Hall, 334 Nahant Road, in Nahant. DCR will review the final design and construction plans for the project.

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Department of Conservation and Recreation

Submitted by Polly Bradley

In accordance with 801 CMR 21.06(7) and OSD Guidance, the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (Department) is hereby notifying all bidders that it is cancelling the procurement entitled Environmental Attributes Associated with an On-site Renewable Energy System at the Nahant Reservation, Nahant MA (RFR Project Number: DCR 422) ("RFR"). Accordingly, the Department is further hereby rejecting any and all RFR responses received by the Department pursuant to this solicitation. In general, the Department has concluded that the procurement envisioned by the RFR places unnecessary risks on the more expansive and concurrent construction activities of the Nahant Causeway Rehabilitation Project (P93-1698-C1A) ("Project"), which were not readily apparent and/or foreseeable at the time the RFR was advertised.

Specifically, the Department notes the following:

1. Incompatible schedules to integrate the construction envisioned by the Project and the RFR and the resultant potential delays to the Project;
2. Project design alterations required to accommodate an on-site renewable energy system and the resultant change orders to the Project;
3. Ability of any RFR selected responder to timely secure a Power Purchase Agreement with the Local Electricity Distribution Company, recognizing that the ability to enter into any negotiations of a Power Purchase Agreement is subject to necessary filings with the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities; and
4. The physical placement of a renewable energy system in close proximity to the Nahant Causeway traffic corridor, including potential environmental, avian, aesthetic, and public safety concerns.

As such, this change in circumstances has led the Department to conclude that the commodities and services sought by the RFR are no longer required by the Department. In light of these reasons, the Department is cancelling the procurement associated with the RFR, and rejecting any and all responses received. Bid bonds, if any, will be returned to the respective RFR responders.

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Ward Bathhouse Reopened

The James J. Ward Bathhouse, at the entrance to the Nahant Causeway, has been reopened. The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) spent over \$600,000 for a complete renovation: new roofs on the main building and two annexes, all new windows and doors, the rear entrance windows widened, to give a full view of the ocean, new floors, bathrooms, new kitchen and a small office. Restrooms include handicapped and family restrooms (a changing station for babies), new interior lights and a new rinse shower station, outside the bathhouse, for rinsing off sand after a day at the beach.

The Friends of Lynn and Nahant Beach (Friends) received a DCR 2-1 matching grant (\$6,000 from DCR, \$3,000 from FLNB) for new sand for the adjacent tot lot, new plantings around the bathhouse and new benches. Friends volunteers donated the labor.

Robert Tucker, President of the Friends, says, "I want to thank DCR Commissioner Richard Sullivan, State Senator, Thomas McGee and State Representative, Steven Walsh, for their support and commitment for finding the funds, in these difficult economic times, to renovate the Ward Bathhouse. The Friends of Lynn and Nahant Beach have been working for a number of years to get the Ward Bathhouse renovated and re-open for public use."

Nahant Harbormaster James J. Ward Jr. and his son James J. Ward III add their thanks.

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Wind Turbines on Causeway A No-Go

By Polly Bradley, Safer Waters in Massachusetts (SWIM)

The project to place 50 - 60 wind turbines on the Nahant Causeway has been cancelled. If there had been alternative proposals for a different type of wind turbine, or for solar panel lighting, the project might have gone through. However, the proposal on the table was deemed unsuitable, for a number of reasons, including scheduling concerns, economics, design alterations that would be necessary and potential environmental, avian, aesthetic and public safety concerns.

The decision not to go ahead with the wind turbine proposal will protect the thousands of birds that feed on both sides of the Nahant causeway, in Lynn Harbor and Nahant Bay and fly between the two. Nahant has been declared an Important Bird Area, under international guidelines, by the Massachusetts Audubon Society, and is well-known for the migratory birds that rest and search for food here, on their long flights along the Atlantic Flyway. There are also Arctic birds that winter here in Nahant, and of course, our many year-round, resident birds. All will be safer because 50 to 60 wind turbines will not be installed on the causeway.

Many possibilities still exist for using renewable energy, including different types of wind turbines, solar power and geothermal power. Individual households can conserve energy by adding insulation and simply switching off lights and computers, when not in use. All will be needed to combat global climate change and the sea level rise, to which the Nahant Causeway is particularly vulnerable. However, it is important to schedule projects where they will not endanger the living environment that they are meant to protect.

Public Beaches Success Story Continues

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay announced the return of their Better Beaches Small Grants Program, made possible by a generous grant from The Boston Foundation. The 2010 Better Beaches Program looks to build on the success of previous years, by encouraging proposals that promote beach programming, while strengthening local beach groups, so that they can survive – and thrive – in the longer term. Grants will be targeted to support initiatives that make local beach groups stronger by increasing participation, membership and financial support, through memberships, individual contributions, corporate sponsorships and contributions from local businesses.

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay launched the “Better Beaches” in 2008, in partnership with the Metropolitan Beaches Commission and the Department of Conservation and Recreation, to help jumpstart public activities and free events on our region’s public beaches. By all accounts, it has done just that, helping groups in nine communities put their beaches to work for all the residents of our region. In 2009, Save the Harbor/Save the Bay and participating groups built on this success, by raising a total of \$112,000 to support 31 well-attended events, including concerts, sand castle competitions, family reading nights and beach festivals, that attracted hundreds of thousands of regional residents to the cleaner waters of Boston Harbor and Massachusetts Bay.

This year, Save the Harbor/Save the Bay will make another round of grants, ranging from \$500 to \$5,000, to non-profit organizations, community groups, neighborhood groups and Friends groups, from Lynn, Nahant, Revere, Winthrop, East Boston, South Boston, Dorchester, Quincy and Hull. The simple, two-page application can be found online at www.savetheharbor.org.

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay will host an application workshop, on Monday, May 3rd, from 5:30-7:30 p.m., at their office, 212 Northern Avenue, Suite 304W, Boston, MA. The application process will remain open until May 10, 2010. Grants will be awarded at 10:00 a.m., on Saturday, June 5th, at Save the Harbor, on Boston Fish Pier. (Please RSVP if you wish to attend). For additional information, please visit www.savetheharbor.org, or email PJ McCann at mccann@savetheharbor.org, or call (617) 451-2860 x8

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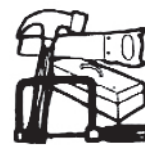
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Lainey Titus Seeks Open Selectman's Seat

(Continued from page 1.) life. Whether you agree with it or not, government plays a role in everything we do, from drinking a glass of tap water, to driving down the street and stopping at a stop sign. Therefore, who we elect has always been vitally important to me, as they are the people making decisions that will affect our daily living.

In 2003, I began working for Nahant's State Representative, Steve Walsh, as his Legislative Aide. Over the next seven years, Representative Walsh and I worked together to respond to the needs of his constituents and enact public policy that we believed was in the best interest of his district. One of the most rewarding parts of my work for the representative, was making connections with so many of my Nahant neighbors and helping them with whatever they needed, from advocating on their behalf with state agencies, to problem-solving different situations. Although I knew many Nahanters before working at the State House, I met so many more of you through my work with Representative Walsh and have formed some great friendships over the years.

In my position as Legislative Aide, and later as Chief of Staff for Representative Walsh, I became adept at reading and understanding the complex state budget and how it related to the Town of Nahant's budget. I also worked closely with Nahant officials, state agencies and executive offices, and am familiar with local aid, educational funding and other state programs, available to cities and towns. This firsthand experience is crucial now, more than ever, when all cities and towns are feeling the budget crunch and funding from state resources needs to be optimized.

While working at the State House, I decided to pursue a Master's degree so that I could supplement my first-hand experience with an academic background. I graduated with my Masters Degree in Public Affairs, from the McCormack Institute at the University of Massachusetts, Boston in 2007. My course of study included the basics of public policy formation and public management, as well as coursework on municipal government, including budgets, town government structure and management of municipalities. This knowledge will be helpful when the Board of Selectmen is reviewing proposals from the Finance Committee, or recommendations from the Town Administrator.

In November, I decided to pursue a new challenge with the Massachusetts Nurses Association, where I now serve as the Associate Director of Legislation and Government Affairs for the North Shore and Merrimack Valley. A key responsibility of this new position is to advocate for the nurses and their policy initiatives, at the state and federal levels. This is an experience I can also use to Nahant's benefit, similarly advocating for the Town and its citizens with local, state and federal officials.

I come to this race with only one agenda: to use my experience and education to serve my town in the best way possible. My past civic involvement and familiarity with so many Nahant residents will make me a knowledgeable and accessible member of the Board. I am a creative thinker with lots of energy and want to put these qualities to work for our town. My goal is to listen, to hear the concerns and ideas of my fellow Nahanters, and to help make Nahant the best it can be. I hope that you will join me, at the Knight's of Columbus, on June 18th, to start the conversation!

If you would like to help Lainey Titus in her campaign, send an email to: tlainey@gmail.com



Nahant Life Boat Station Welcomes New Tenant

Why are those animal cages adorning the front of our town life boat station you ask? It caught our attention at the Tudor Cocktail Ice Co., as well. We sent out our crackerjack staff reporter, Mae I. Barjen, to get the scoop!

You'll be happy to know that, finally, after years of trying to get a positive revenue stream for the station, the newly-formed Isle of Nahant Pate Company has agreed to a long lease at the location for their state-of-the-art slaughter house (wonderful).

The Tudor Cocktail Ice Co. is being given some credit for the original concept. As you avid "Ice Shavers" recall from a former column, the idea was to gather the hundreds of migrating Canadian geese that "visit" our town ball fields (hence, the cages) and establish our own Nahant brand pate, making us America's king of pate, (look out France).

"The proceeds should bring in enough extra revenue to eliminate any and all property taxes for my fellow islanders," states Isle of Nahant Pate CEO and proud sponsor of this year's MITCHELL'S CAHNAH LABOR DAY BLOCK PARTY, Claude Mywhey.

"Our business plan is simply to use every part of the bird. The liver, obviously, for the pate, breast, leg and thigh will be given free "exclusively" to the Town school, Senior Center, and eating establishments, as mystery meat, eliminating their poultry and beef cost. A finely-ground powder will be made of the bones and innards, which will be donated to the Nahant Garden Club for "Isle of Nahant Plant Food," and lastly, the down feathers will be given to our local Town sewing circle, for pillows and comforters. It's a win, win, win for the Town, as well as our company". (What a guy, button his shirt, his heart is falling out)!

In the "SAME THING, ONLY DIFFERENT DEPARTMENT," many Town staff and department heads have changed over the last 90 days, and as usual on our isle, fact sometimes get confused with fiction. Our reporter is here to assure you all to relax and know "IT IS" the same GOOD thing only different. "Let's all do a walk through department by department, shall we," offers Ms. Barjen.

In the police department, Chief Bill is now Chief Bob, (there is no Chief Billy-Bob). In the D.P.W. Super Different Bob is now Super Tim and staffer Chucky is now staffer Brucie.

In the fire department, again Chief Different Bob retired and was replaced by Chief Ed, then to Chief Howie, then back to Chief Ed, (to the best of the reporter's knowledge, there could have been one, or possibly two, more in there somewhere but she could not confirm). ARE YOU ALL FOLLOWING THIS SO FAR?

Our selectmen were Ritchie, Mike and Skip, and then it was Ritchie, Mike, Skip and Almost Rob, now it's Ritchie, Mike and maaaaaybe Elaine. There, we think that's about it.....

So, everyone, just relax, the island won't sink, because, even though it sounds just a wee bit confusing (Yeah think?), the people that nailed it at the end of the rainbow "REALLY DO KNOW WHAT THEY'RE DOING." Hats off and congratulations to the new crew and many, many thanks to retired crew for their years of service !!!!!

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Useless Information...By Ray Barron

Nahant's June Birthday Babies

June 1: June Carmody, Debora Deberardinis, Myron Polnicki and Meghann Toomajian .

June 2: Gennaro Angiulo, Sean Dignan, Janet Flaherty, Elizabeth Fortucci, Kate Hall, Stephen Kasper, David Lazzaro, Matthew Luti, Joel Marie, Kathleen Martin, David Quinn, Joshua Russell, Anthony Scali, Sallee Slagle, Craig Thomas, Karol Wabno, Alexandria Wilson and Jackson Wrenn.

June 3: Youngae Benson, Joseph Brugman, Jayne Dantona, Sharon Dobbyn, Adam Hatfield, Ryan Henry, John Livoti, Kelly O'Keefe and Samuel Reenstierna.

June 4: Peggy Ackerman, Pam Bynum, Marjorie Cenci, Priscilla Culver, Felicia Defeo, Mary Donahue, Christine Fulchino, Gretchen Henry, Cecelia Hill, Justin Mahoney, Michael McGrath, Kathy O'Connor, William Robinson, Ramon Rosa, Judith Shanahan, Kevin Shanahan, Michael Vecchia and James Walton.

June 5: Katherine DiVittorio, Frank Dunion, Joseph Gallagher III, Owen Kane, Florence McDonough, Sarah Murray, Colleen Osbahr, Lorraine Sanphy, Colleen Sheppard, Toni Maria Schofield, Dale Warren and Elaine White.

June 6: My beloved wife Marilyn's birthday, Robert Cass, Martha Chepeleff, Claire Flebbe, Henry Hanagan, Stephen O'Malley, Claudia Orleans, Thomas Parrott, Connor Tidd, Cecilia Ustaszewski, Mary Valeri, Luke Wachtel,

June 7: Happy birthday to Ariana Clements, Laurence Mason, Craig Mosher, Robert Tarason ,
June 8: Raymond Desmarais, Alicia Donovan, Susan Hooper, Breegan Houlihan, Kathy Jenkins, Neil Liston, Lizette Marrero, Melanie Marino, Jessica Porcaro, James Savino, Anne Senk and David Wilson.

June 9: Madyson Bardgett, Jeanne Bufalino, Kevin Carmody, Henry Ferrara, Ryan Frauenholz, Katherine Jenkins, Barbara Mackey, James Mehigan,

Svetlana Parisi

June 10: True Blaisdell, Jr., Sean Coffey, Kevin Howard, Michael Kairevich IV, Molly Kasper, James McCullough, Robert McIlveen, Samantha Schneiderman, Shantell Smith and Sharare Soleymani.

June 11: Larry Bradley, Bob Cronin, Charles Dick, Richard Fox, Mary LeBlanc, Ryann McKee, Gretchen Sterenberg and Carmel Trentsch.

June 12: Nora Bishop, James Callahan, Anne Cote, Shaun Driscoll, Elisabeth Foukal, Josie Lafalce, Judy Larkin, Matthew Lazzaro, Gerald Mills, Katherine Moleti and Theresa Moore.

June 13: Patricia Aldrich, Chris Black, Christopher Jordan Dent, David Hussey, Mary Lou McGinn, Christine O'Donnell, Benjamin Quigley, Shirley Sarpi-Brahm and Dorothy Vitale.

June 14: Kelsey Barrasso, John Bozarjian, Meaghan Canty, Kenneth Ford, Andrea Gaulzetti, Jason Goodwin, Marie Hosker, Suzanna Karatzas, Janet Lass, Joseph Marino, James Moleti, Sean Osbahr, Mia Schena, Mark Schifffenhaus, Darlene Terminello, Marian Taylor, Jannette White and Vanessa Whiteside.

June 15: Bernard Bruneau, Daniel Droukis, Mary Kavanagh, Jennifer McGaffigan, Lynne Spencer and Conrad Squires.

June 16: Rosemary Brown, Kellie Connolly, William English Jr., John Hooper, Amy Magher, Pauline Marra, Talia Petrucci, Kevin Solimine

and Ellen Steeves. June 16th is also known as Bloomsday, originated by James Joyce.

June 17: Dan Bennett, Bill Caldwell, Kristina Etter, Melissa Hanson, Elisabeth Hemminger, Shelby Hill, Arthur Kautz, Divya Menon Kohn, Elizabeth Landry, Thomas Loftus, Cora Long, William Ludke, Lana Mogan, Charles Mogavero, Eric Pasinski, Anthony Rizzo, Peter Scapicchio, Dr. Sheldon Savinor, Barbara Stamos, John Stevenson, Janina Wabno and Adam Wilson.

June 18: Kathleen Cooke, Ryan Desmarais, Sarah Kaplan, Mary Magner, Sara Martin, Thomas Nielson, Richard Snyder and Eugene Swanson.

June 19: Jennie Alexander, Colin Carpenter, Martha Chepeleff, James Clements, Katherine deStefano, Joseph Dowling, Edward Sun Goodrich, Amir Lagasse, Ed Locke, Edward Morrissey, Alfred Santosuosso, Anne Spirn, Marcelle Valentin and Alice Volk-Roy.

June 20: Wilfred Cote, Mary Dill, Susan DePaulo, Lisa Doyle, Farzad Haghayeghi, Dick Senk and Bill McDonald.

June 21: Jane Lombard and Julian Scovell.

June 22: Ethan Angerbach, Donna Damico, Stephanie Doucette, Steven Hyde, Kazuo Mori, James Ward, Frederick Wilson III and Edmund Zamejftis.

June 23: Bob Baldwin, John Cohen, Janice Gomperts, M. Dean Hendrick, Christin Morse, Patrick O'Reilly, Gregory

Poth, Helen Taylor and Janice Thorton.

June 24: Anastasia Beaulieu, Paul Wilson.

June 25: Lori Ballantine, Margaret Hinrichs, Elizabeth Kelley, Samantha McGilloway, Dorothy Maguire, Roger Peladeau, Linda Powers, Irene Purdy and Halley Smith.

June 26: Douglas Babin, Conor Caccivio, Cory Carmody, Brendan Coffey, Michele Beauchine Collins, Gerald Cote, Jordan Cummings, Patricia Davis, Robert Guiney, Janet Malatesta, Jean Mullen, Shea Nugent, Helen O'Hare, Nickolas Papagelis, Alec Roy, Marylyn Taylor, Robert Tibbo and Maisie Vasquez.

June 27: Margaret Antrim, Marc Carbone, Jennifer Dignan, Paul Gilday, Eric Leja, William Mahoney, Patricia McCallum, William O'Connor, Michael O'Malley, Arturo Saavedra-Lauzon, Kenneth Taylor, Arlene Troiani, Thomas Worth and Michael Zhuykov.

June 28: Nathaniel Cail, Joseph Hojlo, Jr., Joseph McDonough, Tyler Middleton, Teresa Newell, Frank Pesco, Eileen Simons and Anita Smith.

June 29: Lauri Allard, Igor Babuskin, Cari Bamberg, Francis "Enzo" Barile, Gary Deines, Richard De Benedetto, Laurel Laliberte, Dolores Merlino and Christie Stamos.

June 30: Maria Brooks, Timothy Dempsey, Richard Hagoort, Julia Kautz, Katherine Locke, Tristan Reenstierna, Andre Sigourney and Helen Staffier.

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The Fear That Paralyzed the Market Is Gone

Submitted by Lisa Scourtas, Jack Conway Real Estate, 781-479-0908

It's indisputable that we are seeing a broad-based home sale recovery, in nearly every part of the country; particularly here in the North East. Nationally, sales have been above last year's levels for nine straight months. Housing inventory, at the end of March, represented an eight-month supply, which for our part, is very manageable. Even as foreclosed homes flow into the market at higher than preferred numbers, they are just as quickly being absorbed.

Home values are stabilizing, even as those bank-owned properties, feeding the inventory pipeline, create a drag on pricing given their typical lower-end price point. Here in Massachusetts, some of the inventory shortages we have been seeing have abated and happily, housing prices rose 7.9% in March 2010, over the same period last year, as reported by the Warren Group. The Warren Group, parent company of the Banker and Tradesman Newspaper, reports statewide sales of single family homes were up 27.6% and condos up 33.4% in March, compared with the same month in 2009. Locally, as well as nationally, the experts are saying despite some incremental fluctuations in prices month to month, home prices have bottomed out and will bump along the bottom through the remainder of this year.

The Case Shiller Index indicates that pricing has bottomed out and although we may stay at a pricing bottom for a while, there is a chance for a good solid recovery. Sixteen months ago, buyer's were on the sidelines, or if they were in the market, they were afraid to commit to making an offer, fearing or waiting for the price to drop some more. At the time, our sellers were in distress, or total dismay; afraid for their jobs and unwilling to come to grips with the loss in equity in their homes and investments. Today, we see a different psychology, caused, in no small part, by stabilization in housing prices, often with incremental monthly increases.

We see availability of credit on reasonable terms, improvement in jobless figures, low inflation is expected to continue, rising consumer confidence and, mortgage interest rates at historically low levels.

Leveraging these facts with the equilibrium in the markets finally returning to a degree and you will see an ample inventory of homes offered by non-distressed sellers, coming on the market at realistic and static pricing and an ever-expanding pool of buyers who are qualified, and not paralyzed with indecision and inertia, afraid to make a decision lest values continue to drop. Buyers will recognize this as they compete for the realistically-priced homes we have to offer them. Of course, we will continue to have to deal with the scourge of the short sale and the attendant frustrations that accompany. But, even there we are seeing light at the end of the tunnel. Lender short sale approval time has decreased with better systems and better trained bank representatives, appearing in time to offer assistance, as the banks work through the pipeline of problem loans. Unquestionably as the economy improves and we have a jobs recovery along with a slow and steady rise in pricing, we will see fewer and fewer short sellers. The first-time buyer and move-up buyer tax credit programs were a resounding success. And pay attention to the government programs created to assist homeowners in short sale situations. Many of these are finally kicking in. The government is encouraging lenders to modify mortgages with the goal of keeping people in their homes and avoiding foreclosure. Unfortunately, even with the best of intentions and efforts, some homeowners will not be able to afford such a modification and must give up their homes. For them, there are home foreclosure prevention programs. These programs are designed to help people avoid foreclosure by offering financial incentives to the homeowner, as well as to the first and second mortgage holders, to work together to sell the property in a timely and orderly manner, thus avoiding foreclosure and the disruptions that follow. And, if there is any reason for a seller to withstand the difficulties and indignities of a short sale, as opposed to just walking away, only a couple of weeks ago, Fannie Mae announced that going forward, troubled borrowers who complete a short sale will be eligible to apply for a new Fannie Mae backed mortgage, in just two years.

That's terrific for both the buyer and the seller consumer.

We are still enjoying historically low mortgage rates with 30-year fixed rates at, or about 5%. Popular thought was when the Federal Reserve stopped buying mortgage backed securities in March, the rates would climb. But as private investors started buying these mortgage backed securities, the expected increase in mortgage rates that did occur was negligible.

Nationally, growth is expected to be about 3%, not great, but better than the 2.1 % expected. Nevertheless, lower growth, coupled with expected low inflation due to the feds monetary policy, should have a breaking effect on rising mortgage interest rates. NAR's chief economist, Laurence Yun, foresees mortgage rates increasing somewhat this year. So, while we may see some rate increases, the threat of even minor increases, coupled with stable prices, may encourage our buying market, in the short term, to act faster than they might otherwise, perhaps offsetting the loss of the tax credit programs effect on sales. Today we are in a different, but vastly improved market, than we were just over a year ago. By all estimations, prices have bottomed out and are stabilizing.

The Consumer Confidence Survey shows an increase in the consumer confidence index to its highest levels since September 2008, with consumers more confident in improving business conditions, and more optimistic about employment and the jobs outlook. And you know what this means. As consumer confidence goes, so goes the real estate business. An improving economy, positive jobs outlook, available credit and stabilizing home prices, will open up the real estate markets. The fear that paralyzed the markets is gone. Amen!



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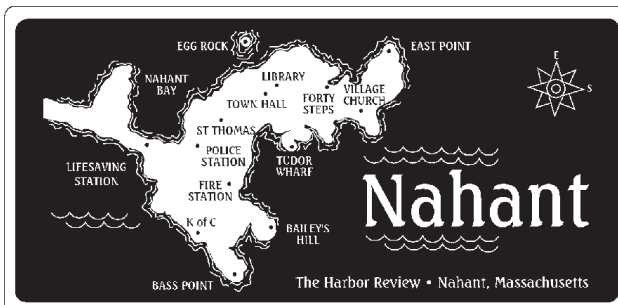
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In Memory

Pasquale T. Lussiano, 73 **Sep. 21, 1936 — Mar. 9, 2010**

Pasquale T. “Pat” “Sonny” Lussiano, age 73, passed on March 9th, 2010. He was the loving son of Rose M. (Ferraro) Lussiano and the late Thomas D. Lussiano and the 31 year companion of Diane Campagna.

Pasquale was born in Stoneham, raised in Arlington and Lynn, then spent most of his adult life living in Nahant. Some of Pasquale’s fondest memories were of being a Lynn Classical goalie, Class of 1954, serving in the Air Force and being stationed in Germany (1954-1962), coaching Nahant Babe Ruth and Little League, coaching the Lynn 1983 World Champion Babe Ruth team, coaching Swampscott High school baseball and basketball, serving many breakfasts and pizzas at Pat’s Place to all his friends in the Town of Nahant, helping his friends with parking in East Boston, dancing and most of all, spending time with his mother, children, Diane and his family.

Pasquale always enjoyed a friendly chat, a friendly wager, or sharing a joke. His light-hearted, fun spirit, touched many people along his path. He will truly be missed.

Pasquale is survived by his mother, Rose M. (Ferraro) Lussiano, his loving companion of 31 years Diane Campagna; his children, Thomas P. Lussiano, LeeAnne L. (Lussiano) Botelho, the late Michelle Lussiano; Diane’s sons, Jeffery and Christian Campagna; his sisters Constance Miller and Diane Caswell Sachar; his grandchildren Illeisha Lussiano, Michael, Amanda and Jackie Burgess; a niece and two nephews, many cousins and dear friends.

His funeral was held at SOLIMINE, LANDERGAN & RICHARDSON FUNERAL HOME, in Lynn and followed by a funeral mass at St. Thomas Aquinas Church in Nahant. Interment was in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Josephine A. Quinn **Jan. 18, 1923 — May 10, 2010**

Josephine A. Quinn, age 87, of Nahant, died Monday in a local nursing home, after a lengthy illness. She was the daughter of the late Patrick and Nora (Shea) Quinn. Born in Lynn, she was raised in Nahant where she lived all her life. Educated in Nahant and Lynn, she graduated from Lynn Classical High School, class of 1941. She worked as a secretary at General Electric in Lynn until her retirement. Josephine lived her life in Nahant where she loved being near the ocean. She was an active communicant of St. Thomas Aquinas Church in Nahant. She was an avid Boston Red Sox, Boston Bruins and New England Patriots fan. Josephine loved spending time with her family, never forgetting a birthday or holiday.

She is survived by her brother John P. Quinn and his wife Alicia Quinn of Nahant, several nieces, nephews and devoted friends. She was the sister of the late Andrew and Walter Quinn and the sister-in-law of the late Rose Quinn.

Her funeral was held at SOLIMINE, LANDERGAN & RICHARDSON FUNERAL HOME, followed by a funeral mass in St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Nahant. Interment will be in Greenlawn Cemetery, Nahant. Visitation will be from 8:30 – 9:30AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to St. Thomas Aquinas Church, 248 Nahant Rd., Nahant, MA 01908.

Lucy H. Doane **Dec. 22, 1908 — May 22, 2010**

Lucy H. Doane, artist and teacher, passed away on Saturday, May 22, 2010. At 101 years, she had the distinction of being the Town’s oldest resident and had enjoyed being the recipient of the Boston Post Cane denoting that honor, several years ago.

Lucy Doane, the daughter of Sidney T. and Faye (Wilson) Doane, was born in Nahant on December 22, 1908. She attended Nahant public schools and graduated from Lynn Classical High School in 1925. Revealing her artistic abilities at an early age, she pursued her calling in that field and received her B.S. degree at the Mass. College of Art in 1929, her MFA from Teachers College, Columbia University and did further study abroad at the Netherlands Institute of History and Art. She taught art for several years at Keene Teachers’ College in New Hampshire and then become Director of Art in the public schools in Rutland, Vermont, retiring from that position in 1971. An avid traveler, she enjoyed trips to Europe and Asia, getting inspiration for her paintings from visiting various historic sites and museums.

She then lived for a number of years in the Bennington, Vermont area where she was an active member of the Bennington Area Arts Council, the Southern Vermont Arts Center and the Bennington Museum. In 1991, she was honored by being made a fellow of the Vermont Academy of Arts and Sciences, in recognition of her “outstanding contribution to the cultural resources of the state.” Early in her career, Lucy Doane was known as an illustrator of children’s books, but as time went on her interest shifted to painting the beautiful landscapes of Vermont as well as the ever-changing seascapes of the North Shore of Massachusetts. Her paintings were exhibited widely in New England and New York and many were purchased to become part of prestigious private and public collections including the National Gallery in Washington, DC.

Returning to live in her hometown of Nahant in the late 1990’s, Lucy remained active in the art field exhibiting her paintings at the Marblehead and Swampscott Art Associations.

The sister of the late Albert G. Doane of Swampscott, she is survived by her sister Calantha Doane Sears of Nahant, and also by many nieces and nephews, as well as their children and their children. Each generation thoroughly enjoyed their “Aunt Lu,” not only for her artistic abilities but also for her positive attitude to life, her love of nature, her quick wit and wry sense of humor.

The Memorial Service was held at the Nahant Village Church on May 26, 2010. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Nahant Historical Society, 41 Valley Road, Nahant, MA 01908.

Daniel C. Zeitz, Sr., 92

Mr. Daniel C. Zeitz, Sr., age 92, formerly of Nahant, died Saturday at Salem Hospital, after a lengthy illness. He was the beloved husband of the late Elizabeth (Mitchell) Zeitz. Born in Onondaga, Michigan, he was the son of the late Henry Carl and Florence (Weldon) Zeitz. He was raised in Onondaga, Michigan and attended public schools there.

He entered the US Army in 1941. His first unit was Battery G, 9th Coast Artillery Regiment-Harbor Defense. He was stationed at East Point, Nahant, from December 1941 until the end of World War II. Late in 1942, Dan, called “high-pockets” by his fellow soldiers, was engaged to Betty Mitchell, of Nahant, who worked as a telephone operator at the Nahant Telephone Station.

For years, Dan worked at Roland’s Greenhouses in Nahant and Revere. He delivered Poinsettias and Easter Lilies all over New England. He later worked at Raffi and Swanson Coatings in Wilmington until his retirement. Dan was an avid golfer and enjoyed playing Golf at Kelley Greens Golf Course in Nahant. He was one of the original residents of the Spindrift elderly housing, in Nahant, where he lived until 2004.

He is survived by his daughter; Linda Lehman of Nahant; his son; Daniel C. Zeitz, Jr. and his wife Lillian of Saugus; his grandchildren; Robert D. Lehman and his wife Kendra, Beth Lehman and her husband Timothy McAllister, Daniel J. Zeitz and his wife Brandi; and David Zeitz; his great-grandchildren Joey and Danny Zeitz, Cam and Keira McAllister; and twins Ally and K.K. Lehman; his sisters; Betty Mock, Bessie Rey, Maudie McManus, Barbara Leightner, and Minnie Graham as well as many nieces and nephews. He was the grandfather of the late Karen Zeitz and brother of the late Louise, William, Frank, Henry, Lawrence, and Arlo Zeitz.

His funeral was held at the SOLIMINE, LANDERGAN AND RICHARDSON FUNERAL HOME, followed by a Funeral Mass in St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Nahant. Burial was in Greenlawn Cemetery, Nahant.

In Memory

Do Not Stand At My Grave and Weep

by *Mary Elizabeth Frye*

Do not stand at my grave and weep
I am not there; I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glints on snow,
I am the sun on ripened grain,
I am the gentle autumn rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush
of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there; I did not die.



Shelley Zides.

May 10, 1955 — April 22, 2010

Shelley was a dear friend of mine for 19 years. She was a sweet, kind and thoughtful person and an honorary aunt to my son Jesse, whom she knew from the time he was born. A gentle spirit who was unable to say or do an unkind thing, Shelley was typically always elegant and sometimes glamorous. She was playful and fun-loving. She enjoyed yoga, meditation and the outdoors. She biked, enjoyed nature photography, joined a hiking group and walked the beaches in Nahant, often with me and my dog, Waldo. Her passion for baseball led her to attend many of my son's Little League games. She talked about looking forward to going to this season's games.

She excelled at Brandeis, getting top honors, where she wrote and produced her own play. She loved writing and wrote other plays, as well. Her creative work included voiceovers and performances in commercial films. She flourished in and was especially proud of, her theater work. She also became a Delta Stewardess where she was an 'On Board Leader.' She loved to travel and saw the world with Delta. Her current work was as a dental hygienist.

She had lived in Nahant for a number of years, most recently at the Edgehill Apartment Condos, where she was the secretary of the Condo Association. She could often be found at Captain Seaside's for Friday morning breakfast. She leaves many other dear friends and acquaintances in Nahant, where she also belonged to a monthly book club. I am grateful that Shelley was in my life for the support, kindness and friendship she gave me.

She leaves her brother, Harvey and his wife, Shirley Zides, of Middleboro, three nephews and their spouses, Mark and Rachel Zides, Evan and Tiffany Zides, Mitchell and Bridgitte Zides and nine grand nieces and nephews, as well as dear friends Joyce Haynes and Bob and Betsy Gilman.

A Memorial Bench is being planned in her honor on Short Beach. Donations for the Memorial Bench can be made to 'Shelley Zides Memorial Bench Fund' and mailed to: Joyce Haynes, 86 Wilson Road, Nahant, MA 01908.

Eugenia McCoy, 72

Eugenia "Gina" (Lazarakis) McCoy, 72 years of Nahant, died on Wednesday, February 10, 2010, in Salem Hospital after a brief illness. She was the wife of Mr. Robert McCoy. She was born in Lynn, the daughter of the late Charles Lazarakis and Joanne (Giannopoulos) (Lazarakis) George of Salem. She was raised in New York and was a graduate of Dean Academy in Massachusetts. She returned to Lynn, lived in Swampscott and moved to Nahant in 1997.

Mrs. McCoy was a prolific writer and journalist. She was published in the Proini a Greek American newspaper as well as other publications. She also worked as a real estate agent and in the Nahant Library.

In addition to her husband, with whom she shared 45 years, and her mother, she leaves a son, Craig Wilson and his wife Susu of Marlboro, New Jersey. She also leaves her two grandchildren, Zoe and Roderick Wilson of Marlboro, New Jersey.

Service Information: Her memorial service was held on February 17, 2010, at the Nahant Village Church, Nahant.

Mary (O'Donnell) Fox May 29, 1938 — Apr. 9, 2010

Mary H. (O'Donnell) Fox, age 71, of Danvers formerly of Nahant, died Friday, April 9, 2010, surrounded by her loving family, at Radius Health Care, in Danvers, after living with Alzheimer's Disease for the past ten years. She is lovingly remembered as "Nana Mary."

Born in Woburn on May 29, 1938 and raised in Woburn, she was the daughter of the late Hubert and Mary (Slaney) O'Donnell. She was a longtime resident of Nahant, before moving to Danvers in recent years. A graduate of Woburn High School, class of 1956, Mary retired from Nynex Yellow Pages Company, in Middleton, in 1995, following a career as an Executive Assistant, for over twenty years.

Mary was a beautiful poetry writer: some of her work over the years, was published in various articles and newspapers. An avid crossword puzzler, Mary loved to golf, dance and be with her family and friends. She had a wonderful sense of humor and a loving, sparkling personality and smile. She was a beautiful, warm and gentle person who will be missed by all who knew and loved her. She was a devoted and loving mother, grandmother and friend.

Mary was a member of the Woburn Drum and Bugle Corps, a Square Dancing group and the Nahant Red Hat Society. Mary leaves behind her best friend and cherished companion of ten years, Leonard Ryan of Peabody; her children Cheryl Treacy and her husband Jimmy, of North Andover, Lisa Romano and her husband Terry, of Danvers, and her son, Daniel Carey and his wife Yukie Carey, of the Phillipines; four loving grandchildren Dylan and Connor Treacy, of North Andover, and Lauren and Jenna Romano, of Danvers; two step-daughters, Nancy Fox, of Arlington, VA and Jennifer Fox, of Hindsdale, Ill.; brothers Sonny O'Donnell, of Pepperell and Phillip O'Donnell and his wife Luci, of Missouri; her dog, friend and companion, Rocky; several nieces and nephews. Mary was predeceased by her sister, Rita Noonan, brother Junie O'Donnell and her first husband, Dan Carey.

Her Funeral Mass was held on Thursday, Apr. 15, 2010.



**Lucy Doan's Version of the
Nahant Sea Serpent. Thank you,
Lucy, for your art which give us
your unique view of the world.**

NAHANT PUZZLE PAGE

A Wright Angle
by Rick Kennedy

ACROSS

- 1 Wise
5 Driver, e.g.
9 Egg on
13 Quarter back?
18 Sailors
19 Fabled racer
20 Southwest tribe
21 Adopt
22 Adolescent outburst
23 Cathedral recess
24 Dutch cheese
25 Salad green
26 *Start of a Steven Wright quote*
30 "____ to Billie Joe" (1967 #1 hit)
31 Belt
32 Unrefined metal
33 Head of England?
34 Loon
35 Barbecue fare
37 Contents of Pandora's box
39 Tumbled
41 Cool
42 Narrow inlet
43 Ten: Prefix
44 Functions
46 Offal
48 Course cry
49 *Part 2 of quote*
54 Tach reading, for short
57 Congressional vote
58 Nosh
59 Bard of ____
60 Split to be joined?
62 Deep-voiced singer
65 Feel sick
67 Single
71 Greek fabulist
72 Kind of instinct
73 Soviet secret police
74 Feudal lord
75 Noodles
76 Ball
77 Wordsworth works
79 51 Down of a 13 Across
80 Greek god of war
82 "Talking" done with the hands: Abbr.
83 Ship initials
85 Sixth sense
86 *Part 3 of quote*
93 Turkish ____
94 Mobile homes?
95 Pond organism
96 Spanish "but"
100 Columbus Day mo.
101 401(k) alternative
102 Buck or boar
104 Plastic alternative
105 Afrikaner
107 %: Abbr.

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- 108 Chum
109 Corp. honcho
111 Resort hotel
112 Thing with cups and hooks
113 *End of quote*
118 Tan shades
120 Mystique
121 Goofs
122 Too
123 Most rational
124 Footnote abbr.
125 In ____ of (instead of)
126 Active sort
127 Uneasy feeling
128 Depend
129 Rose family member
130 Kaufman or Rooney

DOWN

- 1 Excoriated
2 Collection of historical records
3 Hereditary
4 Pitcher
5 Committee leader
6 Senior moment, e.g.
7 ____ Major
8 Bone to pick
9 Carboic acid
10 Place for a clown
11 Opaque gem
12 Reduce in size
13 Billion years
14 Passion
15 Area between posts
16 Budgerigar
17 Meadow mother
21 Borscht vegetable
27 Dawn goddess
28 Infirm
29 Like some vows
36 Major coll.

- fraternity
38 Research center
39 Toll
40 Chicago-to-Pittsburgh dir.
41 Owns
44 Colorado tribe
45 Clear the deck?
46 Humor
47 Letter holder: Abbr.
48 ____ Mae
50 Pupil (2 wds.)
51 Digs of twigs
52 Toy store inits.
53 Paprika-seasoned stew
54 Harvest
55 "Guilty," e.g.
56 Green seedless plant
61 Fertilizer compound
63 Cabinet dept.
64 Hero
65 Mellow, say
66 ThinkPad

- developer
68 "as you ____"
69 Sponsorship: Var.
70 Thought-provoking
73 German cathedral city
76 Flightless bird
77 Pitchfork-shaped Greek letter
78 Warbled
81 PC key
82 Spots
84 RR stop
86 Period of King James I's rule
87 Speaking
88 Missile type
89 Cager org.
90 Guy's date
91 ____ Miss
92 Clean Air Act org.
93 Short hairstyle
97 5th Greek letter
98 Rested
99 Speaking skill
102 Sickness
103 Actress MacGraw

- 104 Luau dish
106 Storms
107 "Hey, you!"
108 Jeopardy
109 Insertion mark
110 Come after
114 Bumpkin
115 Seaweed variety
116 Pennsylvania county or its seat
117 Jean Arp's movement
118 "Be Prepared" org.
119 Ballpark fig.

Flowers of the World
By Rick Kennedy

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Mon.	7	12:00P	Blood Pressure & Glucose Clinic
Thurs.	10	2:00P	Gaslight – Stoneham Theatre – Reservation Required
Thurs.	17	11:30P	Fathers' Day Luncheon – Tiffany Room – Reservation Required
Fri.	18	1:00P	Movie – TBA
Tues	22	10:00A	SHINE Representative – Medicare & Prescription Assistance. Please call for appointments. Appts. start at 10:00 a.m.
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From the Internet: Bizarre Payback

To the Guy Who Tried to Mug Me in Downtown Savannah the night before last.

I was the guy wearing the black Burberry jacket that you demanded that I hand over, shortly after you pulled the knife on me and my girlfriend, threatening our lives. You also asked for my girlfriend's purse and earrings. I can only hope that you somehow come across this rather important message.

First, I'd like to apologize for your embarrassment; I didn't expect you to actually crap in your pants when I drew my pistol, after you took my jacket.. The evening was not that cold and I was wearing the jacket for a reason.. My girlfriend had just bought me that Kimber Model 1911 .45 ACP pistol for my birthday and we had picked up a shoulder holster for it, that very evening. Obviously you agree that it is a very intimidating weapon, when pointed at your head ... isn't it?! I know it probably wasn't fun walking back to wherever you'd come from with that brown sludge in your pants. I'm sure it was even worse walking bare-footed, since I made you leave your shoes, cell phone and wallet with me. [That prevented you from calling, or running to your buddies to come help mug us, again].

After I called your mother, or "Momma," as you had her listed in your cell, I explained the entire episode of what you'd done. Then I went and filled up my gas tank, as well as those of four other people in the gas station, on your credit card. The guy with the big motor home took 150 gallons and was extremely grateful!

I gave your shoes to a homeless guy outside Vinnie Va Go Go's, along with all the cash in your wallet. That made his day!

I then threw your wallet into the big pink "pimp mobile" that was parked at the curb after I broke the windshield and side window and keyed the entire driver's side of the car.

Later, I called a bunch of phone sex numbers from your cell phone. Ma Bell just now shut down the line, although I only used the phone for a little over a day now, so what's going on with that? Earlier, I managed to get in two threatening phone calls to the DA's office and one to the FBI, while mentioning President Obama as my possible target. The FBI guy seemed really intense and we had a nice long chat (I guess while he traced your number etc.).

In a way, perhaps I should apologize for not killing you ... but I feel this type of retribution is a far more appropriate punishment for your threatened crime. I wish you well as you try to sort through some of these rather immediate pressing issues and can only hope that you have the opportunity to reflect upon and perhaps reconsider, the career path you've chosen to pursue in life. Remember, next time you might not be so lucky.

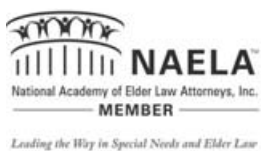
Have a good day!

SAT	29	9:00A	Nahant Garden Club Annual Plant Sale at Life-Saving Station. Till noon.
SUN	30	9:00A	Choir Rehearsal, Nahant Village Church. All welcome!
SUN	30	10:30A	Sunday Worship and Sunday School, Village Church
SUN	30	11:30A	Sunday Social in Swansburg Hall. Village Church
MON	31		Memorial Day
MON	31	9:00A	Parade assembles at Cliff Street.
MON	31	9:30A	Annual Memorial Day Parade steps off!
June			
WED	2	7:00P	Public Meeting for Causeway Project, Town Hall
THU	3	7:30P	Healing with Scientific Certainty, Lynn Museum
SAT	5	10:30A	Adopt A Beach at Short Beach
SUN	6	9:00A	Choir Rehearsal. Nahant Village Church. All welcome!
SUN	6	10:30A	Sunday Worship and Sunday School, Village Church
SUN	6	11:30A	Sunday Social in Swansburg Hall. Village Church
SUN	6	3:00P	Apollo Club at the Nahant Public Library
SUN	6	9:30A	Mixed-Up Doubles Tennis at Nahant Country Club
THU	10	TBA	Talent Show at the Johnson School
THU	10	11:00A	Garden Club Annual Mtg at Knights of Columbus Hall
FRI	11	8:00A	Free Breakfast at NVC with Smokey the Bear
SAT	12	9:00A	Nahant Sailing Program Registration at Flash Road Little League Field. Till 11:30 a.m.
SUN	13	8:00A	Worship Service at Marjoram Park
SUN	13	9:00A	Choir Rehearsal. Nahant Village Church. All welcome!
SUN	13	10:30A	Sunday Worship and Sunday School, Village Church
SUN	13	11:30A	Bake Sale for Vets in Swansburg Hall. Village Church
SUN	13	5:00P	Wild Flower Walk at Short Beach, 781-581-1114
MON	14		FLAG DAY
TUE	15	TBA	Potluck Supper at Johnson School
WED	16	2:00P	Bloomsday at the Nahant Public Library
WED	16	7:00P	Sixth Grade Moving-On Ceremony at Johnson School
FRI	18	7:00P	Lainey Titus for Selectman Campaign Party at Knights of Columbus Hall
SAT	19	7:30P	Beethoven's 5th Symphony at Ellingwood Chapel
SUN	20		FATHER'S DAY
SUN	20	9:00A	Choir Rehearsal. Nahant Village Church. All welcome!
SUN	20	10:30A	Sunday Worship and Sunday School, Village Church
SUN	20	11:30A	Sunday Social in Swansburg Hall. Village Church
MON	21		SUMMER BEGINS
SUN	27	9:00A	Choir Rehearsal. Nahant Village Church. All welcome!
SUN	27	10:30A	Sunday Worship and Sunday School, Village Church
SUN	27	11:30A	Sunday Social in Swansburg Hall. Village Church
MON	28	8:00A	Jr. Invitational Tennis Tournament at Nahant Country Club
TUES	29	8:00A	Jr. Invitational Tennis Tournament at Nahant Country Club
WED	30	8:00A	Jr. Invitational Tennis Tournament at Nahant Country Club

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