



# THE BEACON HILL TIMES

T H E R E A R E N O T I M E S L I K E T H E S E T I M E S



Local artist Silvia Lopez Chavez's mural, "Patterned Behavior," on the Charles River Esplanade.

## Esplanade Association seeking donations for murals

By Dan Murphy

The Esplanade Association is currently seeking \$10,000 in donations to underwrite the cost of installing new murals on three pump-houses in the park.

The artists commissioned to paint the murals are Solei, a local artist, muralist and curator who serves as creative director at Brain Arts Organization, gallery director at Dorchester Art Project and curator at 1369 Coffeehouse;

Sophy Tuttle, a visual artist born in Colchester, England, currently residing in Medford who has outdoor and indoor murals on display from Massachusetts to Mexico; and Ann Lewis, a multi-disciplinary activist artist based in Detroit, Mich., who uses painting, installation and participatory performance to explore themes related to American identity, power structures, and justice.

"We're really pleased to have selected three great women artists

to create thoughtful and park-appropriate murals in three different spots along the Esplanade," said Michael Nichols, executive director of the Esplanade Association. "We're excited to get them up during the peak season in the park and think they will enhance the experience for visitors to the Esplanade."

Painting the new murals is the last step in a process that began with

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## BEACON HILL CIVIC ASSOCIATION COMMUNITY CORNER

### New Trash Collection Services

The City of Boston has hired Capital Waste Services to perform trash pick-ups throughout the city for the next five years. We invite your feedback as to the new hour and as to the level of service by writing to us at [info@bhccivic.org](mailto:info@bhccivic.org). We will forward your comments to the City.

### Joint Committees

The Beacon Hill Civic Association participates in several joint committees with other neighborhood organizations that serve our community. Last week, we highlighted two

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Ali Ringenburg, Slone Merrill Owner, BHBA board member and Co-Chair of the Joint Charles Street Committee.



Joshua Leffler, BHCA Director and Co-Chair of the Joint Charles Street Committee

## Monograms and motifs

River Street resident launches company offering embroidered, personalized goods

By Dan Murphy

Eve Q. Casey marked both a significant career and personal milestone three weeks ago with the launch of her maiden business, The Bedlam Street Company - a self-described "bespoke embroidery company specializing in personalized monograms and motifs" that celebrates the coastal lifestyle.

"We've gotten off to a startlingly nice start," said Casey, who serves as "Proprietress" of the fledgling business that she operates out of her River Street home alongside her husband John Houser. "Now, we're just trying to figure out how keep the momentum going and get the word out."

The Bedlam Street Company offers a curated selection of monogram-able home goods and apparel, including 33 different monogram styles; 69 different motifs; and 33 different "thread" or color selections. Quick turnaround times for orders are also ensured to accommodate memorable occasions, such as the birth of a new child, an engagement party or any



other special event.

The company's moniker pays homage to the nickname of the main street in Eve's hometown of Cold Spring Harbor, a hamlet on the north shore of Long Island, N.Y., located about 20 miles outside of Manhattan. From the establishment of the Cold Spring Waling Company circa 1838 until 1860, the town was an epicenter of the whaling industry, with sailors from around the world descending on its main street and filling it with a cacophony of different languages that was often described as "bedlam." Since the

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## WATER LANTERN FESTIVAL

Water lanterns flowed down into the Charles River last Saturday evening, July 27, during the Water Lantern Festival at the Esplanade. Here, Angela Lin and Joe Nash share the inspirational message on their lantern before releasing it. See Pages 6 and 7 for more photos.



# EDITORIAL

## GOV. BAKER'S BOLD TRANSPORTATION PROPOSAL

We were talking the other day with a young man who has been a teacher at Chelsea High School for the past couple of years. During our discussion, we were surprised to learn that he lives on the South Shore (Hull) from where he commutes to Chelsea High every day by means of public transportation.

He takes the MBTA commuter boat to Boston and then walks to the nearby Blue Line, taking that to Airport Station. From there, he gets on the new Silver Line 3, the dedicated-lane bus line that takes him to Chelsea.

It seemed like quite an odyssey -- and it certainly is -- but he said his total commuting time is about an hour each way, which is less time than it would take him to drive it, not to mention far less stressful.

We were thinking about the Chelsea teacher's use of multiple modes of public transportation -- sort of an alternative, real-life version of the comedy classic movie *Planes, Trains, and Automobiles* -- in the context of the \$18 billion proposal put forward last week by the administration of Gov. Charlie Baker and Lieut. Gov. Karen Polito to improve the transportation infrastructure in our state, with the stated goals of improving our roads, bridges, and public transit systems.

We do not even remotely pretend to be experts in the realm of transportation. However, what is clear is that the Baker-Polito proposal, in terms of the level and scope of the proposed investment, is (in Baker's words), "unprecedented and historic."

We have no doubt that there will be many -- who actually are experts in the realm of transportation -- who will weigh in with various proposals of their own in addition to those that were put forward in the Baker-Polito bill.

We also have no doubt that the plans and ideas that will be put forward by others will be considered carefully by the governor and his staff. After five years of the Baker-Polito administration, it has become clear that their type of leadership is not of the "my way or the highway" (no pun intended) style. We anticipate that the administration and the legislature will work together to craft a bill that will improve the daily lives for all residents of the Commonwealth.

For far too long, transportation issues have been like that adage about the weather: Everybody talks about it, but nobody does anything about it. In New York City for example, the sorry state of the subways is at a critical point -- and yet the mayor and governor cannot agree on a way to fix it. In California, talk of a high-speed train from San Francisco to Los Angeles appears to have reached a dead end.

By contrast, the \$18 billion proposal put forward by the Baker-Polito administration last week represents a huge step forward in fixing many of the problems that have come to light in recent years in our state.

Investments in our transportation infrastructure -- especially in this era of low interest rates -- will reap huge dividends in the years ahead, more than offsetting the costs. We look forward to the final transportation bill and to the day when Massachusetts will be seen as a national leader in solving public transportation issues.

## Myles' Musings

By Myles Striar

### Still time left

There's still time left to go to the beach  
And let the politicians mumble  
Over whether or not they ought to impeach.  
Most likely they'll continue to stumble.

It's summer, and no matter who  
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Those capable are very few  
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Loucks, Andrew	Brink, Steven	20 Dartmouth St	\$3,261,900
Brewster, Isabel	Murakawa Brookline T	25 Dartmouth St #3	\$805,000
Walker, Brian	Kelly Sharon L Est	83 Dartmouth St #3	\$755,000
Ho, James	Mccarrick, Nancy	293-295 Commonwealth Ave #1A	\$482,000
Daniel S Ory RET	Beckingham, Meryl K	347 Commonwealth Ave #D	\$4,950,000
Posillico, Michele	Lot Oz RT	362 Commonwealth Ave #5G	\$699,000
Woolnough, Benjamin	377 Commonwealth Ave LLC	377 Commonwealth Ave #5	\$700,000
VonHalm, Ludwig E	Lohiya, Manu	390 Commonwealth Ave #805	\$1,105,000
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Golden, Rickie J	Forbes, Christina L	34-1/2 Beacon St #3	\$1,395,000
Wang, Longshaokan	Mccarthy, Richard J	9 Hawthorne Pl #8J	\$510,000
Braun, John	4 Beacon H LLC	4 Joy St #2	\$2,950,000
Kutner, Robert	German, Stanislav	58 Myrtle St #5	\$1,017,500
Okazaki, Matthew	EM-TE LLC	11 Revere St #4	\$682,000
Corbett, Eric	Kendall, Patricia	51 Revere St #1	\$600,000
<b>SOUTH END/KENMORE/BAY VILLAGE/</b>			
HRE 2 LLC	Jones, Geraldine R	67 Appleton St	\$2,000,000
116 Chandler Street LLC	Beckles, Patrick I	116 Chandler St	\$2,750,000
Tanna, Amar	27 Isabella LLC	25-29 Isabella St #9	\$3,800,000
77 Montgomery Street LLC	Judith A Riolo 2016 T	77 Montgomery St	\$3,234,000
Healy, Ryan P	Henderson, Stephenie	548 Tremont St #5	\$1,075,000
Smith, Evan P	Shea, John J	171 Warren Ave #3	\$402,000
Eichstadt, Shaundra L	Devel, Thomas A	16 Claremont Park #3	\$729,012
Saroha, Pooja	South Management LLC	549 Columbus Ave #4	\$537,500
LMehta, Smita R	Hanover Court LLC	36 E Newton St #1	\$499,000
Pankey, Raymond R	Brunner, Andrew	30 E Springfield St #1	\$1,149,000
Beckles, Patrick I	Duplessie, Stephen A	21 Father Francis Gilday St	\$1,619,000
Crowley, Christopher	Townhouse 11 NT	35 Fay St #103	\$1,400,000
Lu, Claire	Farrell FT	70 Fenway #35	\$434,900
Mazzenga, Elizabeth	Gibson, Kevan T	18 Greenwich Park #2	\$2,440,000
77 Montgomery Street LLC	Judith A Riolo 2016 T	77 Montgomery St	\$3,234,000
Huang, Jessie	Sabackic, Begzada	65 Park Dr #22	\$376,500
Healy, Ryan P	Henderson, Stephenie	548 Tremont St #5	\$1,075,000
West Brook House LLC	Richard A Campana RET	189 W Brookline St	\$3,450,000
Smith, Evan P	Shea, John J	171 Warren Ave #3	\$402,000
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Alan K Himmer 2010 T	Wehbe, Carole G	3 Avery St #501	\$765,000
1 Franklin Street PH3D	355 Morris Island Rd LLC	1 Franklin St #PH3D	\$6,675,000

## ATTENTION TO DETAIL

BY PENNY CHERUBINO

### THIS WEEK'S ANSWER



The lion in the last clue is found on top of the Thomas Building at 130 Tremont Street. It was built in 1887 and designed by architect John A. Fox. As you enjoy walking around Boston this summer, you can lion hunt by taking photos of representations of these beasts on buildings, statues, houses, and even door knockers. Enjoy the hunt!

Do you have a favorite building or detail you would like featured? Send an email to [Penny@BostonZest.com](mailto:Penny@BostonZest.com) with your suggestion.

### THIS WEEK'S CLUE



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a donating matching fund from the Department of Conservation and Recreation, which enabled the Esplanade Association to remove graffiti from the pump-houses and restore them to their original condition, Nichols said.

The Esplanade Association took on a similar endeavor two years ago when through a part-

nership with the Boston nonprofit Now + There, it commissioned local artist Silvia Lopez Chavez to paint her "Patterned Behavior" mural on a concrete underpass just west of the Massachusetts Avenue Bridge.

For more information on how to donate, visit [esplanade.org](http://esplanade.org).

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demise of the whaling industry, the town has become a popular tourist destination.

"It's symbolic of where I grew up, as well as the historic nature of towns in the Northeast," Casey said of the company's name.

Casey started her career as a buyer of women's apparel and accessories for TJX in Framingham and last worked as a buyer for Rue La La in the Seaport before leaving that position to start her business.

"When John and I got married about two years ago, I noticed a black hole in the marketplace," Casey said. "It felt like there was no one locally curating a selection of goods that spoke to me and where I grew up."

In preparation for the launch of The Bedlam Street Company, Casey and Houser, who grew up outside Atlanta, Ga., made two trips to the AmericasMart Atlanta, a sprawling exhibition and trade center that offers the nation's largest selection of wholesale home gifts, in search of vendors selling items that could be easily personalized for resale.

Casey also recruited Cara

Marquis of Nantucket's Marquis Creative to design the company's website, and she and Houser then retrofitted their apartment to accommodate a sizable Brother commercial embroidery machine, as well as a small inventory of key items they keep on hand to fill incoming orders.

Now, with the business up and running, Casey has taken a cue from the generosity of other neighborhood businesses and pledged to donate 10 percent of The Bedlam Street Company's net proceeds to charity.

"We hope to create partnerships with other local businesses and not just cater to people celebrating milestones," Casey said.

"It's not just the financial component either," Houser added. "We would like to do a pop-up [store] or maybe participate in a road race to really make a physical connection with people."

For more information, email [hello@thebedlamstreetco.com](mailto:hello@thebedlamstreetco.com), visit [www.thebedlamstreetco.com](http://www.thebedlamstreetco.com) or follow The Bedlam Street Company on Instagram @bedlamstreetco.

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such committees: the Beacon Hill Nonprofit Neighbors; and the Codman Island Committee. This week, we focus on another such important joint committee - the Joint Charles Street Committee.

Joint Charles Street Committee

A collaboration between the Beacon Hill Business Association and the Beacon Hill Civic Association, the Joint Charles Street Committee identifies and addresses overlapping areas of interest in Beacon Hill, especially concerning Charles Street. The Joint Charles Street Committee continues to fund a private cleaning service that keeps our street tidy from April through December each year. Ongoing projects include the annual holiday window decorating contest, and advising business owners as to how to best care for the trees and tree pits near them.

Ali Ringenburg, Owner and Director of the Sloane Merrill Gallery at 75 Charles Street, a member of the Beacon Hill Business Association board, representing the Beacon Hill Business Association, and Joshua Leffler, a Director on the

Beacon Hill Civic Association Board, representing the Beacon Hill Civic Association, are the respective Co-Chairs of the Joint Charles Street Committee. Josh Leffler is new to the Joint Charles Street Committee.

Ali Ringenburg said: "I'm thrilled to move forward with Josh as my Co-Chair. The Joint Charles Street Committee is based on collaboration and I know Josh and I both have the neighborhood's best interest in mind. We both care deeply about the culture of Charles Street, maintaining the beauty and cleanliness of the neighborhood, and working with the City to create new opportunities for business owners and residents alike."

Josh Leffler remarked: "In so many ways, Charles Street is the cornerstone of our neighborhood. The street serves, almost proportionately, a residential, commercial, and transportation function. It is a place where neighbors and friends come to meet and where those visiting Beacon Hill come for a literal and figurative taste of the neighborhood. With more than two centuries of remarkable stories to tell, the future of Charles

Street will, as much as ever, require engagement, stewardship, vision, and collaboration. The broad range of topics being discussed in neighborhoods throughout Boston are equally pertinent on Charles Street - while also requiring one to look through a uniquely historic lens. I'm very much looking forward to working with Ali and building upon the great work that has been done by so many over the years."

Upcoming BHCA Meetings  
Wednesday, August 7:  
Cambridge Street Committee Meeting, 6pm. 74 Joy Street.  
Zoning & Licensing Committee Meeting, 7pm. 74 Joy Street.

Other upcoming BHCA Events

Beacon Hill Meet & Greet - Monday, August 5th

District 8 City Councilor Candidates Forum - Tuesday, September 10th

BHCA Fall HillFest - Sunday, September 22nd

Visit the Beacon Hill Civic Association website [bhccivic.org](http://bhccivic.org) or call the office (617-227-1922) for further details on any of these events, and for information about joining the BHCA.

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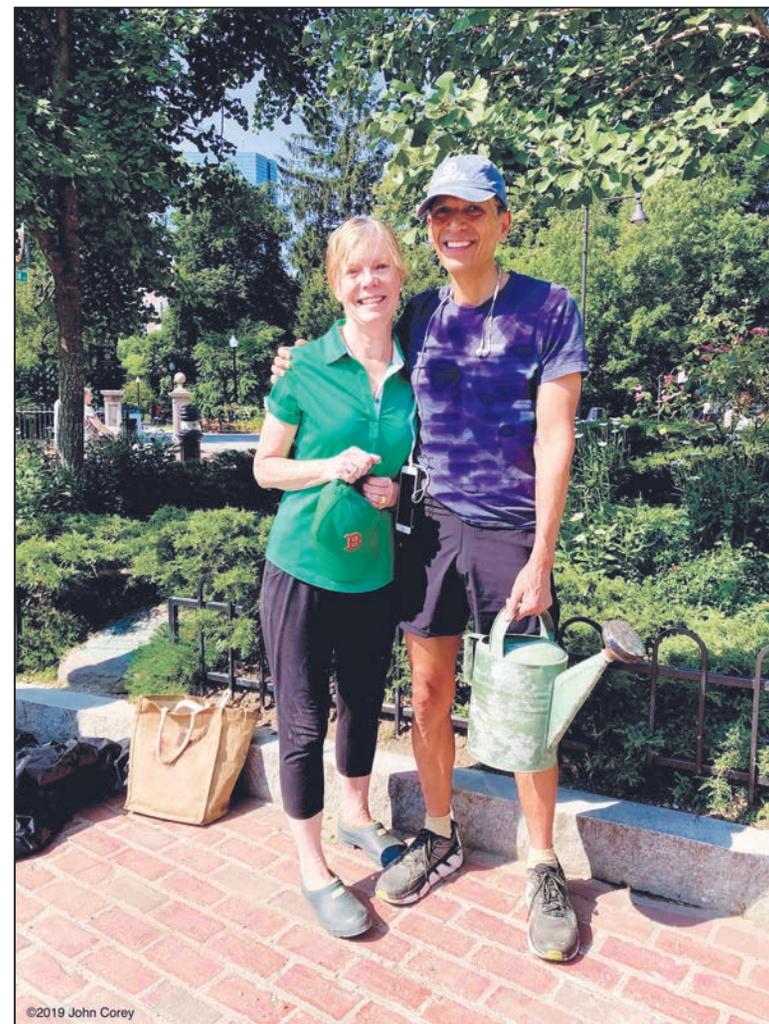
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## THURSDAY, AUG. 1

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY, Color Me Funky Face Painters, Myrtle Street Playground, 4-5 p.m.

## TUESDAY, AUG. 6

CONCERT, Hiro Honshuku and Yka Kido's "Love to Brazil Project" featuring cool jazz/Brazilian fusion, King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St., 12:15 p.m., suggested donation: \$5, call 617-227-2155 for more information

## THURSDAY, AUG. 8

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY, Mr. Harry, Puppeteer (formerly on "Sesame Street"), Myrtle Street Playground, 4-5 p.m.

## TUESDAY, AUG. 13

CONCERT, Okestra Marhaba performing Summer Salutations, King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St., 12:15 p.m., suggested donation: \$5, call 617-227-2155 for more information

## THURSDAY, AUG. 15

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY, Enchanted Animals, Myrtle Street Playground, 4-5 p.m.

## TUESDAY, AUG. 20

CONCERT, guitarist Aaron Larget-Caplan performing works by Bach, Marquina, Mussorgsky and Tarrega, King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St., 12:15 p.m., suggested donation: \$5, call 617-227-2155 for more information

## WEDNESDAY, AUG. 21

PANEL DISCUSSION, "Women in Landscape Architecture," Nichols House Museum, 55 Mount Vernon St., 6-7:30 p.m., admission: free, register at [www.eventbrite.com/e/women-in-landscape-architecture-panel-discussion-tickets-65826513875?aff=ebdshpsearchautocomplete](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/women-in-landscape-architecture-panel-discussion-tickets-65826513875?aff=ebdshpsearchautocomplete)

## THURSDAY, AUG. 22

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY, fire truck visit, Myrtle Street Playground, 4-5 p.m.

## TUESDAY, AUG. 27

CONCERT, violinist Dosrisya Yosifova performing works by Bach and Telemann, King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St., 12:15 p.m., suggested donation: \$5, call 617-227-2155 for more information

## THURSDAY, AUG. 29

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY, BJ Hickman, Myrtle Street Playground, 4-5 p.m.

## THURSDAY, SEPT. 5

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY, Rainforest Reptile, Myrtle Street Playground, 4-5 p.m.

## THURSDAY, SEPT. 12

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY, Back to School Pizza Party, Myrtle Street Playground, 4-5 p.m.

## Friends of the Public Garden teams with City to begin public engagement for Boston Common Master Plan

By Lauren Bennett

Mayor Walsh announced this January that he, along with the Boston Parks and Recreation Department and the Friends of the Public Garden, launched a Master Plan for the Boston Common. Walsh said that \$28 million from the sale of the Winthrop Square garage would be allocated towards the renovations, and \$5 million will go into a maintenance trust fund.

According to Friends of the Public Garden Executive Director Liz Vizza, the collaboration is currently in a "comprehensive planning process," and the City and the Friends are aiming to mobilize the effort to obtain feedback from residents of the city about what they'd like to see for the reimagined Boston Common.

This is an "opportunity to reimagine our oldest park in the nation and this is about how it can be strengthened and enhanced through the 21st century," Vizza said of the Master Plan.

The team will soon be moving into a community engagement process, she said, where there will be "park presence" days on the Common, as well as popup parklets in neighborhoods ("People should look for a tent," she said) in order to engage the public in the planning process. Questions like "What's the best part of the Common," "What are your favorite things to do in the Common," and "What do you use the Common for?" are ones the public will be asked, she said.

"We want to hear their voice,"

Vizza said. Postcards will be distributed, as well as an online survey that will be live on August 1. "If we want people to help shape the future of America's first park," they have to be involved in the process, she said.

The Boston Common is widely used on a daily basis, whether it be for commuting, running, walking a dog, playing on the playground or just going for a stroll. "We know that this gets used very intensively," Vizza said of the park. "We want it to be a place for everyone."

The community engagement process will be made accessible to as many people as possible as well—the community will be engaged in a variety of ways, Vizza said. "Some people don't like going to the meetings so they don't have to," she said. Instead, there will still be the options of the survey or the website where people can interact with the team and provide feedback about what they'd like to see for the reimagined Common.

During this phase, the team is looking to examine what the 50 acres of parkland are currently used for, what its needs are, where opportunities for improvement lie, all while preserving its historic character, Vizza said. Several areas of the park have shown signs of wear. "Things are looking run-down, [there are] curbs that are kind of falling apart, edges that are worn," she said, as well as "pedestrian things that are not functioning well. Park use outweighs park care."

Some improvements the team is looking at include improvements

to the skating conditions at the Frog Pond in the winter as well as thinking of new ways to use the space in the summer. Another thing the Common is in need of is permanent restrooms, Vizza said. The Friends of the Public Garden is in its second year of a pilot program for temporary restrooms, but there currently are no year-round restrooms available in the park. "We know that there are just some basic services that people need," Vizza said.

Additionally, the team wants to know: "are the right activities happening in the right places?" Vizza said. They want to examine the ball fields and tennis area to see if they are being used in the best and most efficient way.

With the large number of dog owners in the City, places to bring pets to run around are in high demand. There is currently a section of the Common that is dedicated to an off-leash dog program, but looking into developing a permanent off-leash dog area in the Common is another thing that the team is exploring.

While they will be given the \$28 million, more money will go into this project to make sure this park is reimagined to the best it can be. "We really want people to be involved and engaged," Vizza said, so there will be "many different opportunities for them to be engaged."

"The only way to improve a park that gets so much love is to look at it comprehensively," Vizza said. "We want to aspire to the best that this park can be and not stop."



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# WATER LANTERN FESTIVAL ON THE ESPLANADE

After a beautiful sunset on the Esplanade, family and friends illuminated the Charles River with water lanterns on a warm summer night during the Water Lantern Festival last Saturday, July 27. No two lanterns were the same: participants decorated lanterns with personal hopes and dreams, drawings, and messages to loved ones.

Then, they released them to the Charles.



Participants releasing their lanterns into the Charles River shortly after sundown.



Jamey Richards and Camila Billa sit alongside a pyramid of lanterns.



Brock DuVarney and Kettina Pierre share a kiss before releasing their lanterns into the Charles River.



Chantal DiBartolomeo and Jackie Reynolds hold up their lanterns before releasing them into the river.

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# WATER LANTERN FESTIVAL ON THE ESPLANADE



Hannah Wu and Gandi Myagmarjav.



Ian Connell and TJ King sitting on a deck over the Charles River as they prepare their lanterns.



Michi and Antonia had a picnic as the sun set over the Charles River during the Water Lantern Festival.

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## Climate change and your critters

By Penny &amp; Ed Cherubino

Over three decades of living with and caring for dogs, we have had to change some of our thinking due to climate change. Some of the decisions we made and approaches we took with our first dog Sassy would not be safe today.

## Medications and Vaccinations

For example, we only gave Sassy heartworm medication from April 1st to October 1st. After interviewing an expert on the subject a few years ago, we now give dog #3, Poppy, a heartworm preventative year-round. We can no longer count on winters cold enough to kill off a mosquito population that lives on through

cold months in places like urban sewers.

Climate change journalist Elizabeth Weise writing for USA TODAY reported, "Veterinarians and biologists who study diseases spread by insects observed that it's not just where but when the diseases strike that's changing. The times of year when dogs are at risk are changing in some areas where summers are becoming too hot to support the insects or the diseases they carry."

She quoted Andrew Dobson, a professor of ecology and evolutionary biology at Princeton University in New Jersey who said, "Diseases like Lyme disease that used to be transmitted in the peak summer months could now

be peaking in the spring and fall because it's too hot in the summer. So you get a longer transmission window."

All this suggests a serious discussion with your veterinarian about any additional medications, schedules, preventative measures, or vaccinations your animals may need. You should also ask about the symptoms of diseases that are increasing in the areas where you and your pets live or visit.

## Algae Blooms and Invasive Species

Algae blooms can occur on both fresh and salt water and some can be deadly. Mother Nature Network has warned animal guardians, "Blue-green algae,



Be sure you know what is on or in a body of water before you let your dog drink from it or go for a swim. Some algae blooms are toxic to animals. (Photo iStockphoto.com)

or cyanobacteria, turn lakes a distinctive hue when conditions are right for the growth of algal blooms. In addition to producing a thick mat of green scum and an offensive smell, sometimes blue-green algae also produce microcystins, toxins that can be deadly to dogs, livestock and other animals within hours of contact."

Invasive species like zebra mussels can multiply and die off leaving large quantities of broken shells that can cut paws. These little pests can also regenerate phosphate nutrients close to shore, spurring toxic algae growth.

## On the Other Hand...

There are some dog care practices that we began with Sassy and are very glad we have as part of our routines in today's world.

Back then, because we worked long hours, we trained Sassy to use a litter box that allowed her to relieve herself as needed. With today's more severe storms, we're

glad that Poppy can stay indoors and use her puppy pads when we have a blizzard, driving rain, a violent thunderstorm, unhealthy air, or dangerous heat.

Thanks to dog savvy friends, we have always had a dog emergency kit. It is part first aid kit with basic dog specific supplies such as a bandage that clings to itself, vet approved cleaning solutions, and backup medications. It is also part disaster preparedness kit if we were ever required to evacuate with Poppy. You can find lists of items you should consider having in your pet's kit online by searching "Pet Disaster Preparedness Kit." All the major humane groups have lists of what you would need in these situations.

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## THEATER REVIEW

### Gloucester Stage Company's farcical 'The 39 Steps' closes its sold-out, three-week run

By Sheila Barth

Gloucester Stage Company's hilarious production of Scottish writer Patrick Barlow's farcical poke at noir mystery plays produced a reaction I rarely experience.

Kudos to Artistic Director/Director Robert Walsh, cast and crew. At last Saturday's matinee of "The 39 Steps," theatergoers and I laughed out loud frequently, mostly because of the cast's stellar, outrageously zany, slapstick she-nanigans.

Walsh gathered an ensemble of Boston-area's finest, award-winning actors, whose impeccable timing, wackiness, rapid character and costume changes (kudos designer Miranda Kau Giurleo), accompanied by Russ Swift's lighting, David Wilson's battery of sounds, Emma Sharp's clever simplicity with props, Jenna McFarland Lord's minimalist set and overall stage effects earned standing ovations from sold-out



L to R: Amanda Collins; Foley Artist Malachi Rosen; Gabriel Kuttner; Lewis D. Wheeler star in Gloucester Stage Company's production of 'The 39 Steps.'

crowds.

Surrounded by theatergoers on three sides, actors Paul Melendy, Gabriel Kuttner, Lewis D. Wheeler, Amanda Collins and Malachi Rosen (enhancing sound effects), obviously were having

a great time, as Melendy and Kuttner frequently ad-libbed, making their co-actors and audiences giggle.

The plot takes second place to the cast's wild wackiness, especially Melendy and Kuttner portray-

ing clowns - without the clown makeup and garb- and other cameo roles.

Loosely adapted from John Buchan's 1915 novel, "The 39 Steps," and the 1935 British mystery thriller movie directed by Alfred Hitchcock, master of the unexpected and ironic, the two-act, 100-minute play focuses on Richard Hannay, (drily portrayed by Wheeler),

a civilian in London who innocently becomes involved with Annabella Smith (terrific stunts by Collins), a beautiful attractive, counter-espionage agent, whom Hannay is accused of murdering. He escapes to Scotland to find himself suddenly involved in trying to prevent an espionage organization named the 39 Steps from stealing British military secrets.

"The 39 Steps" has been performed in more than 40 countries, garnering major awards.

Based on theatergoers and critics' enthusiastic responses, I'd wager Gloucester Stage

Company's production rivals outstanding productions anywhere.

If you saw this production of "The 39 Steps," lucky you. If you missed it, you may want to see Richard Strand's play, "Ben Butler," appearing August 2-25, Wednesday-Saturday, at 7:30 p.m., also matinees Saturday and Sunday at 2 p.m. at Gloucester Stage. It's the story of the little-known political leader-Union general-activist and his inner struggle on whether they should harbor or return a runaway slave during the Civil War. Tickets are \$15-\$48, with discounts for seniors, military families, college students, 18-years-old-younger.

As part of the 267 E. Main St., Gloucester theater's Never Dark series, Ute Gfrerer performs in "Simply Sinful," Aug. 11, and Ed Asner takes the spotlight in "God Help Us," Aug. 20, at 7:30 p.m. NeverDark tickets start at \$25. 978-281-4433, gloucesterstage.com.

## AROUND THE CITY

### BEN BUTLER

Few people are aware of former Mass. governor-lawyer Benjamin Butler's remarkable contributions to Mass. history, so playwright Richard Strand penned an off-Broadway successful play, making its Boston-area premiere Aug. 2-25, at Gloucester Stage Company, 267 East Main St., Gloucester: Wednesday-Saturday, 7:30 p.m.; matinees, Saturday, Sunday, 2 p.m. \$15-\$48; discounts, preview performances, senior, military families, college students and under 18 years old.s978-281-4433.

### YOUNG COMPANY SUMMER FESTIVAL

The Young Company of Greater Boston Stage Company presents six fully staged, family-friendly performances by actors in grades 4-12, August 8-18: "Freckleface Strawberry the Musical," "Curtains," and "Singin' in the Rain"; and high school students performing "Lucky Stiff," "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," and "She Kills Monsters". \$15. More information, 781-279-2200; greaterbostonstage.org.

### AUGUST WILDLIFE SANCTUARY FUN

The family can explore art togeth-

er, painting plein air, at Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary, 87 Perkins Row, Topsfield, Tuesday, Aug. 6, 9:30-11:30 a.m., \$13/\$11. Advance registration required. Family Seashore Adventure-Beachcombers, is Wednesday, Aug. 7, 9:30-11 a.m., at Grace Oliver Beach, Marblehead \$11/\$10, member discount; 978-887-9264, massaudubon.org/ipswichriver.

### CABARET

Welcome! At Berlin's Kit Kat Klub, the girls are beautiful, the music, beautiful and life is beautiful - superficially - in Ogunquit Playhouse's star-studded production of multi-award winning musical, "Cabaret," through Aug. 10. Tuesday, Thursday-Saturday, 8 p.m.; Wednesday, Thursday, 2:30, 8 p.m.; Sunday, 2:30 p.m. Adult language, subject matter, \$51-up. ogunquitplayhouse.org, 207-646-5511.

### 17th CENTURY SATURDAYS

The House of the Seven Gables invites visitors to "Arts and Mysteries Revealed: Navigation Skills," exploring with our earliest traders found their way around the world, Aug. 3, 10a.m.-4 p.m., included in the museum admission price, 115 Derby St., Salem. 7gables.org.

### HEAR WORD!

The iOpenEye/American Repertory Theater/Ifeoma Fafunwa production

of "Hear Word! Najia Woman Talk True, is performed by 10 Nigerian superstars of film, theater, and TV six times Aug. 19-25 as part of the

You Are Here series. The phrase is Nigerian Pidgin meaning for listen and comply.



## Community Meeting

### Greenway Parcel 2 Park Design

# Parcel 2 Project Kick-off

Wednesday, August 14  
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Courtyard Boston Downtown/North Station  
107 Beverly Street  
Floor 4, Hanover Room  
Boston, MA 02114

#### Event Description

Please join the Boston Planning & Development Agency (BPDA) to kick-off the design process for a new Greenway Park at Parcel 2. The BPDA has partnered with the Massachusetts Department of Transportation and the Rose Kennedy Greenway Conservancy to design a park on the vacant site located between North Washington Street, Anthony "Rip" Valenti Way, and Beverly Street. Join us to learn more about the design process, share your ideas, and discover how you can participate in shaping the park design or tweet your ideas to the BPDA (@bostonplans) using the hashtag #GreenwayP2.

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# NEIGHBORHOOD ROUNDUP

## Summer activities at the Myrtle Street Playground

The Friends of the Myrtle Street Playground and Summer Horizons present summer programming on Thursday from 4 to 5 p.m. at the playground, including the Color Me Funky Face Painters on Aug. 1; Mr. Harry, Puppeteer (formerly on "Sesame Street") on Aug. 8; Enchanted Animals on Aug. 15; a fire truck visit on Aug. 22; BJ Hickman on Aug. 29; Rainforest Reptile on Sept. 5; and a Back to School Pizza Party on Sept. 12.

The Friends group also brings "Bubbles & Chalk" to the playground on Mondays from 4 to 5 p.m. and Fridays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

If you are interested in volunteering at a summer event, e-mail: myrtlestreetplayground@gmail.com.

## King's Chapel's Tuesday Recitals

King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St., presents its Tuesday Recitals. Admission is by suggested donation of \$5 per person; the donations are given to the performing musicians. Programs begin at 12:15 p.m. and last approximately 35 minutes; for more information, call 617-227-2155.

Programming includes the Olson/Decari Dupo, with Gioia de Cari (soprano) and John Olson (guitar) performing works by Bucchino, Harnick, Jobim and Leisner, on Aug. 6; Okestra Marhaba performing Summer Salutations on Aug. 13; guitarist Aaron Larget-Caplan performing works by Bach, Marquina, Mussorgsky and Tarrega on Aug. 20; and violinist Dosrisya Yosifova performing works by Bach and Telemann on Aug. 27.

## Panel discussion explores 'Women in Landscape Architecture'

The Nichols House Museum, located at 55 Mount Vernon St., presents a panel discussion called "Women in Landscape Architecture" on Wednesday, Aug. 21, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Admission is free with registration via Eventbrite at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/women-in-landscape-architecture-panel-discussion-tickets-65826513875?aff=ebdshp-searchautocomplete>.

## BSNJ Community Children's Chorus

The Boston Society of The New

Jerusalem (BSNJ) Community Children's Chorus is a comprehensive musical training program for children in the third through seventh grades.

Your child will be participating in a program that promotes: the love of music, expressive singing, teamwork-cooperative learning, building new friendships, self-assessment and the fun of being in an outstanding program.

The group meets at 140 Bowdoin St. on Saturday mornings. Tuition is free for any child with a Greater Boston-area address. All levels of singing ability are welcome. To register, contact Carlton Doctor at 617-523-4575 or visit [www.churchonthehillboston.org](http://www.churchonthehillboston.org) (click on "music.")

BSNJ/The Church On The Hill sponsors this initiative, but we are not promoting any religious ideology.

## MGH seeking volunteers

The Massachusetts General Hospital Volunteer Department is seeking volunteers to help families connect with loved ones after surgery. Candidates must have the ability to walk extensively, and to push a person in a wheelchair. Shifts are available weekdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and 2 to 6 p.m. Contact Kim Northrup at 617-724-1826 for more information.

## 'Coloring for Adults' at the West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, located at 151 Cambridge St., presents "Color Your World: Coloring for Adults" on Fridays from 2 to 4 p.m.

At this time, the library will supply coloring pages, colored pencils, markers and crayons, or bring your own supplies if you prefer. Feel free to drop in between these hours.

Call 617-523-3957 for more information.

## Spanish/English Language Exchange

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, located at 151 Cambridge St., presents the Spanish/English Language Exchange/Intercambio de Idiomas en Inglés y Español on Mondays from 3 to 5 p.m.

At this time, English speakers can practice Spanish and Spanish speakers can practice English in this fun, informal conversation class.

Call 617-523-3957 for more information.

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Your child will be participating in a program that promotes: the love of music, expressive singing, teamwork-cooperative learning, building new friendships, self-assessment and the fun of being in a well organized program.

The rehearsals take place at 140 Bowdoin St. on Tuesday afternoons. Tuition is free for any child with a Boston address. All levels of singing ability are welcome. To sign up, please contact Mr. Doctor at 617-523-4575 or visit [www.churchonthehillboston.org](http://www.churchonthehillboston.org) (click on "music").

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## 'Preschool Story Hour' at West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, 151 Cambridge St., offers the "Preschool Story Hour" on Tuesdays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Children, ages 3 to 5, and their caregivers join the children's librarian for weekly stories, songs, rhymes and movement. This is a high-energy story time, and families, daycare and school groups are all welcome to drop in.

## ESL conversation group resumes meeting at West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, located at 151 Cambridge St., welcomes the English as a Second Language (ESL) conversation group every Tuesday from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Come and practice your English language skills with other newcomers and a facilitator.

## West End Playgroup meets Tuesday mornings

The West End Community Center, located at 1 Congress St., welcomes the West End Playgroup on Tuesdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. through the fall and winter.

This is a free drop-in time to let kids play and adults chat with one another. Small toy donations are welcome.

## 'Toddler Time' at the West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the

Boston Public Library, 151 Cambridge St., presents "Toddler Time" on Wednesdays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

At this time, children ages 18 months to 3 years and their caregivers join the children's librarian for developmentally appropriate stories, rhymes, movement, and songs. Drop-in for families, and groups, should contact the library ahead of time at 617-523-3957.

## Get homework help at the West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, located at 151 Cambridge St., offers homework help every Thursday from 4 to 6 p.m.

Get help from a Boston Public Schools teacher. No appointment necessary; simply drop in with your homework.

Call 617-523-3957 for more information.

## Compassionate Friends group reaches out to bereaved parents, families

The Boston Chapter of The Compassionate Friends (TCF) meets at Trinity Church on the first Tuesday of each month from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

TCF is a national self-help, mutual-assistance organization offering friendship, understanding and hope to bereaved parents and their families. Call

617-539-6424 or e-mail [tcfofboston@gmail.com](mailto:tcfofboston@gmail.com) for more information.

## West End Food Pantry seeking donations

The West End Food Pantry needs help to continue serving its more than 120 clients per month. They welcome donations to replenish the supply of food that they give out to hungry residents in the neighborhood.

The pantry is located in the West End Branch of the Boston Public Library and is staffed by volunteers from ABCD's North End/West End Neighborhood Service Center. Non-perishable (canned and boxed) items are being sought, including rice, pasta, canned tuna, canned chicken, chili, beans, vegetables, cereal, soups, cup of noodles, etc.

Donations can be left at the library, 151 Cambridge St., on Monday through Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Thursday from noon to 8 p.m. and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## Volunteers needed for hot meal program

The North End/West End Neighborhood Service Center (NE/WE NSC), located at 1 Michelangelo St., serves a hot, fresh, home-cooked lunch to seniors in the neighborhood Mondays and Fridays, and is looking for two volunteers to help with shopping, food preparation, cooking, serving and clean-up.

The non-profit providing services and programs to low-income residents of the North End, West End and Beacon Hill is looking for volunteers who can assist with the whole meal from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on a Monday and/or Friday, but can make arrangements to fit your schedule.

Contact Maria Stella Gulla, director, at 617-523-8125, ext. 201, via e-mail at [maristella.gulla@bostonabcd.org](mailto:maristella.gulla@bostonabcd.org) for more information.

## Introduction to laptops, eReaders and iPads at the West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, 151 Cambridge St., offers an introduction to laptops, eReaders and iPads by appointment only. Get the most out of your eReader or Laptop. Receive tips and guidance during these one-on-one sessions. Call Branch Librarian, Helen Bender at 617-523-3957 or e-mail [hbender@bpl.org](mailto:hbender@bpl.org) to set up an appointment.

## Yoga for seniors at the West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, 151 Cambridge St., presents yoga for seniors every Tuesday from 2:45 to 3:30 p.m. Classes are led by Tatiana Nekrasova, a certified yoga instructor.

## Volunteer at Spaulding Rehab

Stay active, meet new people and be connected with your community by volunteering at Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital. Staff members will match your skills and interests to a volunteer opportunity. The hospital is currently recruiting volunteers, ages 18 and up, for two- to three-hour-a-week shifts for a minimum of six to 12 months commitment. Visit [www.spauldingnetwork.org](http://www.spauldingnetwork.org) for more information.

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## NEIGHBORHOOD ROUNDUP

### After-work tai chi group at the West End Branch Library

The West End Branch of the Boston Public Library, 151 Cambridge St., welcomes after-work tai chi group every Thursday from 5 to 6 p.m. Come and try this low impact energy exercise with yang-style tai chi instructor Arthur Soo-Hoo.

### Volunteers are needed for American Cancer Society cosmetic sessions

The American Cancer Society is currently seeking volunteers for the "Look Good...Feel Better" sessions held at Tufts Medical Center, 800 Washington St. "Look Good...Feel Better" is a free program that teaches cancer patients hands-on cosmetic techniques to help them cope with appearance-related side effects from chemotherapy and/or radiation treatments. Cosmetologists certified and trained by the American Cancer Society conduct the sessions, which are non-medical and do not promote any product line. Volunteers are needed to assist the cosmetologist conducting the session and are responsible for set-up, cleanup, and any other needs of the program. Programs are held from noon to

2 p.m., one Monday every other month. For more information or to volunteer, contact Nanyamka Hales at 781-314-2611 or via e-mail at Nanyamka.Hales@can-cer.org, or visit cancer.org.

### Be a friend to elderly in need

FriendshipWorks seeks caring people to offer help and support to isolated elders in the Boston area. Volunteers are needed to provide companionship and assist elders with tasks such as reading, organizing, or going for a walk - lend an hour each week and gain a friend and a new perspective. Volunteers also needed to escort elders to and from medical appointments. No car is needed and hours are flexible. For more information or to apply online, visit [www.fw4elders.org](http://www.fw4elders.org) or call 617-482-1510.

### Local residents needed to drive cancer patients to and from treatment

The American Cancer Society is in great need of Road to Recovery volunteers to drive local cancer patients to and from their chemotherapy and/or radiation treatments. An integral part of treating cancer successfully is making sure cancer patients receive their treatments, but many find mak-

ing transportation arrangements is a challenge. The American Cancer Society provided more than 19,000 rides to cancer patients in New England last year, but needs new volunteer drivers to keep up with the demand for transportation.

Make a difference in the fight against cancer by becoming a volunteer driver for the American Cancer Society's Road to Recovery. Drivers use their own vehicle to drive patients to and from their treatments. The schedule for volunteers is flexible, and treatment appointments take place weekdays, primarily during business hours. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a volunteer driver for Road to Recovery, contact your American Cancer Society at 800-227-2345 or visit [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

### Join the Downtown Boston Rotary Club

The Downtown Boston Rotary Club, the first new Rotary Club in Boston in 100 years, holds meetings at the UMass Club in the Financial District on the first and third Tuesdays of each month from 6 to 7:15 p.m.

For more information, visit [www.dbr Rotary.org](http://www.dbr Rotary.org) or call 617-535-1950.

## Summer cooling tips for seniors

If you recall, summer 2018 ended up being a scorcher! And it won't be long until the temperatures soar once again. During the hot months, Mystic Valley Elder Services recommends that it's a good idea to keep a close eye on the older adults in our lives. Elders are much more likely to develop heat-related illnesses than younger people because as we age our bodies don't adjust as well to drastic changes of temperature. Also, some medications that older adults are taking can affect the way their bodies regulate heat. Here are some tips and resources to help you beat the heat.

Slow down, and avoid strenuous activity. Don't try to do too much on a hot day.

Wear lightweight, loose-fitting, light-colored clothing. Light colors will reflect heat and sunlight and help maintain normal body temperature. Protect your face with a wide-brimmed hat.

Drink plenty of water regularly and often, even if you do not feel thirsty. Stay hydrated.

Limit your intake of alcoholic beverages, as they can actually dehydrate your body.

Eat well-balanced, light, regular meals. Avoid high protein foods that increase metabolic heat.

Cover windows that receive morning or afternoon sun with drapes, shades, awnings or louvers. Outdoor awnings or louvers can reduce the heat that enters a home by up to 80%.

Stay indoors as much as possible.

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Air-conditioning can provide a lot of relief in a summer like this one. On the most unbearably hot days when it's too hot for fans to be effective, air-conditioners can even help you stay safe. If you don't have air conditioning, stay on your lowest floor, out of the sun. Electric fans do not cool the air, but they do help evaporate perspiration, which cools your body.

Seek relief from the heat in air-conditioned schools, libraries, your local senior center, theaters and other community facilities that may offer refuge during the warmest times of the day.

The heat affects more than just people. Our pets can be in danger when the temperatures reach highs. Keep your animals safe and healthy in this heat. Do not leave them in a hot car or without water.

In extreme heat, it's important that we watch out for each other and stay informed about how to remain healthy when the thermometer climbs. Stay cool!

Located in Malden, Mass., Mystic Valley Elder Services is a non-profit agency that provides essential home- and community-based care and resources to elders, adults living with disabilities, and caregivers who reside in Chelsea, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, North Reading, Reading, Revere, Stoneham, Wakefield and Winthrop.. For more information, please call (781) 324-7705 or visit [www.mves.org](http://www.mves.org).

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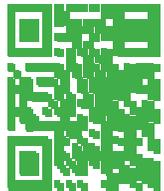


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## NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION PLAYERS KICK IT WITH BOSTON-AREA KIDS AT SANTANDER PUBLIC CLINIC

Santander Bank and the New England Revolution gave young soccer fans and their families an exciting opportunity to play alongside their favorite Revolution players during a local soccer clinic held at Boston Common. The free clinic featured New England Revolution defender Jalil Anibaba, goalkeeper Cody Cropper, goalkeeper Brad Knighton, forward Justin Rennicks, goalkeeper Matt Turner, and midfielder Wilfried Zahibo along with Revolution Academy coaches leading skills clinics with drills,

demonstrations and instructions for young soccer fans (ages 5 through 12) and their families.

Along with meeting their favorite Revolution stars, fans enjoyed photo and autograph opportunities, games and more. This marked the first time that the Bank expanded the event to include multiple cities; the clinic series will continue with the final stop in Hartford on August 15. To learn more and register visit <https://www.revolutionsoccer.net/2019-santander-public-clinic>.



New England Revolution midfielder Wilfried Zahibo joined local youth soccer players at the Santander Bank public clinic series stop in Boston.



At Santander Bank's public clinic hosted on Boston Common in partnership with the New England Revolution, local youth soccer players joined their favorite Revolution players on the field, including goalkeeper Matt Turner.



Young soccer players from around New England joined their favorite local soccer stars at Santander's public clinic series stop in Boston, which included scrimmages, photo and autograph opportunities, games and more.



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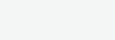
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