

# Island Sports



The "Just Wings" team was tired at the end of last year's Boston Marathon Jimmy Fund Walk, but the raised more the \$25,000 in pledges over two years to help the charity.

## Islanders to participate in the Boston Marathon Jimmy Fund Walk for cancer

By Stephanie Heelan Cotsonas

On Sunday, Sept. 21, a team of islanders and others who call themselves "Just Wings," will be participating in the Boston Marathon Jimmy Fund Walk which is the largest event benefiting the Jimmy Fund and Dana-Farber Cancer Institute.

Team Captain Vicki Schmidt of Jamestown formed the team three years ago in memory of her niece, Anabelle Blakeley Peterson, who died of recurrent medulloblastoma in 2005 at the age of 7. She was diagnosed in 2002 with this most common type of pediatric brain

tumor. That Christmas, while undergoing treatment, her answer to Santa, when asked what she would like, was "just wings."

Islander Joyce Hooley-Bartlett will be participating for the second time. "Last year I felt physically prepared for the walk but was unprepared for the emotional side," she said when describing the mood and the energy of the walkers.

In 2007, nearly 8,000 walkers raised more than \$51 million for the Jimmy Fund and more than 700 teams participate each year. The walk travels along the famed 26.2-mile route from Hopkinton

to Boston and the money raised supports research and care for all forms of cancer.

"Just Wings" has raised over \$25,000 in its first two years. This year's team has 24 members, 10 of which are from Jamestown. Schmidt said that all members of the team have been touched by cancer in some way. "It is a great way to stay fit while raising funds for a great cause," Schmidt added.

For more information on becoming a member of Just Wings or to support the team with a donation, visit [www.jimmyfundwalk.org](http://www.jimmyfundwalk.org).

## NKHS coaches optimistic about new season

By Stephanie Heelan Cotsonas

The North Kingstown High School (NKHS) fall sports season is underway. Included in last week's Press, were introductions to the head coaches of football, girls' soccer, girls' cross country and girls' volleyball. The remaining four head coaches are profiled this week.

Islander Kyle Froberg is entering his third season as head coach of the boys' soccer team, which took home the state title last season. Kyle was the assistant coach for the previous three years under his brother Steve Froberg, who was head coach. Kyle Froberg also runs the North Kingstown High School Soccer Camp and he is the director of the Ocean State Soccer Camp. Given last season's success, Kyle says there are a lot of expectations with this year's team. "Every team will be at their best to knock us off," Kyle said. While a student at North Kingstown High School, Kyle was a key member of the soccer team, which won three state championships. He played goalkeeper his junior and senior years and was selected to the All-State team for two years. In his senior year, he was a captain of the soccer and basketball teams and he also played baseball for the Skippers. Kyle attended URI and is currently a personal trainer and the manager at Medifit-Corporate Fitness in Providence. Kyle lives in Jamestown with his wife Darlene and their two children, Jake and Lauren. On weekends, he can be found coaching the Jamestown Under-8 soccer league.

Julie Maguire is entering her 20th season as the head field hockey coach after winning the state title last season. Maguire has also coached the USFHA Future's Program, the USFHA Junior Olympics, the Cape Cod Classic (Field Hockey), the NKHS JV Volleyball team (1987-1991), and in the early 1990s she coached the Davisville Middle School girls' basketball team.

Maguire (formerly Julie Leon-

ard) grew up in North Kingstown and attended NKHS, where she played field hockey, basketball, volleyball and track and field. As an outstanding field hockey player, she was part of the team that won the state title in 1984 and was runner-up in 1985. She received her bachelor's degree in education from URI, where she attended on a field hockey scholarship.

Maguire is currently a physical education teacher at the high school and lives in Jamestown with her triplets, Madison, Jacob and Meghann. As a coach, Maguire said she tries to highlight the positive aspects of their games and focuses on "the glass is half full." She said, "Win or lose, run off the field knowing you put forth your best effort." Maguire's one bad habit, she says, is drinking too much coffee.

Paul Tetreault is entering his 26th year of coaching boys' cross country at the high school. He coached track at the high school for several years in the 1980s, and has extensive experience coaching athletes with disabilities, including those in the Special Olympics and the National Disability Sports Alliance. He was the team leader for the 1996 U.S. Paralympic Track team in Atlanta.

Tetreault is the support coordinator for the Division of Developmental Disabilities in the State of Rhode Island. He said that the biggest difference between coaching cross country and track is that "in track you are like a short order cook dealing with up to 18 events and with many different egos and personalities. In cross country, you deal with student-athletes who have similar work ethics, and a common bond of doing similar workouts. They tend to become much closer

See "Coaches" on page 18

## Fall race series begins for Jamestown Yacht Club

Race number 1 of the Jamestown Yacht Club fall series was held on Sunday, Sept. 7.

The following are the results for the race:

**A Class:** 1. Baby Bella, Melges 24, Mark Nannini; 2. Hidalgo, Mod Express 27, M deAngeli / R Moody; 3. Floating Point, Frers 40, Pat Clayton; 4. Celeritas, Swan 42, Malcolm Gefter.

**B Class:** 1. Lynx, J/29, Den-

nis Nixon; 2. Conundrum, J/22, William and Alice Porter; 3. Fast Lane, J/24, Harry and Ann Lane; 4. Blues Eracer, J/22, Louis Mariorenzi; 5. Five, MX-20, Henrik Dunlaevy; 6. Bearly Movin', J/24, Michael Nahmias; 7. Allegro, PC-ODR, Rick Eberhard; 8. Spirit, MX-20, EC Helme; 9. Footloose, Pearson Flyer 30, Andrew Yates; 10. Aurora, Tartan 41, Andrew Kallfelz; 11. Mor-

smordre, Sporer 30, Nathan Titcomb.

**C Class:** 1. Chairman Ararat, PElectra, Rob Bestoso; 2. Second Wind, Seid 30T, Stephen Parfet; 3. Urubamba, Sabre 28, Julio DiGiando; 4. Summer Wind, Scampi 30, Alyn and Delamer; 5. Isabel, Albin28 Sloop, Benjamin Riggs; 6. Duck Soup, C&C 37/40, B. Clavin; 7. Four Suns, Swan 41, Charles Beal.



Jamestown's Only Complete  
Automotive Service

**Art's  
Complete One  
Automotive Service** STOP

Body Shop & Mechanical Garage

34 Southwest Ave. **423-1897**  
Jamestown, RI 02835

RI BODY SHOP LICENSE #525



BAKER'S PHARMACY

"YOUR COMPLETE PHARMACY"



BUSINESS HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY 8:30 AM TO 7:00 PM

SATURDAY 8 AM TO 6 PM

SUNDAY 8 AM TO 2PM

423-2800 • 53 NARRAGANSETT AVENUE

Time For  
**FALL COLORS**  
**MUMS**  
Are Here!



The Secret  
Garden  
Florist & Garden Center



Open Daily  
10 am to 6 pm  
423-0050  
12 Southwest Avenue

jamestown **ji** fitness

Mon-Thurs: 5:30 am-8 pm

Friday: 5:30 am-7 pm

Sat-Sun: 7 am-3 pm

36 Southwest Avenue  
Jamestown, Rhode Island 02835

T: (401) 560-0300 F: (401) 560-0301

AXION

Business Technologies  
CAPABLE • COMPETENT • COMPETITIVE

New England's #1 Source for:

- Service
- Sales
- Printers
- Copiers
- Fax Machines

401-438-6622

www.axionbt.com

TOSHIBA

Leading Innovation >>>