Cooling Down, Stocking Up: Soup Kitchen Updates

At 23 Dartmouth Street, the Live-In Community has been busy doing some serious fall cleaning and organizing to make space to store the donations we've been receiving to help our guests prepare for the changing seasons and dropping temperatures (see side panel for the most helpful items for our guests right now).
As delicious fall treats like winter squash and apples have become more available, our resident chefs are whipping up creative, seasonal fare, much to the delight of our guests (like Juan's apple crisp being displayed by Libby and Zach, above).

With the health and safety of our guests and Live-In Community in mind, we're finalizing plans for safe re-integration of volunteers into the kitchen rhythm -- we miss you! If you'd like to stay in the loop about this as our plans develop, email Grace.

Fall is Here: Celebrate at HHBC!

In honor of the fall harvest and Indigenous People's Day, our Bakery Cafe team has dreamed up some lovely ways to help you celebrate.

Our fan-favorite (vegan) pumpkin muns are

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We're also excited to be partnering with Urban Grape to feature two wines from Longevity Vineyard by winemaker Phil Long, a board member of the Association of African American Vintners.

Place your order for take-out, delivery, or outdoor patio dining here.

**Donations**

**PRIORITY (COVID-related):**
- Hand sanitizer
- Disinfecting wipes
- Masks
- Disposable gloves

**General:**
Gently used/new men's seasonally appropriate clothing (our storage is limited!) and personal hygiene products:
- Thermarest sleeping pads
- Sleeping bags
- Winter coats
- Gloves, hats, etc.
- NEW men's underwear (M-XL)
- NEW men's socks
- Travel-sized toiletries (moisturizer, disposable razors, toothpaste)

These items can be dropped off at 23 Dartmouth Street at any time. Click here for more info on in-kind donations.

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**Farm Update**

As we enter October and night falls earlier and lasts longer, plant growth has slowed way back on some of the signature flavors of the season this Friday, October 9 from 3-6 pm on the outdoor patio. In addition to apple cider Mandazis (Nigerian fried doughnut), we'll have a few other bites inspired by Indigenous growing practices highlighting the three sisters (beans, corn, and squash) like squash apple Pakoras (above).

10/24: Artists for Humanity Film Projection at HHBC (details TBA here)

10/29: Men of Boston Cook for Women's Health Virtual Fundraiser, 6pm (info)

10/7 - 12/2: Reimagining Community Safety: A Program in Criminal Justice Speaker Series, 4:30pm (info)

For regular updates of online happenings, visit The Boston Calendar

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All of our summer crops - tomatoes, eggplants, peppers - still stand tall but fruit is ripening much slower than in this summer’s hot and long days. We still wait for rain and can feel how dry and thirsty the earth is. Flowers and greens continue to light up the farm with their rich colors and shapes. We are busy preparing the land for fall - planting cover crops to keep the soil healthy and strong during winter, mulching with straw, and saving all the seeds we can.

We wrapped up our produce distribution for Highland Park seniors last week and the program was a huge success! Stay tuned for the final tally of our numbers but at a glance we served about 50 seniors each week since June and the response we were overwhelmed with positive feedback of gratitude!

As we head into the fall and winter months, we are always hungry for your feedback, thoughts and suggestions - please reach out to farm@haleyhouse.org anytime!

News & Resources
- Share your vision for a racism-free Boston with the Boston Public Health Commission [here](#) (closes 10/7)
- Check out [this article](#) featuring Mark from Haley House Bakery Cafe, who recently graduated from NECAT
- Read [this feature](#) on DJ WhySham’s album ‘Finally’ in Vanyaland
- Shoutout to Haley House TEP alum Frank Coleman for the amazing [work](#) he is doing at the Lena Park Community Center in Mattapan
- Find resources and a story on Black and Hispanic Americans' mental health in the time of COVID [here](#)

Volunteer Update
If you'd like to be the first to hear when we relaunch our volunteer program, make sure you've filled out our [volunteer application](#) and [fill out this form](#) to join our list of first-responders!

You can also sign up to volunteer with the City of Boston [here](#).

Community Job Board
Creative Entrepreneur Fellowship // Art & Business Council Greater Boston
Parking with Purpose
Haley House has a prime South End parking spot for rent behind 418 Massachusetts Ave. ($275/ month; 24/7 access). Contact us with interest.

Walter Feldman Fellowship for Emerging Artists // Art and Business Council of Greater Boston (info)

Strategic Communications Director // Mayor’s Office of Food Access (info)

Director of Finance and Administration // Fresh Truck (info)

Multiple Positions // Daily Table (info)

Multiple Positions // Partners in Health (info)

Multiple Positions // Community Servings (info)

Multiple Positions // Pine Street Inn (info)

Multiple Positions // Newmarket Business Association (info)

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