

CALENDAR of EVENTS

NOV. 1

EMPTY BOWLS

Harvard Allston Education Portal Annex
175 North Harvard St., Allston,
5:30 – 8:00 p.m.

A charity event to help fight hunger in our community. All proceeds to benefit the Allston-Brighton Food Pantry and the Harvard Square Homeless Shelter. For a modest donation, guests receive a handcrafted bowl from the Harvard Ceramics Program and a simple meal of soup, bread, salad, and dessert. Each attendee leaves with an empty bowl as a reminder of all the empty bowls in the world. For more information please call 617-495-4955.

NOV. 15

ASKWITH FORUM
“DOUG LEMOV: TEACH LIKE A CHAMPION”

Harvard Graduate School of Education, Longfellow Hall
13 Appian Way, Cambridge,
5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Based on his study of high-performing teachers in high-poverty schools, Lemov will reflect on what makes for effective teaching, how teaching can and should be the centerpiece of school reform, how teaching skills can be effectively developed, and the policy implications of such topics. Call 617-384-9968 for more information.

NOV. 7

ANTS: TO KNOW THEM IS TO LOVE THEM

Arnold Arboretum, Hunnewell Building
125 Arborway, Boston,
6:30 p.m.

Ants...we love to hate them, but what do we really know about them? Aaron Ellison and Elizabeth Farnsworth will speak about the more than 130 species of ants found in New England, the social structure of their colonies, and the roles these species perform in many ecosystems: as farmers, predators, decomposers, and more. Free but registration is requested. Call 617-384-5277 for more information.

NOV. 24

COMMUNITY DAY:
WOMEN’S HOCKEY VS. CORNELL

Bright Hockey Center
65 N. Harvard St., Allston,
4:00 p.m.

Allston-Brighton and Cambridge residents receive free admission to the game. Tickets can be picked up on game day or beforehand at the Harvard Athletics Box Office, located in Harvard’s Murr Center at 65 North Harvard Street in Allston. Please provide proof of residency at the Box Office when you pick up your tickets. For more information, please visit www.gocrimson.com.

NOV. 11

BOSTON CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY CONCERT

Sanders Theatre
1785 Cambridge St., Cambridge,
7:30 p.m.

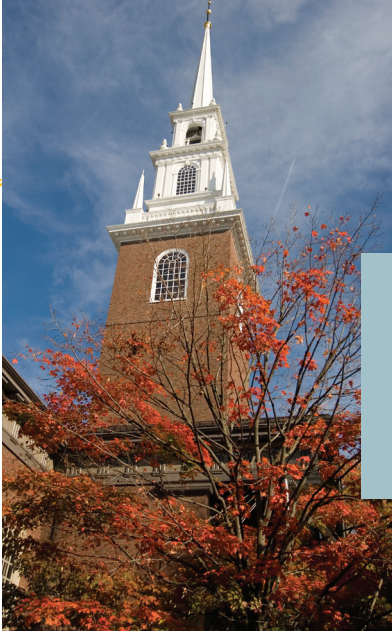
A program of Haydn, Mozart and Beethoven. Featured musicians: Ida Levin, violin; Yura Lee, violin; Roger Tapping, viola; Marcus Thompson, viola; Ronald Thomas, cello; Thomas Van Dyck, bass; David Deveau, piano. Ticket prices: Full price: \$56, \$45, \$34, \$23; Seniors, WGBH & MTA members \$4 off. For additional information, call the Harvard Box Office at 617-496-2222.

DEC. 6

SPECIAL VIEWING EVENT:
“WINTER SKY WONDERS”

Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics
60 Garden Street, Cambridge,
7:00 p.m.

The winter sky blazes with dazzling deep-sky gems. At night, Earth looks outward across our galaxy and into the void beyond. Rich star clusters sparkle with hundreds of distant suns. Star-forming nebulae fill your telescope eyepiece with a ghostly greenish glow. Grand spiral galaxies wheel across your vision. Experience it all at the Winter Sky Wonders star party. Call 617-495-7461 for more information.



HARVARD in the COMMUNITY

CONNECTIONS ALLSTON

Fall 2012

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALLSTON-BRIGHTON RESIDENTS AT THE HARVARD EXTENSION SCHOOL

Every year, Harvard provides scholarships for a range of educational, athletic, and enrichment programs to Allston-Brighton residents of all ages. This fall, scholarships were awarded to 13 Allston-Brighton children and youth for the Harvard University Swim School for swimming and diving lessons; to 10 Allston-Brighton residents for the

Allston-Brighton Community Scholars program; to nine Allston-Brighton residents for the Harvard Extension School’s Institute for English Language program; and to three City of Boston employees for the Brian J. Honan Scholarship program for classes at the Harvard Extension School.

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TOUR THE ARNOLD ARBORETUM AND SAVE THE DATE FOR DIRECTOR'S LECTURE SERIES 2013

The Arnold Arboretum is free and open to the public every day of the year and fall is the perfect season to visit. The 265-acre Arboretum features a variety of children's education programs, adult education classes, and visitor education programs. Many programs are free, including guided walking tours led by the Arboretum's knowledgeable docents. Held every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday through November 28, tours highlight Arboretum history and topics of seasonal interest, and last approximately 60 – 90 minutes.

Dates have also been announced for the Director's Lecture Series 2013. Ned Friedman, director of the Arnold Arboretum and professor of organismic and evolutionary biology at Harvard University, will kick off the series with "Plants, the First Three Billion Years: A Reflection on the Nature of Evolutionary History" on January 14, 2013.

For additional information, events calendar, program registration and directions, please visit www.arboretum.harvard.edu.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES (CONTINUED)

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Information will be available in November for the spring semester scholarship offerings. The Allston-Brighton Community Scholars Program awards up to 10 Allston-Brighton residents full tuition remission on any one course at the Harvard Extension School. Scholarships are awarded through the Allston Civic Association to Allston-Brighton residents through an application process each semester.

Each fall, spring, and summer semester, Harvard University provides up to 15 scholarships to Allston-Brighton residents for one course at the Harvard Extension School's Institute for English Language Programs. Each scholarship covers the cost of full tuition for one course. Recipients are responsible for payment of books, supplies, registration fees and transportation/parking.

For more information, visit the Harvard Allston Education Portal's website, www.edportal.harvard.edu, or email allston_edportal@harvard.edu.

HARVARD ATHLETICS HOSTS COMMUNITY DAYS FOR HARVARD WINTER SPORTS GAMES

Mark your calendars and join us for this fall and winter's community games at Harvard! Residents of Allston-Brighton and Cambridge receive free admittance into the following games:

- **Men's Hockey** vs. Bentley
Saturday, October 27, at 7 p.m.;
- **Women's Hockey** vs. Cornell
Saturday, November 24, at 4 p.m.;
- **Men's Basketball** vs. Holy Cross
Saturday, December 22, at 2 p.m.;
- **Women's Basketball** vs. Dartmouth
Saturday, January 12, time TBD;
- **Women's Hockey** vs. Yale
Friday, February 8, at 7 p.m.;
- **Women's Basketball** vs. Yale
Saturday, February 23, at 6 p.m.



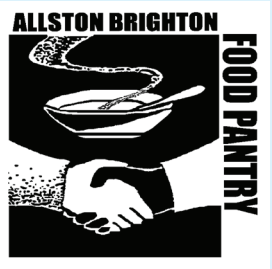
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HARVARD CERAMICS PROGRAM AND THE ALLSTON-BRIGHTON FOOD PANTRY TEAM TOGETHER ON NOVEMBER 1ST FOR EMPTY BOWLS EVENT

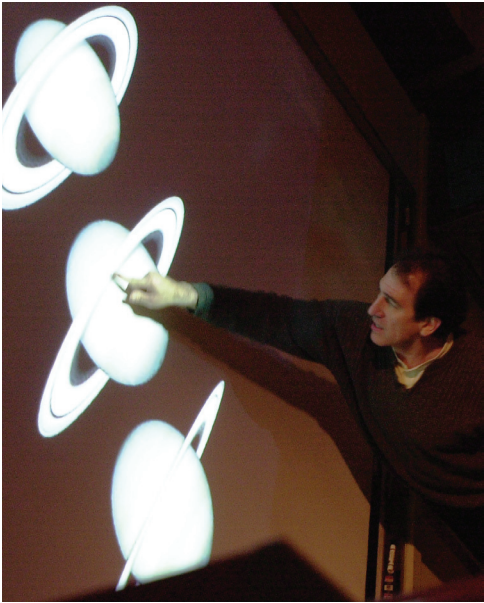
On Thursday, November 1, the Harvard Ceramics Program will host Empty Bowls, a charity event to support the Harvard Square Homeless Shelter and the Allston-Brighton Food Pantry. Inspired by the international grassroots effort to fight hunger, Shawn Panepinto, director of the Harvard Ceramics Program, is bringing Empty Bowls to Harvard. The ticket price includes a simple meal of soup, bread, salad, and dessert, and a handcrafted bowl, created specifically for this event by potters, craftspeople and educators as a reminder of all the empty bowls in the world. All proceeds will be donated to the Allston-Brighton Food Pantry and the Harvard Square Homeless Shelter.

The Allston-Brighton Food Pantry was founded in 1974 by Evelyn Ware, a member of the Brighton Allston Congregational Church. She used her own money and cooked meals in her own kitchen and brought them to the church. The pantry now serves 50 - 75 meals at the weekly community supper and distributes approximately 150 food baskets each month to income-eligible residents of Allston-Brighton. In November, they expect to distribute 400 holiday baskets. The Allston-Brighton Food Pantry is run almost entirely by volunteers and more than 5,720 volunteer hours make the food pantry and community supper a success.



Empty Bowls will take place from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. at the Harvard Allston Education Portal, 175 North Harvard Street, and will feature live music. For information on the Empty Bowls Event: <http://www.ofa.fas.harvard.edu/ceramics/emptybowls.php>

Ticket prices: Full price: \$20; Harvard student ID: \$10; children (18 & under): \$10; door sales (cash only): \$25 (if available).



FREE "OBSERVATORY NIGHTS" AT HARVARD-SMITHSONIAN CENTER FOR ASTROPHYSICS

Join the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics for free monthly "Observatory Nights." On the third Thursday of the month, the Center for Astrophysics, located at 60 Garden Street in Cambridge, opens its doors for lectures and telescopic observing from the observatory roof. Thursday, November 15, will feature "Strange Planetary Vistas from Kepler." NASA's Kepler mission has found that planetary systems are very common in our galaxy. Josh Carter will present these most alien of alien worlds, including planets orbiting

two suns and a planetary system with two very different planets very close to one another.

Lectures are intended for high-school age and older audiences but children are welcome. Seating is limited and available on a first-come basis. Doors open at 7 p.m.; programs begin at 7:30 p.m. Free parking is available.

To learn more, please visit <http://www.cfa.harvard.edu/>.