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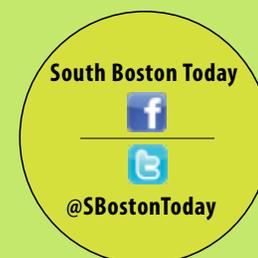
Tom Brady's decision to fight the NFL has taken a toll on his hard earned reputation as America's Golden Boy, but you have to admire him for staying in the ring for at least nine of the ten rounds. He and the National Football League Players Association (NFLPA) are about to decide whether to appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS).

The NFLPA released a statement after Tom Brady's appeal to have his four game suspension re heard by the Second Circuit Court was denied Tuesday, arguing that there are clear violations of the collective bargaining agreement, and that the system is

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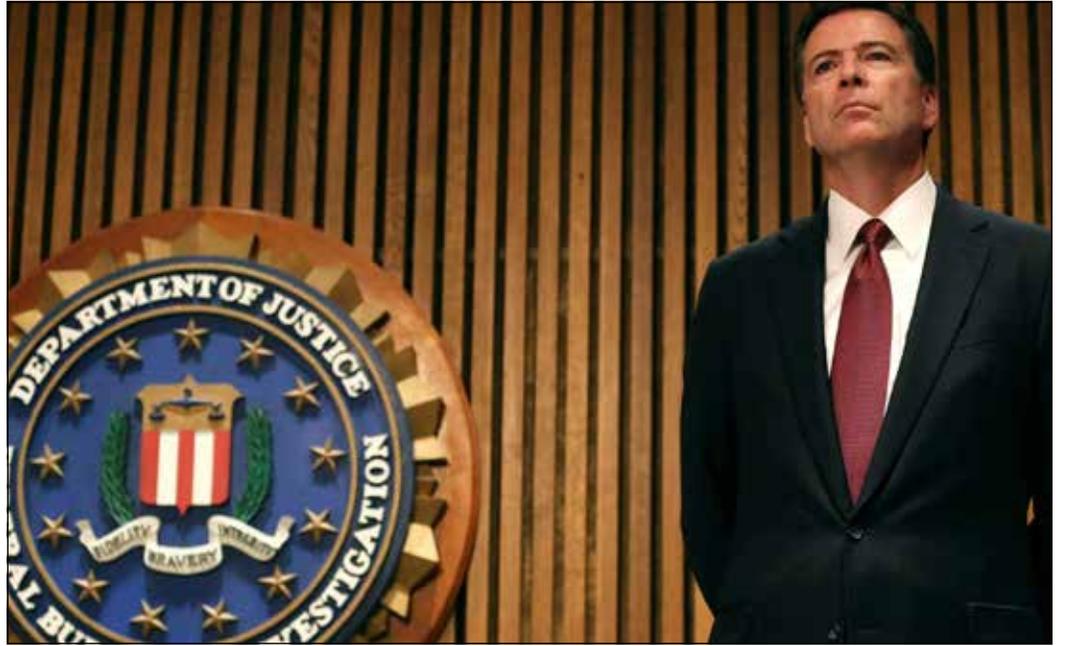
SOUTH BOSTON TODAY -By Staff

In the lead up to the big announcement on the e-mail investigation, everyone wondered “what will Comey do”? FBI Director James Comey is a “stand-up guy”, we were told. Who knew they actually meant, “stand-up comedian”? His routine had everyone cracking up.

Remember the old expression, “ignorance is no excuse for breaking the law”? Comey floored us when he said, “Secretary

Clinton wasn’t sophisticated enough to understand what she was doing”.

However, he really brought down the house when he said, “in the future anyone who commits these acts should be prosecuted”. But not this time, right Jim? We should really call him “Lucky Jim” because, if Dallas didn’t happen, he’d still be on the witness stand answering questions. Wonder what the FBI will come up with next. How about the magic “vanishing act”?



“A police force, wherever they are, is made up of amazing people and I respect them a great deal” Nancy McKeon



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The Emotional Words of Shetamia Taylor Have Touched the Nation

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One of the things that most stood out after the killing of the police in Dallas, Texas was a news conference called where Shetamia Taylor spoke eloquently and emotionally about what her view of law enforcement had become, as a result of being shot herself. For those of you who didn't see it, I recommend you go online and watch it for yourselves. It's riveting.

Shetamia Taylor is a 37-year-old African American mother of 4 sons. The five of them were at the protest against police that night, when the sniper opened fire. As she was hit in the leg and went down, she and her family were aided by a half dozen police officers that literally rushed in and used their own bodies to shield her and her sons from the bullets of the mad man. One of the police officers was hit in the process. This, as you would expect, was a life changing event in the lives of her and her children, and she said as much during the TV interview that followed a few days later. She will be forever grateful to the officers, who ran toward the violence, while so many demonstrators protesting the police ran away, and saved the lives of her and her family, who were caught in the firing aimed meant for police.

As tears filled her eyes and her words stammered through quivering lips, she spoke of the incredible courage shown by police on behalf of her and her sons. She was astounded that they disregarded their own safety to protect others, in an act of selfless bravery, the image of which will always be vivid in her mind. As someone who was there to protest police on that night in Dallas, perhaps because of the rhetoric of people that in some cases lived to incite anti-police violence, she saw firsthand just how dedicated and committed America's police are to the solemn oath that they swear with their promise to serve and protect.

Shetamia Taylor's words have gone

viral on social media. She has touched the hearts of many, and has changed the minds of people across the country, who are sitting up and taking notice of the value of police forces all over America, and how dangerous and important the jobs that they have really are. It seems to be doing more to take the wind out of the sails of the 'cop haters' who would turn the people against their protectors than any politician's speeches have done so far.

In the days following the attacks on police and incidents in Minnesota and Louisiana and protests in other cities, there is plenty of rhetoric and invective being tossed around by the usual suspects. Let's dissect some of it here today.

Jumping in front of the TV cameras were, of course, Jesse Jackson and Al Sharpton. Notice that I don't attach the title of Reverend before their names. They are saying that they want the racial problems in America to stop, but most don't believe a word of it. Racial harmony would put these two fools out of business. Attorney General Loretta Lynch and Obama still aren't sure what the motivation of the killer was. That the entire country knows exactly what his motivation was, since he clearly announced that he was out to kill white people, especially white cops, apparently means nothing to these two. Jeh Johnson, Secretary of Homeland Security says "It's too early to know if this was a hate crime". Huh???

Barack Obama is still defending the 'Black Lives Matter' group. This is the bunch that leads off their marches and road blocks with the following magical chants: "Pigs in a blanket, fry 'em like bacon" along with this gem: "What do we want? Dead cops! When do we want it? Now!" And then of course you have the Members of Congress and Hillary pushing their political agendas, going after the Second Amendment but never blaming the actual perpetrators. Hillary

says she plans to go on a tour to scold white people and police officers, because to her, it's somehow never the fault of the radicals pushing the violence.

As for Black Lives Matter, Mayor Rudy Giuliani made statements over the weekend that he's taking heat from liberals about, but that to his credit, won't back track on. He said the following: "Black Lives matter is inherently racist and anti-American. If they really cared about black lives they wouldn't be silent about the thousands of black youths in cities around the country that have been killed by other blacks." FBI data backs

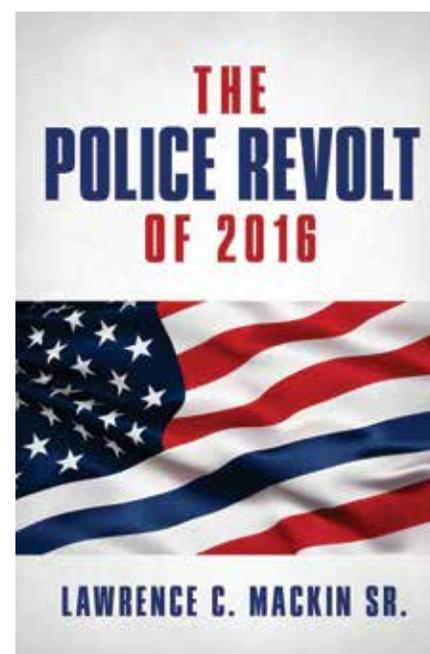
up what Giuliani said, but of course the truth is never supposed to be stated. Giuliani went on to say: "It's as if they don't even care about the African American youth, who are victims in their own neighborhoods. What BLM really is, is a group to attack police."

I know he's been quoted in this column before, but his words bear repeating. Sheriff David Clark, an African American himself said the following: "I'm too ticked off to be diplomatic and I'm not going to stick my head in the sand. The President of the United States started this war on police."

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Window Into The State House

Window Into The State House provides our readers a synopsis of important issues of interest, past and current, that are being proposed, debated or acted upon by the Massachusetts Legislature. Many issues that are not related to local city government services are acted upon and have a direct impact on daily life. They are tax policy, transportation infrastructure, judicial appointments, social services and health, as well as higher education. We will excerpt reports from the gavel-to-gavel coverage of House and Senate sessions by news sources focused on this important aspect of our lives. These sources include a look ahead at the coming week in state government and summaries and analyses of the past week, re-caps of a range of state government activity, as well as links to other news.

Bostonian plans feature film about birth of biotech and Vertex Pharmaceuticals

Yael Beals, a Boston native and graduate of Emerson College, is planning to make a feature movie about one of the seminal books describing the birth of the biotech industry, Barry Werth's "The Billion Dollar Molecule," reports Don Seiffert at the Boston Business Journal. The film will focus on the founding of Vertex Pharmaceutical by Josh Boger in 1989.

Local police overwhelmed by gifts of pizza, flowers, cards – and appreciation

In the wake of last week's killing of five police officers in Dallas, many police stations in Massachusetts have been inundated with gifts of pizzas, doughnuts, flowers, cards and other goodies as a sign of appreciation and support from the public, reports Scott O'Connell at the Telegram. "We've gotten something pretty much every shift, every day – it started with coffee and donuts, and it's continued on all weekend," said Sutton Police Chief Dennis Towle. "It's not something we always see – it's certainly appreciated."

In central Massachusetts alone, similar shows of support have occurred in Millbury, Westboro, Sterling, Westminster, Hubbardtown, Uxbridge, Gardner, Lunenburg, Upton, Sutton, Oxford and Webster, O'Connell reports.

Note: State Rep. Michelle DuBois is pushing a bill in the waning weeks of the legislative session that would make police officers a protected group in the state's hate crimes, though civil liberties advocates say police already enjoy sufficient legal protections, reports the Herald's Dan Atkinson. Note II: The Herald's Peter Gelzimis has a good column this mornings on the words of Dr. Brian Williams, a young black trauma surgeon at Parkland Memorial hospital in Dallas, who eloquently explains why he supports both police and

those protesting recent police shootings of African Americans.

Your very own Pokémon Go cheat sheet is right here, right now

For some of you, we assume your eyes have glazed over recent headlines about the new Pokémon Go phenomenon. But the Globe's Hiawatha Bray has performed a great public service by explaining exactly what Pokémon Go is all about, for those of you who were and are afraid to ask. Now you'll be able to say: "Ah, yes, the mobile augmented reality game that can trace its tech lineage back to Japanese game designer Satoshi Tajiri and that was created by Ninantic, a spinoff by Alphabet Inc., aka Google." And then you can pretend to understand and care about "Pokestops" in Quincy, as reported in the Patriot Ledger, or in Holyoke, as reported by MassLive, or in Boston, as reported by Boston magazine.

Heliport idea may not get off the ground

State transportation officials appear to be skeptical about a proposal to build a state-run heliport, questioning whether the facility would be a money-loser for the already cash-strapped department, Matt Stout of the Herald reports. City and state leaders promised General Electric they would pursue the amenity while working to lure the company to the city. No specific site—or cost—has been identified. While the Baker administration believes the heliport can generate income by attracting more users beyond GE, MassDOT board member Robert Moylan Jr. said the agency needs money-makers. "At the end of the day, I don't know why we would be looking to subsidize a heliport in any shape or form," he said.

Goldberg places a big bet on online lottery

Treasurer Deb Goldberg, who oversees the state lottery, is pushing ahead with a proposal for new online sales of lottery games on mobile

phones and computers, reports the Globe's Sean Murphy. Goldberg is convinced that online sales are key to the Lottery's future in winning over digitally savvy young adults who aren't playing traditional in-store games as much and in reversing recent lottery revenue declines. So her office is now seeking a legislative OK to launch a pilot online program.

The move is certain to draw plenty of anti-gambling hoots and hollers, but lawmakers will also be looking at potential state budget holes created by not pushing into online lottery gambling. Care to make a bet which argument will prevail? Ultimately, the bottom line is the bottom line when it comes to the state's dependence on lottery revenues.

The T crosses its fingers as it hands over more cash to Keolis

The MBTA's decision yesterday to give an extra \$66 million to Keolis, the financially struggling French company that operates the T's commuter rail system, is akin to a homeowner very reluctantly handing over more dough to an incompetent remodeling contractor who can't quite finish the job. You could always cut your losses and not pay up, but then you'd be stuck with an unfinished mess. It's not the perfect analogy, but it's close enough when describing what the T did yesterday for the money-losing Keolis, which hopefully will use the extra money to at least improve services.

Meschino drops Senate rematch bid, opts for House run

Former Hull Selectwoman Joan Meschino, who lost a special Senate election earlier this year to Sen. Patrick O'Connor and was planning a rematch this fall, has opted instead to run for the House seat to be vacated later this month by Rep. Garrett Bradley, reports Matt Murphy at State House News Service. A Democrat, Maschino had been backed in her Senate bid by Attorney General Maura Healey, Treasurer Deborah Goldberg and Senate President Stanley Rosenberg.

Former aide will run for Bradley's House seat

Stephen Burm, a Hingham Democrat and former top aide to Rep. Garrett Bradley, plans to run as a write-in candidate to fill the House seat to be vacated by Bradley, who unexpectedly announced he'll be stepping down soon from his post, SHNS's Michael Norton reports. Burm currently works as state and local government relations manager at the International Council of Shopping Centers and is also the former director of legislative affairs in the executive office of housing and economic development under Gov. Deval Patrick.

Favorite gone-but-not-forgotten bars and nightclubs, Part II

Yesterday, we posted a MassLive item about all the great bars and nightclubs that have closed in the Springfield area over the years. So we began our own gone-but-not-forgotten list for the Boston area, starting with The Channel, Inn-Square Men's Bar and Jonathan Swifts. MASterList readers have sent in even more nominees that will undoubtedly bring tears to many readers' eyes.

From Jan: "How about ManRay, Ground Zero, Spit, the Rat, and Storyville... Oh yeah.... Jonathan's in Salem too!"

From Paul: "Axis/Spit/DV8, Metro, Avenue C, The Rat, ManRay"

From IF: "1.) The Gallery on Mass Ave 2.) Estelle's on Tremont St 3.) Joe's Jaguar in Dudley Square"

From JH: "List of bars gone but not forgotten Inman/Harvard/Central Square would fill the 25 list"

From Jamie: "MANRAY in Central Square. Now inhabited by condos!"

From RG: "The Grog Shop. Scituate, MA."

Frankly, we can't believe we missed a few of these yesterday, particularly the Rat. We're not quite at 25 dearly departed watering holes yet, so if you have other nominees, send 'em in to jay@masterlist.com.



Reading Between The Lines

“Parkland Revisited”

SOUTH BOSTON TODAY
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To those of a certain age, the name Parkland Hospital is the name and place where America began to unravel. It was there, in 1963, where the Presidential convertible limousine sat, outside the emergency entrance almost abandoned, with roses strewn across the back seat, giving mute testimony to the horror that had occurred.

Today, a new generation has their moment of horror as TV news show a line of Dallas police officers, white, black, male, female standing at attention and saluting as the murdered body of a fellow officer is carried into Parkland. The intervening years have seen an America that seems unsure of itself, ripped from its moorings.

Those years have produced an element that saw the assassination, not as the work of a madman but, as proof of America's unworthiness as a nation. Despite scientific proof that it was the act of one man, this 'Hate America' element continues to beat the drum of conspiracy and the media, a willing accomplice, goes along with it instead of publicizing the evidence.

That is just the first in attacking America, its tradition, values and culture. “Merry Christmas” really offends no one, but is an opportunity to cause dissension. Pledge of allegiance, which teaches love of country, is attacked as indoctrination. Family, who needs it? Single parent households with absentee fathers is the way to go. Just look at how well its working in Chicago. We all know that things happen in life, but today's philosophy encourages this lifestyle as a goal.

Our President's first political fundraiser was run by a man who wanted to blow up soldiers and their families at a Christmas party in Ft. Dix, New Jersey. His wife thought Charlie Manson's murder of 10 white people and trying to blame it on black people in order to start a race war was, “a great idea”. They are not alone. They have many believers. Look at most colleges and what they're teaching. Our Founders are called “dead old white guys”. So it came as no surprise to hear our ‘racist in chief’ try to justify the police murders and tell an international press conference that, “there's a history of slavery, Jim Crow laws... and the 1964 Civil Rights Act didn't fix everything”.

Jesus said, “the poor will always be with us” and Obama is a prime example that racists will too. Now, Dear Leader wants to have an “honest discussion on race”. His “honest discussion” starts with, “it's white people's fault, and ends with, white people have to pay”. End of discussion. When he made his remarks he seemed to skip over the fact this country tore itself in two to end slavery. All the wars, including Iraq and Afghanistan combined, have 200 thousand less deaths than the Civil War where 99.9 of all deaths were white men.

Don't talk about that, because it destroys the narrative of the evil white man. Every single African slave brought to America was captured and sold by fellow Africans. That hurts the narrative too, so we won't mention it. Don't you know that only white people are capable of slavery? Don't mention

that when the pilgrims landed, the native Indians were engaged in not just war but genocide against each other. That conflicts with the story of the peaceful, idyllic, living in harmony society white people destroyed, so keep it quiet.

Make sure, when this honest discussion takes place, that nobody mentions that whites who commit 25% of the crime were shot and killed at twice the rate of blacks in 2015. For sure, don't mention that in 2015 more blacks were shot

by black police than white police. Whatever you do, don't mention that every incident that black lives matter has protested, ended up with officers being exonerated, by black judges and juries no less! Under Obama, 58 % more African-Americans are on food stamps, unemployment is up 19%, home ownership is down 6 % and fatherless homes are up to 74%.

But be honest, it's white people's fault!?!#*?

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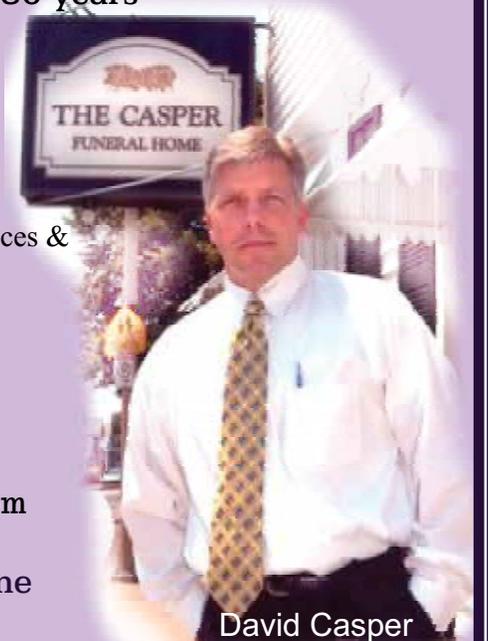
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Collins Votes to Support “Complete Streets” Grant Program

State Representative Nick Collins joined his colleagues in the Massachusetts House of Representatives to pass transportation legislation on the Complete Streets initiative. The bill transitions the Complete Streets initiative, currently a part of Chapter 90 funding, into a municipal grant program. This initiative aims to enhance safety and accessibility for multi-modal transportation which includes transportation geared towards pedestrians and cyclists. To qualify for the grant program municipalities must:

- Attend a training program;

- Adopt a Complete Streets by-law that has been subject to a public hearing; and

- Create a Complete Streets prioritization plan.

“This bill will initiate important improvements to our transportation system in the City of Boston and throughout the state” said Rep. Collins. “By inducing the Complete Streets program, we are giving local cities and municipalities the resources they need to promote multi-modal transportation for cyclists and pedestrians.”

The bill now goes to the Senate for consideration.

Stephen Murphy to Seek ‘Register of Deeds’ Office

SOUTH BOSTON TODAY - By Staff

Stephen Murphy is well known around the City of Boston and beyond and almost a household name here in South Boston. The former at-large Boston City Councilor of 18 years, and for several years the council’s president has been a prominent figure in this neighborhood, as he has been a familiar figure in attendance at so many community events. Whether it is on behalf of the youth, senior citizens, veteran’s issues and everyone else in need of assistance, he’s been a responsive public servant to the people of South Boston. Considered by many to be an adopted son of Southie, because of the many friends he has and his willingness to always support this town when called upon, he’s greeted by countless locals

informally by his first name. And that’s how he’s always liked it.

Now Stephen Murphy is aiming toward a career change, as he will seek the office of Suffolk County Register of Deeds; an office held for many years by the also well-known Francis ‘Mickey’ Roache. In a June 8th story in the Boston Bulletin Newspaper, written by Christopher Roberson, Murphy was quoted as saying “I am running as Register of Deeds to bring a level of competence and leadership to an important public office” He said “I am the only candidate in this race with experience in public management, public finance and most important in my mind – constituent service.”

The record keeping done by the Register of Deeds office is of great importance to so many people in

Suffolk County; including in the area of home ownership. Navigating through public agencies and the sometimes daunting amount of paperwork that goes with the process for getting proper documentation for nearly anything of importance is a task made much easier by an office set up to help people get through it with a minimum of difficulty. And since constituent services has been a priority all through his years on the Boston City Council, Murphy says he’s anxious to roll up his sleeves and get right down to it should he be elected.

The Murphy campaign is wasting no time hitting the trail. He and his volunteers are out knocking on doors, making phone calls, putting up signs and utilizing social media as he works hard to earn his votes

leading up to the September 8th primary election. He has supporters from Revere, Chelsea, Winthrop and of course Boston; including community activists and elected officials working hard on his behalf because they believe in the job he is capable of doing.

During the 18 years that he served on the Boston City Council, Stephen Murphy has proven himself to be a hard worker with the energy to get a difficult job done and done right. He’s most comfortable working hard for the people he represents and in the communities he has grown to know so well. His supporters believe that he will bring that abundance of energy, competence, efficiency and dedication to the office of the Register of Deeds if he is successful in this fall’s election.

TOM BRADY
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broken and needs to be fixed. Now, there are few options left for the NFLPA though.

The Deflategate saga has seemed endless since arising from the NFL’s determination that the New England Patriots used improperly under-inflated footballs in the first half of the AFC title game at the conclusion of the 2014 season. Tom Brady, the Patriots’ four-time Super Bowl-winning quarterback, played the entire 2015 season while appeals of his four-game suspension by the league made their way through the federal court system.

But it appears the end is near, with

the Circuit Court decision to reject Brady’s request for a rehearing of the ruling by a three-judge panel of that court that reinstated Brady’s Deflategate suspension. Following the denial of Brady’s appeal for a rehearing, the NFLPA said it was “disappointed,” adding in a written statement, “Despite today’s result, the track record of this League office when it comes to matters of player discipline is bad for our business and bad for our game”.

Brady’s suspension, it seems, will stand. And with it come consequences for both the league as a whole and the Patriots, and the implications are wide-ranging. In the bigger picture, the authority of NFL Com-

missioner Roger Goodell under the sport’s collective bargaining agreement has been reinforced. In New England, Jimmy Garoppolo will be the Patriots’ starter quarterback at the start of the season. Coach, Bill Belichick, will have to find a way to remain in the Super Bowl-contending mix without Brady in the lineup for a quarter of the regular season, undoubtedly employing the same us-against-the-world approach that served them so well during their march to a nearly perfect season in the aftermath of the Spygate ordeal nearly 10 years ago.

Brady’s legal options have not yet been fully exhausted. He still can

appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court. He still could seek a stay of his suspension that would endure while the case would be pending before the Supreme Court and keep playing during the upcoming season. But legal experts have said it is extremely unlikely the Supreme Court would agree to hear the case. Brady’s chances of avoiding the suspension have been reduced to the longest of legal long shots, odds seemingly even more daunting than those once faced by a sixth-round draft choice attempting to become one of the game’s legendary quarterbacks.

Let’s see if Tom Terrific answers the bell for the 10th Round.



Jake Bombard, Native Son, Named Director Of The Labouré Center

Social services agency Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Boston (CCAB) today announced that current deputy director of South Boston's Catholic Charities Labouré Center Jake Bombard has been named its new director effective July 12, 2016.

Bombard will succeed longtime director Sr. Maryadele Robinson, who joined Catholic Charities Labouré Center in 1988 and led the organization through a period of significant evolution. Sr. Maryadele Robinson will remain at Labouré and become involved in direct service, while continuing to help raise funds to support its programs.

According to CCAB President, Deborah Kincade Rambo, LICSW, "Jake's political experience and strong ties to the South Boston community makes him a tremendous asset to our team. We are proud to have him as our new Director of Catholic Charities Labouré Center and would like to take this opportunity to thank Sr. Maryadele for her strong leadership and steadfast commitment to the Center for the past 28 years."

In his new position, Bombard will be responsible for the administration and fundraising efforts for diverse social service and educational programs serving more than 3,000 children, teens, adults, and elders in South Boston and surrounding communities.

"As someone who has once benefited from the important services that the Catholic Charities Labouré Center provides, I'm thrilled to be given this opportunity to lead the Center," said Bombard. "I look forward to continue working with a great staff that is committed to providing essential support services to our clients and advocating for those who need our help."

Prior to joining Catholic Charities, Bombard, himself a candidate for public office in 2010, was named the first legislative aide to State Representative Nick Collins. He then went on to become chief of staff in the Office of State Senator Linda Dorcea Forry. Bombard earned a bachelor's degree from the College of William & Mary and is currently a master's degree candidate at the University of Massachusetts Boston.

Physical Therapists Boost Elderly Fall-Prevention Programs

This year, one-third of all Americans 65 years old and older will experience a fall. Some will quickly brush off the dirt and go about their day, but others won't be so lucky. Darryl Elliott physical therapist and owner of Elliott Physical Therapy believes falls are preventable and advocates for an annual physical therapy check up to avoid catastrophic injury. The physical therapy profession has long been involved in fall-prevention efforts, guiding our seniors to ambulate safely, maintain mobility longer, and be more independent. Elliott urges, "Do not ignore the following warning signs. If you find yourself relying on handrails to negotiate stairs, having difficulty navigating dimly lit rooms or taking smaller steps when walking it is time to get evaluated by a physical therapist."

Falls rank among the top burdens on our healthcare system—with \$34 billion shelled out for fall-related injuries in 2013 alone—and threaten the health of our nation. Falls land a member of our nation's elderly population in the emergency department every 13 seconds, and every 20 minutes an older adult dies from fall-related trauma, reports a survey conducted by Carnegie Mellon University's College of Engineering.

Moderate to severe injuries incurred during a fall can lead to further health declines and loss of independence among our seniors. A team approach with a solid foundation of communication is crucial to adequately prepare for the steady stream of baby boomers crossing the 65-year-old threshold. As part of a medical team, physical therapists are trained to identify each patient's risk factors, provide education and preventive strategies, and address impairments. The biggest risk factors for a fall include balance/strength impairments, medication interactions, safety issues in the home and community, and visual impairments.

A new study published in The Journal of the American Geriatrics Society in February 2016 titled "Exercise and Fall Prevention: Narrowing the Research-to-Practice Gap

and Enhancing Integration of Clinical and Community Practice," reinforces the premise that falls are preventable with risk assessment and exercises that incorporate elements of balance, gait, and strength training. In fact, the study says, exercise has been shown to reduce the incidence of falls by up to 40%.

Dr. Janet Ma of Elliott Physical Therapy in Dorchester advises, "Physical therapy that consists of core strengthening and lower extremity exercises combined with balance training is an excellent solution for fall prevention. Another very simple and effective way to prevent and reduce the risk of falls is being aware of where your body is going to land. The majority of falls happen when someone is going to sit down because they believe that the chair or bed is closer than it actually is. A good tip is to back up completely until you feel the back of your legs touching the chair, reach back for any armrests or the seat, and then sit down. That way you're guaranteed to land in the chair and not on the ground, thus putting yourself at a decreased risk of injury and falls."

The Journal of the American Geriatrics Society study also reveals some of the evidence-to-practice challenges in addressing this global public health crisis. Falls and their associated healthcare costs can be reduced by better integrating research on exercise intervention into clinical practice and community programs, the study says.

As healthcare increasingly embraces prevention and wellness strategies, strong communication between physicians, physical therapists and other key stakeholders will help to capture our elders most at risk for falls. The physical therapists at Elliott Physical Therapy at 960 Morrissey Blvd in Dorchester strongly believe in patient education, risk assessment, evidence-based falls prevention classes and skilled physical therapy intervention are the basis for a solid plan of attack. Please contact them today if you would like a free assessment at 617-506-72

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MassDEP RTN 3-00257

Former Owner: Coastal Oil of New England (CONE)
Current Owner: Massachusetts Port Authority (Massport)
Monday July 25, 2016

As part of the Public Involvement Process for the site at 900 East First Street, Massport will host a public information meeting about the remediation and assessment activities for this site. The site is tracked by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) under Release Tracking Number (RTN) 3-00257. The purpose of this meeting is to provide information on the continued cleanup of the site pursuant to the Massachusetts Contingency Plan (MCP).

The meeting will be held in the Senior Lunch Room of the Curley Community Center located at 1663 Columbia Road, South Boston, on Monday, July 25, 2016 at 7:00 PM. Please use the M Street entrance.

Copies of the assessment and remediation documents are available for review at the South Boston Public Library and MassDEP, Northeast Regional Office, 205B Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01876 or on-line at http://public.dep.state.ma.us/wsc_viewer/.

Interested parties may also submit written questions or concerns to Erik Bankey at Massport's Environmental Management Unit Office, One Harborside Drive, East Boston, MA 02128 or by e-mail at ebankey@massport.com.

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2	\$62,800	\$78,500
3	\$70,650	\$88,300
4	\$78,500	\$98,100

Applications can be picked up in person or by e-mail from
South Boston Neighborhood Development Corporation
365 West Broadway, South Boston, MA 02127

E-mail: affordablehomeownership@sbnhc.org (Applications cannot be sent prior July 23, 2016)
Please note the application distribution period is only for five (5) consecutive days starting on July 23, 2016 and ending on July 28, 2016.

Households must include their full name and complete mailing address to receive an application.

***Saturday- July 23, 2016 - 10:00 am - 2:00pm at 225 Dorchester Street -**

Note - this day only at the site*

Monday - July 25, 2016 - 10:00am - 6:00pm

Tuesday - July 26, 2016 - 10:00am - 6:00pm

Wednesday - July 27, 2016 - 10:00am - 6:00pm

Thursday - July 28, 2016 - 10:00am - 7:00pm

Deadline for completed applications to:

South Boston NDC - 365 West Broadway - South Boston, MA 02127

**In Person by 6:00pm, August 4, 2016,
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111 B St UNIT 7 Condo	\$1,025,000	5/24/16	4	3	1869
111 B St UNIT 8 Condo	\$940,000	5/31/16	5	2.5	1655
525 East Second St UNIT 2 Condo	\$899,000	5/17/16	5	2	1965
91 Dresser Street Single Family	\$880,000	5/26/16	6	3.5	1650
314-320 West Second St UNIT 505 Condo	\$851,500	5/26/16	5	2	1101
730 East Fifth St UNIT 730 Condo	\$800,000	5/31/16	5	2	1470
835 East Fifth St UNIT 1 Condo	\$735,000	5/28/16	4	2	1100
72 F St UNIT 1 Condo	\$715,000	5/26/16	5	2	1345
616 East Fourth St UNIT 102 Condo	\$710,000	5/25/16	4	2	850
111 B St UNIT 5 Condo	\$659,000	5/26/16	3	2	1101
178 West Fourth St UNIT 3B Condo	\$650,000	5/31/16	4	1.5	965
111 B St UNIT 1 Condo	\$649,000	5/27/16	3	2	1126
39 Gates St UNIT 1 Condo	\$635,000	5/26/16	6	2	1191
744 East Third St UNIT 2 Condo	\$633,000	5/27/16	5	1.5	1223
250 C St UNIT 5 Condo	\$601,000	5/27/16	4	1	791
268 Bowen St UNIT 2 Condo	\$579,000	5/28/16	4	1.5	944
298 Bolton St UNIT 1 Condo	\$550,000	5/26/16	4	2	1023



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PUBLIC MEETING

545 EAST THIRD STREET

MONDAY, JULY 25
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

PROJECT PROPONENT:
Cedarwood Development

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:
Cedarwood Development propose a development at 545 East Third Street, South Boston. The proposal is for five-stories containing 22 rental units and includes an at-grade garage with 22 parking spaces. The proposal will total approximately 38,214 SF.

EAST 4TH STREET
*Tynan Community Center
South Boston, MA 02127*

CLOSE OF COMMENT PERIOD:
Friday, August 12

MAIL TO: JOHN CAMPBELL
Boston Redevelopment Authority
One City Hall Square, 9th Floor
Boston, MA 02201

PHONE: 617.918.4282

EMAIL: John.Campbell@Boston.gov

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Teresa Polhemus, Executive Director/Secretary



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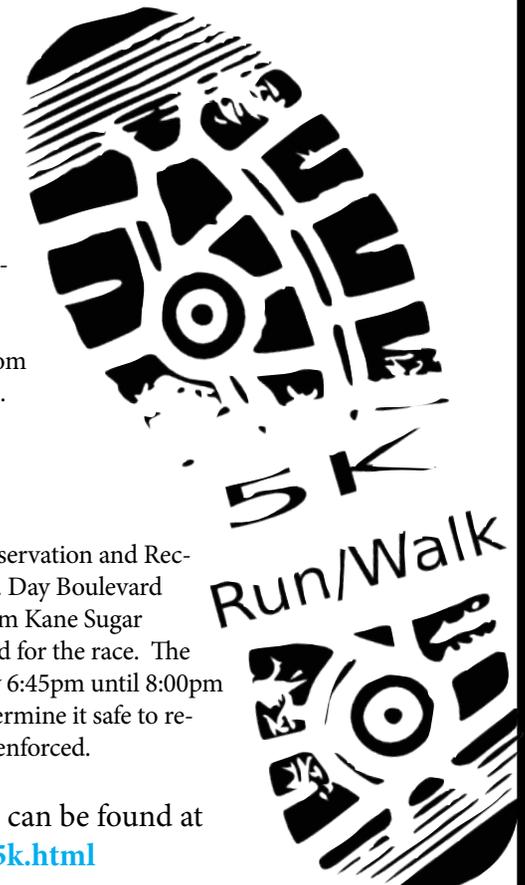
JIM KANE SUGAR BOWL 5K

WHAT: The 29th annual L Street Jim Kane Sugar Bowl 5k road race will take place on Thursday, July 21st at 7:00PM from Carson Place/Boston Teacher's Union Hall. Day Boulevard will be closed to traffic between Carson Place and Farragut Rd from approximately 6:45pm to 8:00pm. Please expect detours.

WHEN: JULY 21st, 2016

WHERE: The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) will close William J. Day Boulevard to all traffic to accommodate the Jim Kane Sugar Bowl 5k. All four lanes will be used for the race. The closure will be from approximately 6:45pm until 8:00pm or when the Mass. State Police determine it safe to re-open. Parking restrictions will be enforced.

Additional race information can be found at www.lstreet.org/jim-kane-5k.html



MASSPORT REPORT TO OUR COMMUNITY

FUTURE GREEN SPACE FOR THE NEIGHBORHOOD



BEFORE



AFTER

Since the post-World War II era, South Boston residents have been accustomed to living near a busy industrial maritime area. Massport's Conley Container Terminal processed a record 221,014 containers in 2015 and business is on pace to set another record this year. This month, the Journal of Commerce (JOC) ranked Conley Terminal #1 in North America for improved efficiency.

The historic Port of Boston has been and continues to be one of our greatest and most treasured assets. Most importantly, it's part of the rich fabric of the South Boston community, and is Boston's 6th largest employer with more than 7,000 direct jobs contributing \$4.6 billion annually to the Massachusetts economy.

Massport is working hard to balance our dual roles as an economic engine and a good neighbor. That's why we're investing \$75 million to create the Thomas Butler Freight Corridor which includes state-of-the-art security and will take 400-500 container trucks off of East First Street each day.

In collaboration with the South Boston buffer committee, we are creating much-needed green space. The 4.5 acre Thomas Butler Memorial Park which is slated to open in 2017, includes a:

- sound barrier;
- lighted paths for walkers and runners;
- interpretive history panels;
- bike racks;
- a new dog park;
- 95 on-street parking spaces along East First Street and;
- A widened sidewalk along the north side of East First Street

Like many Boston neighborhoods, South Boston is experiencing rapid growth and change. Massport has a long history in South Boston as an employer. We share the community's respect for the past and are committed to work together for the future.



For more information on Massport's commitment to our neighboring communities, visit www.massport.com



Learning & Summer Fun Happens At The Urban Explorers Program At St. Peter Academy

The first three weeks of the Urban Explorers 10 week program were jam packed with academics, exploration and FUN!

Little Explorers (ages 2.9-5/6) dived into themes about the summer season, the history of America, and the adventure of outdoor camping. Each week showcased a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) project, Art projects,

core academics in reading and math, and exploration of the great city of Boston. Exploration trips included the Frog Pond and Public Garden, the Children’s Museum and Castle Island. This week little explorers are learning about the creation and business of a circus and next week is a study of animal habitats.

Junior Explorers (ages 6-12) spent the first three weeks exploring outer space, ocean life, and

plants. This week they are exploring the human body. Many STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Mathematics) activities are built into the weekly program - Creating galactic goo, Cartesian divers, and Chia pets are examples. Exploration trips include adventures to the Boston Harbor Islands and area museums.

Next week, Junior Explorers are partnering with the Museum of Sci-

ence to pilot an Engineering is Elementary program about electricity. Following weeks include computer coding, programming Ozobots, 3D pen creations, electrical circuitry drawing and oceanography.

For more information on the Urban Explorers Summer Program, please visit StPeterAcademy.com/summer-program or contact St. Peter Academy at enrichment@stpeteracademy.com or call 617-268-0750.



Painting at the Powers Apartments



July 4th Cookout with the Seniors at the Powers Apartments



Young Professionals Speaker Series at Coppersmith



Sunday Service at Aloft



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A Memorial Mass will be held at
St. Brendan's Chapel 15 Rita Road, Dorchester
at 4:00 on Saturday July 16, 2016

HUB CHURCH "SERVE SOUTHIE" WEEK

Hub Church dedicated last week to partner with local organizations in serving the community. Key partners for the week were The Oliver Perry School, South Boston Neighborhood Development Corporation, The Gavin Foundation, and the Monsignor Powers Apartments. Additionally, Hub Church hosted a speaker series "Is there more to life" for Young Professionals at Coppersmith. For the week's projects, Hub Church was joined by over 50 volunteers from other Christian churches nation-wide.

This Serve Southie Week is aligned with Hub Church's vision of extending the grace and truth of Jesus to others. "We believe a church should be known for what it gives to the community not what it takes

from the community," said Hub Church Pastor Charlie Dunn. "Jesus not only taught us to love God and our neighbors with all our heart, He Himself first loved us with His whole heart, even to the point of dying and rising for us."

Hub Church's focus is on their smaller communities that they call Missional Families. Serving others is such an important part of Hub's vision that one Sunday of each month, they do not have a formal gathering. Instead, their Missional Families serve together within the community.

When not serving in the community, Hub Church gathers on Sundays at 10:30am at the new Aloft Hotel, across from Lawn on D. For more information about Hub Church, visit www.HubChurchSouthie.com.



TYNAN HAPPENINGS - FUN-IN-THE-SUN CAMP

The Tynan kicked off its 2016 Camp Program with many enthusiastic boys and girls, ready to have “FUN”. Many campers have already enjoyed trips to the Condon Pool, our own make shift water slide in the playground, arts program, recreational activities, and much more.

The highlight of last week was our Friday Fun Sundae’s. The campers enjoyed creating their own ice cream sundae’s

loading them to the gill with hot fudge, sprinkles, whip cream, and candy.

Camper of the week was Tanny. He has been coming to camp for the last 2 summers. Tanny is a quiet and fun kid to have. His favorite camp activities include: Playing Pokeman, he is a whiz at Chess and enjoys the art program. We look forward for many more adventures and off site trips in the near future.

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Good Friends Help Chico Malcofsky Celebrate His 70th

Well known and well liked man about town Burt ‘Chico’ Malcofsky celebrated his 70th birthday last Sunday at the South Boston Yacht Club surrounded by good friends and family.

It was a nice, upbeat birthday

party attended by among others, Boston Police Commissioner Billy Evans, Former Suffolk County Sheriff Richie Rouse, Curtis Lee, Sal Paterna, Eddy Flynn and Kathy and former Boston Mayor, US Ambassador to the Vatican and Southie

favorite son Ray Flynn.

The good stories and laughter were abundant as the group gathered to congratulate, spend time with and wish well one of the nicest guys around and a true South Bostonian – Chico Malcofsk



ST PETER ACADEMY

Urban Explorers Summer Program

St Peter Academy 371 West Fourth Street South Boston MA

FRIENDSHIP, ACCOMPLISHMENT, FUN

Program Hours: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Early 8:00 am & Extended 4:00 – 6:00 pm Hours Available

Weekly Program Cost:

General & Community \$245.00.

Early & Extended Hours Cost: \$5.00 an hour. Discounted up to 30% based on frequency.

Urban Exploreres will engage in exciting and creative weekly curriculum components that encourage life-long learning through literacy, creative arts, sports, games, swimming, field trips, STEM (Science Technology, Engineering, and Math) projects, and community exploration. Designed as an active and engaging environment, children build friendships and strengthen self-esteem and confidence in a positive, caring and safe environment.

Learn more at: StPeterAcademy.com/Summer-Program



Summer Program June 20 to August 26, 2016

Register Online:

StPeterAcademy.com/Summer-Program/

Or Request a Registration Form by Calling the School 617-268-0750

Or By Email SPA@StPeterAcademy.com

Program Age Groups

Little Explorers Ages 2.9 – 5 Years Old

Junior Explorers Ages 5/6 – 8 Years Old

Urban Explorers Ages 9 - 12+ Years Old

NOTICE TO TRADE CONTRACTORS **REQUEST FOR TRADE CONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS**

The MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY is soliciting Statements of Qualifications from TRADE CONTRACTORS interested in performing trade work for M425-C2, SOUTH BOSTON WATERFRONT TRANSPORTATION CENTER. The Authority is seeking Qualification Statements from Trade Contractors who have a demonstrated experience in the construction and implementation of similar work in terms of scale and complexity as required for the SOUTH BOSTON WATERFRONT TRANSPORTATION CENTER, D STREET, SOUTH BOSTON, MA. In accordance with Massachusetts construction manager at-risk requirements, MGL Chapter 149A Section 8, Qualification Statements are being requested from trade contractors capable of performing the following classes of work: **Waterproofing, Damp-proofing & Caulking.**

The contract includes the following scope of work: The scope includes removal of existing tunnel waterproofing, preparation of existing substrate to receive new waterproofing, installation of temporary waterproofing and installation of new tunnel waterproofing. This scope of work is in support of the construction of a 1,550 space parking garage over the existing Interstate 90 tunnel structure built by the Central Artery and Tunnel Project (CA/T) on Massport's Core Block parcel in South Boston. The project site is bounded by World Trade Center Avenue on the west, the Silver Line World Trade Center Station and ramps to the north, D Street to the east, and DB Street (interstate highway access ramp) and the Massport Haul Road to the south.

The estimated cost of the trade contractors' portion of this phase of the Project is approximately \$595,786 and the construction duration for this phase is approximately eighteen (18) months. The estimated value of work to be performed by trade contractors is as follows:

Trade: Waterproofing, Damp-proofing & Caulking.....\$595,786

The Authority is implementing this project in accordance with MGL Chapter 149A, Sections 1 thru 13. This selection of trade contractors conforms to MGL Chapter 149A, Section 8, subsections (b) to (k) inclusive. This Request for Qualifications (RFQ) will be utilized to prequalify trade contractors capable and experienced in the construction of parking garages and terminal buildings. The Authority shall utilize a two-step process including the prequalification of trade contractors based on an evaluation of the Statement of Qualifications received in response to this solicitation, followed by an Invitation to Bidders that will only be issued to the prequalified trade contractors. A Prequalification Committee consisting of four representatives, one each from the Designer and the CM at Risk and two Massport staff. This Prequalification Committee will be conducting a qualifications-based evaluation of submittals received from interested trade contractors in order to identify prequalified trade contractors who will be invited to respond to a written Invitation to Bidders. Please note that the Authority is not utilizing this process to prequalify subcontractors who are not trade contractors which shall be done separately in accordance with MGL C149A, Section 8, subsection (j).

Qualification Statements shall be evaluated in accordance with the following criteria; (1) Management Experience; (2) Project References including a Public Project Record and (3) Capacity to Complete including a demonstration that the contractor has the financial stability and long-term viability to successfully implement the Project. A Supplemental Information Package that discusses these Evaluation Criteria and the Prequalification Process in more detail as well as any other requirements for the Qualification Statements will be available to interested parties beginning July 21, 2016, by contacting Susan Brace at 617-568-5961 or via email at sbrace@massport.com

A Project Briefing will be held on Monday, July 25, 2016, at 11:00 in the Capital Programs Department, Logan Office Center, 2nd floor, 1 Harborside Drive, East Boston, MA. Attendance at the briefing is not mandatory, however, it is strongly encouraged in order to best familiarize your firm with the project details and the prequalification process.

Seven (7) copies of a bound document each limited to 20 sheets (40 pages), exclusive of covers and dividers and resumes which shall be limited to one page, shall be printed on both sides of the sheet (8 1/2" x 11") and shall be addressed to Mr. Houssam H. Sleiman, P.E., CCM, Director of Capital Programs and Environmental Affairs, and received no later than 12:00 Noon on Thursday, August 4, 2016, at the Massachusetts Port Authority, Logan Office Center, One Harborside Drive, Suite 209S, Logan International Airport, East Boston, MA 02128-2909. Any submittal that exceeds the page limit set here or that is not received in the Capital Programs Department by the above deadline shall be rejected as non-responsive.

Questions regarding this RFQ shall be submitted in writing and directed to cpbidquestions@massport.com with the Project name and number included in the subject line of the email.

MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY
THOMAS P. GLYNN
CEO & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

East Boston Savings Bank (RED) Team takes Babe Ruth Championship!



Congratulations to the East Boston Savings Bank Team on clinching the 2016 Babe Ruth Championship Title series in a best 3 out of 5 series, on Tuesday night at Moakley Park. The series was competitive, hard played and coached well. Great team, great coaches and great friends! All of the young men, as they say, "played ball."

Winning players L to R; Frank Casper, Matt McDonald, Michael Brooks, Jack Feeney, Nolan Callow, Billy Crowley (Coach), Joey Morris, Ryan Galvin, Bobby McGarrell, John Goodine, Bob McGarrell(Coach), Logan Crowley. **Front Row;** John Healy (great friend), Brian Biaz and Tommy Grealy. (not pictured, Kevin Cully and Jerry Galvin (Coach).

David Ortiz Was The Biggest Hit Of The Big Show

He didn't hit a home run in his final All-Star Game. In fact, he didn't even record a hit in his final All-Star appearance. Still, that didn't stop him from getting a well-deserved sendoff.

Ortiz walked in his second and final plate appearance. That gave American League manager Ned Yost the opportunity to pull him from the game. Yost pitch-ran for Ortiz, which allowed the slugger to come out of the game to a huge ovation from the fans and players in attendance. The AL players greeted him on the field with hugs and handshakes. There was no signature hit

-- he went 0-for-1 with the walk -- and no red carpet, but hugs and handshakes after a walk is about as David Ortiz as a sendoff gets.

To top it off, he faced pitcher Jose Fernandez of the Marlins. Fernandez has admired Ortiz since seeing him hit a home run against Cuba in the first World Baseball Classic in 1997, which was the first time Fernandez, age 5 at the time, was able to watch major leaguers on television in his hometown of Santa Clara, Cuba.

As reported in SBnation.com, Fernandez first met Ortiz when the Marlins were in Boston last season, and the two spoke at length this week in

San Diego. Ortiz has followed Fernandez throughout his career, and said that he had taken time to learn about Fernandez' background.

Fernandez told reporters Monday that he was planning to "groove" a couple pitches to Ortiz, in a similar fashion to how Cardinals pitcher Adam Wainwright gave Derek Jeter a pitch to hit in Jeter's final All-Star Game two years ago. Fernandez had the same conversation with Ortiz, leading to the slugger's surprise at a first-pitch changeup.

"You know what, I was supposed to hit a home run in my second at-bat," Ortiz said, laughing. "My boy

told me he was gonna throw me nothing but fastballs, and the first pitch was a changeup. We've got to discuss that later. That's why I was like, 'Hey, I thought you were gonna throw nothing but fastballs. What happened?'"

"I told him I was going to do that," Fernandez said. "The first pitch I did throw it in there. If he would've hit it, it would've been funny. But after that, I was trying to make good pitches and trying to get him out. Ortiz drew the walk that started the ovation.

Red Sox Nation can now enjoy the Ortiz show on a regular basis. He is on pace to have another career year.

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