New Bedford residents can donate to Maria, Irma relief efforts

New Bedford residents interested in contributing to hurricane relief efforts in the aftermath of Hurricane Maria, which devastated Puerto Rico and other Caribbean islands, can make cash donations to relief agencies, with links available at the city's website, newbedford-ma.gov.

Many city residents have contacted city government to inquire about ways to provide aid to those affected by Maria, as well as Hurricane Irma. While organizations in Massachusetts are collecting donations of tangible items, cash donations are effective and timely for the relief agencies in the field.

Mayor Jon Mitchell and the members of the New Bedford City Council suggest those interested in contributing to relief funds to consider the American Red Cross and the United for Puerto Rico (Unidos por Puerto Rico) Fund.

To donate to the American Red Cross, visit redcross.org/donate/donation or call 1-800-HELP NOW (1-800-435-7669). The opportunity to donate to those affected by Hurricane Irma is also available on the Red Cross donation site.

To donate to United for Puerto Rico, visit unidosporpuertorico.com/en/.

Greasy Luck Brewpub revitalization and improvements in pursuit of excellence go far beyond name change

While the Greasy Luck Brewpub, formerly known as Greasy Luck Brewery, has a new name, this is symbolic of the significant, positive changes to the restaurant as a whole. Since these changes are to the ownership, servers, managers, and the pricing, a name change is only fitting. When you make changes this monumental, the name has to change to reflect it — it's no longer what it was and the owners want to mark this progress…and progress is exactly what it is.

If you frequented the brewpub in the past or knew someone that had, you may have heard some mixed reviews. One thing that I have learned in the past few years, and something you likely have as well, if you are a foodie or a "local-yokel", is that operating a restaurant is as risky as a venture as anyone can undertake. There really is no room for error and a successful restaurant has a recipe that is a perfect balance of things like the menu, location, service, management, pricing, marketing and atmosphere.



To gloss over or neglect — even lessen your focus or attention — only one aspect is to invite, inevitable ruin. Even more important is to have the sensitivity that comes from listening to your customer's feedback. That feedback is integral to any success a restaurant desires.

Make no mistake — a successful restaurant that offers superior, mouth-watering fare, excellent customer service, a menu that is priced appropriately to the area, and makes its patrons happy, happy, happy is exactly what owners Howie, Mark and Al want. This comes from knowledge through experience. To achieve these goals, they are willing to learn from the feedback and make whatever improvements it takes to rise in ranks and gain the favor of locals. So, what exactly separates the old Greasy Luck Brewery from the new, improved Greasy Luck Brewpub?

Well, the "brewery" part has been dropped and replaced with "brewpub." They are not a brewery. You know they aren't a brewery, they know they aren't a brewery they are a brewpub which is an eatery that revolves around beer. Locals take

their beer very seriously — heck, I've had people tell me that the beer that I like is wrong, and "Here's why your favorite beer is garbage." Many took "offense" to a place that wasn't a brewery yet marketing itself so. Now, to be clear: they **do** brew their own beer — but there is so much more to the process than that.

Now, I am a wine drinker, so I won't get "beer snob" on you. I simply am not very knowledgeable on the brewing process so I had to speak with co-owner Howie who made it easy for a layperson to grasp. In essence, before the fermentation process that makes beer become beer, one must take the flavors — the hops and grains — to make what is called wort. Wort is the malty liquid that hot water is added to and will convert the starches to sugars and the alcohol that gives you your buzz. This step is skipped: Greasy Luck's brewologist receives the wort and using their own recipes add additional ingredients to create the desired style and taste — the Greasy Luck brand.



So, while they do brew, they do not produce the initial stage involving the wort. This makes them much more than an eatery, but a little less than a brewery — somewhere in between. They simply have a passion — like many locals do — for beer and want to create the flavors they love. So, what you get is that passion. Passion can be a good thing.

The menu changes are more of a fine tuning. The owners, who work closely with the knowledgeable, experienced staff dialed in what it was that customers like most from "Greasy's" start. When they first opened their doors there were items on the menu that people raved about and there were things people didn't care for or felt they should include. That feedback was the deciding factor on the menu changes: a lower price (on drinks and food) that more accurately reflects the other pubs and alehouses in the area, more Portuguese favorites, and more dishes that reflect pub style fare.

"The menu was starting to get a little too elegant prior to

when I came on board." said Howie. "We want to bring it back down to more of a pub style. Our kitchen is a team of experienced cooks. We don't want and will not have a "head chef" who calls it his/her menu. It's a collaboration from what the kitchen at will produce, and we have some new kitchen employees with a lot of experience who execute the team collaboration we're looking for."

As someone who has had a number of lunches and dinner at the brewpub, I can attest to the high quality of food coming out of the kitchen. The Greasy Luck hasn't had much of an issue in that department at all and I would pit their menu against anyone's on the city. Both my brother and I have had a substantial amount of the menu and since we generally have different eating habits we've sampled a large variety of their offerings.

For appetizers the brewpub offers many standards that will make people feel comfortable and at home right away — chicken wings, chicken tenders, calamari, chef's daily flatbread, a cheeseboard, Portuguese Littlenecks, and Buffalo chicken dip. While they might be standards, there is nothing standard about them — they are not cookie cutter versions of our favorites, but high quality offerings. For those who like something a little different they offer a few options: my favorite being a simply amazing "Vault Poutine" and if you are like me, a Poutine fanatic, you'll be ecstatic — Hand cut fries, cheddar cheese curds, house beer pulled pork and black pepper gravy. Oh man, it'll make you happy!



There is a **Buffalo Chicken Cracklings** -fried chicken skin, Buffalo dry rub, and bleu cheese dip. The Portuguese Stuffed Quahog is their version of a classic stuffed quahog, but with chouriço, and a Ritz cracker stuffing. The **Craft Beer Mustard Mussels** which you can add angel hair pasta to, are mussels delicately sautéed in their own house beer and .creamy mustard sauce. A full array of soups and salads including, a **Roasted**

Beet Salad of arugula, house roasted beets, orange slices, goat cheese, toasted pumpkin seeds and basil citrus vinaigrette.

Pulled Pork Sandwich (you'll hear other tables ordering it) "House made I.P.A slow roasted pork, Chipotle BBQ/, pickled red onions on sesame seed bun" served with fries and housemade pickle like all the sandwiches. This was the very first thing I tried when they opened and what led to the realization that the kitchen was producing superior food. Great portion, perfectly balanced BBQ sauce with the right amounts of spicy, tangy, and sweet, and fries exactly the way I like — very hot, golden crispy on the outside and large enough to savor the creaminess inside. A real winner.

Coming a close second for me is — you may want to sit down for this one — the **Veggie Burger**. Say what? I've lost my mind, you way? Trust me this, very tasty, large, satisfying burger is so good that you won't even realize it's veggie. While I couldn't pick out every vegetable in the burger I did see chick pea, so I believe it is a Falafel sort of base. However, there is a clear medley that was carefully crafted for maximum flavor and texture and the roasted garlic aioli is the "icing" on the cake.

Other stand-outs are the **Best Hangover Burger** — ground beef, caramelized onions, bacon, Cheddar cheese, fried egg, arugula and roasted garlic aioli/sesame seed bun and the **The Greasy Linguica** which is Portuguese sausage, house beer, pepper & onion sauce on a roll, You have wraps, quesadilla and burgers, of course, as well as main plates like Shepherd's Pie, Vegetable Stir Fry, Asian Salmon, Beer Braised Short Ribs which are to die for, and Shrimp or Chicken Mozambique.

Desserts are a Warm Apple Crisp, Brownie Sunday, Crème Brulee, the PB&J which is a glazed doughnut, peanut butter ice cream, and strawberry compote. If you have the kiddos with you there is a Kid's Menu featured their favorites — grilled cheese with fries, Kraft Mac & Cheese, Chicken Tenders & Fries and Classic Burger & Fries.



This changing of the guard when it comes to some of the employees was another, necessary improvement and in my opinion perhaps the most important of all. Some of the social media reviews and word-of-mouth was becoming negative. Most didn't have an issue with the food that as arriving to the table, but with the atmosphere and treatment they were getting — many were not happy with the service. That has been addressed and will continue to be addressed.

"There was definitely a deficiency in training from a staff perspective," acknowledges Howie. "We are committed to having the right staff who will tend to customers needs properly." In that vein, he has not only pruned the staff, but brought people on board that have the expertise and experience, from bus service to waitstaff, to management. Properly greeting customers immediately, timely drinks being brought to the table, increased speed of food getting out of the kitchen, and

making sure customers are checked in on during their stay are priorities.

Howie suspects that there will be a few hiccups in the short term, but fixing this is the single most important area that Greasy Luck Brewpub had to do. Earlier, I mentioned that neglect in just one minor area can determine the success of a restaurant, and the owners and staff as a collaborating force, have recognize this critical fault.

This alone is a good enough reason to give Greasy Luck Brewpub a return visit. If you were dissatisfied with a prior experience or have heard about a negative experience someone else had, you can rest assured you will have an altogether different service that you had or heard. Pursuit of excellence is an ongoing process and if anyone thinks they have achieved that perfection, they stop learning and improving. This pursuit of excellence is exactly their aim and based on recent visits they are succeeding.

If you know the history of the eatery, you know the name Christian is missing. Since rumors travel fast, there is a lot of misinformation and even completely untrue stories. I asked Howie to clarify and put the rumors and untruths to rest.



"His primary business, Farland Corp, has taken off and requires much more of his attention, thus any attention he could provide was too limited and he felt I was a great candidate to take over his stake due to my experience and success with being one of the founders of Rose Alley and Cultivator."

So, while there has been the departure of one of the three original owners, the addition of Howie means a wealth of experience and knowledge in the industry is being brought to the table. All three are equal owners and now all three have similar experiences and backgrounds. Mark grew up operating the popular, Antonio's restaurant for his family and he was always a fixture there — as anyone who knows Mark can attest. Al was one of the co-founders of Rose Alley alone with Howie and one of those who got on board with Cork causing its turnaround into the success it is today.

One of the aspects that has always been a part of Greasy Luck Brewpub is the live entertainment — they are always hosting local and distant talent at one of two internal venues — their main showcase and the "Vault." Most Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays you'll find some talent in the Vault and it will alternate between someone you likely know from greater New Bedford and bands or musicians that tour nationally. Most of the local entertainment will be free, meaning no cover or tickets. With some of the touring acts, they typically are pretty costly due to their fees to travel, hotels, etc, so for such shows there'll be small ticket prices. Most of the time, guests can expect to come to see live entertainment in the Vault free of charge though.

If you have a private event coming up, like a business promotion to celebrate, a birthday, anniversary, rehearsal dinner, reunion or some other special occasion, you can have Greasy Luck Brewpub host! The Vault can seat up to 175 guests, or 350 standing. If you have a smaller group, there is a "boardroom" upstairs that also serves as a private space and accommodates around 60 people.

The Greasy Luck Brewpub website and Facebook are great resources to peek at the menu, check their coming events, purchase tickets via TicketFly, see photos, inquire about a private party or event, and find out more about their brew menu.

The Greasy Luck Brewpub

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New Bedford, Massachusetts

Phone: (774) 425-4600

Sunday-Wednesday: 11:30am-10:00pm Thursday-Saturday: 11:30am-12:00pm

Website: greasyluckbrewpub.com

Facebook: facebook.com/GreasyLuckBrewpub/

Email: events@greasyluckbrewpub.com



Meet the New Bedford Ward 1 City Council candidates

On Wednesday, September 20th, Michael Silvia from New Bedford Guide hosted a 'Meet the Candidates' session. New Bedford Ward 1 City Councilor candidates were given 5 minutes to convince residents to vote for them and 5 minutes to answer questions fielded from Facebook.

Chris Amaral

Steven Caton

Dan Costa

Melissa Costa

Randy Santos

Want to discuss all things New Bedford politics? Join our Facebook group:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/newbedfordpolitics/

Massachusetts State Police cruiser struck on Route 25 in Wareham

A Massachusetts State Police cruiser was struck by another vehicle on Route 25 in Wareham on September 20th. The Trooper and the other driver, a New Bedford woman, were both transported to Tobey Hospital for non life-threatening injuries.

The Trooper, who was on a patrol out of the Middleborough Barracks, was stationary in the center media near Exit 2 in the cruiser, a 2015 Ford Interceptor Utility. A 2007 Honda Civic being operated eastbound on Route 25 by a 25-year-old New Bedford woman, for reasons still under investigation, veered into the cruiser and struck the passenger side of the

New Bedford police investigating reports of shots fired on Acushnet Ave

New Bedford Police are investigating reports of shots fired at 2:24 a.m. Thursday in the 1800-block of Acushnet Avenue.

No injuries were reported. Police are also investigating whether this incident is connected to reports of a vehicle striking a building in the area.

Attorney General Sessions discusses transnational criminal organizations in Boston

Here's audio and a text transcript from Attorney General Sessions discussing transnational criminal organizations to federal law enforcement in Boston on 21 September, 2017.

"Good afternoon.

It is great to be with you all here in Boston. Thank you, Bill

for that kind introduction. I understand from my team that you all were the first U.S Attorney's Office to reach out and ask that I visit — and I am thrilled to be here and acknowledge the great work being done in this office.

And especially today, during what President Trump has declared both "Prescription Opioid and Heroin Epidemic Awareness Week" and "National Gang Violence Prevention Week," thank you for all of the work that you do to protect our families and communities from the devastation of drug abuse and the blight of gang violence.

President Trump's first declaration makes clear to all those who are suffering addiction, seeking treatment, or who are in recovery from opioid addiction: we stand with them, we are praying for them, and we are working every single day to help them.

And the second puts all gang members and other organized thugs on notice: we are coming for you. We will hunt you down; we will find you, and we will bring you to justice.

As violent crime is on the rise nationally and surging in some of our major cities as we see more and more loved ones die at the hands of opioids and all the while remaining ever vigilant regarding the threat of radicalized terrorists, we face formidable challenges.

Yet, this office has risen to the occasion and zeroed in on yet another danger: transnational criminal organizations, specifically MS-13.

As this community knows first-hand, MS-13 is probably the most violent and ruthless gangs on the streets today. It has made inflicting gruesome violence their primary feature.

Guided by their motto — "Kill, Rape, and Control" — MS-13 has assaulted, raped, maimed, and killed just for the sake of it. In so doing, they have destroyed communities, the lives of

hard-working law abiding immigrants, and left devastation and misery in their wake.

Over the past few months, I have been to ground zero for MS-13. First, I traveled to Central Islip, New York, where the gang is running rampant: killing victims, traumatizing communities, and replenishing its ranks by taking advantage of the Unaccompanied Alien Child program. This program continues to place juveniles from Central America into this gang controlled territory. It is clearly being abused.

Further, I have traveled to the proverbial "belly of the beast" in San Salvador, El Salvador, and observed the gang's nerve center.

These experiences have only cemented my belief that MS-13 represents some of the worst of the worst when it comes to criminal street gangs.

Further, it has hardened my resolve that we must contain and dismantle this gang, clique by clique and member by member.

One need look no further than what has occurred here in Boston as proof positive of what this gang is capable of.

The alleged gang murder of a mother in front of her two young children? It simply does not get any worse than this. The brave men and women of this office, along with your law enforcement counterparts, are taking the fight to them.

I understand that over 400 federal, state, and local law enforcement officers took part in the massive MS-13 takedown stemming from this office's indictment of 60 MS-13 members.

It is precisely this type of law enforcement collaboration that is absolutely necessary: street level intelligence and investigation combined with federal partnership remains a tried and true combination for successfully investigating and prosecuting this group of thugs. You have also made good use of all the implements in the federal tool box: RICO, false documents, alien in possession of a firearm, and conspiracy to distribute narcotics. Once again, well done.

This is precisely how we will dismantle and defeat MS-13: charge them with whatever crime they commit and stay nimble and flexible to ensure we get them off of the street, in jain and out of the country.

As evidenced by the President's Executive Order, fighting transnational criminal organizations has been and continues to be one of the Administration's top priorities. As such, we at the Department have taken steps to support law enforcement and prosecutors in this mission:

We have issued mandates to the field that prosecutors renew their focus on immigration offenses-specifically where those criminals have a gang nexus, targeting violent crime offenses, and charging the most serious, readily provable offense — all of which will ensuare criminal gangs.

I have re-constituted the Organized Crime Council and charged our federal law enforcement partners to make the decimation and dismantlement of MS-13 a top priority, and this focus is already paying dividends.

We have sent additional prosecutorial resources to the Southwest Border and created Border Security Coordinators in each of our U.S. Attorney's Offices-to focus on criminals, like MS-13 that have a nexus to the Southern Border.

We have also re-invigorated the Institutional Hearing Program, or "IHP" whereby immigration judges come to Federal BOP facilities to adjudicate the immigration status of criminal aliens. It saves time, not to mention tax payer funds, and prevents some of these violent criminals from just being sent from federal prison to an ICE detention facility where they will then just wait, at taxpayer expense, for an immigration

hearing that could have been done at their federal prison.

Finally, we have shifted things around in order to surge an additional 300 AUSAs to the field to specifically focus on violent crime and immigration, both of which will involve anti-MS-13 efforts.

But we are not done. These are great steps, but I am pleased to announce we are taking further action.

We are now working with the Department of Homeland Security and HHS to examine the unaccompanied minors issue and the exploitation of that program by gang members who come to this country as wolves in sheep clothing. In fact the gang uses this program as a means by which to recruit new members.

Further, we are engaged in increased and renewed international coordination between U.S. law enforcement and our partners in the Northern Triangle countries of El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras, improved sharing of cross border information is essential — this has already resulted in more gang apprehensions; In fact, El Salvador arrested 700 gang members when we were there.

Let me be clear about something: the status quo is unacceptable. This is America. We will not allow the likes of MS-13 or any other gang to prey upon our communities, to decapitate individuals with machetes, baseball bats, and chains, — or to turn places like Boston, Washington, D.C., and Long Island, New York, into war zones. MS-13 members are known for attacking anyone perceived as even a possible rival.

All law abiding individuals must be free to walk down any street without fear of being hacked with a machete just because they don't don the white and blue of the Mara.

As I have said before, these gang members might be targeting our youth, but I have a message for them. We will find you. We will devastate your networks. We will starve your revenue

sources, deplete your ranks, and seize your illicit profits.

We will not concede a single block or street corner to your vicious tactics.

From past investigations, we know these transnational criminal organizations smuggle members into our country almost exclusively through our border with Mexico. They station these gang members in safe houses in Texas before they travel to various points around the United States.

Securing our border, both through a physical wall and with the brave men and women of the border patrol and restoring an orderly and lawful system of immigration is part and parcel of this anti-gang strategy.

Again, I want to applaud federal, state, and local law enforcement and our prosecutors here in the Boston area for all you have done and being the tip of the spear in our fight against MS-13.

As I stated we are currently battling many public safety issues.

On Monday, the FBI will release the annual crime statistics for 2016. Tragically, they will show violent crime rose by again. Murder rose. Aggravated assault, rape, and robbery rose. We cannot accept this as the new normal. I have said before, my best judgement was that the 2015 numbers were not a blip.

This is a frightening trend that threatens to erode so much progress that had made our neighborhoods and communities safer — over 30 years declines in crime are being replaced by increases. I urge mayors and governors to take this seriously now. And to work with federal, state, and local law enforcement. We must confront this rise before it gains more momentum.

Further, as this community felt on Marathon Monday, 2013, at the finish line of a historic and proud race, terrorism remains an omnipresent concern. Once again, law enforcement and prosecutors, including your Acting U.S. Attorney, rose to the occasion and stayed faithful to our mission by bringing those responsible to justice.

Well done, and thank you.

As we have seen most recently with our brethren in the UK, whether it is a bomb on mass transit, a vehicle used as a deadly weapon, or a hijacked airliner, we must always be ready and use every lawful tool in our arsenal to disrupt a plot before it comes to fruition.

Further, this area - along with the rest of New England - is in the midst of an opioid epidemic. These toxic substances are stealing our brothers, sisters, cousins, and moms and dads.

I have traveled to New Hampshire and seen 50 mothers of opioid victims lined up holding placards for their dead children — before a high school audience.

That left an indelible impression on me, and I will never forget the pain that still showed in their eyes.

Again, the Administration has taken this fight head on. We are prescribing too many painkillers — they are turning out to be killers themselves.

We are sending additional resources into the field to prosecute dirty doctors, dealers, and anyone in the illicit supply chain.

We will not rest - I will not rest - until we turn the tide on opioids.

Prescription abuse can and will be dramatically reduced. This Department of Justice is committed to that goal. I urge you to emphasize this problem.

Thank you for all that you are doing in fighting this many-headed hydra of crime. Using the force multiplier of federal, state, and local collaboration, we can, and will, protect our communities and uphold the rule of law.

Going back to our country's founding, Bostonians have always been known as tough and indomitable people, unwilling to accept affronts to their freedom. I know that determination will serve you—and all of us—well in our current battles against our foes.

Keep up the good work. Thank you and God bless you."

Photos and video by Josh Souza.

National Weather Service issues wind advisory for eastern MA and RI

As of 4:23am, the National Weather Service has issued wind advisory for eastern MA and RI until noon today.

- * Location...Eastern Massachusetts and most of Rhode Island.
- * Winds...North 15 to 25 mph with gusts up to 40 mph.
- * Timing...Through tonight.
- * Impacts...Gusty winds will continue to bring down tree limbs and isolated trees, especially since full foliage remains on our trees. Isolated power outages may continue to occur into tonight.

PRECAUTIONARY/PREPAREDNESS ACTIONS...

Winds this strong are capable of downing tree limbs and branches, possibly causing isolated power outages. Driving can also be difficult, especially for high profile vehicles. Use extra caution.

Faces Of New Bedford #121: Sonya Ustinovich

Meet Sonya Ustinovich, 39 year old owner and teacher at Little Learners in Westport. Growing up, Sonya and her sister Nadine were raised in a home where their Mom had a childcare program for 26 years.



After high school, she went on to receive her bachelors degree in psychology with a minor in special education. She soon married and began a family of her own, staying home to raise her children. When her children were school-aged, following in her mother's footsteps, along with her sister, they opened Little Learners Childcare, where they have been caring for children for 10 years.

Understanding the importance of being able to have time to herself as a mother who is constantly caring for her children, Sonya and Nadine have embarked on a new venture. Their idea is to open a walk-in daycare (LL STAY & PLAY) with convenient

hours that will allow moms and dads the opportunity to run errands, make appointments, dine out, do some yoga, or just some time for rest and relaxation. Without the need to enroll your child in a daily program, it makes temporary and quality childcare affordable.

"Childcare is in our blood."

Faces of New Bedford is a project by Colton Simmons. If you are interested in booking a shoot or getting prints from the series email all inquiries to colton@coltonsimmons.com.

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Read more of the Faces of New Bedford series here.

Zeiterion presents broadway's Tony award-winning best musical "A Gentlemen's Guide To Love & Murder," October 27

"Gentleman's Guide restores our faith in the musical comedy. Get ready for a dark comedy that will have you dying with laughter!" — The Hollywood Reporter

"Just as I was about to give up on musicals, along comes A Gentleman's Guide to Love & Murder." — Time Magazine

Zeiterion Performing Arts Center welcomes the national

Broadway tour of the Tony Award® winner for Best Musical, A Gentleman's Guide to Love & Murder, on Friday, October 27, at 8 p.m. The musical comedy tells the tale of a man who will do whatever it takes to get his hands on a handsome inheritance. Tickets range from \$45 to \$65 and can be purchased by calling 508-994-2900, online at www.zeiterion.org, or at the Zeiterion Box Office at 684 Purchase Street in New Bedford.

Gentleman's Guide is the uproarious story of Monty Navarro, a distant heir to a family fortune who sets out to jump the line of succession by any means necessary. All the while, he's got to juggle his mistress (she's after more than just love), his fiancée (she's his cousin but who's keeping track?), and the constant threat of landing behind bars! Of course, it will all be worth it if he can slay his way to his inheritance and be done in time for tea.

One of Broadway's most celebrated musicals, Gentleman's Guide received ten 2014 Tony® Award nominations, winning four awards: Best Musical, Direction of a Musical, Book of a Musical, and Best Costume Design. In addition, it won the Best Musical prizes from the Drama League, Drama Desk and Outer Critics Circle, and received a 2015 Grammy® Award nomination for Best Musical Show Album.

James Taylor Odom will play the role of the eight heirs of the D'Ysquith family, and Blake Price will portray the role of Monty. Gentleman's Guide will also feature Colleen McLaughlin (Sibella Hallward) and Erin McIntyre (Phoebe D'Ysquith). The tour also includes Timothy Aaron Cooper, Ashton Michael Corey, Mia Fitzgibbon, Colleen Gallagher, Briana Gantsweg, Kristen Kane, Tyler Lenhart, Conor McGiffin, Ryne Nardecchia and Rosie Webber.

Gentleman's Guide features a book and lyrics by Robert L. Freedman and music and lyrics by Steven Lutvak. The creative team for this production includes direction and choreography by Peggy Hickey (Anastasia), based on Broadway's original Tony

Award-winning direction by Darko Tresnjak (Anastasia) and her own original choreography. The design and production team is comprised of two-time Tony Award nominee Alexander Dodge, scenic design (Anastasia, The Hunchback of Notre Dame); Tony Award-winning Linda Cho, costume design (Anastasia); Adam Cates, Associate Director and Choreographer (Anastasia); Philip S. Rosenberg, lighting design (The Elephant Man, It's Only a Play); four-time Tony Award-nominated Dan Moses Schreier, sound Design (Into the Woods, American Psycho); Aaron Rhyne, projection design; and Jason Styres, CSA, casting. Original orchestrations are by Jonathan Tunick and Vocal Arrangements are by Dianne Adams McDowell and Steven Lutvak. Paul Staroba serves as Music Supervisor.

The Zeiterion Performing Arts Center is a non-profit organization with a mission to provide New Bedford and the region with performing arts programming of excellence that inspires, educates, engages and entertains. Tickets are available for purchase at www.zeiterion.org, by calling 508-994-2900, or in person at the box office at 684 Purchase Street, New Bedford, Mass. Zeiterion Box Office hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Thursday 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., and two hours before each performance.

58-year old Dartmouth man killed in car crash on Route 6

On Thursday, September 21, at approximately 01:47 a.m., Dartmouth Police and other emergency personnel responded to

the area of Route 6 (State Road) near Route 177, to investigate a single car motor vehicle crash with injuries.

As a result of the crash, the operator, identified as Dimas AMARAL, 58, of Dartmouth, MA, was transported to Rhode Island Hospital, where he later died.

AMARAL was the sole occupant in the 2009 Toyota Tacoma pickup truck, and initial indications are that he was not wearing a seatbelt when the crash occurred

The crash is currently under investigation by the Dartmouth Police Department Crash Reconstruction Unit and Detective Division.