

## T-Birds caravan event moved

SPRINGFIELD – The Springfield Thunderbirds today announced that the first installment of the T-Birds Community Caravan presented by Dunkin’ has been postponed to Saturday, Aug. 12 due to potential inclement weather this weekend.

The T-Birds Community Caravan will still make a total of three stops in the Springfield area throughout the summer months:

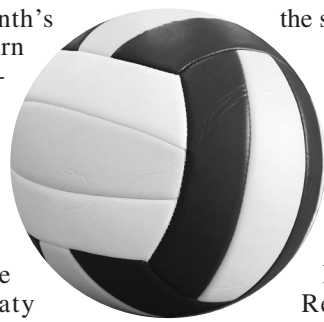
- Saturday, Aug. 12 - Szot Park (Chicopee), 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.
- Saturday, Aug. 19 - Amelia Ice Arena (Westfield), 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in conjunction with the T-Birds Street Hockey Tournament
- Public skating from 10:50 to 11:50 a.m.
- Saturday, Sept. 9 - Forest Park & Cyr Arena (Springfield), 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Each event will feature an appearance from Thunderbirds mascot Boomer and team staff, as well as a wide variety of activities and vendors, including a Dunkin’ Taste Truck, street hockey activities, and various food options.

# West showcased in volleyball

BOSTON – In last month’s Bay State Games, the Western part of the state featured a volleyball team. Here is a look at how they fared in some of their matchups held July 8 and 9:

The Central girls team opened up the Girls side of the showcase with strong play from Katy O’Connell (Northborough, Algonquin Reg. HS) and Lily Davidson (Rutland, Wachusett Reg. HS), leading them to a 25-13 first game win. The second game saw more of the same, as the Nault twins Victoria, and Sabrina (Shrewsbury, Shrewsbury HS) also helped power Central to a dominant game one performance, winning



the second set 25-12.

### Coastal 2, West 0

This match featured an impressive start for the West squad, as they held the lead numerous times thanks to Sasha Fyfe (Dalton, Waconah Reg. HS) and Gabrielle Adams (Greenfield, Frontier Reg. HS). Unfortunately, they were unable to hold the lead, as Coastal stormed back to grab a 25:16 win in the first set, and rolled through the second game as well. Although closer in the end, the Coastal team found success thanks to consistent play from Haley Jenkins (Dartmouth, Dartmouth HS)

and Hannah Storm (Swansea, Joseph Case HS).

### West 2, Southeast 0

During this match, Southeast used a 6-point run, along with multiple diving plays to help propel them to a quick 25-15 first-game win. In the second game, West used great efforts from Chloe Schott (Longmeadow, Longmeadow HS) and Gabriella Manes (Feeding Hills, Agawam HS), however it wasn’t enough as Zoe Smallman (Weston, Weston HS) and Caroline Gray (Whitman, Whitman-Hanson Reg. HS) continued their good performances on the day, winning the second game 25-21.

The west would play in a challenge game on Sunday, July 9, but did not play in either of the medal games.

## How to contact The Holyoke Sun’s Sports Editor

Have the scoop on a local sports story? Want to submit a team photo, pass along a potential story idea, or

just find out how to get a copy of that great photo of your young athlete? Please send all sports-related press

releases and information to Sports Editor Greg Scibelli at: sports@turley.com or call, 1-413-283-8393.

### City of Holyoke Notice of Public Hearing

The Ordinance Committee of the Holyoke City Council and the Planning Board will hold a joint public hearing on **Tuesday, August 22, 2023 at 6:30pm** to hear a zone change application from DR to BC for Jose Almonte at 549-551 South Bridge St (029-08-002) to rebuild convenience store following a recent fire. Meeting will take place at Holyoke City Hall 536 Dwight St and can be accessed remotely via [www.zoom.us](http://www.zoom.us) Meeting ID 831 7743 6694 Meeting Passcode 289877 or by call in at 1-646-558-8656 with same Meeting ID and Passcode. Written public comment can be submitted to [publiccomment@holyoke.org](mailto:publiccomment@holyoke.org). For a copy of this application or to submit written comment for the hearing, please contact City Council Admin Asst Jeffery Anderson-Burgos at [Anderson-BurgosJ@holyoke.org](mailto:Anderson-BurgosJ@holyoke.org) or by phone 413-322-5525.

Ordinance Chair  
Linda Vacon  
Planning Chair  
Mimi Panitch

08/04, 08/11/2023

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Hampden Probate and Family Court  
50 State Street  
Springfield, MA 01103  
Docket No. HD23P1527GD**

**In the interests of  
Vanessa Star Barrett  
of Holyoke, MA  
Minor**

**NOTICE AND ORDER:  
Petition for Appointment  
of Guardian of a Minor  
NOTICE TO ALL  
INTERESTED PARTIES**

**1. Hearing Date/Time:**  
A hearing on a Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor filed on **07/18/2023** by **Eric D Noiseux** of Easthampton, MA and **Amdé Tana** of Easthampton, MA will be held **08/28/2023 01:45 PM Motion**.

Located: **Judge Army - In Person: 50 State St Springfield, MA 01103 Courtroom 2 - 4th Floor**

### 2. Response to Petition:

You may respond by filing a written response to the Petition or by appearing in person at the hearing. If you choose to file a written response, you need to:

File the original with the Court; and

Mail a copy to all interested parties at least five (5) business days before the hearing.

**3. Counsel for the Minor:** The minor (or an adult on behalf of the minor) has the right to request that counsel be appointed for the minor.

**4. Counsel for Parents:** If you are a parent of the minor child who is the subject of this proceeding you have a right to be represented by an attorney. If you want an attorney and cannot afford to pay for one and if you give proof that you are indigent, an attorney will be assigned to you. Your request for an attorney should be made immediately by filling out the Application of Appointment of Counsel form. Submit the application form in person or by mail at the court location where your case is going to be heard.

**5. Presence of the Minor at Hearing:** A minor over age 14 has the right to be present at any hearing, unless the Court finds that it is not in the minor’s best interests.  
Date: July 19, 2023

**Rosemary A Saccomani**  
Register of Probate  
08/04/23

**City of Holyoke, MA  
RFP 2024-005OPED  
Consulting Services to  
provide a Comprehensive  
Plan for the Office of  
Planning and Development  
Sealed Proposals due by  
8/16/2023 at 1:00 PM, EST  
Email submissions  
will not be accepted**

The City of Holyoke is seeking sealed qualifications from qualified firms to provide professional consulting services for the creation of a new updated Comprehensive Plan for the City of Holyoke.

Involvement with any City of Holyoke Procurement shall be in accordance with

M.G.L 30B, c. 149, 30& 39 M. 30, c. 30B & 5, c. 7C & 44-57. It shall be the responsibility of each supplier to assure compliance with any OSHA, EPA, CORI, DEP, and/or FEDERAL, STATE of MASSACHUSETTS rules, and regulations or other requirements, as each may apply.

Sealed qualifications for this project shall be received by the City of Holyoke from qualified bidders submitted on forms furnished by the City and clearly identified on the outside of the bid with the name and address of the bidder, and the name and Bid Number of the project, and submitted to:

City of Holyoke, Purchasing  
536 Dwight Street #3  
Holyoke, MA 01040

Please provide 1 original and 1 copy of your submittal.

Documents can be requested in person at the Purchasing Office or via email from [morrowj@holyoke.org](mailto:morrowj@holyoke.org)

The city reserves the right to reject any and all submissions based on the best interest of the city.  
08/04/2023

### Notice

The Massachusetts State Lottery Commission (MSLC) has received a KENO License application from:

**Donovan’s Irish Pub  
80 Jarvis Avenue  
Holyoke, MA**

Estimated weekly traffic: (number of people):500.

Current No. of Cashier positions selling Lottery products: 0

Percentage of floor space currently devoted to Lottery sales: 0%

Percentage of floor space for KENO sales: 5%

Estimated annual gross revenues of current Lottery products: \$0.

Estimated percentage of gross revenues from sales of Lottery products: 7%

Estimated net income to be derived from sales of KENO products at this location: \$6,000.

If you object to these agent(s) receiving a moni-

tor, you must do so, in writing, within twenty-one (21) days of receipt of this letter. If applicable, please address your written objection to the Massachusetts State Lottery Commission, Legal Department, 150 Mount Vernon Street, Dorchester, MA 02125 and send via email to [cporche@masslottery.com](mailto:cporche@masslottery.com) or by mail. Should you have any questions regarding this program or any other issues relative to the Lottery, please call the Lottery’s General Counsel, Greg Polin, at 781-917-6057 or via email at [gpolin@masslottery.com](mailto:gpolin@masslottery.com). We look forward to working with you as the Lottery continues its efforts to support the 351 cities and towns of the Commonwealth.  
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### City of Holyoke PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Holyoke Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on **Tuesday, August 22, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.** via Zoom.com ID: 836 3939 8493; CALL IN \*67 646 558 8656 to hear, pursuant to the Holyoke Zoning Ordinance Section 6.4.6.4, a Special Permit for an Increase in Sign Size and Multiple Signs per wall for Gary Rome Carwash, at 180 Whiting Farms Road (Parcel 116-00-020), submitted by New Holyoke Realty, LLC.

The complete application may be viewed through the Holyoke Planning Dept M-F, 9-4 p.m.

Applicant:  
New Holyoke Realty, LLC  
Planning Board:  
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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION

Swinging Bridges Auction Company, Lic #2755 will hold a Public Auction on **August 19, 2023. Unclaimed items to be sold at 9 a.m.**

at **Pawn Depot Inc., 448 Appleton St., Holyoke, MA 01040.**

20% buyers fee, 6.25% MA sales tax.  
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**NOTICE TO  
CONTRACTORS  
The City of Holyoke  
536 Dwight Street #3  
Holyoke, MA 01040  
(413) 322-5650  
Invitation to Bid  
# 2024 – 003E**

**2023-25 Traffic Calming & Safety Measures**

MassDOT prequalification of contractors with the class of work as, HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION, for the project with an estimated Total Project Value (including 2-year Extension Option costs) of \$1,092,000 will be required.

Year 1 estimated project value is \$364,000.

Documents may be obtained electronically by email request at [morrowj@holyoke.org](mailto:morrowj@holyoke.org).

Sealed proposals will be received in the Purchasing Office, Holyoke City Hall, 536 Dwight Street, Room 3, Holyoke, MA 01040 **until 2:00 PM on August 23, 2023**, in which they will be publicly opened and read.

The City of Holyoke reserves the right to reject any and/or all proposals.  
08/04/2023

**Please check the accuracy of your legal notice prior to submission (i.e., date, time, spelling). Also, be sure the requested publication date coincides with the purpose of the notice, or as the law demands. Thank you.**

