



Charlestown Coalition Steering Committee Meeting

Meeting Agenda-May 27th

- Introductions and Community Updates (10 mins)
 - Name, Organization, Role, and Program Updates
- Bridge of Joy- Jules Pieri (20 mins)
- Coalition updates (10 Mins):
 - MGB Updates- Bridgespan meeting scheduled for **Monday, June 16th at noon at the MGH Health Center**
 - Please help us spread the word. We need a good turnout and for everyone to express their feedback and concerns.
 - As of July 1st, we will no longer use Zoom for meetings. Instead, we will transition to Microsoft Teams.
 - Peace Park
 - Site visit with Speak for the Trees
 - Construction to start early summer
 - Trauma Team-
 - Responded to the loss of a youth in the community. Thank you to all those who supported the family last week.
 - Transitioning to have the trauma team collaborate with the MGB health center to continue the effort.
 - Coordination among providers
 - Turn It Around- Will continue to meet until mid-June, then the program will break for the summer
 - TIA Graduation schedule for June 5th, but there is a possibility we may need to delay by a week.
 - Ecard will be shared with Coalition members to wish the graduates well
 - Last day of programming is June 12th
 - Alternatives to Violence Breakfast (Phenice)
 - Alternatives to Violence Breakfast meets monthly to convene and bridge collaborations among youth-serving organizations throughout the city. The next meeting is June 6th at 9:30 AM at the BCYF Shelburne.
 - The Peace Institute is still taking donations until Father's Day. Please help me, my team, and the Peace Institute reach our goal. Thanks for considering!
 - <https://www.mothersdaywalk4peace.org/Member/MyPage/7940842/Phenice-Zawatsky>
 - Race Dialogue
 - **5th Anniversary of the Race Dialogue Conversation scheduled for June 24th at 5:30 PM**
 - Newsletters (Phenice)
 - The Coalition Newsletter will go out this week
 - Events
 - **Village Vibe May 28th in Charlestown**
 - For more information, contact Daniel Hudson at daniel.hudson@boston.gov
 - **Art Healing Event with Councilor Mejia's office on July 8th**



- May is Mental Health Awareness Month
 - BX Health Committee- Mel created a flyer last year and updated it recently. Members of the committee agreed to share the flyers in the community.
- Steering Committee Meeting Locations/Volunteers Needed
 - March (Youth Prevention Provider)- Boys and Girls Club
 - April- (Mental Health Group)-Kennedy Center
 - May- (Trauma and Violence)-MGB Charlestown Health Center
 - June (substance use disorder)
 - August (Access to Resources)-Kennedy Center
- Need Assessment Priorities, Charlestown/Boston
 - **Behavioral Health- Substance Use and Mental Health** (New Health Charlestown, Charlestown MGH, 76 Monument St. Clinic, FSC, AA Meetings, Kennedy Center, Charlestown Recovery Court, Charlestown Recovery House, Charlestown Schools, IHP, Home Base, AA)
 - **Trauma and Violence/Safety** (Trauma Response Team, Boston Trauma Teams, BPD, Fire Department, MGH Charlestown, New Health Charlestown, Home Base)
 - **Youth Prevention** (TIA, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, BCYF, YMCA, Courageous Sailors, Kennedy Center, Charlestown High School, Road to Success, Charlestown Adult Education Center)
 - **Housing** (Boston Housing Authority, Newtown, Mishawum, Charlestown Resident Alliance)
 - **Economic and Financial Stability** (Charlestown Adult Education, YMCA)
 - **Food Insecurity** (Harvest on Vine, Charlestown Adult Education, Kennedy Center, New Health Charlestown)
 - **Access to services** (Childcare-Kennedy Center, Healthcare- New Health Charlestown, MGB Charlestown, MGH mobile vans, social services- Faith base organizations, Kennedy Center)
 - **Policy-** (Charlestown Coalition, Charlestown Court House, National Alliance for Mental Health, MOAR, City Officials, Boston Public Health Commission).
- Next Steering Meeting
 - BridgeSpan Meeting on June 16th at noon. The meeting will be held in the MGB Charlestown Health Center in the Carolan conference room on the 2nd floor.



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*Wednesday
May 28
3:00-6:30pm
Edwards Playground*



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**Help us understand
and help others.**

Have you responded to or
witnessed an overdose?

Let us know,
anonymously.



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CHARLESTOWN PRIDE WEEK

8	TOUCH A TRUCK - Schrafft's Parking Lot - Charlestown Mothers Association HERO SQUARE ROLL CALL - Abraham Lincoln Post (Green Street) Bunker Hill Associates, Conway American Legion Post, & Abraham Lincoln Post FLAG RAISING - Bunker Hill Monument - Associates & National Park Service
9	CHARLESTOWN MARCH AGAINST DRUGS 6 PM Location: March from Area - 15 to the Charlestown High Field/Community Center In memory of Michael Charbonnet and Billy Boyle (Activities + light snacks) Sponsored by the Bunker Hill Associates
10	PETER LOONEY NIGHT 6 PM Location: Peter Looney Park, Union Street Sponsored by District 1 City Councilor Coletta Di Charlestown, Pizzeria
11	MAYOR WU'S AGE STRONG LUNCHEON 12 PM @ K of C 545 Medford Street Sponsored by Mayor Wu + Bunker Hill Associates - Lunch, DJ, Bingo BUNKER HILL ASSOCIATES FAMILY FEUD 6:30 PM Trunked Event K of C 545 Medford Street Sponsored by the Bunker Hill Associates
12	EDEN STREET PARK NIGHT - CHARLESTOWN'S GOT TALENT 6 PM Sponsored by Mayor Wu & the Bunker Hill Associates Talent Show, DJ, Band, Ice Cream, and Pizza Truck
13	CHIEF MARSHALL BANQUET 6 PM Knights of Columbus 545 Medford Street
14	EDNA KELLY'S DOLL CARRIAGE PARADE 10 AM Training Field, Winthrop Street Sponsored by the Bunker Hill Associates & David M. Whelan Scholarship FLAG BURNING 11 AM Training Field - Sponsored by Conway American Legion Post CHARLESTOWN CALLING BLOCK PARTY - BUNKER HILL DAY MARKET 12 PM Location: Bunker Hill Monument - Training Field, Winthrop Street Sponsored by Mayor Wu, Bunker Hill Associates, & All Roads Charlestown