June at Haley House

June Events at Haley House
Bakery Café!

The Bakery Café team has been busy preparing for some exciting events this June!

**Sunday, June 13th: The Garden Gathering**
We hope you'll join us for [The Garden Gathering](#), a beer garden event by Social Butterflies with beer from 67 Degrees and food from Haley House Bakery Café.

Helpful Resources

Haley House Bakery Cafe Hours

Thursday - Saturday, 11am - 4pm

[Cafe Menu & Ordering HERE](#)
June 13th - June 19th: Roxbury Restaurant Week

We are also thrilled to announce the first annual Roxbury Restaurant Week, happening the week of June 13th (according to each participating restaurant's usual hours). During Restaurant Week, Haley House Bakery Café will be open from 12-4pm for the Garden Gathering on the 13th, then from 11am-4pm, Thursday, 6/17-Saturday, 6/19. Come celebrate the rich culinary expressions found in Boston's arts & culture hub as you explore over 8 of the neighborhood's favorite eateries. Check each individual restaurant's website for more details. The week will conclude with an online raffle benefiting Ujima's Worker Care Fund.

June 26th: Unapologetic Benefit Concert (21+)

Come out to Haley House Bakery Café to celebrate Pride Month at the Unapologetic Benefit Concert with Kweeng Doll. Kweeng Doll is an upcoming androgynous performer taking the rap scene by storm. Buy up to 2 weeks in advance 617-445-0900

Soup Kitchen Hours

Coffee + Breakfast: Sun.-Fri. 6:15-9:30am
Lunch: Sun. & Fri. 11am-12:30pm
Food Pantry: Thurs. 10-11am
Clothing Room: Tues. 9:30-11am

*All are welcome*

This Weekend:

The Roxbury Poetry Festival is happening this Friday, June 5th! We are so excited to be a part of this event, the grand finale of the amazing HOME Poetry Series with Porsha Olayiwola. While many of the events at the poetry festival are virtual, there will be two live, outdoor events in the Blair Lot in Roxbury! From 5-7pm join for the Publisher's Poetry Slam, hosted by

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**Community Calendar**

**6/2:** Let Justice Roll Down: Charlie King & Lindsey Wilson in Concert ([info and tickets](#))

**6/3:** Young Writers Check the Mic Practice Session with JR Mahung ([info and registration](#))

**6/3:** Active Allyship: How to Show Up for Your Trans Colleagues and Friends ([info](#))

**6/5, 6/12, 6/19, 6/26:** Union Square Farmers Market ([info](#))

**6/7:** Community Engagement Workshop for Teens ([info and registration](#))

**6/10:** Teen Book Discussion: The Poet X by Elizabeth Acevedo ([info](#))

**6/10:** Pride Night at Fenway Park ([info](#))

**6/12:** Savor the Square: Roxbury Open Air Event ([info](#))

**6/17-6/26:** Roxbury International Film Festival ([info and tickets](#))

**6/18:** Nubian Nights: One Night in Boston ([info](#))

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to welcome two summer residents to the community, Zoe and Emily! Many of us have remarked that things at the soup kitchen are beginning to feel like "the old Haley House" again. Outdoor dining has allowed guests space to enjoy meals together again, to linger and socialize, and even to pick up a book or two from our free library!

Mark’s Featured Menu
We are so grateful to Haley House Bakery Café team member Mark Roble for bringing two delicious new featured dishes to the menu for the month of June! Stop by this month to try Mark's Potato Babka Breakfast Sandwich and Paczki.

Potato Babka is a savory Polish classic made from grated potatoes, eggs, onions, and pieces of smoked, boiled or fried bacon and sausage, and Paczki is a baked, sugar dusted pastry filled with fill with seedless blackberry jam (pictured in the header). The Paczki will be featured during Roxbury Restaurant Week, along with our famous Firecracker Bowl! Order the new dishes here starting Thursday!

News and Resources
Read more about the history of Juneteenth from this list of anti-racism resources

Check out this guide to racial disparities and addiction treatment

Volunteer at the brand new Roxbury community fridge

Volunteer Update
We are excited to be expanding our volunteer opportunities this summer! If you’re on our volunteer newsletter list, keep an eye out for announcements soon, and if you have never volunteered before, fill out our volunteer application
Each day in the spring the farm seems to transform overnight! Hot temps and long daylight hours spark fast plant growth and we were already busy harvesting early greens and herbs this month. Young farmers from the Nathan Hale School have helped to plant hundreds of spring and summer crops and almost every square inch of the farm is planted for the season. We’ve set up new irrigation, tended to perennial crops, cleaned up our compost area and more! YouthBuild Boston continues to build our brand new wash and pack station just in time for the major harvests to come! Please feel free to stop by the farm anytime to enjoy spring’s beauty.

As always, we welcome your feedback and suggestions (contact farm@haleyhouse.org).

Growing Garden Brings Communities Together

Dedicated Haley House volunteers have been working hard to spruce up the McKinley Garden. Under the leadership of Jay Vilar the

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Donations

We are updating our In-Kind Giving program! Visit our website for a list of useful donations and to explore our new ordering system!

**PRIORITY (COVID-related and other):**
- Men's M & L underwear (boxer briefs or boxers preferred)
- Women's underwear (sizes 6-10)
- Socks
- Shaving cream and razors

*Items can be dropped in the entryway at 23 Dartmouth Street.*

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Community Job Board

Member Engagement Coordinator // **WGBH**

Line Cook // [Haley House Bakery Cafe](#)

Catering Sales Manager // [Haley House Bakery Cafe](#)

Beekeeper // [Best Bees](#)

Community Partnerships Program Coordinator // [Boston Medical Center](#)

Multiple Positions // [Daily Table](#)
Garden Educator, they have been working with students from the McKinley School to learn valuable growing skills. For the past few weeks, the students have been learning how to top off garden beds with fresh soil, direct seed, and plant seedlings. One student that direct seeded radishes recently walked past the garden bed and said, "How are my babies doing?"

The McKinley Garden has been the unifying space between the students & teachers at McKinley School, the local neighborhood association, the Haley House community. If you’d like to come help out, make sure you are signed up for our volunteer newsletter to be in the loop about volunteer opportunities!

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**Postcard Corner**

Last December, we included postcards with our print newsletter and asked you to personalize them and send them back our way. We are excited to continue sharing these postcards in upcoming newsletters and hope you enjoy seeing them as much as we have.

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**We Are Hiring!**

Line Cook and Catering Sales Manager at Haley House Bakery Café

Click this image for more details and to apply!