



**ALIVE AND KICKING (DVD)**  
**Magnolia Home Ent.**

*Alive and Kicking* showcases the dynamic culture and cathartic power of swing dancing from its historic origins to its impact today. Originating in Harlem during the Great Depression, swing was created to alleviate the economic and social stressors of the 1930s. Boiled down to its core, swing dancing is the pursuit of happiness. The film follows professionals and enthusiasts as they find joy through dance, giving an insider's view into the exhilarating world of swing.

**THE CIRCLE (Blu-ray)**  
**Lionsgate Home Ent.**

When Mae (Emma Watson) is hired to work for the world's largest and most powerful tech and social media company, she sees it as the opportunity of a lifetime. Mae rises through the ranks, and is encouraged by the company's founder, Eamon Bailey (Tom Hanks), to engage in a groundbreaking experiment that pushes the boundaries of privacy, ethics, and, ultimately, her personal freedom. Her participation in the experiment and every decision she makes begin to affect the lives and future of her friends, family, and all of humanity. Capturing the phenomenon of today's social media and the consequences of being permanently checked in, *The Circle* is a modern day, gripping thriller.

**TEEN WOLF: SEASON 6 - PART 1 (DVD)**

**20th Century Fox Home Ent.**  
Storm clouds gather as Scott and the pack head into their final months of high school. But the best days of their lives turn bleak when they lose their closest ally. Before the end, Scott and his friends will stand alone against the growing darkness and fight to stop the destruction of everything and everyone they love. Special features include "Behind the Scenes of Beacon Hills," a VFX Reel, and a Gag Reel.

**FREE FIRE (Blu-ray)**  
**Lionsgate Home Ent.**

Bold, breathless, and wickedly fun, *Free Fire* is an electrifying comedy-thriller about an arms deal that goes spectacularly and explosively wrong. Set in colorful, gritty 1970s Boston, *Free Fire* follows Justine (Brie Larson) as she brokers a black-market weapons deal between IRA arms buyer Chris (Cillian Murphy) and shifty South African gunrunner Vernon (Sharlto Copley) in a deserted warehouse. What starts as a polite, if uneasy, exchange soon goes south when tensions escalate and shots are fired, leading to a full-on battle royale where it's every man (and woman) for themselves.

**DEVIL'S DOMAIN (DVD)**  
**MVDvisual**

Lisa Pomson, a troubled, social media-obsessed teen, is conflicted with her sexuality and her parents' misunderstanding of her. When Lisa gets secretly filmed bingeing, purging, and being out of line, the video goes viral and she suffers extreme cyber-bullying. Suicidal and on the brink of insanity, she strikes up an online relationship with a beautiful, mysterious stranger (the Devil).

They grow close and meet and the stranger offers to help in exchange for a favor. The devil will rid her of the bullies and give Lisa fame and fortune in exchange for a baby. Lisa agrees and, as the bullies die one by one, Lisa's conscious kicks in and she regrets doing the deal. In the climactic finale, the Devil threatens eternal suffering and the death of her loved ones until she finally succumbs and gives the devil a baby that will grow to reign terror upon the world.

**BEHIND THE MASK: THE BATMAN DEAD END STORY (DVD)**

**Candy Factory Films**  
*Behind the Mask* launched a nationwide craze when all eight minutes were unveiled at Comic Con in 2003. In a Hollywood system where Batman movies are huge-budget, mega-merchandised projects, this low-budget short shattered all expectations, garnering an incredible amount of buzz outside of the Hollywood system. With appearances from The Joker, Alien, and Predator, the film was a hit with die-hard comic fans and modern action film lovers alike. Considering the amount of buzz surrounding the film, cinematographer Sandy Collora was expected to be propelled into the Hollywood stratosphere. Instead, his career sputtered. *Behind the Mask* gives audiences an insider's behind-the-scenes look at the buzz-worthy short and the people who helped to create it, including Collora, comic book legend Neal Adams, and convention all-stars Sean Clark, Shawn Reeves, and Jordu Schell.

**PRETTY LITTLE LIARS: THE SEVENTH AND FINAL SEASON (DVD)**

**Warner Bros. Home Ent.**  
In the seventh and final season, the troubled PLLs band together to unearth answers to the ultimate questions. Hanna is scarred from her kidnapping, Aria is haunted by Ezra's past, Spencer makes an impulsive decision, Ali's life hangs in the balance, and Emily turns to an ex for comfort. Romantic upsets entangle "Ezria," "Spaleb," and "Haleb," while the list of "Uber A" suspects is growing. And who, pray tell, is "A.D.?" After making the deadliest mistake of their lives, the PLLs are desperate to end the game before it ends them. Past lies and dirty secrets come to light in the final 20 episodes of the crush-worthy suspense series that transformed entertainment, fashion, and fandom.

**TOMMY'S HONOUR (DVD)**  
**Lionsgate Home Ent.**

*Tommy's Honour* is the inspirational, true story of "Old" Tom and "Young" Tommy Morris, the real-life father-and-son team that revolutionized the modern game of golf. Set against the early days of the sport, the film follows the challenging and complex relationship between the two as they grow into golf legends. A compelling drama featuring standout performances from Peter Mullan and Jack Lowden, who play the father-son golf champions who grow together in their fame, fortune, and misfortune.

The time has come, the walrus said,

**TO TALK OF MANY THINGS**  
of shoes and ships and sealing wax of cabbages and kings

by Sal Giarratani

**5TH ANNUAL**  
**WIHA CLASSIC CAR SHOW**

The 5th Annual Winthrop Improvement and Historical Association's (WIHA) Classic Car Show will be held this year on Saturday, August 19th, from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm at Ingleside Park, Brookfield Road. For more information, call Sandy at 617-407-3438. Proceeds to benefit the Historic Deane Winthrop House.

**BAKER'S SWITCH**  
**ON MASS HEALTH?**

In her recent *Boston Globe* commentary, Joan Vennochi was pretty critical of Governor Charlie Baker's decision to remove 140,000 nondisabled adults age 21 to 64 from MassHealth, the state's Medicaid program, to commercial insurance through the Commonwealth Connector. They would have to pay premiums like the rest of us and be responsible for co-pays also like the rest of us. However, House Democrats are opposed to this reform proposal.

Something has to be done with Medicaid, as it has been expanded again and again until the price tag now amounts to 43% of the state budget", according Vennochi's commentary. Democrats are crying the usual refrain about how the governor wants to balance the budget on the backs of the working poor.

When first implemented, Medicaid had strict eligibility benchmarks to reach. As more and more are added to the MassHealth rolls, soon that program could represent nearly 50 percent of the budget and who knows when it makes the push over that mark. It's at a tipping point now. To do nothing, like liberals want, is simply irrational.

*\*Editor's note: This is before federal reimbursements of more than half.*

**NEW FOE FOR WARREN**

Some Republicans are now backing longtime Republican operative Beth Lindstrom, a former senior aide to Mitt Romney who managed Scott



**St. Joseph Society member Rosemary O'Brien and her granddaughter Audrey Sears had a great time during this past weekend's procession of St. Joseph. Rosemary and I worked together for almost 30 years at the Massachusetts Mental Health Center in Boston.**  
(Photo by Sal Giarratani)

Brown's challenge to U.S. Sen. Elizabeth Warren in 2012. She is now exploring the idea of a political run, saying, "I am a wife and mother of three kids who cares deeply about our state and where we are headed as a country. So much of our politics is pointless bickering." Right now, the odds on favorite to win is State Rep. Geoff Diehl, R-Whitman. He has a strong base within the party's conservative activists.

The state Republicans need to find the best possible candidate, the one with the best chance of taking on and defeating Warren, who appears to be using 2018 as a springboard to a 2020 try for the Democrat presidential nomination. She says that ain't

so, but few are buying that answer.

**CONNOLLY TO STAY PUT**

It appears that disgraced FBI agent John Connolly won't be getting out of prison any time too soon. He just turned 77 years old the other day, but now it looks like he will stay behind bars until at least 2039 when he will be 99 years old.

Florida officials did the right thing. When you play with fire, you get burned. The path he took was of his own making. He had choices in life and will now most likely do for those reported bad deeds. He got convicted in the John Callahan murder in 1982. Justice was served in the Callahan case and continues to be served.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Essex Division  
36 Federal Street  
Salem, MA 01970  
(978) 744-1020  
Docket No. ES17P2109EA

Estate of  
GERALD D. SARNO  
Also Known As  
GERALD SARNO  
Date of Death June 18, 2017  
INFORMAL PROBATE  
PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Lisa E. Sarno of South Boston, MA a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Lisa E. Sarno of South Boston, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Middlesex Division  
208 Cambridge Street  
East Cambridge, MA 02141  
(617) 768-5800  
Docket No. M117P2090EA

Estate of  
PATRICIA A. CONNORS  
Also Known As  
PATRICIA CONNORS  
Date of Death September 28, 2016  
INFORMAL PROBATE  
PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Steven J. Connors of Weston, MA a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Steven J. Connors of Weston, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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Probate and Family Court  
Middlesex Division  
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Docket No. M117P2950EA

Estate of  
JOHN PORTER SAWYER, JR.  
Also Known As  
JOHN SAWYER, JOHN P. SAWYER  
Date of Death May 19, 2016  
INFORMAL PROBATE  
PUBLICATION NOTICE

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Susan D. Sawyer of Winchester, MA a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Susan D. Sawyer of Winchester, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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