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Happy Birthday Boston Children's Museum



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Last week, more than 7,000 visitors attended the Boston Children's Museum ***Free Fun Friday!*** Children were treated to special surprises and activities to celebrate the museum's 100th birthday!

Since 1913, the ***Boston Children's Museum*** has been leading the way in education, innovation and access. We are honored to partner with the museum and applaud its

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commitment to enriching the lives of children and families
in our community.

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Corps Accomplishments

As we bid farewell to the 2012-13 [Highland Street Corps Ambassadors of Mentoring](#), we thank them for their commitment to service and recognize their tremendous accomplishments. Collectively, the Ambassadors:

- Served more than **40,300 hours** to expand high quality youth mentoring in **22 organizations**
- Recruited, screened and matched **230 adult mentors**
- Generated more than **2,140 inquiries** from prospective mentors
- Strengthened the movement to expand quality mentoring for youth across Massachusetts!



2012-13 Ambassadors of Mentoring

*"Not everybody can be famous but everybody can be great,
because greatness is determined by service."*

- Martin Luther King Jr.

New Wellness Center Opens at Hale Reservation

Highland Street Foundation is proud to partner with [Hale Reservation](#), which serves more than 4,400 children from 70 communities in Greater Boston through its summer day camp. Hale



campers enjoy swimming, boating, hiking and many other outdoor adventures offered in the 1,130 acres of unspoiled woodlands.

Thanks to the vision of the Hale team, campers will now participate in enhanced health and wellness programs through the creation of the *JoAnn McGrath Wellness Center*, which Highland Street is honored to support.

Summer Programs

It has been another busy summer on the Boston Common with the [TADpole Ten Summer Series](#) and across Massachusetts with [Free Fun Fridays](#)! We're delighted that so many families, camps, and community organizations have engaged in our programs!



There is still time to participate! If you would like to learn more about Free Fun Fridays or the TADpole Ten Summer Series, please click [here](#).

[About Highland Street Foundation](#)

The Highland Street Foundation is committed to addressing the needs and concerns of children and families in Massachusetts and California. We direct our efforts to provide access and opportunities in the area of education, housing, mentorship, health care, environment and the arts. For more information, please visit www.highlandstreet.org.