

## Allston-Brighton Summer Resources 2014

### **Employment Support Services**

Allston-Brighton Resource Center 367 Western Avenue, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: Steve Vanaira 617-562-5734, [svanaira@detma.org](mailto:svanaira@detma.org)

- M, T, W, Th 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
- Morning Job/Networking Club: By schedule

### **English Classes and Conversation Groups**

Brighton Branch Library 40 Academy Hill Road, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: Uma Murthy 617-782-6032, [umurthy@bpl.org](mailto:umurthy@bpl.org)

- Mondays 6 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.
- Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. - 12 noon

Charlesview Residences 123 Antwerp Street, Brighton, MA 02135

Josephine A. Fiorentino Community Center

Contact: Ginny LaCrow 617-699-2883

Honan-Allston Branch Library 300 N. Harvard Street, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: Denice Thornhill 617-787-6313, [dthornhill@bpl.org](mailto:dthornhill@bpl.org)

- Tuesdays: 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. 4 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
- Wednesdays: 12 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
- Fridays: 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Watertown Public Library Project Literacy 123 Main Street, Watertown, MA 02472

Contact: 617-924-8797, [www.watertownlib.org](http://www.watertownlib.org)

- Tuesdays 7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
- June 3-August 26
- Location: First Parish Church in Watertown, 54 Church Street

### **Immigration**

Brazilian Immigrant Center 14 Harvard Street 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: 617-783-8001, [www.braziliancenter.org](http://www.braziliancenter.org)

Brazilian Women's Group, 697 Cambridge Street Suite, 106, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: 617-202-5775, [mulherbrasileira@verdeamarelo.org](mailto:mulherbrasileira@verdeamarelo.org), <http://www.verdeamarelo.org/>

### **Summer Camps for Children and Youth**

Allston-Brighton APAC Explorer Summer Camp 10 Fidelis Way, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: Paula Torrone Maxwell 617-783-1485, [info@allstonbrightonapac.org](mailto:info@allstonbrightonapac.org)

- Ages 6 – 12
- July- August, M-F, 8:45 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
- \$300 for 8 weeks, fee based on family income; must be A-B resident; breakfast, lunch served

BCYF Jackson Mann Community Center Summer Program 500 Cambridge Street, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: 617-635-5153

- Ages 2.9-5 and 5-12
- June 30- August 29, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

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- Cost: 2.9-5, \$200 per week, 5-12, \$164 per week

### Mass Motion Dance- Summer Dance Camp in Brighton 02135

Contact: 617-562-0550, [www.massmotiondance.com](http://www.massmotiondance.com)

- July 7-August 15
- Kid's Camp: ages 6-11, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., \$250/week, \$450 for 2 weeks
- Mini Kid's Camp: ages 3-6, 9 a.m. -12 p.m., \$125 per week; extended day available
- Teen Intensive: ages 12-18, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., August 18-22, \$325

### Oak Square YMCA, 615 Washington Street, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: Tom Myers 617-787-8665, [tmyers@ymcaboston.org](mailto:tmyers@ymcaboston.org)

- Scouts (ages 3-6) M-F, Voyagers (ages 7-12), Sports Mania (ages 7-12), Leaders in Training (ages 13-14)
- June 30-August 22; 1-week sessions, M-F, 9a.m. - 5p.m.
- Financial Assistance: Eligibility based on income level, family size, & available funds; vouchers are accepted and there are available EEC slots for K2 – age 12

### St. Columbkille Partnership School Summer Program Boston College, Chestnut Hill 02467

Contact: Jean O'Connor 617-943-5333, [www.stcps.org](http://www.stcps.org)

- Ages 3-13
- June 23- August 8: 1-week sessions
- 8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
- Cost: \$230/week + \$75 registration fee; discounts for St. Columbkille students, OCCS vouchers; scholarships

### Tenacity Summer Tennis and Reading Program

Contact: 617-562-0900 x 27, [http://www.tenacity.org/Summer\\_Boston.php](http://www.tenacity.org/Summer_Boston.php)

- Ages 6-10, 9 a.m.- 12 p.m.
- Ages 11-16, 1 p.m.- 4 p.m.
- July 7 - August 15, M-F
- Free
- Sites at Ringer Playground in Allston, Cassidy Playground in Brighton and Rogers Park in Brighton

### West End House (Boys and Girls Club) 105 Allston Street, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: Jenny Nute 717-787-4044 x 24, [www.westendhouse.org](http://www.westendhouse.org)

- Ages 7-18
- Late June- late August
- Open 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., evening programs Wed-Fri for ages 13-18
- Cost: sliding scale; scholarships available for members; membership= \$15, free for teens

### **Child Care**

Allston-Brighton APAC 143 Harvard Avenue, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: 617-783-1485, [info@allstonbrightonapac.org](mailto:info@allstonbrightonapac.org)

- Fidelis Way Child Care Center, 10 Fidelis Way, Brighton, MA 02135
- Rivendell Child Care Center, 41 Quint Avenue, Allston, MA 02134

## Allston-Brighton Summer Resources 2014

BCYF Jackson/Mann Community Center Summer Preschool Program 500 Cambridge Street, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: Rosie Hanlon 617-635-5153, [jacksonmannCC@boston.gov](mailto:jacksonmannCC@boston.gov)

- Ages 2.9-5
- July 1- August 30, 8 a.m.- 6 p.m.
- \$200/ week, vouchers accepted

Little Sprouts Child Care The Presentation School 640 Washington Street, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: 877-977-7688, [www.littlesprouts.com/brighton/home](http://www.littlesprouts.com/brighton/home)

- M-F, 6:30 a.m.– 6:00 p.m.

### Activities for Children and Youth

Playgroups in the Park with the Allston Brighton Family Network 640 Washington Street, Suite #104, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: Elayne Baskin 617-208-8611, [info@familynurturing.org](mailto:info@familynurturing.org)

Español- Sylvia Trouño 617-474-1143 x 252

- Families with young children
- July 7-August 28
- Call for parks and times for specific days

BCYF Jackson/Mann Community Center 500 Cambridge Street, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: 617-635-5153, [JacksonMannCC@cityofboston.gov](mailto:JacksonMannCC@cityofboston.gov)

- *Bitty Ball*- Drop-in basketball skills for boys and girls
  - Ages 5-10
  - July 5 – August 23, Saturdays 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
  - Requires membership
- *Baseball Clinic*- Baseball skills for boys and girls
  - Ages 6-13
  - May 15 – August 22, Thu-Fri 3 p.m. -6 p.m.
  - \$15/season
- *Intro to Kids Karate*
  - Ages 6-13
  - July 1- August 27, Mon & Wed 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.
  - Cost: \$60 per month for 8 lessons
- *Open gym*
  - Ages 14+
  - Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
  - Requires Membership
- *Jackson Mann Teen Center at Faneuil*- Drop-in program- variety of activities: sports, arts, field trips
  - Ages 14-18
  - July 1- August 30, M-F 12 p.m. - 9 p.m.,
  - Requires Membership

Boston Neighborhood Basketball League (BNBL) Rogers Park in Brighton, Smith Field in Allston

Contact: BCYF Recreation 617-635-5206 x 103

- Ages 11-18
- July 7-August 22; games played M-F, 5-10 pm

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- Teams compete twice weekly in three divisions for boys and girls, 18 and under, 15 and under, 13 and under. Registration required. May register as a team or individual.

**Boston Public Library-** [www.blp.org/summer](http://www.blp.org/summer)

Honan-Allston Branch Library 300 N. Harvard Street, Allston, MA 02134

Contact: Carin O'Connor 617-787-6313

Brighton Branch Library 40 Academy Hill Road, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: Uma Murthy 617-859-2004

Faneuil Branch Library 419 Faneuil Street, Brighton, MA 02135

Contact: Dorothy Keller 617-782-6705

- Story times, science and animal programming, Countdown to Kindergarten
- Read your way to Fenway program
- Read Boston Storymobile- storytelling events and free books
  - Brighton- Tuesdays 11:15 a.m., July 8- August 12
  - Honan-Allston- Thursdays, 1:15 p.m. July 10- August 14
- Summer Reading Lists and Teen Online Summer Reading Program

Free Fun Fridays- Free Attractions every Friday throughout Massachusetts, June 27 – August 29

Contact: 617-969-8900, [www.HighlandStreet.org](http://www.HighlandStreet.org) for information

- June 27<sup>th</sup> –Mass MOCA, Worcester Art Museum, Tanglewood, MIT Museum, The Sports Museum, Cape Cod Maritime Museum, Franklin Park Zoo
- July 4<sup>th</sup> – Heritage Museums and Gardens, Edward Gorey House, Jacob's Pillow Dance Festival, Amelia Park Children's Museum, Falmouth Museums on the Green
- July 11<sup>th</sup> – JFK Presidential Library and Museum, Cape Cod Children's Museum, Pilgrim Hall Museum, New England Historical Genealogical Society, Fruit Lands Museum, Peabody Essex Museum, Worcester Historical Museum
- July 18<sup>h</sup> – Museum of Fine Arts Boston, Larz Anderson Auto Museum, the Eric Carle Museum, Ocean Explorium, Springfield Museums, Mass Audubon's Boston Nature Center, Sandwich Glass Museum,
- July 25<sup>th</sup> –The Freedom Trail Foundation, Battleship Cove, Children's Museum in Easton, Danforth Art, Tower Hill Botanic Garden, Arnold Arboretum, Cape Cod Museum of Art
- Aug. 1<sup>st</sup> – Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Commonwealth Shakespeare Company, American Textile History Museum, The Discovery Museums, Concord Museum, The Mahaiwe Performing Arts Center, Hancock Shaker Village
- Aug. 8<sup>th</sup> – Boston Harbor Island Alliance, USS Constitution Museum, Volleyball Hall of Fame, Fuller Craft Museum, The Greenway Carousel, Clark Art Institute, Wenham Museum, Children's Museum at Holyoke
- Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> – The Institute of Contemporary Art/Boston, Plimoth Plantation, Garden in the Woods, Museum of Russian Icons, Fitchburg Art Museum, Historical Deerfield, Reagle Music Theatre
- Aug. 22<sup>nd</sup> – Boston Children's Museum, Museum of African American History, New Bedford Whaling Museum, Old Manse-Trustees of Reservations, Berkshire Museum, Emily Dickinson Museum
- Aug. 29<sup>th</sup> – Buttonwood Park Zoo, Ecotarium, Norman Rockwell Museum, The Mount: Edith Wharton's Home, Cape Cod Museum of Natural History, Griffin Photography Museum

## Allston-Brighton Summer Resources 2014

Sunday Parkland Games with the Charles River Conservancy- banks of the Charles River in Cambridge along Memorial Drive by the Weeks Footbridge

Contact: 617-608-1410, [crc@thecharles.org](mailto:crc@thecharles.org)

- June 22- September 28, Sundays, 3:30 p.m. – 6 p.m.
- Games, sports, yoga
- Free

Artist in Residence Craft Workshops with City of Boston ParkARTS

Contact: 617-635-4505, [www.cityofboston.gov/parks](http://www.cityofboston.gov/parks)

- Ages 3-10
- 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon
- July 10,17, 24 @ Rogers Park, Brighton
- July 31, August 7 & 14@ Shubow Park, Brighton
- Free

### **Additional Resources**

USDA Summer Food Service Program for Children

Contact: Project Bread Hotline at 1-800-645-8333

- Free breakfast and lunch to students under 18 at 120 sites in July and August
- No registration or ID required
- City of Boston summer guide- [www.cityofboston.gov/summer/](http://www.cityofboston.gov/summer/)
- Boston Center for Youth and Families Summer Guide 2014-  
[http://www.cityofboston.gov/images\\_documents/SummerGuide2014\\_WEB\\_tcm3-43276.pdf](http://www.cityofboston.gov/images_documents/SummerGuide2014_WEB_tcm3-43276.pdf)
- Boston Public Schools- [www.bostonpublicschools.org/summer](http://www.bostonpublicschools.org/summer)
  - Summer reading lists
  - Summer Jobs
  - BOSTONavigator- youth programs