**House Events**

Thursday 11/29, 5pm:  
Not Just Sherry Hour

Thursday 11/29, 5-7:30:  
Community Night

Friday 11/30, 9pm:  
Stein Club

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**Boston Sports**

Sunday 12/2, 1pm  @ Dolphins

**Celtics**

W 11/28, 7:30, vs. Nets  
F 11/30, 7:30, vs. Portland  
S 12/1, @ Bucks

**Boston Common**

Just a few stops in on the Red Line gets you to the Boston Common, an iconic centerpiece to the city. But did you know that it is the first and oldest public park in the United States. It was first used as a common pasture back in 1634, before Harvard had even been founded.

It was also used as for military purposes, as a camp for the British before the Revolutionary War, and for public hangings in the 17th and 18th centuries. In 1660, the Puritans hung Mary Dyer in the Common for being a Quaker. She was one of the four “Boston martyrs”. The gallows were removed in 1817, and in 1830, cattle grazing was prohibited.

Some famous Boston monuments line the park. The Boylston T station was the first subway station in America and brings you out at the southern corner of the Common.

The Central Burying Ground in the park has the graves of many British and American soldiers who died in the Battle of Bunker Hill in 1775.

**Mystery Movie Quote**

“A lot of you have been hearing the affiliates complaining about a lack of diversity on the news team.”—“What in the hell’s diversity?”—“Well, I could be wrong, but I believe diversity is an old, old wooden ship that was used during the Civil War era.”

Last week’s quote: “You are beautiful. You’re the most beautiful girl in the world. You’re my dream” is from Requiem for a Dream.


**Upcoming Games:**
- T 11/27, 8:30, A Bball vs. Dudley
- Th 11/29, 7:30, Hockey vs. Quincy
- Th 11/29, 8:30, B Bball vs. Eliot

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**What is your favorite Thanksgiving food to roll around in?**

- I’m trying to think of something warm, but not skin-permeatingly gross. I’m arriving at mashed potatoes without gravy.
- There are so many good ones. I would have to say warm pumpkin pie with whipped cream on it.
- What do you mean, “to roll around in?”
- Cranberry sauce goes on everything. I want to go in a bathtub full of cranberry sauce.
- I have to think about this logically. Cranberry sauce. I feel like the consistency is so squishy.
- Sweet potatoes. Because they’re soft and mushy.
- Peas. It would be like being in one of those ball pits at Chuck-E-Cheese.
- Mashed potatoes. Because they’re creamy.
- Stuffing. It’s comfortable. And soft. It’s like Tempurpedic.
- Sweet potato pie. Because it’s my favorite thing ever.

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**Turtwinkie—yes or no?**

- No.
- Very yes.
- Is it Hostess, or an alternative brand?
- Do you know how much Twinkies are on Amazon right now? $100.
- Is it fried? Then yes.
- Turtwinkie? I have celiac, so that’s a no.
- Yes. Why would you say no?
- Absolutely yes.
- If it’s a turkey in the shape of a Twinkie, then that’s weird; but if it’s a Twinkie in the shape of a turkey, then that’s [omitted] awesome.
- I don’t like turkey, so why would you ruin a Twinkie with that?
- Question: is the turkey stuffed with Twinkies, or is the Twinkie stuffed with turkey? Either way: yes.
- Thanksgiving is already fattening enough. Turkey is the one safe thing—adding Twinkies would be too much.

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**Winter Word Search**

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BOOTS
CHRISTMAS
COLD
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KNIT CAP
MITTENS
PARKA
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SKATES
SKIING
SLED
SLEET
SNOW
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