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Picnic on the Lawn



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Diners dressed in white fill the lawn of the Unitarian Memorial Church in Fairhaven while Chris & Nina Ott entertain with dinner music on Saturday, 8/5. The event, inspired by "Diner en Blanc," which started in Paris more than 25 years ago, requires everyone to dress in white, with tables draped in white, to create a photogenic effect. The Fairhaven event raised funds for the Fairhaven Historical Society. See page 12 for story. *Photo by Beth David.*

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Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

From The Editor

WEST ISLAND —
A day late and many dollars short.



Beth David, Publisher

Well, chalk one up for Mr. Rees. The *Neighb News* and other free publications will not be moved back to our old spot. They are near the front entrance, which is much better than the hinterlands of town hall, but you can't see them when you first walk in the door. You'll have to figure out that they are near the brochure racks. They are tucked away behind the staircase railing.

The issue was discussed at Monday's meeting (see page 4). Unfortunately, I didn't realize it was on the agenda until Monday, so I had no time to tell my readers to get some support there. That's okay, I'm pretty sure everyone's mind was already made up. Mr. Freitas called the whole thing "silly," and a "waste of our time."

Well, I guess that's expected since I said his argument was "baloney."

Of course, it's not his livelihood on the line, is it?

Suddenly, loads of people are all worried about slipping on newspapers and then being forced to sue the town. Who knew? The fact that you'd have to jump up about 2.5 feet onto a platform that is directly in front of a huge column to be able to step on our papers seemed to be beside the point.

I would like to thank the readers who called and sent letters of support. At least they didn't ONLY hear from people who are afraid of falling on the stairs.

Speaking of calling....GEESH!

I found out after....WAY after, the National Night Out celebration that there was a car accident right in front of the high school. The police and fire were in action, in a real situation (there were no serious injuries). They even had to use the so-called "jaws of life" to pop open the door.

I had left early to cover a meeting and had no idea. I assure you that I would have mentioned it in my article if I had known. When I asked a few people why they didn't tell me, they all said they thought someone else would.

PLEASE DON'T DO THAT!!!!!! I'd rather get a bunch of calls than get none.

Michelle Carter was back in court last week (see page 3). She was sentenced to do a little bit of time in jail, but then ... well, read it on page 3.

Our cover story is a bit of a different event. The Picnic on the Lawn is a very elegant affair and is also lots of fun. See page 12 for that.

We have a bunch of other stuff in here, of course, including some new advertisers. Be sure to notice who they are and let them know you saw their ads in the *Neighb News*.

Until next week then... see ya,

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CORRECTIONS/CLARIFICATIONS

In our story on National Night Out in last week's issue, we said there were "vendor booths" at the event. There were no vendors, only information booths and booths for nonprofits. We apologize for any confusion our error may have caused.

Carter avoids jail time...for now

By Beth David
Editor

Michelle Carter, the Plainville woman who was convicted of involuntary manslaughter in the suicide death of Conrad Roy III, was sentenced to 2 1/2 years in jail, with 15 months to be served in the Bristol County House of Correction, and 5 years probation. Immediately after Judge Lawrence Moniz announced his sentence in Taunton Juvenile Court on Thursday, 8/3, defense attorney Joseph Cataldo asked for a stay of the sentence while he appeals the verdict.

Judge Moniz granted the stay for state appeals only. It means that Ms. Carter did not go to jail last week. She did, however, have to report to probation and give a DNA sample. If her appeal in Massachusetts fails, or gets appealed beyond he state, she will go to jail.

The judge cited case law in explaining his decision to stay the sentence, saying that the appeals process could easily take longer than 15 months. If Ms. Carter's conviction is overturned, but she was already forced to spend time in jail, she could never get those months back, he said.

Ms. Carter was found guilty by Judge Moniz on June 16. She faced up to 20 years in jail.

Mr. Roy was 18 when he was found by Fairhaven police in the KMart parking lot on July 13, 2014, in his pickup truck with a spent gas-powered water pump in the back seat of the crew-cab.

Detectives found thousands of text messages between Mr. Roy and Ms. Carter, in which she encouraged him to kill himself, helped him research ways to kill himself, and berated him when he hesitated.

In a case that generated worldwide attention, Judge Moniz ruled that Ms. Carter had created the "toxic environment," that caused Mr. Roy's death, and, therefore, had an obligation to call police or otherwise try to remove him from the dangerous situation. Instead, she told him to get back in the truck when he got out because he was afraid when it was working.

The defense argued that she used words only and that her words were protected by the First Amendment. She was in Plainville when Mr. Roy killed

himself in Fairhaven.

The prosecution argued that her constant texting and phone calls put her in Mr. Roy's ear, making her virtually present.

On Thursday, at the sentencing hearing, Judge Moniz would only allow Mr. Roy's immediate family members to read victim impact statements.

Prosecutor MaryClare Flynn read a statement by Lynn Roy, Conrad's mother. In it, she said she did not go to every single hearing because it was more than she could handle and sometimes she felt "broken."

"I still cannot come to terms that another person [who] knew and described how much they loved my son would want to inflict so much pain on myself, his dad, his sisters and all [who] loved him deeply," Ms. Flynn read from the statement. "He is the most amazing human being and would have had a bright future. He should have been navigated into a positive looking direction."

Conrad's sister Camden spoke directly to the court, saying that not having that "one person I have been

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Selectboard approves transfer of car repair license

By Beth David
Editor

The Fairhaven Selectboard held a public hearing at its meeting on Monday, 8/7, for the transfer of a car repair license from Jerry's Auto Service to A#1 Crane Company.

Patrick Carr from A#1 Crane and Jerry Bettencourt from Jerry's told the board that A#1 was only repairing their own vehicles at the Middle Street site, with Mr. Bettencourt as the mechanic. Mr. Carr said he wanted to keep the same license that Mr. Bettencourt had when he owned the property because it was worth more with it.

Mr. Carr also asked for the site plan requirement to be waived, saying he had an old site survey that should be acceptable, although the engineer was a Rhode Island company. The license allows for 46 cars. Mr. Carr also said he wanted no time restrictions on hours of operation.

"We want the same license Jerry had," said Mr. Carr, recalling a planning board meeting that brought out a lot of business owners concerned about bylaw changes that

board wanted to make governing car repair shops.

Mr. Carr said he was paying a price for the property based on the ability to run an auto repair shop there.

"It was a repair shop since the 1950s, always has been," said Mr. Carr, adding that he was making no major changes to the building. "Jerry is the mechanic there now.."

He said the only thing absent is the public coming in and out.

Mr. Carr also said he wanted to keep the ability to have warehouse storage, another asset to the property.

The board approved the license on the condition that Mr. Rees finds the site plan sufficient. No members of the public commented at the hearing.

In another matter, the board also met with members of the Fairhaven Housing Authority to appoint someone to fill the position of Thomas Arsenault who resigned due to health issues.

John Farrell, a member of the Planning Board who had run for FHA, and Julia Mitchell both expressed interest in the slot.

Members of the two boards voted unanimously for Mr. Farrell, citing his professional experience in property management.

Ms. Mitchell expressed an interest in joining the board for reasons that seemed more appropriate for a volunteer position working directly with residents, said FHA chairperson Jay Simons. He suggested that Ms. Mitchell talk to the FHA executive director.

The board also discussed the controversy over moving free publications from the front of the main entrance to Town Hall.

Town Administrator Mark Rees

had the publications, including the business brochure rack and Board of Health Materials, moved to the west entrance. After a short time, the publications were moved back to the main entrance, but were placed up the stairs behind the railing.

Editor Beth David of the *Fairhaven Neighborhood News* wrote a letter asking that the publications be put back in their traditional place.

Mr. Rees said that after the materials were moved so that the custodian could clean the floors, he thought the uncluttered look enhanced the "historical nature of the building," so he decided to move them.

Selectboard member Daniel Freitas said the whole discussion was "silly" and a "waste of our time." He showed photos of the front lobby and said the new location was just a few feet away from the old location.

Selectboard member Charles Murphy said he had gotten calls both pro and con, and one person promised to sue the town if he slipped on a publication that was on the stairs.

Selectboard chairperson Bob Espindola said he had asked that the BOH materials be moved back to the front lobby.

All three board members said they liked the new location.

James Leal also spoke, saying he agreed with the move, but making it clear he would not want the chair of honor moved. He was instrumental in getting the chair placed in town hall, in honor of all service members who were prisoners of war or missing in action.

"While I'm alive, that's not gonna move," said Mr. Leal.

The board decided that moving the papers was Mr. Rees's decision.

They will stay behind the railing.

In his report, Mr. Rees told the board that the town hall has new security cameras and an updated alarm system. There are eight cameras, seven outside and one aimed at the foyer, with a monitoring terminal in the Selectboard office.

Mr. Rees also told the board that the town was going to receive a grant for \$72,000 for the marine safety terminal at Union Wharf from the Seaport Council. Town Meeting already voted in a \$20,000 town match to get the grant.

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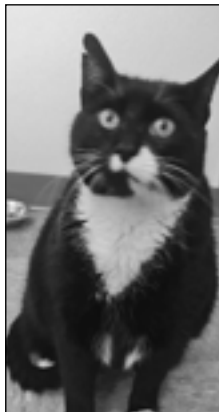
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In Memoriam

Dr. Shigeaki Hinohara

In order to afford the opportunity for the observation of the passing of Dr. Hinohara the Whitfield-Manjiro Friendship Society will host a Memorial Open House on **Sun., 8/13, from Noon to 4 p.m. at the Whitfield-Manjiro Friendship House Museum, 11 Cherry St., Fairhaven. Official comments at 2 p.m.** Public is invited to attend (no fees). A 501(c)3 non-profit agency (donations are tax-deductible).

Bike Run

Motorcycle run to benefit Better Community Living, **Sat., 8/12, Bayside Lounge, 125 Sconticut Neck Rd., Fairhaven. Kickstands up at NOON. \$20 per bike,** includes one hour ride through backroads, food, entertainment after the run. Raffles.

Monday Morning Fun

Only a couple left!!

Monday Morning Fun at the Visitors Center on Mondays in July and August 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Remaining dates: August 14, 21, At Academy Building Lawn, 141 Main St. at Route 6, Fairhaven

A family friendly way to spend a summer morning at the Visitors Center. Play old fashioned lawn games (bean bag toss, horse shoes, nine pins, jarts, frisbee, hula hoops, etc.), jump in a bounce house, get your face painted by Heart Body Arts, and more. On hot mornings, there will be sprinklers—bring a towel. Expect a visit from Buttons the Bear from

Carousel Family Fun Center. Enjoy some ice cream from Acushnet Creamery. At 10:00 each week, enjoy a special guest program geared toward children ages 5 through 12 and their parents and guardians. Admission, games, bounce house, and programs are free. There is a charge for face painting and the ice cream and water.

Bounce house and programs sponsored by contributions to the Tourism Gift Account by local businesses, non-profit groups, and individuals. For more information, including how to make a donation to Monday Morning Fun, call 508-979-4085 or email FairhavenTours@fairhaven-ma.gov.

Monday, August 14: Buttonwood Park Zoomobile with live animals from the zoo! Bounce house sponsored by BRW Property Services.

Master Plan survey Your Town, Your Future!!!

What is Fairhaven's community vision for the Town's character and future development? How do we achieve it? Fairhaven 2040 is a one year public process to develop a Town-wide Master Plan that will answer:

- The Town of Fairhaven is in the process of a very important master planning process. Fairhaven 2040 – Master Plan will help guide the Town in how we want to grow and develop over the next two decades.
- The project is at the midway point and the Draft Vision and Goals Section of the plan has been written. A survey to gather the public's opinion on the Draft Vision and Goals has been prepared.
- **Your input is extremely important to us as we plan to meet the Town's needs.** Please take a few minutes to answer the survey. The survey is available online at the Town's web site: <http://www.fairhaven-ma.gov>

To learn more about the project and review the DRAFT Plan Sections, please visit the project web page at: http://www.fairhaven-ma.gov/pages/FairhavenMA_MasterPlan/index

Reserve the Date:

The third public meeting will be October 4th at 6:30pm at Town Hall.

If you have any questions regarding the survey, or would like to learn about more ways you can participate in the development of the

FAIRHAVEN 2040, please contact Bill Roth, Director of Planning & Economic Development by phone at (508) 979-4082, Ext. 9 or by email at billr@fairhaven-ma.gov.

Cultural Council

On Mon., 8/21, the Fairhaven Cultural Council will hold a Community Input Meeting at 6 p.m. in the East Room at the Fairhaven Town Hall.

All councils operating under the Mass. Cultural Council are required to hold a Community Input Meeting every three years. The council invites residents of Fairhaven to attend this meeting to offer their suggestions and viewpoints about our community's needs to help us determine future arts and humanities grant funding priorities. At this meeting, the council will also discuss this year's Community Input Survey results.

In addition, the council is always seeking new members and welcomes any Fairhaven resident interested in membership to attend. For more information, please contact chairperson Abigail Hevey by email at abigail.hevey@gmail.com

OLH Cookout

Celebrate Summer at the Our Lady's Haven **Neighborhood Cookout**

All residents living in the 71 Center Street neighborhood are cordially invited to attend on **Thurs., 8/24, from 5-7 p.m. at OLH Courtyard.** Serving hot dogs, hamburgers, potato salad, assorted cold beverages & watermelon. **FREE.** Tours available upon request

Scallop Dinner

Baked Scallop Dinner with surprise fixin's at the West Island Improvement Association Community Hall, 40 Causeway Road, Fairhaven, **Sat., 8/26, at 6 p.m. BYOB. Tickets: \$20 pp,** call or text Bob Konicki to reserve, 561-866-9927.

Cyber Security

Come Join MTSi and Cisco's local Security Expert to learn more about Cisco Umbrella and how it can be a great fit for your business. **Thurs., 8/17, 12:15-1:15 p.m., at Micro Technology Solutions, 132 Alden Rd., Fairhaven. Visit mtsolutions.net**



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Fish Documentary

The New Bedford Fishing Heritage Center is pleased to announce the world premiere of *Finest Kind: The New Bedford Fishing Industry* on **Sun., 8/13, at 7:00 p.m., at Greasy Luck Brewery, 791 Purchase St., New Bedford.** Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Film begins at 7 followed by a facilitated discussion with some of those featured in the film and director Kevin Kertscher. Free parking on the street. Accessible. The screening is presented free of charge.

This original documentary was produced by the NB Fishing Heritage Center. Written and directed by Kevin Kertscher of Big Ocean Media, the film interweaves interviews, historic and contemporary footage, and photographs to provide a sense of the rich history and culture of the New Bedford/Fairhaven fishing industry. The expression "Finest Kind" was commonly used in New England fishing communities to mean "the best." The film was made possible with funding from a Maritime Heritage Grant provided by the National Park Service. The film will be shown regularly at the NBFHC, the National Park Visitor Center and the Waterfront Visitor Center. Copies of the film will also be made available to local libraries and schools. Visit www.fishingheritagecenter.org.

Auditions

The following auditions for Your Theatre, Inc. productions will be held in the playhouse in St. Martin' Church/Hall complex, 136 Rivet Street at Country Street, in New Bedford. The auditions are open to all actors over the age of 16.

YTI is holding a second audition, due to a large cast requirement, **August 13 at 4 PM** for all roles in the upcoming 2017-2018 Season production of *Six Degrees Of Separation* by John Guare which runs from Mar 15 to Mar 25, 2018.

Auditions for YTI's production of Yasmina Reza's, Tony Award winning comedy, *God Of Carnage*, will be held **Tuesday, August 15 and Thursday August 17** Anyone interested in auditioning should **arrive at 7:00 PM. Audition will begin at 7:30 PM sharp.** The production, scheduled to be staged May 10-20, 2018

Portside Soiree #2

Birthplace of "Moby Dick" restored. Join us **Thurs., 8/17 for the Portside Soiree #2 at the Seamen's Bethel and Mariners' Home.** We will have another night of open bar, select appetizers and gourmet dessert. Entertainment by guitarist Sean Carney! Project Architect Joe Booth and Fred Toomey, President of New Bedford Port Society, will be offering tours

Visit <http://www.waterfrontleague.org/news/urban-soiree-series/>

Picnic FR

AHA!, Trustees of Reservations, to Host The Picnic: A Special Community Gathering in Support of Public Art and Gardens. A special community gathering in support of public art and gardens presented by The Trustees of Reservations and AHA! (Arts, History, Architecture) New Bedford. Sponsored by Howe Allen Realty, SERVPRO, and Dominoes.

On Thurs., 8/17, from 6-8 p.m., at Allen C. Haskell Public Gardens, 787 Shawmut Avenue, New Bedford. On street parking.

Tickets are \$100/table (6 seats) or \$20/person, and can be purchased on-line at www.ahanewbedford.org/picnic.php. For more information, please contact Lee Heald, 508-965-4816, ahacoordinator@cfsema.org

The Picnic provides the setting for some stunning al fresco dining, including tables and chairs with vintage table cloths and flowers, music from Slow Boat Home — a great blue-grass band, plus lawn games, a small silent auction, and lights in the trees under the early evening sky. Guests are asked to BYOPicnic.

Vet of Year Noms

The Board of Directors of the Veterans Transition House (VTH) — annually selects a veteran from the area who has made an outstanding contribution to veterans, veterans' issues and the community as a whole. The Board of Directors is currently soliciting nominations for the 2017 Veteran of the Year award. If you would like to nominate a veteran for this award, please visit the VTH website at www.vetshouse.org and visit the Events page to download the nomination form. Completed forms

should be mailed to the attention of the Board of Directors at: 20 Willis Street, New Bedford, MA 02740. Forms may also be obtained by contacting Alice Faria, Assistant to the Executive Director at: 508-992-5313 x 10 or by email at: alice@vetshouse.org. **Deadline for nominations is 4 p.m., Friday, 8/11.**

This year's award will be the twenty-second award given to a regional veteran for their contributions to Veterans and the community. Last year's recipient was Priscilla Fonseca of New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Whaling Economics

America's earliest venture capital business model flourished during the era of whaling in this country: that is the central premise of a **one-day symposium at the New Bedford Whaling Museum on August 11.** The Economics of Whaling Symposium will convene professors, historians, and businessmen to discuss the success of this 19th century American global enterprise and the application of this unique business model to modern finance. The symposium is co-sponsored by the Whaling Museum and the Rotch-Jones-Duff House and Garden Museum, and runs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost to attend is \$25 for Whaling Museum members and \$35 for non-members. Advance registration is required in order to receive symposium reading material. To register call 508-997-0046 ext. 100 or visit www.whalingmuseum.org.

Whale ship owners and agents showed tremendous business acumen by creating an incentive-based pay structure that motivated captains and their crews to optimize profits. Simultaneously, the distribution of risk through syndication allowed for enormous profits despite predictable losses at sea.

Zoo Twilight Tour

Sat., 8/19, 6-9:30 p.m., Theme: Nocturnal Animals. Experience the Zoo after hours with dinner, animal encounters, campfire with s'mores and more. Members: Adult/child pair, \$50. Ea. additional \$25. Non-member: \$60 & \$30. Visit www.bpzoo.org or call Hannah Hamilton, 508-991-6178, Ext. 67419 for more info.

HAPPENINGS/OTHER LATITUDES

Golf Scramble

The Livesey Club of Fairhaven announces that they will be holding their **20th Annual Golf Scramble at the Back Nine Club in Lakeville, MA on Sun., 9/10**. We are looking for teams at **\$400.00 per team** which includes cart, golf and a meal. We are also looking for hole sponsors at \$50.00 per hole.

Livesey Club has been supporting youth sports for 47 years. Being one of the largest sponsors in Fairhaven, they have supported: Little League teams, Fairhaven Pop Warner football, Fairhaven Girls Softball teams, Boys and Girls basketball teams. The Livesey Club has also, when approached, supported individual athletes and teams when they have needed financial assistance in going to special sporting events as a contestant. Please contact: John Rodriquez, 508 962-2940 or Dave Sylvia at 508 287-6707

Jewelry Sale

Gather up your bangles, baubles and bows, and donate them to the Friends of the Mattapoissett Library for their Summer Jewelry and Accessory Sale. Donations of jewelry (even broken items), beads, single earrings, scarves, hats, and purses can be left at the library's circulation desk during business hours prior to August 11. The sale opens at the **Mattapoissett Free Public Library, 7 Barstow Street**, with a Friends' Member-Only Sale on Friday August 11, from 6pm to 8pm. It's a great time to sign up for a Friends membership. The sale continues on **Saturday, August 12, from 10am until 4pm**. The Friends of the Mattapoissett Library is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Donations are tax-deductible, and all proceeds benefit the Mattapoissett Free Public Library. For more information, contact Alexandra Murphy at 508-758-2654.

Open House

The Marion Recreation and Council on Aging Departments invite the community to celebrate their new location at the **Benjamin D. Cushing Community Center, 465 Mill Street, Marion, during an open house on Sat., 8/12, from 10 a.m.-1 p.m.**

Enjoy some music (Yesterday's

Country Band will perform from 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.), refreshments, take a tour and learn about the new community center programs available.

Photographer talk

Local photographer Heather Hobler will speak about her work at the Mattapoissett Free Public Library, 7 Barstow St., on Wed., 8/16 at 6:30 pm. The program will be held in the library's meeting room, where her work is currently on exhibit. Refreshments will be served.

Heather Hobler's photographs vary from colorfield paintings to romantic photorealism to pure abstraction. She offers an immense collection in exhibits and also in book form. Most recently, her meditative photography book *Lady Bird Henry* is in the library's collection.

Her work has been included in many group shows including the DeCordova Annual and the Rose Art Museum. Heather has had one person shows at both the Allston Skirt Gallery and Cushing-Martin Gallery. Her work is currently included in **PLUNGE** at the New Bedford Art Museum.

Auditions

Spindle City Ballet will be holding open auditions for Jr. Company on **Mon., 8/14, at 5:30 p.m., at The Dance Academy, 288 Plymouth Ave. 2nd Floor, Fall River.**

The company is looking for local dancers 11 years and older with a minimum of four years of classical training. Girls please bring technique slippers and pointe shoes (if you have them). Please provide full body length 4x6 photo of your child/self in tendu second position in complete ballet attire.

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Recipe of the Week

Seafood Mix over Angel Hair Pasta

2 cups milk
 2 tablespoons butter
 2 tablespoons flour
 1/2 teaspoon Old Bay Seasoning
 nutmeg
 1-2 tablespoon olive oil
 6 ounces red onions, chopped
 4 cloves garlic, minced
 5 oz snow peas, sliced on angle
 1 1/2 lbs fresh shrimp or 1 1/2 lbs lobsters, cut into the same size as shrimp or 1 1/2 lbs crab, all shelled and cleaned
 1/2 teaspoon Old Bay Seasoning
 2 tablespoons parsley, chopped
 salt and pepper
 1 lb angel hair pasta, cooked

In a pot melt butter and add flour, stir to blend. Add milk, 1/2 of seasoning and nutmeg. Stir and simmer till thickened. Season seafood with rest of seasoning.

In a hot, large pan place oil, add red onion, cook until softened. Add garlic, snow peas, shrimp, lobster. Cook, stirring, until seafood turns pink. Add crab meat (add more oil or butter if needed) and parsley, S&P, and sauce.

Stir pasta into seafood mixture and garnish with parsley leaves.

From food.com

Mark Sylvia named president of SEBANE

Press Release

The Solar Energy Business Association of New England ("SEBANE") is pleased to announce the election of its slate of officers for the 2017-2018 year:

President: Mark Sylvia, Managing Director of External Affairs at BlueWave Solar; Vice President: Nick d'Arbeloff, Vice President of Commercial Business at SunBug Solar; Clerk: Barrett Miles, Partner Account Manager for New England at Mosaic; Treasurer: Scott Howe, Partner and Senior Vice President at Solect Energy.

The newly elected officers join the following members as SEBANE's Board of Directors: Tom Bone, Vice President for Operations and Sales at CivicSolar; Eric Krathwohl, Managing Director and Attorney at Law at Rich May, P.C.; Daniel Mello Guimaraes, CEO & Co-Founder at Boston Solar; Bill Stillinger, owner at PV Squared Solar; Tom Thompson, Vice President of Sales at LONGi Solar Technology (US) Inc | President of Gridwerks Consulting, Inc

In addition to the election of officers, the SEBANE Board of Directors concluded a strategic planning session on Friday, July 29, 2017. Building on the foundation developed during the 2016-2017 year including conducting a comprehensive survey of the membership, the 2017-2018 Board of Directors, in

implementing those results, will focus SEBANE's efforts on three core areas: Policy and Advocacy, Education and Programming, and Membership and Sponsorship.

Moving promptly to implement these priorities, the Board of Directors has established committees which will include Directors as well as representatives of the general membership. The Board of Directors has set a goal of September to finalize the committee structure including setting the purpose, establishing timelines and setting initial goals. Thereafter SEBANE will solicit interest from the general membership in serving on the committees.

"The Board of Directors and Director of Operations are excited to be building on the foundation set by the 2016-2017 leadership team," remarked SEBANE President Mark Sylvia. "The solar industry continues to create jobs, generate savings for our customers and improve the environment. SEBANE will build on that success by supporting the growth and long-term sustainability of the solar industry in New England and across the United States."

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Picnic on the Lawn transforms grounds of Unitarian church

By Beth David
Editor

The fourth annual Picnic on the Lawn in Fairhaven filled up the grounds of the Unitarian Memorial Church with white-clad diners, elegantly dressed dining tables, and lots of laughter on Saturday, 8/5.

Inspired by “Diner en Blanc,” which started in Paris more than 25 years ago, it is a fun event for friends

to gather and share a meal. Everyone is required to wear white, and the tables are draped in white to create a photogenic effect.

Tim Evans of Howe Allen Real Estate was the main organizer of the event which featured music by husband and wife team Chris and Nina Ott, and a silent auction to benefit the Fairhaven Historical Society.

“I had no idea what to expect,” said

first-timer Melissa, aka “Mimsi,” who works at Brahmin. “It is so delightful.”

“Lovely,” added Liz, aka “Stevie,” who also works at Brahmin, which had two tables this year.

Diners were required to bring their own food and table settings. The event organizers provided the tables and white tablecloths.

Mr. Evans told the group that four years ago he



and his husband Howe Allen attended a similar event with friends and decided, “Fairhaven could do something like that.”

“Thank you all for making this event as successful as it has been,” said Mr. Evans.

Mr. Allen added that they moved to Fairhaven seven years ago.

“We have felt very embraced by this community. We love Fairhaven,” said, adding that the Fairhaven Historical Society tells the story of Fairhaven, and that is why they wanted to support it.



TOP RIGHT: Tim Evans leads the clapping as he thanks everyone who helped make the 4th annual Picnic on the Lawn a success on Saturday, 8/5, on grounds of the Unitarian Memorial Church in Fairhaven. ABOVE: The Brahmin table. The company joined the picnic for the first time this year with two tables. Photos by Beth David.

Feast of the Blessed Sacrament offers fun, food for all



The 103rd Feast of the Blessed Sacrament, aka “The Feast,” was held this weekend, August 3–6, at Madeira field in New Bedford. The annual summer gathering is a favorite for people to meet up every year. It is the largest Portuguese feast in the world. A recent change has been the addition of a family day on Saturday. Specials included free food for children, half-price specials for seniors, and kid-themed entertainment. John Alves, 2017 Feast Vice President, said that this year’s family day was the “biggest ever.” He said it was a way to give back to the community. “This community has been very supportive of the feast, so we want to give back,” he said, adding that the Feast gave out 46 scholarships to high school seniors this year. LEFT & MIDDLE: Preparing the large spits for the Carne Espito and cooking the meat on the big barbecue is one of the highlights of the feast for many feast aficionados. RIGHT: Although the sentiment is sometimes lost in the excitement of all the activities, the feast is, essentially, a religious festival. Immaculate Conception Church, right near the feast grounds, is decorated in a traditional Portuguese fashion. Photos by Beth David.

CARTER: cont'd from page 3

with every day since birth here anymore is a pain that I will always keep with me for the rest of my life.”

She said not having him there for her will always “haunt” her and she never thought that she would not be an aunt to his children or see him get married.

“He gave me the most amazing 13 years of being the best friend and best role model any little sister could ask for,” said Camden Roy. “Not a day goes by without him being my first thought waking up and last thought going to bed.”

She said she had “countless amazing memories” of him.

“It’s crazy to think that whenever I needed him he was always there, but it is even crazier that now whenever I need him he will never be there for me again,” said Camden. “I’ll never get over this pain I feel every day, but I know that he loved me more than any big brother could.”

Conrad Roy, Jr., told the court that the despair and pain he feels over the loss of his only son was the worst emotional pain imaginable multiplied an “infinite number of times.”

He said that he felt his son had come through the worst of his depression and other difficulties and was headed towards a bright future.

“As late as July 6, 2014, we were towing a fireworks barge back from Falmouth and Coco drove the tug boat through the hurricane barrier by himself with only the guide of a proud father watching over him,” said Mr. Roy.

“Michelle Carter exploited my son’s weaknesses and used him as a pawn for her own well-being,” said Mr. Roy. “She has not shown any remorse....How could Michelle Carter behave so viciously and encourage my son to end his life? Where was her humanity? In what world is this behavior okay and acceptable?”

Mr. Roy said his family has been “exploited during this court case,” and said no one should have to endure what they have endured.

“The last words I said to my son [were] ‘I love you,’ and Coco said he loved me, too,” said Mr. Roy. “I miss him every moment of every day.”

Ms. Flynn asked the judge to sentence Ms. Carter to 7–12 years in state prison. said that Ms. Carter has shown no remorse and still does not take responsibility for her role in his death.

“The facts in this case are

egregious,” said Ms. Flynn, adding that Ms. Carter set on a “deliberate and well-thought-out campaign” to cause Mr. Roy’s death for her own personal gain.

Prosecutors have contended all along that Ms. Carter wanted Mr. Roy to kill himself so her friends would feel sorry for her.

Ms. Flynn said that rehabilitation is part of any sentence, but that in order to be rehabilitated, one must accept responsibility for one’s actions. Ms. Carter, said Ms. Flynn, has not. She has blamed Mr. Roy’s “frail mental state,” his family situation, her medication and has claimed a right to free speech.

“She sought attention and sympathy for herself,” said Ms. Flynn, adding that she continued to deceive until she was caught. She would have continued to play the “grieving girlfriend” if Fairhaven police had not confronted her.

Ms. Flynn also said that Ms. Carter’s “support system just does not get what she did.” They, too, in letters to the court and other statements say she “made a mistake” or “showed poor judgement.”

Mr. Cataldo told the court that his client did, indeed, feel remorse and that she would have to live with it for the rest of her life. He asked for five years of supervised probation, saying she was young, could be rehabilitated, and had no criminal history.

He also said she was accepted to two colleges but could not attend because of the publicity surrounding the case. He said she is hoping to go into real estate, like her mother, and has taken online courses to get her license.

Mr. Cataldo said the situation between Ms. Carter and Mr. Roy was unique to those two individuals.

“Give her an opportunity to show this court and the community as a whole that this was a horrible circumstance that she regrets and does....take responsibility for,” said Mr. Cataldo, adding that she has “mental health issues,” of her own.

After a short recess, Judge Moniz said that the situation was a tragedy for two families. He called the victim impact statements “poignant,” but also said that everyone is entitled to a decision “devoid of any emotion.”

“I have not found that Ms. Carter’s age or level of maturity, or even her mental illness have any significant impact on her actions,” said Judge Moniz. He said she was a “bright, young lady, who did well in school.”



Michelle Carter awaits her sentencing 8/3/17 in Taunton Juvenile Court. She was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter in the suicide death of Conrad Roy III in 2014. Photo by Matt West/Boston Herald/pool.

“And I am satisfied that she was mindful of the actions for which she now stands convicted,” he said.

Judge Moniz also ordered Ms. Carter not to have any contact with the Roy family, except when necessary for the lawsuit (see sidebar), and no contact with her friends, who testified in the case.

He also barred her from profiting in any way from the story during her probationary period, which ends in August of 2022.

“Based upon this court’s analysis, that, to some degree...that for whatever reason, part of the motivation for this activity that led to your conviction was a sense of self aggrandizement, this court now orders that you are not to profit from events you now stand convicted,” said Judge Moniz.

Lynn Roy files suit

Lynn Roy, the mother of Conrad Roy III, has filed a wrongful death lawsuit against Michelle Carter, who was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter in Mr. Roy’s suicide death.

Ms. Roy is asking for \$4.2 million, based on lost wages Mr. Roy would have made as a tugboat captain.

The was filed in Norfolk Superior Court on July 6. Attorney Eric Goldman said that although the amount is based on Mr. Roy’s salary, it is possible that they suit could be amended to go after any and all profits Ms. Carter might gain from the story. The prohibition on her profiting from the story last through her probation, which ends in 2022.

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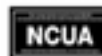
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From our readers

Trump White House like Revolving Door

The current MO [Modus Operandi] at the White House is like a revolving door. Press Secretary out, new one in...chief of staff out, new one in...FBI director out, new one in. The names are irrelevant but I am told that's the way it is in big business. I think the number of changes is about 7. That number continues to grow on a daily basis.

I have a young, talented friend that worked for a well known financial company. She was miserable and was finally let go because she didn't crunch the numbers. One Friday afternoon she was told to clear out her desk and was escorted by a security guard to the exit...rather cold but this is the way it is in big

business.

Trump is running the White House the same way. If you don't produce results that align with his philosophy then you are out.

Another disturbing issue is the personal confrontation that many are having. I experienced one last week. I was at a picnic table with my family. We were discussing what's going on with Trump running the country. There was a person at another table that was listening. After he finished his lunch, he approached our table and made a few comments about our conversation. He is a Trump supporter. We are not.

The conversation got heated. I finally told him to leave. He called us liberals and said we are what's wrong with the country today. Then the "philosophical" interchange ensued.

When I left, I was more angry at myself than the person that invaded our space. There was nothing I could say that would change his thought process and there was nothing that he could say that would change my thought process. It was a wasted conversation that went nowhere.

So the lesson here...keep your thoughts to yourself. It will serve no purpose to argue with the people that don't share your philosophy especially when it involves the Trumpster.

In closing there is a lyric in the 1967 song by Buffalo Springfield sung by Stephen Stills, "Nobody's right if everybody's wrong," that is applicable.

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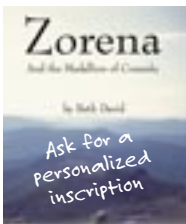
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ZBA approves special permit for museum

By Beth David
Editor

The Fairhaven Zoning Board of Appeals approved a proposal by the Seventh-day Adventist Church to create a museum at 191 Main Street. The church owns the property, which is the childhood home of Joseph Bates, Jr., one of the church's founders.

Representatives of the church told the board that they do not expect a high volume at the museum, but do expect tour buses, which already visit the site.

Neighbors told the board that the tour buses cause traffic problems now.

Architect Thomas Peterman told the board that the site layout includes a place for tour buses to park and turn around, keeping them off the streets.

The plan calls for replacing the barn with a similar structure that will have meeting rooms, a kitchenette and two accessible bathrooms.

The first floor of the house itself will be the museum. The second floor will have a small apartment for

visiting scholars and members of the church. Part of the second floor will be an exhibit of Mr. Bates's bedroom.

The property is also home to a stone wall dating back to the 1600s and considered a protected historical site by the town.

Markus Kutzschbach of the Adventist Church said the museum will not only have exhibits for the church, but will also highlight Fairhaven's town history, and the story of Mr. Bates's life.

"We would love to re-open this house to the public," said Mr. Kutzschbach.

The board approved the special permit.

In another matter, the board continued a petition by Robert and Judith Tubbs to construct a building with eight residential units at 294 Huttleston Avenue (Route 6), the former site of Dan Good Auto Sales, which burned down in 2006. Mr. and Mrs. Tubbs owned the property before the car dealership and took it back after the fire.

Ms. Tubbs faced a room full of neighbors opposed to the project,

most of them complaining about traffic and dangerous conditions pulling in and out of Route 6. The plan calls for each unit to have two parking spaces, plus a few spots for visitors.

The property is 70 feet short of the 200 feet of frontage required, 72,233 square feet short of the 100,000 sf required, 42,233 sf short of 70,000 sf required contiguous upland, 5 feet short of the required 50-foot rear setback, and 19% over the maximum lot coverage of 50%. The property was just rezoned to allow a multi-family unit at town meeting.

"I know a lot of the neighbors are not happy," said Ms. Tubbs. "But they are not happy about anything."

She said that if she was not approved, she could simply file for a 40B project. That law allows a project to go forward despite local bylaws as long as some of the units are designated for low-income residents.

"We did...ask about a 40B," said Ms. Tubbs. "It's not what we want."

She said they just want a "nice eight-unit" building.

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Acushnet Zoning Board of Appeals

The Zoning Board of Appeals is hereby giving notice that a meeting will be held by the Board on Tuesday, August 15th, 2017, at 6:30 p.m. at the Town Hall Meeting Room located at 122 Main Street.

a. **Case # 2017.08.15A** — David and Debra Macedo of 8 Andy's Court, owned by Macedo Irrevocable Trust. Requesting a Special Permit in order to add an accessory apartment to their property. This request is being made under the provisions of Section 3.3.1 Residence "A" District, "B" Uses by Special Permit (1) accessory apartment, 3.4 Special Permit Requirements "B" (1-3).

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Capital Planning Comm

Thurs., 8/17, Town Hall, 4 p.m.

Conservation Commission

Mon. 8/28, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Cultural Council

Mon., 8/21, Town Hall, 9 a.m.

Planning Board

Tues., 8/22, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

School Committee

Wed., 8/9, FHS Library, 6:30 p.m.

Selectboard

Wed., 7/16, Town Hall, 7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING: Taylor Cultured Seafood license renewal (7:30) & EJ's hearing (7:00)

Tues., 9/5, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Acushnet Meetings

Board of Appeals

Tues., 8/15, Town Hall, 6:30 p.m.

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Council on Aging

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Selectboard

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Press Release

Ashley Hennessy, a 28 year old single, working mother of 2, recently received Agent Rising Real Estate School's first "ScholarSHARE" Award.

Agent Rising's owner and founder, Kate Lanagan MacGregor, has a strong sense of community and believes in paying it forward. Launched July 1st, the ScholarSHARE award is given to a deserving recipient to enroll in their online Real Estate Broker/Salesperson Licensing course, a \$327 value, for no charge.

According to Ms. MacGregor, Ashley Hennessy was selected because she "displays courage, drive, willingness, and gumption! She is empowering herself and her family to dream and believe in a better future, this is the foundation of ScholarSHARE and Agent Rising. It's what we expect for all of our ScholarSHARE recipients!"

This is a recurring opportunity. Applications will be accepted until the 15th of each month, with a recipient named by the first of each month.

Agent Rising's S.O.A.R. (School Online Agent Rising) program is one

of the few of its kind in Massachusetts. Each month, Agent Rising will offer a ScholarSHARE to a worthy recipient located anywhere in the state. A total of 40 hours is required for completion of the course.

Ashley Hennessy's entry into S.O.A.R. was based on her compelling responses to five easy questions, and her willingness to share with others her journey along the way.

"To say that life as a single mom is easy is a lie, but I think we are better off because I will instill in my children the independence and courage of a strong woman. The financial burden has affected us tremendously, but I will not let that stop me from trying to excel," Hennessy wrote in her essay.

After leaving BCC for work, her degree incomplete, Hennessy experienced lower wage positions; an all too familiar scenario. Since then, she's been hoping for a better way to provide for her children as they grow.

Ms. MacGregor knows what this situation is like, and has watched how real estate can empower people who are trying to be their best!

Agent Rising Real Estate School opened six years ago as a sister company to BOLD Moves Real Estate. Ms. MacGregor and Denise Higgins-Reuter established BOLD Moves Real Estate as young moms. Living in Rochester, they were looking for flexible ways to earn income without sacrificing family. They worked as a team, watching each other's children whenever one of them had a house showing. Memories of these early days is the inspiration behind ScholarSHARE!

These qualities are integral to ScholarSHARE because MacGregor believes Real Estate is more than selling properties to earn commissions. REALTORS are in a unique position to help others while creating a beautiful business and life. Kate Lanagan MacGregor wants her students to get that message too. She teaches at Agent Rising that each opportunity to work with a real estate client is a privilege, to serve people in a time of transition. Now that Massachusetts allows the course online MacGregor felt it was a great time to start the ScholarSHARE program

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At least 13 neighbors spoke against the project, with most citing traffic and parking woes, but others saying they were concerned about rain runoff, noise, and the size of the building itself.

"Traffic is terrible there," said Janis Moses of Ocean Meadows, which is a condominium complex near the site. "It's a very, very, busy corner."

She said there have been multiple accidents there, and drivers have to go all the way to Stop & Shop to be able to turn left. She said when the restaurant was there, they had to contend with noise.

Ms. Moses said she understood they had to do something with the property, but people bought new homes right behind the lot, and eight units are just too much for the site.

"Not appropriate" and "congested" were used a lot by the neighbors.

"It's not enough land," said Pauline Roderiques, who owns a condo at Ocean Meadows.

Jack Tam, who lives at 290 Huttleston Avenue, right next door, said he owned the land before and sold it to Mr. and Mrs. Tubbs, and spoke against the project.

He said there have been four or

five "bad accidents" there, and there is a "big curve" at the site.

"It's so dangerous on that curve," said Mr. Tam.]

He said he was also concerned about the size of the building proposed, and that no one had seen plans. A tall building would allow the new residents to see over his fence into his pool area, he said.

"I will appeal," if it is approved, promised one neighbor on Welcome Street.

Ms. Tubbs agreed that Route 6 is very heavily trafficked.

"I don't think eight units will affect it that much," she said, adding that she could avoid the variances and simply apply under the 40B law.

She said there was "plenty of room for parking," and showed plans with 23 spots.

Board member Joseph Borelli also expressed concerns about the size of the variances, not just a few feet off, but by 60% on the square footage in one case and more than 50% in the other. He said he felt the project should go to the Planning Board and not the ZBA, because, he said, it was a commercial project. But the lot had been changed to residential, countered Ms. Tubbs and the two

went back and forth for a bit.

"Those variances are actually ridiculous," said Mr. Borelli, causing some of the neighbors to clap.

The board continued it to the next meeting on 9/5, to get more detailed plans and to find out if the project is more appropriate for the Planning Board.

The board also continued a hearing for David Tomasia who sought to build a 24x36-foot two-car garage that will be five feet over the maximum height of 20 feet for an accessory structure and 1,028 sf over the 700 sf maximum.

Mr. Tomasia told the board that his existing garage is falling down, he has a small house with no basement, and he needs the garage for cars and storage.

Several neighbors spoke out against the project.

Jerrime Oliver, who lives next door said he felt that he would be "boxed in" if the board allowed the large garage to be built. He said the garage would be larger than Mr. Tomasia's house.

"It's out of place," said Mr. Oliver.

The board continued the hearing to the 9/5 meeting and asked Mr. Tomasia to submit a detailed plan.

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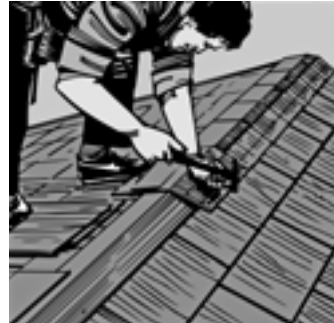
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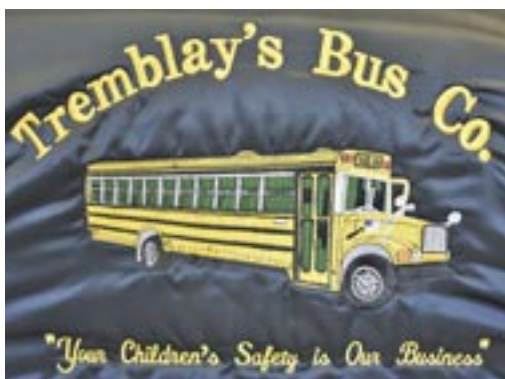
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