

Improper *azzi!* Tracking Boston's HOTTEST PARTIES

HAVE A BALL!

On Thursday, Oct. 6, hundreds gathered at the Prudential Center's Barnes & Noble for a reading and book signing by local author Chris Edwards to celebrate the release of his hilarious and heartwarming memoir, *BALLS: It Takes Some to Get Some*. A portion of all proceeds of book sales goes to Camp Aranú'tiq, a summer camp and safe haven for transgender youth. With the help of event planner Maureen Norman, Edwards hosted an after-party at Storyville, complete with ball-shaped food and decor and a themed drink made with Stolli Blueberry vodka called "Blue Balls."



Wendy O'Neil, Nancy Eskandarian, Mike O'Neil, Chris Edwards, Lane Murphy, Jill Murphy and Ed Eskandarian



Elizabeth Diamond, Barbara Karalis, Scott Madden, Chris Edwards, Craig Davis and Wendy O'Neil



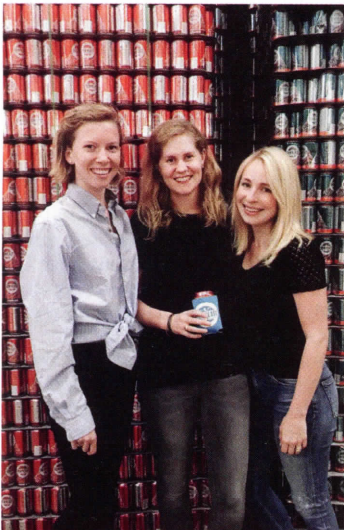
Amelie Loyot, Stephanie Taubin, Keli Howe, Mary Poisson, Mandy Ward Davis and Anna Colavito

CIDER HOUSE RULES

On Friday, Sept. 23, Downeast Cider House celebrated its eastward expansion into a fresh facility in the East Boston shipyard. Downeast greeted new neighbors and old friends with unfiltered cider, tours of the new facility and snacks from KO Pies.



Ben Calef, Tiffini DeNisis, Jon Chorney and Rich Gould



Haley Mosher, Corey Brockman and Cambria Brockman



Naomi Hochberg, Maggie Stryker, Joe Dunn, Ellie Stryker and Sarah Tremblay

RIGHT LANE

On Monday, Oct. 3, *The Improper Bostonian* was pleased to be a sponsor of the Mayo Bowl, former Patriots' star Jerod Mayo's annual celebrity bowling tournament at Kings in Dedham. All proceeds from the Mayo Bowl benefited Boston Medical Center.



Brandon King, A.J. Derby, Chantel Mayo, Jerod Mayo, David Andrews and Elandon Roberts



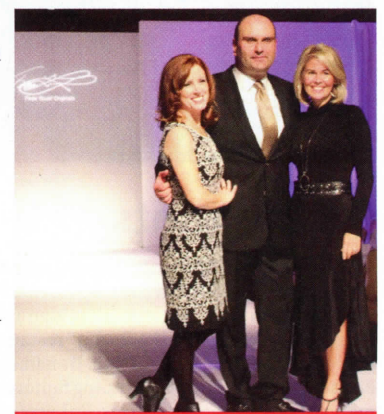
Jerry Sargent, Angus Leary and Kate Walsh



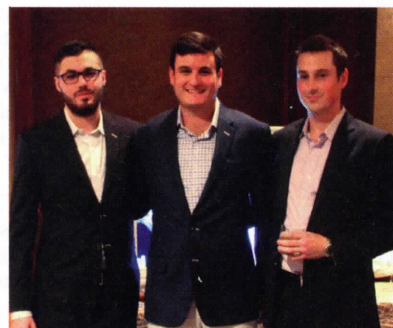
Jenn Walsh, Melanie Foley and Kerry Foley

RUNWAY FUN

On Friday, Sept. 30, Mandarin Oriental Boston hosted Boston Fashion Week's closing event, featuring evening and bridal couture from Firas Yousif Originals, the recent winner of "Best Bridal Designer" and "Best Bridal Dresses." Guests mingled and enjoyed Champagne and a runway show. Event sponsors included Elisha Daniels, ESC music design, Style by Dependable, Dependable Cleaners, Winston Flowers, LaMarca Prosecco, SH Videography, The Loft salon by Michael Albor and Boston Fashion Week.



Eileen Martin, Firas Yousif and Jodi Schultz



Dan Aptekman, Paul Fortin and Tom Tarlow



Heather Foley and Marie Galvin