SETTI D. WARREN, MAYOR

NEWTON COMMUNITY LIFE

A GUIDE TO NEWTON’S RESOURCES

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Newton Community Pride
Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
Dear Resident,

Here in Newton, we take great pride in offering a wealth of services to our residents: unparalleled public safety provided by our police, fire and health departments, exceptional public education, a variety of recreational facilities and programs for all ages, an outstanding library and many services for seniors and veterans, just to name a few.

Newton also benefits from an abundance of civic organizations that enrich our community life with a wide range of services including art and cultural opportunities, mental health programs, environmental advocacy and recreation.

This guide provides information on all City Hall services as well as descriptive listings of Newton’s many non-profit organizations. It is just one of the many ways the City of Newton strives to stay connected and engaged with our residents. The City of Newton’s website, www.newtonma.gov, provides much of the information included in this guide as well as links to other valuable resources. The Newton 3-1-1 program allows you to pay a bill, ask a question or register a concern through the website. You can also register for emergency notifications by clicking on the “Sign up for Alerts” button on the City website’s homepage. You can receive regular updates with my newsletter by clicking on the “Subscribe to City News” button on the City’s homepage. Residents are always welcome to call 3-1-1 and speak with someone at City Hall for any questions or concerns they may have.

Newton is an extraordinary community and I am proud we can offer these many resources. I would like to extend my thanks to Newton Community Pride and the many sponsors who advertised in this guide. Their work and support have made this publication and distribution of this valuable resource possible.

Thank you, and we hope you find this to be a useful and informative guide.

Sincerely,

Setti D. Warren
Mayor
CITY OF NEWTON: (617) 796-1000
or Dial 311 from a land-line in Newton, MA

Service Requests and Questions: DIAL 311
Website: www.newtonma.gov

EMERGENCY: FIRE, POLICE, AMBULANCE, DIAL 911

CITY DEPARTMENTS AND OFFICES

NEWTON CITY HALL HOURS:
Mondays-Fridays: 8:30am-5pm
Tuesdays: 8:30am-8pm

Mayors Office    (617) 796-1100
Archives          (617) 796-1399
Assessment        (617) 796-1160
Board of Aldermen (617) 796-1210
Citizen Assistance (617) 796-1102
City Clerk         (617) 796-1200
Conservation      (617) 796-1134
Community Education (617) 559-6999
Consumer Mediators (617) 796-1292
Cultural Affairs (617) 796-1540
Customer Service   (617) 796-1000
Elections          (617) 796-1350
Engineering        (617) 796-1020
Environmental Affairs (617) 796-1000
Fire               (617) 796-2210
Health & Human Services (617) 796-1420
Historic Newton    (617) 796-1450
Human Resources    (617) 796-1260
Inspectional Services (617) 796-1060
Law                (617) 796-1240
Library            (617) 796-1360
License Board      (617) 796-1090
Parking Clerk      (617) 796-1344
Parks & Recreation (617) 796-1500
Planning & Development (617) 796-1120
Police Department  (617) 796-2100
Public Buildings   (617) 796-1600
Public Schools     (617) 559-6000
Public Works & Solid Waste (617) 796-1000
Purchasing         (617) 796-1220
Recycling Depot    (617) 552-7187
Senior Services    (617) 796-1660
Treasury           (617) 796-1330
Veterans           (617) 796-1092

UTILITIES, TELEVISION AND CABLE

National Grid Gas Co.  1-800-233-5325
NSTAR                1-800-592-2000
Verizon Telephone Repair 1-800-446-8946
RCN                  1-800-746-4726
Comcast              1-888-633-4266

SUICIDE PREVENTION & MENTAL HEALTH

Riverside Emergency Services   800-529-5077
24/7 emergency hotline for mental health crises
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 800-273-TALK (8255)
Domestic Violence Hotline       800-899-4000
Boston Area Rape Crisis Center   800-841-8371
Alcohol and Drug Helpline        800-327-5050
Newton Cares:  www.newtonma.gov/newtoncares
Coalition for Suicide Prevention & Mental Health

VETERANS SERVICE CENTER

Open to veterans of all ages and from all service branches in the region. Monthly event on the first Tuesday of every month from 5:30-8:00 p.m. at 345 Walnut St. Newtonville. Opportunity to socialize, eat, hear a speaker on a sports theme and access services, if desired.
For more information and updates, go to

www.newtonma.gov/vetscenter

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Where Each Relationship Matters*
DEPARTMENTS AND OFFICES
Located in Newton City Hall unless otherwise indicated
(617) 796-1000 or Dial 311 from a landline within the City of Newton
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton, MA 02459
For all Departments: www.newtonma.gov
Click on Department of Choice

ADMINISTRATION
Mayor's Office
(617) 796-1100

ARCHIVES
(617) 796-1399
Newton City Hall & Newton Free Library
The City Archives, overseen by the City Clerk, actively manages a growing collection of historical documents dating from 1679 to the present. Records in the Newton City Archives comprise an ongoing series of municipal documents, which include vital records, Selectmen's and Aldermanic documents, Assessors records, Annual Reports, Annual Budgets, and other departmental documents. Use of this material reinforces the value of the archives to the community while fulfilling the City's legal responsibility to provide access to public documents.

ASSESSMENT ADMINISTRATION
(617) 796-1160
www.newtonma.gov/gov/assessor/
Email: assessing@newtonma.gov
Values over 27,000 real estate parcels and 2,400 personal property accounts. Administers programs for motor vehicle excise tax for more than 70,000 vehicles, elderly and disabled tax assistance, tax deferrals, deed references, change of mailing address requests and maintains the assessors’ property database which can be searched online.

Property Assessments:
Reflect “Fair Cash Values” of properties and are based on sales of similar properties within a given time period. Property taxes are based on the budget approved by the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen. Once the budget is approved, the amount of money to be raised is allocated according to assessed value. Homeowners seeking tax abatements must timely file applications with the Board of Assessors.

Property Tax Bills:
New homeowners should notify the Board of Assessors of their purchase in writing. Send the notification to:
Newton Board of Assessors
1000 Commonwealth Avenue, Room 116
Newton, MA 02459
Or to: assessing@newtonma.gov
Request that the tax bill be mailed to the new homeowner at the appropriate mailing address.

Property owners who pay their property tax bills late are charged interest and other late fees, so it is important to provide this notification as soon as possible.

Questions about your:
Assessed value:
Contact the Board of Assessors
(617) 796-1160 assessing@newtonma.gov

Tax bill, its amount or payments:
Contact the Treasurer/Collector
(617) 796-1330 treasury@newtonma.gov
BOARD OF ALDERMEN
(617) 796-1210
Newton’s legislative branch of municipal government consists of 24 members; 16 at-Large Aldermen and 8 Ward Aldermen. Aldermen are elected every two years. Regular meetings are held January through June, and September through December on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month. In July and August, meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of the month. Committees of the Board of Aldermen include: Land Use, Zoning & Planning, Programs & Services, Public Facilities, Public Safety & Transportation, Finance and Real Property Reuse. The Board of Aldermen’s schedule of meetings can be found on the Board of Aldermen page of the City’s website.

CITIZEN ASSISTANCE OFFICER
(617) 796-1102
Helps residents resolve problems related to city services. Provides multi-agency city services for constituent requests on behalf of the Mayor. Is a liaison between residents and City Hall/City Government.

CITY CLERK
(617) 796-1200
The City Clerk records and issues certified copies of Birth, Death and Marriage Records; issues Marriage Certificates, Dog Licenses, Off-Leash Permits, Raffle and Bazaar Permits, and Business Certificates; and administers the Oath of Office to appointed and elected officials. The City Clerk works with the Election Commission to oversee and conduct Municipal, State, and Federal elections in Newton, certify nomination and petition papers, register voters, and conduct and tabulate the annual City Census. The Clerk conducts Conflict of Interest and Open Meeting Law training for staff and appointed and elected officials. The City Clerk is the official record keeper for the City of Newton and oversees the City Archives. Records kept by the office include, but are not limited to, birth certificates, marriage certificates, and death certificates from 1680 to the present. The City Clerk is the official keeper of the City Seal and City Ordinances. The City Clerk’s Office posts agendas for upcoming public meetings. All notifications and documents are public records, with some exceptions pertaining to vital records.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION
(617) 559-6999

COMMUNITY PRESERVATION GRANTS PROGRAM
(617) 796-1144
www.newtonma.gov/cpa
Uses a combination of local and state funds to make grants for affordable housing, historic resources, open space and recreation land. The nine appointed volunteer members of Newton’s Community Preservation Committee (CPC) use a fully public process to review all proposals and make recommendations to the Board of Aldermen, which makes the final spending decisions. There is only one annual proposal deadline, usually in the fall. For more information visit the web site, call us or email aingerson@newtonma.gov.

COMPTROLLER’S OFFICE
(617) 796-1300
The Comptroller’s Office provides accounting, auditing and financial reporting services to all City Departments, Boards, and Commissions in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws, Municipal Ordinances, and Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments.

CONSUMER MEDIATORS
(617) 796-1292
(Newton-Brookline Consumer Office)
Assists Newton consumers in resolving disputes with businesses; provides consumer rights information.

CULTURAL AFFAIRS
(617) 796-1540
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton 02459

CUSTOMER SERVICE
(617) 796-1000 or dial 311 from a land line in Newton, MA or visit: www.mygovhelp.us/newtonma
Assists residents and visitors by answering inquiries and concerns in a timely manner. Customer Service Representatives receive calls regarding service requests for general inquiries as well as for all infrastructure maintenance and solid waste collections.

DEPARTMENT OF SENIOR SERVICES
(617) 796-1660
(See Senior Services Dept.)

ENGINEERING
(617) 796-1020
Fax: (617) 796-1051
Responsibilities include field survey, design and/or inspection of various construction projects performed under public bid procedures by private contractors and administering the following permits: Street Openings-Sewer, Drain, Water connection and sidewalk Driveway Apron and Crossing; Occupy permits.

FIRE DEPARTMENT
(617) 796-2210 Chief’s Office
(617) 796-2230 Fire Prevention
1164 Centre St.
Newton Center 02459
In addition to fire fighting and emergency rescue services, inspects smoke detectors, fire alarms, oil burner equipment, and removal of underground oil tanks.
Human Services Division
While many view Newton as a wealthy community, we are a diverse city with many vulnerable residents including those with financial needs, mental health needs, families in crisis, individuals with disabilities, victims of violence, and victims of discrimination. Human Services encompasses the work of the Community Social Worker, two part-time mental health nurses, and a new Youth Services Director. This division staffs a number of city committees including the Human Rights Commission, the Youth Commission, and the Youth Interagency Task Force.

The Community Social Worker provides assistance to Newton residents through information, referrals, and outreach services and can connect income-eligible residents with programs and resources. Emergency assistance may be provided in times of crisis. This division also works with the ABCD Fuel Assistance Program available to eligible homeowners and renters in November each year. The Community Social Worker also chairs the Newton Hoarding Task Force. It is best to make an appointment to see the Community Social Worker.

A separate Youth Services effort was begun a year ago when two Youth Summits were held in the city. The Youth Services Director works with youth and adults to encourage communication and to identify gaps in youth services. www.newtonma.gov/newtoncares
GETTING AROUND CITY HALL

LICENSING BOARD

(617) 796-1090

The Board of License Commissioners issues all licenses related to the sale and service of alcoholic beverages in Newton as well as common victuallers licenses for establishments preparing and serving food on site. The Board also issues one-day temporary licenses for events including the service of alcohol in any location outside of a private home which does not already hold an alcohol license. In addition, the Board approves entertainment licenses for establishments that serve alcohol and for one-day temporary events with alcohol service. The Board holds public hearings on the third Tuesday of each month with application deadlines early in the month. All application materials are available online or through the Health & Human Services Department, and all materials are submitted through this department.

NEWTON NEIGHBORHOOD AREA COUNCILS:

For over 30 years, Chapter 9 of the Newton City Charter has permitted the establishment of elected Councils, representing each of the 13 Villages of Newton, by petition of 20% of the registered voters in each Council’s proposed catchment area. Each Council is permitted to elect up to nine Councilors. Until 2011, only one village had taken advantage of this community representation: the Newton Highlands Neighborhood Council, now three decades old. More recently, three new Neighborhood Councils have been organized: Newton Upper Falls Neighborhood Area Council in 2011; Newtonville Area Council and the Waban Area Council in 2013. These Councils are official extensions of our City government and must operate under the constraints of the Commonwealth’s Open Meeting Laws and must meet in locations that are handicap accessible. They offer an important extra communication link between the citizens of each village and Newton City Hall, as they provide a forum in which matters of local village interest can be identified and swiftly addressed by encouraging resident participation at regular meetings. Each Council has its own By-Laws and the Councilors serve two-year terms and receive no salaries, or stipends.

NEWTON NEIGHBORHOOD AREA COUNCILS:

Newton Highlands Neighborhood Area Council
www.newtonma.gov/gov/neighborhood/highlands/

Newton Upper Falls Neighborhood Area Council
www.newtonma.gov/gov/neighborhood/upper_falls/

Newtonville Area Council
www.beautifulnewtonville.org/neighborhood-area-council/

Waban Area Council
www.wabanareacouncil.com

NEWTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

(617) 559-6000

(See Education section in the Guide)

Newton Public Schools
100 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460

PARKING VIOLATIONS

(617) 796-1344

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

(617) 796-1500

(See pages 28-30)

www.newtonma.gov/parks
124 Vernon St.
Newton 02458

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

(617) 796-1120

http://www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/deptserv.asp

Serves as a resource to the community at large and the city’s elected and appointed officials through development review, comprehensive planning, and community development activities facilitating affordable housing and enhancing neighborhood character and quality of life.

• Reviews development proposals and provides technical advice to businesses and commercial property owners; provides information and assistance regarding conservation and environmental requirements, historic preservation, signs, demographics, economic development and the Women’s Enterprise Initiative. For more information visit www.newtonma.gov/Planning/index.htm.

• Staffs Newton’s Community Preservation Grants Program, which uses a combination of local and state funds to support affordable housing, historic resources, open space and recreation land. The nine appointed volunteer members of Newton’s Community Preservation Committee (CPC) use a fully public process to review all proposals and make recommendations to the Board of Aldermen, which makes the final spending decisions. There is only one annual proposal deadline, usually in the fall. For more information, visit www.newtonma.gov/cdbg or call (617) 796-1144.

• Uses Community Development Block Grant, HOME and Emergency Shelter Grant funds to provide affordable housing development, architectural access improvements, economic development loans, first-time homebuyer assistance, housing rehabilitation (see Newton Housing Rehabilitation Program), human services and homeless assistance, and neighborhood improvements in target neighborhoods. For more information on the Housing and Community Development Program visit www.newtonma.gov/cdbg
POLE DEPARTMENT
Business: (617) 796-2100
Emergencies: 911
www.newtonpolice.com
Police Headquarters: 1321 Washington St.
Police Annex: 25 Chestnut St.
West Newton 02465

COMMUNITY SERVICE BUREAU
(617) 796-2103
Performs Hate Crime Incident Investigations, Community Relations, Relationship Violence Unit, Prejudice and Violence Education, Youth Services and Cops and Kids Program.

DETECTIVE BUREAU
(617) 796-2104
Issues gun licenses, FID cards and handles police investigations.

TRAFFIC BUREAU
(617) 796-2106
Investigates accidents, issues special parking permits, assists with the street signage, special events and block party permits.

Overnight Parking: Overnight on-street parking is prohibited from November 15 to April 15. Overnight is defined as more than one hour between 2am and 6am.

Residents in need of parking can obtain information about the availability of special Municipal Parking Lot Parking Permits.

Permit Parking
Individuals may petition the Board of Aldermen for a restricted parking zone for vehicles displaying valid resident stickers, visitor permits, or temporary permits.

Stickers and permits issued for one area are not valid in other such restricted parking areas.

PARKING Tickets: Parking Clerk
(617) 796-1344
Tickets not paid within 21 days of issue will be assessed a late charge as provided by law and may result in the vehicle being put on a tow and held list. To contest a ticket, call the Parking Clerk.

ANIMAL CONTROL DEPARTMENT
(617) 796-2109
Investigates animal bites and exposure, cruelty and neglect of animals, leash law and pooper-scooper violations, licensing, lost & found pets, sick/ injured pets, and wildlife. Residents are asked to report incidents of animals acting in unusual ways.

Bats: If a bat is found in a house and no person or pet has been scratched or bitten, if possible, confine it to a room, shut off the lights and open a window to let it out, or catch it and release it outside. If a person or pet has or may have been bitten/ scratched, the bat should be caught and tested for rabies. Report this to Animal Control.

Coyotes: Coyotes are now established in Newton and the state does not allow their removal. Keep cats and small dogs inside or under supervision.

Dead Animal Notification: Notify the Department of Public Works of the location of the animal. Because Public Works employees are not allowed to go onto private property, homeowners must put the animal at curbside, preferably in a bag or box, and await pick-up. This service applies only to wild or stray animals, not to pets.

Discounts for Pet Neutering: Call Animal Control for applications that will entitle you to a discount when you have your pet neutered.

Dogs Leash Law: Once off the owner's/ keeper's property, dogs must be on leashes not exceeding ten (10) feet. Dogs are excluded from “Tot Lots “Barking dogs disturbing the peace may be reported to Animal Control. Licensing: All dogs age 6 months or older must be licensed/re-licensed by City Clerk's office by April 1 of every year.

“Pooper-Scooper” Law: Owners/keepers of dogs must remove any feces left by their dogs on any sidewalk gutter, street, park, public area, or another person's private property.

Lost and Found Pets: Lost and found pets should be reported to Animal Control. Animal Control Officers maintain a lost/found list in addition to providing advice to worried pet owners. Pets Interacting with Wild Animals: If a wild animal bites a pet, the animal should be caught if possible and tested for rabies. Report the incident to Animal Control. Sick and Injured Wildlife: Report sick or injured wildlife to animal control

Reminder: Daytime activity of normally nocturnal animals does not mean the animal is rabid. If it behaves as though it has a purpose (feeding, drinking, or walking through a yard or down a street) there is no reason to suspect rabies. In spring and early summer, mother raccoons stay with their young at night and are active during the day. However: If the animal is circling, falling down, lying in one place without protective cover, foaming at the mouth, or behaving in another unusual way, report it immediately.

Vaccinations: Per state law, all cats, dogs, and ferrets must be vaccinated for rabies.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS
DEPARTMENT
(617) 796-1600
The mission of Newton's Public Buildings Department is to maintain and improve City buildings to provide safe, accessible, and sustainable facilities that appropriately support City departments, programs and services for residents and visitors. The department is responsible for approximately 2.6 million square feet of space in 78 municipal and school buildings.

PUBLIC WORKS
DEPARTMENT
(617) 796-1000
www.newtonma.gov/dpw
Email: dpw@newtonma.gov
Maintains and improves the City’s infrastructure (street, traffic signals, sidewalks, water, sewer, and drain systems). Sweeps and plows streets, maintains City vehicle fleet, supervises collection of trash and recyclables, oversees Rumford Ave. Recycling Depot.

CUSTOMER SERVICE
(617) 796-1000
Or from a landline: DIAL 311
Public Works customer service representatives are available to take calls regarding service requests for all Public Works services, such as street maintenance and trash and recycling collections, as well as provide answers to general inquiries.
ENGINEERING
(617) 796-1020
Maintains official City maps, which are available to the public; conducts sidewalk and road inspections of work to ensure that quality and established Newton standards have been met. All Department of Public Works permit applications are to be filed in the Engineering Division.

Betterments (curbs/sidewalks)
Homeowners, excluding those who live on private ways, who have no sidewalk or curb in front of their houses, may have them installed through the City’s Sidewalk Betterment program. The owner and the City share the cost of construction, each paying 50% of the total. Applications are available at the Engineering counter in City Hall.

ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS
(617)796-1000
www.newtonma.gov/dpw/recycling
Maintains and protects the environment through education and outreach programs, the collection and disposal of wastes, conservation of natural resources, and planning for the future environmental needs of the people who live, work, and do business in the City of Newton.

HIGHWAY OPERATIONS
(617)796-1000
Performs street and sidewalk construction and maintenance (1,485 streets @ 310 miles), street sweeping, provides traffic control, public property maintenance, and snow & ice operations.

Snow Removal and Sidewalks
Businesses are required by law to remove snow and ice from property fronting their businesses. Residents are encouraged to clear sidewalks abutting their properties within 24 hours after a storm. Residents who are unable to shovel snow and are income-eligible may call (617) 796-1000 for assistance.

WATER AND SEWER
Billing: (617) 796-1040
Service: (617) 796-1640
Issues water and sewer bills and abatements, offers discounts to income-eligible residents, processes water meter readings, and responds to water and sewer emergencies.

NEWTON RECYCLES

TRASH AND RECYCLING COLLECTION
(617) 796-1000
www.newtonma.gov/DPW/recycling

Collections
The City of Newton provides solid waste collection services to residential units and also provides blue and green carts to each household unit. The carts are assigned to the address and should be left behind if the owner moves. The property owner is responsible for the upkeep and maintenance of the carts.
• Please use blue cart for trash and green cart for recycling. Contaminated carts will not be collected.
• Set carts out by 7am on your collection day or as early as 4pm the day before.
• Please be sure your trash and recyclables fit into the carts. Close the lids. No loose material will be collected. Please see below for information about extra trash or recycling.
• Do not place recyclables or yard waste in plastic bags.
• Place your cart within 3 feet of the curb with the handle facing the house.
• Please keep 4 feet between your cart and other items—such as other carts, poles, cars, trees, etc.
• Collections are delayed one day after a holiday—see website or call for schedule.

Recycling
Rinse and flatten containers, DO NOT use plastic bags, and place items loose in green carts:
• cardboard and paperback (cereal, shoe boxes, etc.)
• newspapers, magazines, phone books, junk mail (envelopes OK)
• all office paper (staples, paper clips OK)
• glass containers (all colors)
• stuff plastic containers (#1 - #7)
• aluminum pie plates, trays, and foil
• metal cans (steel, tin, aluminum)
• empty aerosol cans
• beverage containers, drink boxes, milk/juice cartons
All items must fit into the recycling cart with the lid closed tight, bring extras to the Recycling Depot at Rumford Ave. Need another recycling cart? Extra recycling carts are provided free-of-charge to residents.

Appliances and Electronics:
Call DPW for a special pick up:
• computers, monitors, and printers
• TVs, stereos, etc.
• refrigerators, air conditioners, freezers
• water heaters, stoves, washers and dryers, etc.

Call a private hauler:
• Construction materials (if useable, please contact the Boston Building Resources (617) 442-8917)
• Odd items longer than 4 feet and heavier than 50 pounds

Have more trash than fits in your cart? For occasional overflow trash, you can purchase 33-gallon orange “overflow” bags at participating local stores; call or visit the website for details. For regular amount of overflow trash, you can purchase an extra 35-gallon or 64-gallon cart for an annual fee. Payment of the annual fee must be current. You can pick up a form at Newton City Hall, 1000 Commonwealth Ave, Newton MA 02459.
Yard Waste
Collection begins in April and runs through early December, weather permitting. Call for exact dates.
Place in paper yard waste bags or barrel labeled “YARD WASTE”:
• leaves, grass and plants
• tree and shrub prunings and twigs
• wood chips and other garden waste
• bundle large limbs (6 inches or less in diameter) with rope or twine in lengths less than 4 feet and thinner than 3 feet in diameter. How to prepare:
• branches must not protrude from the barrels
• bags and barrels must not exceed 30 gallons or 50 pounds
• do not use plastic bags
• do not use wire or plastic to bundle
• do not include: tree stumps, root balls, rocks, diseased or invasive plants, food, or trash

Recycling Depot at Rumford Ave.
Monday-Friday 7:30am-2:30pm, Saturday 7:30am-12:30pm, closed Sundays and Holidays. Please check during times of extreme weather (heat, snow, rain). City of Newton residents only. Proof of Residency required upon request. BRING to the depot year round:
• Paper
• Plastic, glass, and metal containers
• Cardboard (unflattened OK)
• Non-alkaline batteries (alkalines are safe to throw in the trash)

To ensure safety:
• Leave materials in original container
• Tighten caps and lids
• No leaking or exposed items accepted
• Sort and pack separately; Never mix chemicals
• Do not put into trash bags
• Never smoke while handling hazardous materials

Household Hazardous Waste
Drop-off collections are held at the Depot from mid-May to mid-October on Wednesdays from 7:30am-12:30pm, check annually for dates. Weather dependent. Proof of Residency REQUIRED. Limited to one car trunk load ONLY. No more than 5-gallons of a single material and no more than 12-gallons total. Materials accepted include:
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Newton Senior Center
www.newtonseniors.org
Email: info@newtonseniors.org
345 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
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Parking Tickets
(617) 796-1344
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To contest a ticket:
Call the Parking Clerk to obtain an appeal form or go to the city web site at www.newtonma.gov. Click on forms, click on parking ticket appeal. To pay a non-marked ticket online by credit card for a fee go to www.newtonma.gov. Click pay bill on line, click parking tickets. To pay a marked ticket and obtain a RMV release form come to City Hall M-F 8:30am-5pm and Tues. 8:30am-8pm with cash, bank check or debit card or mail a bank check with a SASE for your release to:
City of Newton Parking Clerk
1000 Commonwealth Ave.
Newton 02159

VETERANS’ DEPARTMENT
(617) 796-1092
Email: veterans@newtonma.gov
Provides one-stop shopping for veteran's benefits. This office can assist veterans and their dependents in applying for numerous federal, state, and local assistance programs. Please contact this office to learn about your benefits. See additional information in A-Z section of the Guide.

VOLUNTEERISM
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www.newtonchoral.org
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• support of current business owners to sustain their businesses, grow where desired and be integral members of their communities;

• outreach to prospective businesses identified by Newton as complementing the City’s growth strategies, and

• assisting current and prospective property owners and tenants in navigating the zoning, licensing and permitting process.

Coordinating with the Economic Development Director, the City’s Economic Development Commission is charged with the promotion and development of business and industry within the City of Newton, for the purpose of strengthening the local economy and expanding the City’s commercial tax base, while preserving the residential integrity of the City and its villages.

The City sponsors the Women’s Enterprise Initiative, which hosts forums three times a year in which entrepreneurial women present their business plans for critique by an expert panel. Community development planning staff helps small businesses create jobs for income-eligible residents through the Microenterprise Assistance Program. The City partners with the Newton-Needham Chamber of Commerce on programs and events and encourages residents to patronize shops, restaurants, and businesses in Newton.

The Planning and Development Department provides free copies of Doing Business in Newton: A Resource Guide.

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   4 middle schools (grades 6-8)
   2 high schools (grades 9-12)
   1 alternative high school
   1 Integrated pre-school program (two locations)

FY12 per pupil expenditure: $16,400

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Newton Public Schools maintains a staff of over 2,000 employees and manages a budget of $195 million.

STRENGTHS

- Commitment to providing a high quality education for students of all needs
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- Breadth of programs (academic, arts, extracurricular)
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Mail: Chair, Newton School Committee, 100 Walnut Street, Newton, MA 02460

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  www.bc.edu  
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  (617) 559-8600  
  www.hebrewcollege.edu  
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  Newton 02466

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  (617) 244-1682; (888) 244-6843  
  www.mspp.edu/ce  
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- **Mount Ida College**  
  (617) 928-4500  
  www.mountida.edu  
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Board of Aldermen
Board of Assessors
Chestnut Hill Historic District Commission
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Commission on Disability
Community Education Commission
Community Preservation Committee
Conservation Commission
Constables
Council on Aging
Council on Aging Advisory Board
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Election Commission
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Licensing Board
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Newtonville Historic District Commission
Newtonville Neighborhood Area Council
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School Committee
Solid Waste Commission
Taxation Aid Committee
Traffic Council
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Urban Design Commission
Urban Tree Commission
Waban Neighborhood Area Council
West Newton Advisory Committee
Youth Commission
Youth Commission Advisory Board
Zoning Board of Appeal

NEIGHBORHOOD AREA COUNCILS

Newton Highlands Neighborhood Area Council
www.newtonma.gov/gov/neighborhood/highlands/

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www.newtonma.gov/gov/neighborhood/upper_falls/

Newtonville Area Council
www.beautifulnewtonville.org/neighborhood-area-council/

Waban Area Council
www.wabanareacouncil.com
Historic Newton is the umbrella organization for two museums in Newton and three historic burying grounds. We tell the stories of Newton's people and places within the context of American history. Visit us to explore our historic sites and collections, learn from our exhibitions, archives and programs, and share our common history.

**HISTORIC NEWTON**

(617) 796-1450  
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www/historicnewton.org  
527 Washington Street  
Newton 02458  
Hours: Tues-Fri: 11am-5pm  
Sat-Sun: 12 noon-5pm  
Closed: Monday and major holidays

Historic Newton is an advocate for the preservation of Newton's three City-owned historic burying grounds: East Parish Burying Ground (1660) on Centre and Cotton streets, West Parish Burying Ground (1781) on River Street, and South Burying Ground (1802) on Winchester Street. Notable are the graves of many individuals who participated in the Revolutionary War. The burying grounds also contain some of the finest examples of early American gravestone art carved by some of our nations most accomplished gravestone artists. Restoration of the gravestones is complete. The Museum is now working on the tombs and interpretative signage.

**DURANT-KENRICK HOUSE AND GROUNDS**

(617) 641-9142  
286 Waverley Avenue  
Newton MA 02458  
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Sat-Sun: 10am-4pm  
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Built in 1734, explores the lives and contributions of three families over three centuries using games, puzzles, historic settings and audio programs. The Durant story investigates colonial life and the events leading up to the American Revolution. The Kenricks were leaders in the horticultural revolution in the nineteenth century. The Dewings were pioneers in historic preservation. The tranquil grounds showcase remnants from the Kenrick's booming 19th century nursery, which introduced fruit and ornamental tree varieties still enjoyed today.

**NEWTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.**

The nonprofit arm of Historic Newton, the Newton Historical Society, Inc. works with the city of Newton in a public-private partnership to support the programs, exhibitions and sites of Historic Newton.

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Built in 1809, the Homestead was the home of the Jackson family, who lived and worked in Newton for generations.
PERMANENT EXHIBITIONS

• The Newton History Gallery outlines Newton's history from the earliest Massachusetts Indian habitation to the end of the 19th century. This exhibition uses unique items from our collection to tell the story of Newton's development at the Jackson Homestead.

• Confronting Our Legacy: Slavery and Antislavery in the North explores the sometimes forgotten history of slavery in the North and the transition to Abolitionist ideals through local stories. Just a few generations before the Jackson family — as abolitionists — offered the Jackson Homestead as a stop on the Underground Railroad, their ancestors enslaved others in the same location.

• Durant-Kenrick House and Grounds exhibition tell the stories of 3 families over 3 centuries through historic figures and period settings, graphics, family oriented games and puzzles, audio programs and smell boxes. Exhibition gardens and orchards contribute to the exterior interpretation.

Changing Exhibitions draw on our collections to explore Newton's history in exhibitions such as: At the Jackson Homestead, An Architect Ahead of Her Time: Annie Cobb (1830-1911), Peeking into Newton's Toy Chest, and The Jackson Homestead: The First 200 Years. We also mount changing exhibitions in the Newton Free Library and other locations.

• Newton Salutes! Exhibitions —The history and significance of Newton's community organizations are recognized with these changing exhibitions.

• Historic House Markers — The whole city becomes a museum with these markers telling the date of buildings' construction and the names of first owners.

• Website — Offers information on our programs plus on-line exhibitions including Newton Artists, Canoeing on the Charles, Hyphenated-Origins and Seeking Freedom.

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS, CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

• Historic Newton Walks — Held every other Sunday during warmer weather, these tours change annually. Past tours have included Norumbega Park, Historic Angino Farm, Newton's Historic Burying Grounds, African-American History in West Newton, the Estates of Centre Street, and Utopian Oak Hill Park.

• School and Group Programs — The Jackson Homestead offers educational programs for school children in three main subject areas: The Underground Railroad, 19th Century Family Life, and Native Americans in Newton. Programs are also developed for changing exhibitions and are offered for visiting groups of seniors. In addition programs for school and adult groups are offered at the Durant-Kenrick House and Grounds and onsite by request.

• Family Programs — Young and old interact at our annual outdoor 19th Century family life festival Hayfest, at costumed performances and hands-on workshops during school vacation weeks, Map Night and archeology demonstrations.

• Annual House Tour — For more than 30 years we have opened outstanding examples of Newton's historic homes to the public.

• Annual Preservation Awards recognize outstanding examples of restoration and preservation of historic homes and buildings.

• Programs for Adults include lectures and workshops on a variety of topics from How to Insulate your Old House to a look at Olmsted's Massachusetts Legacy.

The Newton History Lecture Series features prominent citizens on topics of Newton history in collaboration with the Newton Free Library. The History Book Club discusses the latest in historical nonfiction. Based on our relationship to the Underground Railroad, we also offer programs on subjects such as slavery and abolition and civil rights.

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

• Archives and Collections — The Jackson Homestead houses an archival collection of Newton-related material such as manuscripts, photographs, maps and historic property surveys which are available for public research. In addition, our collection of Newton-related objects is the basis for many of our exhibitions on and off site.

• Museum Shop — Gifts and books related to Newton, history and our exhibitions for all ages are for sale.
1630s – The first English settlers establish homes south of the Charles River in what was then part of Cambridge

1660 – John Jackson gave land for the first Meeting House and East Parish Burying Ground located at the corner of Cotton and Centre Streets

1681 – Oldest extant house in Newton, the Woodward House on Fairlee Road, is built

1679 – Newton is incorporated as an independent town, then called New Town

1734 – Durant-Kenrick Homestead is built

1775 – On April 19th, 218 men from the Newton fight in the battle of Lexington and Concord

1809 – Jackson Homestead, a documented stop on the Underground Railroad, is built

1826 – First school committee in Newton is elected

1834 – The Boston & Worcester Railroad, the first passenger railway in the state, makes its first run to West Newton

1841 – The Kenrick Nursery, the largest nursery in New England offers for sale 272 varieties of apple, 420 varieties of pear, 109 of cherry, and 156 of plum trees; 116 of grapes, 147 of gooseberries, currants and other berry fruit bushes; 196 species of ornamental shrubs; 111 evergreens; 196 varieties of deciduous trees; 73 of vines; 680 of roses, and over 800 perennials.

1859 – Newton High School is established in Newtonville

1864 – Civil War monument is erected in Newton Cemetery

1869 – Newton Free Library established

1873 – Newton is incorporated as a city with aldermanic positions established in 1874

1897 – Norumbega Park opens

1899 – On August 31, F.O. Stanley of Newton and his wife Flora drive a Stanley Steamer up the Mount Washington Carriage Road. The 7.6 mile trip took over two hours.

1932 – On November 11th, Newton City Hall and War Memorial is dedicated

1948 – Oak Hill Veterans’ development is completed

1956 – Newton resident Tenley Albright wins Olympic gold medal in figure skating

1961 – Newton South High School is established

1971 – The City Charter is revised to expand mayoral term from 2 to 4 years

1990s New library, called the Theodore D. Mann Building opened September 1991

1993 – Statue of Johnny Kelley was unveiled a year following his final run in the Boston Marathon

2000 – Balsamo Millennium Park at Newton City Hall opened.

2010 – Newton North High School, 457 Walnut St., opened.

2014 – Durant-Kenrick House re-opened as a Historic Newton Museum

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Balsamo Millennium Park
Newton City Hall
Civil War Monument
Newton Cemetery
Cold Spring Park
Beacon St.
Coletti Magni Park
Christmas Lights & Santa Claus Statue Watertown St., Nonantum
Durant-Kenrick House & Grounds
1734 Waverley Ave., Newton Corner
Echo Bridge, Mills Falls,
Hemlock Gorge
Chestnut St., Newton Upper Falls
First Settler’s Monument, erected 1852
Cotton & Center Sts., Newton Center
H.H. Richardson designed
Train Stations
Newton Center and Newton Highlands
Heartbreak Hill and Johnny Kelley Statue
Commonwealth Ave. and Walnut St.
Hemlock Gorge
Newton Upper Falls
Historic Newton Burying Grounds
East Parish Burying Ground Center and Cotton Sts.
West Parish Burying Ground River St., West Newton
South Burying Ground Winchester St., Newton Upper Falls
Historic Marker at Home site of Samuel Francis Smith
Centre St., Newton Center
Wrote words to “America”
Jackson Homestead & Museum, 1809
527 Washington St., Newton Corner
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Newton Center Green
Nathaniel Allen House
West Newton
Newton Armory
Washington St., West Newton
Newton Cemetery
Walnut St. Newton Center
Newton Center Playground designed by firm of Fredrick Law Olmsted
Newton Center
Newton Community Mosaic Sculpture
By Lilli Ann Killen and Marvin Rosenberg
Langley Rd., Newton Center Green
Newton Corner Bell Tower
Washington St., Newton Corner
Newton Police Station
Washington St., West Newton
Capt. John Ryan Memorial Park
Civil War Monument
Police Department Memorial
Outdoor Murals
Pellegrini Park, Nonantum
Sculptures at the Newton Free Library
Homer St., Newton Center
Synagogue Agudas Achim Anshei Sfard
Adams St., Nonantum
Tri-Centennial Commemorative Quilt (1988)
Newton Free Library
War Memorial
Newton City Hall
WPA Mural by Edward Brodney
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NEWTON FREE LIBRARY

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Newton Center 02459

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www.newtonma.gov/parks
On-line registration: www.activityreg.com
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The Newton Parks and Recreation Department provides traditional and innovative Recreation, Leisure and Cultural Activities in a quality environment for all residents of Newton, as well as managing the preservation, maintenance, and enhancement of the natural resources of the City.

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The Department is responsible for more than 70 parks and playgrounds as well as 110 programs with over 90,000 participants and attendees; 1500 people picnic each summer at the Auburndale Cove located along the scenic Charles River 3 life courses
2600 summer and school vacation campers each year

CAMP FAIR Held in Early Winter

MAINTENANCE DIVISION

Responsible for 200 islands, 51 parks, 45 playground locations, 21 schools, 16 recreation buildings, 5 libraries and 4 community centers. This includes athletic area preparation, carpentry, Community Court Restitution Program, equipment and fence repairs, field marking, irrigation maintenance, playground repair, rubbish removal, snow removal, specialty event setup, turf maintenance and turf management.

CULTURAL PROGRAMS

(617) 796-1540
Mayor's Office for Cultural Affairs/
Arts in the Parks
Newton Cultural Center at
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton 02459
Recreation Program
(617) 796-1529
Open Sundays: January to March. Open for volleyball, badminton, chess, personal training, open workout, ballroom dance, babysitting training course, family fitness.

Special Needs Therapeutic Recreation Programs
(617) 796-1527
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Email: mkelly@newtonma.gov
Skiing, cross country skiing, ice-skating, basketball, track, swim teams, snowshoe & rock climbing clinics, horseback riding, baseball, golf, rowing, socials, camps, bowling and rowing, Camp Echo Bridge. Also zumba, theatre and social community outings.

Senior Programs
(617) 796-1506
Ballroom dancing, Workers Workout, Pilates, golf lessons, summer & winter aquatics, aerobics, bowling, crafts, cribbage, yoga, trips to Foxwoods & Mohegan Sun, theatre buffs, bocce, bowling, tap lessons, tennis and day mini trips, men’s basketball and softball.

Farmers Markets
(617) 796-1500
Cold Spring Park
Tuesdays 1:30-6pm
1200 Beacon St.
July – October

Winter Indoor Market
Hyde Community Center
Tuesday 1:30-6pm
90 Lincoln St.
November – June

Nahanton Park Community Gardens
(617) 796-1525
Nahanton Park, Winchester St., Newton Center
10’ x 20’ rental garden space

Community Preservation Projects
Reviews applications for grants; makes recommendations to the Board of Aldermen who make all final decisions.

Open Space Program
(617) 796-1507
Adopt-A-Space
At 90 locations throughout the city, volunteers care for planting and maintenance of shrubs, trees and flowers. May provide benches and other site amenities.
## BUILDINGS, COMMUNITY CENTERS, PARKS AND FIELDS

### BUILDINGS & COMMUNITY CENTERS

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### DOG PARKS

Visit the website for hours, rules, regulations and other information: [www.newtonma.gov/parks/city/offleash](http://www.newtonma.gov/parks/city/offleash)

- Old Cold Spring Park
- Cabot Park
- Hunnewell Park
- Clifflan Playground
- Braceland Playground
- McGrath Park
- Newton Centre Playground

### TENNIS

- Clay Newton Centre (5)
- Hardtop Tennis Courts (71)
- Angier School (3)
- Auburndale Playground (2)
- Burr Park (4)
- Burr School (2)
- Cabot Park (2)
- Cold Spring Park (3)
- Russell J. Halloran Sports & Recreation Complex (2)
- Lower Falls Community Center (2)
- Newton North High School (10 lighted)
- Newton South High School (10 lighted)
- Newton South High School (practice only)
- Newton North High School (lighted)
- Newton South High School (lighted)
- Newton North High School (lighted)

### FOOTBALL FIELDS

Brown Jr. High School (practice only)
- Cabot Park (practice only)
- Russell J. Halloran Sports & Recreation Complex (2)
- Newton Highlands Playground
- Newton North High School
- Newton South High School

### LIFE COURSES

- Auburndale Cove, 1.1 miles
- West Pine St.
- Cold Spring Park 1.4 miles
- Beacon St.
- Forte Park
- California Street

### LACROSSE FIELDS

- Boyd Playground
- Brown Jr. High School
- Cold Spring Park
- Hyde Playground
- Lower Falls Playground
- Newton Centre Playground (closed)

### SOCCER FIELDS

- Auburndale Playground
- Brown Jr. High School
- Cold Spring Park
- Natatorium
- Newton South High School
- Oak Hill Middle School
- Pellegrini Park
- Underwood School
- Williams School
- Zervas School

### BASKETBALL COURTS

- Angier School
- Auburndale Playground
- Boyd Playground
- Burr Park
- Cabot Playground (lighted)
- Clifflan School
- Cold Spring Park
- Countryside School
- Emerson Playground
- Russell J. Halloran Sports & Recreation Complex
- Hunnewell Playground (2)
- Junior Hyde Playground
- Lincoln Playground
- Lower Falls Playground (2)
- Memorial Spaulding School
- Newton South High School
- Newton Centre Playground (lighted)
- Newton Highlands Neighborhood
- Peirce School
- Peirce School
- Steams Playground
- Wellington Playground

### BOCCE COURTS

- Cabot Playground (4)
- Forte Park (3)

### SOCCER FIELDS (REGULATION)

Brown Middle School (3)
- Burr Park
- Cabot Park
- Cold Spring Park
- Forte Park
- Russell J. Halloran Sports & Recreation Complex

### BASEBALL STANDARDS

- Burr Park
- Cabot Park
- Cold Spring Park
- Forte Park
- Hyde Playground
- Lower Falls Playground
- Newton North High School
- Newton South High School
- Oak Hill Middle School
- Pellegrini Park
- Underwood School
- Williams School

### ICE SKATING

Auburndale Cove (Lighted)
NEWTON SENIOR CENTER
www.newtonseniors.org
Email: info@newtonseniors.org
345 Walnut Street
Newtonville 02460
Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30am-4pm.
For more information on housing, health care, home care, education, driving, financial assistance, and much more, please call the Department of Senior Services’ social workers at (617) 796-1660 or visit our website at www.newtonseniors.org - Go to Resources and Links and then go to Directory of Services.

Serves over 4000 seniors each year:
Aerobics, muscle conditioning, Yoga, Tai Chi, line dancing
Free mental health services for individuals, -couples, and families
Resource and referral services
Legal consultation, tax preparation, counseling services, and S.H.I.N.E. (Serving Health Information Needs of Everyone)

Health-related Programs:
Includes a health maintenance clinic, low-vision support group, hearing screenings, and lectures by visiting physicians.

Cultural Programs
Art, music, language, and computer classes

Recreational Programs
Bingo, bridge, chess, scrabble, pool, poker

Lunch
Served Monday-Friday at 11:45am. Call (617) 796-1660 by 11am the previous day. A daily menu choice between hot or cold entrées. Suggested donation $2.00.

Monthly Newsletter
“Coming of Age Senior Citizen Newsletter” contains articles for, about, and by seniors and includes information about special programs and events in Newton.

Transportation to all of the programs and services at the Senior Center is available as well as to the Newton Free Library, Newton City Hall and the village centers. Also to Medical appointments, grocery shopping, houses of worship, long term care facilities and to the Senior Center.

Information (617) 796-1660
Reservations (617) 796-1288

Parking
Senior Stickers (617) 796-1660

Other Transportation Options
The Ride (617) 222-5123
(REGISTER, APPTS. OR PROBLEMS)
Busy Bee Medical 1-800-427-0230
Transportation Medical Escort Program (617) 926-4100
(Springwell)
Jewish Community Centers of Greater Boston
Leventhal-Sidman Jewish Community Center
(617) 558-6443
333 Nahanton Street
Newton 02459
Programs in Newton, Brookline and the south area that help seniors keep their minds and bodies active and provide socializing opportunities. Programs include full-day Wednesday Program at the JCC in Newton, Friday Shabbat programs in Brookline, Adult Learning series, and more.

**HOUSING AND HOMECARE**
This list includes ONLY public and not-for profit agencies. Housing options are too varied and complex to provide complete descriptions here. For a complete and up to date list of housing, health care, home care resources available to Newton seniors, please contact the Department of Senior Services’ social worker at (617) 796-1660 or visit our website at www.newtonseniors.org. Go to Resources and Links and then to Directory of Services.

**Homeowner Options for Massachusetts Elders, Inc. (H.O.M.E.)**
1-800-583-5337
www.elderhomeowners.org
87 Hale Street
Lowell 01851
Provides comprehensive financial counseling to income-eligible elder homeowners to enable them to make informed decisions in order to remain independent and self-sufficient in their homes.

**Jewish Family and Children’s Services Home Health & Home Care**
(617) 558-1278
www.jfcsboston.org
1430 Main Street
Waltham 02451

**Lasell Village**
(617) 663-7000; (617) 663-7001
www.lasellvillage.org
Email: mfredlich@lasell.edu
120 Seminary Ave.
Auburndale 02466

**Massachusetts Association of Older Americans, Inc.**
(617) 426-0804
www.maoamass.org
19 Temple Place, 4th Floor
Boston 02111
Has a home-sharing program that provides creative living arrangements that allow elders to stay in their homes as long as possible. Advocates for elders, conducts workshops about effective advocacy techniques, and sponsors conferences regarding quality of life issues.

**Massachusetts Senior Care Association**
(617) 558-0202
www.maseniorcare.org
2310 Washington St., Suite 300
Newton Lower Falls 02462
Addresses the public’s concerns about the cost and quality of long-term care facilities.

**Newton Community Development Foundation, Inc. (NCDF)**
(617) 244-4035
www.ncdf.com
Email: ncdf.inc@verizon.net
429 Watertown St., Suite 205
Newton Corner 02458
Manages the Casselman House, Weeks House and Warren House apartments in Newton.

**Newton Housing Authority**
(617) 552-5501
www.newtonhousing.org
82 Lincoln St.
Newton Highlands 02461
Assists individuals and families with housing; manages housing developments for the elderly and families; subsidizes over 800 housing units.

**Newton Housing Rehabilitation Program**  
(617) 796-1120  
Email: rhayashi@newtonma.gov  
Planning and Development Dept.  
Newton City Hall, Lower Level  
Newton 02459  
Administered by the Newton Community Development Program, the program enables income-eligible homeowners and tenants to live in safe and sanitary housing; offers financial assistance in the form of rehabilitation, including weatherization, de-leading, asbestos, removal accessibility, etc.

**Pierce House**  
(617) 965-2200 (Meredith Mgt.)  
88 Chestnut St.  
West Newton 02465  
Provides subsidized housing to elderly or disabled residents who meet eligibility guidelines.

**Scandinavian Living Center**  
(617) 527-6566  
[www.slcenter.org](http://www.slcenter.org)  
206 Waltham St.  
West Newton 02465

**Springwell**  
(617) 926-4100

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**LONG TERM HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS**

**Golden Living Centers - Chetwynde**  
(617) 244-5407  
[www.local.goldenlivingcenters.com](http://www.local.goldenlivingcenters.com)  
1650 Washington St  
West Newton, MA

**Golden Living Centers - West Newton**  
(617) 969-2300  
[www.local.goldenlivingcenters.com](http://www.local.goldenlivingcenters.com)  
25 Armory St  
West Newton, MA

**Golden Living Center**  
(617) 527-7767  
[www.goldenliving.com](http://www.goldenliving.com)  
53 Langley Rd  
Newton Center 02459

**Hebrew Senior Life**  
(888) 412-9745  
[www.hebrewseniorlife.org](http://www.hebrewseniorlife.org)  
5000 Great Meadow Road  
Dedham 02026

**Lasell House at Lasell Village**  
(617) 663-7000  
[www.lasellvillage.org](http://www.lasellvillage.org)  
120 Seminary Ave.  
Auburndale 02466

**Newton Health Care Center**  
(617) 969-4660  
[www.healthbridgemanagement.com/newton](http://www.healthbridgemanagement.com/newton)  
2101 Washington St.  
Newton Lower Falls 02462

**Stone Institute**  
Margaret Allen McClellan Skilled Nursing Center  
(617) 527-0023  
277 Elliot St.  
Newton Upper Falls 02464
USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS
EMERGENCY: POLICE, FIRE, AMBULANCE: DIAL 911
24 hours/7 days a week

Arabic Baptist Church Food Pantry   (617) 285-5464
Assessor’s Office                   (617) 796-1160
Centre Street Food Pantry          (617) 340-9554
Citizens Assistance (Mayor’s Office) (617) 796-1110
Consumer Affairs                   (617) 796-1292
Department of Senior Services/Council on Aging (617) 796-1660
Elder Abuse (Springwell)            (617) 926-4100
Elder Abuse Hotline               1-800-922-2275, press 4
Fire Dept. (Business Number)       (617) 796-2200
Food Stamps (Dept. of Transitional Assistance) (866) 950-FOOD (3663)
Fuel Assistance (Health Human Services) (617) 796-1280
Health and Human Services Dept.    (617) 796-1420
Horace Cousens Fund                (617) 796-1324
Housing-Rehabilitation Program     (617) 796-1120
Jewish Community Housing          (617) 912-8400
Jewish Family & Children’s Services (781) 647-5327
Legal Services (B.C. Legal Assistance Bureau) (781) 893-4793
Lifetime Learning                 (617) 559-6999
Mayor’s Office                     (617) 796-1100
Medicaid (Welfare) Mass. Health Service Center 1-800-841-2900
Newton City Hall (Main Number)     (617) 796-1000
Newton Community Development Foundation (617) 244-4035
Newton Food Pantry                 (617) 928-6021
Newton Free Library                (617) 796-1360
Newton Housing Authority           (617) 552-5501
Newton Parks and Recreation Dept.  (617) 796-1500
Newton Police Department (Business #) (617) 796-2100
Newton Senior Center               (617) 796-1660
Newton-Wellesley Hospital          (617) 243-6000
S.O.A.R. 55 (Serv. Opp. After Reaching 55) (617) 969-5906 x120
Snow Removal (Emergencies)         (617) 796-1000
Snow Shoveling Assistance          (617) 796-1000
(RSVP, Newton Comm. Service Center)
Social Security Administration 1-800-772-1213
Springwell (formerly WSES) (617) 926-4100
The Ride (MBTA) (Handicapped) (617) 222-5123
Traveling Meals (Springwell) (617) 926-4100
Veterans’ Services (617) 796-1090
Welfare (Dept. of Transitional Assistance) (617) 348-8500

LIFELONG LEARNING

Adult Education and College Programs especially for Seniors
Call for specific programs and schedules

Boston Center for Adult Education (617) 267-4430
Boston College Institute for Learning (617) 552-2950
Boston University Evergreen Program (617) 353-9852
Cambridge Center for Adult Education (617) 547-6789
Elderhostel 1-800-454-5768
Harvard Institute for Learning in Retirement (617) 495-4072
Hebrew College (617) 559-8600
Jewish Community Centers of Greater Boston (617) 558-6443
Lifetime Learning of Newton (617) 559-6994
Mass. Bay Community College (781) 239-2550
Middlesex Community College 1-800-818-3434
Mount Ida College (617) 928-4500
Newton Community Education (617) 559-6994
Newton Senior Center (617) 796-1660
Northeastern University (617) 373-2412
Pine Manor College Continuing Education (617) 731-7000
Radcliffe College (617) 495-8600
Regis College Continuing Education (781) 768-7000
SOAR Lifetime Learning (617) 969-5906
Wellesley College (781) 235-0320
Univ. of Mass. Gerontology Program (617) 287-5000
Univ. of Mass. College of Public & Community Service (617) 287-7100
### SUBSTANCE ABUSE RESOURCES

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<td>Sameem Associates, Inc.</td>
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<td>(617) 624-5111</td>
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<td>Bournewood Hospital</td>
<td>(617) 469-0300</td>
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<td>Brigham &amp; Women's/Faulkner Behavioral Health Admissions</td>
<td>(617) 983-7711</td>
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<td>Massachusetts General Hospital</td>
<td>(617) 726-200</td>
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<td>Mount Auburn Hospital (Psychiatry)</td>
<td>(617) 499-5051</td>
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<td>St. Elizabeth's Comprehensive Alcoholism &amp; Addiction Program (SECAP)</td>
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<td>Al-Anon/Alateen</td>
<td>(508) 366-0556</td>
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<td>Boston Medical Center/Public Health</td>
<td>(617) 534-4212</td>
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<td>Bournewood Hospital</td>
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<td>Cambridge Hospital Addiction Services</td>
<td>(617) 591-6050</td>
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<td>Charles River Counseling Center</td>
<td>(617) 527-4610</td>
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<td>Student Services</td>
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TRANSPORTATION

MBTA RAIL, BUS AND TROLLEY SERVICE
(617) 222-3200, 1-800-392-6100
www.MBTA.com
Schedules available in City Hall Lobby

MBTA PHONE NUMBERS
LIFT Services (508) 620-5459
Senior Access Pass (617) 222-5976
The Ride 1-800-533-6282
(Advance Arrangement)
TTY (617) 222-5415

MBTA GREEN LINE TROLLEY SERVICE
D Branch:
Seven stops in Newton, four stops in Brookline, eleven stops in Boston and Lechmere Station in East Cambridge.
Newton stations are: Riverside, Woodland, Waban, Eliot, Newton Highlands, Newton Center and Chestnut Hill.

B Branch:
Commonwealth Avenue near the Boston/Newton City Line.

MBTA BUS SERVICE
For “Your Next Bus” arrival time
Text 41411
(You will need the number of the bus stop)

For detailed schedule information:
www.MBTA.com
Schedules available in City Hall lobby

Express Service to Downtown Boston
To: Franklin & Federal Streets
From: Riverside #558
Auburndale #505, 558
West Newton #505, 553, 554
Newton Corner #501, 504, #553, 554, 556, 558

To: Copley Square
From: Newton Corner #502, 503

Local Buses Servicing Newton:
Newton Corner, Oak Hill Park, Town of Dedham #52
Newton Corner, Brighton & Kenmore Square #57
Watertown St., Nonantum, Newtonville, Newton Highlands, Newton Upper Falls, Needham #59
Chestnut Hill, Brookline, Kenmore Square #60
Newton north of the MA Turnpike to Waltham #553, #554, #556, #558

MBTA COMMUTER RAIL
Purple Line on the Worcester Line
Newton stops: Auburndale, West Newton and Newtonville
Boston stops: Back Bay and South Station

METRO WEST BUS
(Metrowest Regional Transit Authority)
#1: Woodland, Newton/Wellesley Hospital, Natick, Framingham
#8: Woodland, Newton Lower Falls, Wellesley, Natick, Framingham

THE RIDE
(617) 222-5123
The T’s Paratransit Program provides door-to-door transportation to eligible people who cannot use general public transportation all or some of the time, because of a physical, cognitive or mental disability.

LOGAN AIRPORT SHUTTLE
(1-800-23-LOGAN)
AirPorter provides a shared ride service to Logan Airport from traveler’s home, business, school or hotel.

OTHER TRANSPORTATION PHONE NUMBERS
Greyhound Bus Lines 1-800-231-2222
Peter Pan Trailways (617) 965-7040

SENIOR SERVICES TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM
Offers rides to medical appointments, grocery shopping, houses of worship, and the Senior Center.
Information (617) 796-1660
Reservations (617) 796-1288
The Ride (617) 222-5123
Busy Bee Medical Transportation 1-800-427-0230
Medical Escort Service (Springwell) (617) 926-4100

LOCAL TAXI SERVICES
Holden’s Taxi (617) 332-7000
Newton Cab (617) 332-1322
Newton Metro Cab (617) 332-8294
Newton Taxi Co. (617) 244-6600
Newton Town Taxi (617) 244-7444
Newton Yellow Cab (617) 332-7700
Newtonville Cab (617) 244-2404
Red Cab of Newton (617) 796-7770
Veterans Taxi of Newton (617) 527-0300

TRANSPORTATION
ALPHABETICAL LISTING OF NEWTON ORGANIZATIONS

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AARP AMERICAN ASSOC. FOR RETIRED PERSONS
(866) 448-3621
Fax: (617) 723-4224
www.aarp.org
Email: ma@aarp.org
One Beacon St. Ste. 2301
Boston 02108

ABCD FUEL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
Department of Health & Human Services
(617) 796-1420
www.newtonma.gov
Newton City Hall
Provides assistance in paying heating bills during the winter to income eligible homeowners and renters. Starts Nov. To schedule an appointment please call. Residents age 60 and over should call the Newton Department of Senior Services (617) 796-1660.

ACRES IN THE FALLS CAMP
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks and Recreation Dept.
Located in Brigham House. A five-week summer program for 5-8th graders that offers trips. Can register by the week.

ACT OF LOVE ADOPTION
1-800-277-5387
Fax: (617) 387-1582
www.actofloveadoption.com
Email: pharrison@mspcc.org
99 Summer St.
Boston 02119
Adoption arm of the MA Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

ADOPT-A-SPACE
(617) 796-1507
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Email: cschein@newtonma.gov
An innovative way for businesses, community groups, or individuals to provide volunteer efforts, in-kind services or financial support for the refurbishment and maintenance of Newton’s green spaces. Contributions are recognized with appropriate signage in the adopted park or facility.

ADOPTIVE FAMILIES TOGETHER
(617) 587-1522
www.mspcc.org/aft
Email: Lbaeumler@mspcc.org
3815 Washington St.
Jamaica Plain 02130
A post-adoption support group for all members of the adoption triad.

ADULT SPORTS LEAGUES
(See Newton Athletics page 70)

ADVOCATES
(508) 628-6300
www.advocatesinc.org
Email: information@advocatesinc.org
One Clarks Hill Ste. 305
Framingham 01702
Has offered mental health and developmental disabilities advocacy and benefits and other services for over 35 years. Currently employs 1000 people and offers services in over 70 communities, serving approximately 10,000 individuals annually.

AIDS ACTION COMMITTEE OF MASSACHUSETTS
(617) 437-6200
www.aidsaction.org
Email: info@aac.org
75 Amory Street
Boston 02119
www.facebook.com/AIDSACTIONCommittee
twitter.com/aidsaction
HIV Helpline (800) 235-2331
Hepatitis Help Line (888) 443-4372
Sexual Health Line (877)-MA-SEX-ED (877-627-3933)
Mission is to stop the epidemic and related health inequities by eliminating new infections, maximizing healthier outcomes for those infected and at-risk, and tackling the root causes of HIV/AIDS.

AL-ANON/ALATEEN FAMILY GROUPS OF MA
(508) 366-0556
www.ma-al-anon-alateen.org
Email: AFGOFMA@aol.com
57 East Main St. Suite 109
Westborough 01581
Provides referrals to Al-Anon meetings in different locales and provides the opportunity to talk about one’s experience of living with alcoholism. Furnishes meeting list books.

ALBEMARLE ACRES DAY CAMP
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks & Recreation Dept.
124 Vernon St
Newton Corner 02458
Summer day camp for kindergarten-5th graders 8:30am-3:30pm. Sign up by the week. Extended day available. Located at Horace Mann Elementary School.

ALBEMARLE POOL
(See Gath Pool)
(617) 552-7129

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
(617) 426-9444
www.AABoston.org
12 Channel St. Ste. 604
Marine Industrial Park
Boston 02210
Coordinates the work of AA in Eastern MA. Provides a meeting list of more than 2,200 meetings and has a hot line to answer questions.
ALL NEWTON MUSIC SCHOOL
(617) 527-4553
Fax: (617) 527-7710
www.allnewtonmusicschool.com
Email: mshoemaker@allnewtonmusicschool.com
321 Chestnut St.
West Newton 02465
For 100 years, the All Newton Music School has served Newton and the Greater Boston area as a valuable cultural resource for children and adults interested in lessons, classes and concerts. ANMS provides quality musical instruction on all musical instruments, as well as classes in early childhood music education, musical theatre, rock band, music history, and more!

ALZHEIMER’S ASSOCIATION
Massachusetts/New Hampshire Chapter
24/7 Helpline 1-800-272-3900
www.ALZ.org/MANH
Care consultations, peer-based support groups; education programs, e-newsletter, Medic-alert, Safe Return and Comfort Zone services, research, training and increasing public awareness

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY
(508) 270-4600 or 1-800-227-2345
www.cancer.org
30 Speen St.
Framingham 01701
For 100 years, the American Cancer Society (ACS) has worked relentlessly to save lives and create a world with less cancer and more birthdays. Together with millions of our supporters worldwide, we’re helping people stay well, helping people get well, finding cures, and fighting back against cancer.

AMERICAN CHINESE ART SOCIETY
(617) 332-5376
www.acas-ne.com
Email: jadelin@verizon.net
111 Truman Rd.
Newton Center 02459
Advances Chinese culture and strengthens cultural exchange between Chinese and American communities. Maintains a traditional Chinese Dance Troupe and a dance studio.

AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION OF MASSACHUSETTS
(617) 482-3170
Fax: (617) 451 0009
www.aclu-mass.org
Email: info@aclum.org
211 Congress St.
Boston 02110
Litigates cases involving constitutional violations; lobbies on behalf of legislation favorable to civil liberties issues. Provides speakers.

AMERICAN CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING
1-800-769-3571
(617) 559-5700
www.consumercredit.com
130 Rumford Ave. Ste. 202
Auburndale 02466
Provides confidential credit counseling, bankruptcy counseling, housing counseling, and a debt management plan to help people regain control of their finances.

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION NORTH EAST AFFILIATE
1-800-242-8721
(781) 373-4500
Fax: (781) 373-4567
www.americanheart.org
300 Fifth Avenue
Waltham 02451
Supports reducing disability and death from cardiovascular diseases and stroke. Committed to funding vital heart and stroke research, professional programming, and community education.

AMERICAN JEWISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY
(617) 226-1245
www.ajhsboston.org
Email: reference@ajhsboston.org
99-101 Newbury St.
Boston 02116
Collects, preserves and makes available original documents for historical research. An archive also for the history of the New England Jewish community.

AMERICAN LEGION
(See Veterans’ Posts and Chapters page 88)

AMERICAN LIVER FOUNDATION
(617) 527-5600
Fax: (617) 527-5636
www.liverfoundation.org
New England Chapter
88 Winchester St.
Newton Highlands 02461
Promotes liver health and disease prevention and provides research, education and advocacy for those affected by liver-related diseases, including hepatitis.

AMERICAN RED CROSS OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY-METROWEST AREA
(781) 642-7000
Fax: (781) 642-7595
www.redcross.org/ma/boston
Email: MassBayGeneral@usa.redcross.org
139 Main St.
Cambridge 02142
Provides relief to victims of disasters and helps people prevent, prepare for, and respond to emergencies. Programs include disaster relief, CPR/First Aid training, health care training, emergency communications for the armed forces, and much more.

ANDOVER NEWTON THEOLOGICAL SCHOOL
(617) 964-1100; 1-800-964-2687
www.ants.edu
210 Herrick Rd.
Newton Center 02459
The country’s oldest Protestant graduate school of theology with more than 400 students from at least 35 denominations. Offers five Master and Doctoral level degree programs plus opportunities for continuing education.

ANGIER AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM
(617) 965-4416
www.angier afterschool.com
Email: info@angier afterschool.com
Angier Elementary School
1697 Beacon St.
Waban 02468
Offers after-school day care for Newton children ages 5-12; Monday-Friday, 12:30-6pm.

ANGINO FARM
(617) 916-9655
(See Newton Community Farm page 71)
ANIMAL ADOPTION AND RESCUE AGENCIES

VCA Brookline Animal Hospital
(617) 277-2030
Fax: (617) 277-5284
www.vcahospitals.com/Brookline
678 Brookline Ave.
Brookline 02445

Gifford Cat Shelter
(617) 787-8872
www.giffordcatshelter.org
30 Undine Road
Brighton 02135

The Cat Connection
(781) 899-4610
www.thecatconnection.org

Greyhound Friends
(508) 435-5969
www.greyhound.org
Email: ghfriend@greyhound.org
167 Saddle Hill Rd.
Hopkinton 01748

MSPCA
617) 522-5055
www.mspca.org
350 So. Huntington Ave.
Boston 02130

ANIMAL CONTROL
(617) 796-2109
www.newtonpolice.com/animal_bureau.htm
25 Chestnut Street
Newton 02465

Animal control officers enforce violation of local laws and city ordinances. They provide for the protection of citizens from potential dangers posed by domesticated or wild animals. These officers maintain liaison with local veterinary services, respond to and investigate animal bites, reports of sick or injured animals, and resolve complaints about animals received from local citizens.

ARABIC BAPTIST CHURCH BOSTON FOOD PANTRY AND CLOTHING
(617) 723-9766; (508) 561-4319;
(508) 735-3389
www.arabicbaptist.org
Email: samyibra@gmail.com or sinoteibra@cs.com
Arabic Baptist Church at
The Newton Corner Worship Center
187 Church St.
Newton Corner 02458
Provides food and clothing 2nd and 4th Friday from 11am-1pm to people in Newton. Helps battered women and their families. Head Start families, those on SSI and Welfare, the homeless and anyone else who needs food in Newton.

ARC MASSACHUSETTS
(781) 891-6270
Fax: (781) 891-6271
www.arcmass.org
Email: rutledge@arcmass.org
217 South St.
Waltham 02453
Strives to improve the quality of life for those with developmental disabilities through education, outreach, and advocacy.

ARNOLD ARBORETUM
(617) 524-1718
Fax: (617) 524-1418
www.arboretum.harvard.edu
125 Arborway
Jamaica Plain 02130
4,000 types of trees and plants; walking and biking in the heart of Boston.

ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION MASSACHUSETTS CHAPTER
(617) 244-1800
Fax: (617) 558-7686
www.arthritis.org
Chatham Center
29 Crafts St., Ste. 450
Newton Corner 02458
Provides education, information, referral services, and medical counseling; supports research to find a cure for and the prevention of arthritis. Speaker’s Bureau and health fair materials available.

ARTS IN THE PARKS
Newton Parks & Recreation Department
Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs
(617) 796-1540
Fax: (617) 552-7089
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/arts/default.asp
www.newtonculturalcenter.org
www.newtonyouthplayers.com
Email: lplaut@newtonma.gov;
Email: jsmith@newtonma.gov
Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
Commonwealth Avenue
Newton 02459
Offers year-round cultural arts programs: Time for Partners, pre-school enrichment programs for children 18 months-early 3’s; outdoor summer concerts; Newton Youth Theater, entertainment series; School Vacation performances; 4th of July celebration; Harvest Fair and Halloween Window Decorating Contest and many other programs co-sponsored with Newton Community Pride.
To Register for Time for Partners:
www.activityreg.com
Click on MA
Click on Parks & Recreation
Click on Register for Activities
Click on Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs
Choose your day

ASIAN AMERICAN CIVIC ASSOCIATION
(617) 426-9492
Fax: (617) 482-2316
www.aaca-Boston.org
Email: info@aaca-Boston.org
87 Tyler St.
Boston 02111
Since 1967, provides all immigrants and economically disadvantaged people with education including English classes, occupation training and social services towards reaching economic self-sufficiency. Leads in workforce development, delivering high
quality training that leads to promising careers. Mandarin immersion childcare center is the first in New England.

ASPERGER’S ASSOCIATION OF NEW ENGLAND
(617) 393-3824
www.aane.org
Email: info@aane.org
51 Water Street
Watertown 02472
Fosters awareness, respect, acceptance, and support for individuals with AS and related conditions and their families.

ASTHMA & ALLERGY FOUNDATION OF AMERICA, New England Chapter
(781) 444-7778
www.asthmaandallergies.org
Email: aafane@aafane.org
109 Highland Ave.
Needham 02466
Dedicated to improving the quality of life for people with asthma and allergies. Committed to eradicating these diseases through education, public awareness and advocacy programs.

ATHLETES UNLIMITED
Parks and Recreation Dept.
(617) 796-1527
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Email: mkelly@newtonma.gov
124 Vernon St.
Newton Corner 02458
Provides year-round recreation and leisure programs to children and adults with disabilities with focus on health and wellness, socialization and improving the quality of life of our athletes.

ATHLETIC LEAGUES
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/contacts.asp
The Parks and Recreation Dept. provides this contact list as a courtesy only. We do not control the registration process for any of the leagues or organizations on the list. Please contact the league directly with questions.

ATHLETICS
(617) 796-1500
(See Newton Parks and Recreation Dept. page 28-30)

ATTORNEY GENERAL’S CONSUMER HOTLINE
(617) 727-8400

AUBURNDALE COMMUNITY LIBRARY
(617) 552-7158
www.auburndalelibrary.org
375 Auburn St.
Newton 02466
A non-profit community library staffed by volunteers and funded 100% by donations.

AUBURNDALE COMMUNITY NURSERY SCHOOL 1 & TOO
230 Central St. 218 Walnut St.
Auburndale 02466 Newtonville 02460
(617) 527-0723 Auburndale
(617) 244-5899 Newtonville
website: www.acnsnewton.org
Email: acnsnewton@verizon.net
A non-profit nursery school for children 2 years, 9 months - 6 years with two Newton locations, serving families in Newton and surrounding communities. Open from 9am - 12 noon with flexible childcare open from 8 - 9am and from 12 noon - 6pm.

AUBURNDALE HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION
contact via Planning and Development Department
(617) 796-1120
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/histpres/default.asp
Reviews exterior and landscape changes to properties within the historic district for their appropriateness in order to maintain the historic character of the district.

AUBURNDALE LIFE COURSE
(617) 796-1500
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks & Recreation Dept.
Auburndale Playground
West Pine St.
Auburndale 02466
Provides year-round personal physical fitness course of 1.1 miles; has 15 marked stations for jogging, walking, and exercising.

AUBURNDALE STATION CAMP – NEXT STOP
(617) 796-1500
Parks & Recreation Dept.
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Located at Williams School
Summer 6 wk. program grades 5-8. Sign up by week; extended day options 8-6pm.

AUTISIM SOCIETY OF MASSACHUSETTS
(781) 237-0272 EXT.17
www.autism-society-massachusetts.org
Email: asamasschapter@hotmail.com
47 Walnut St.
Wellesley 02481

BABY SAFE HAVEN
1-866-814-7233

BARRY L. PRICE REHABILITATION CENTER
(617) 244-0065; (617) 244-0069
www.barrypricecenter.org
77 Rowe St., Ste.200
Auburndale 02466
Supports people with developmental disabilities by encouraging personal growth and participation in the community through social, living, and work experiences that respect individual preference and diversity.

BETH ISRAEL DEACONESS MEDICAL CENTER
(617) 667-7000
TDD: 1-800-439-0183
www.bidmc.org/
330 Brookline Ave.
Boston 02215

BICYCLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
www.BAC@newtonma.gov
A working group of citizens and city officials, a subcommittee of the Transportation Advisory Group in the Planning Department, which advises the City and the Director of Transportation on bicycling issues and helps set priorities for bicycling improvements.

BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN TASK FORCE
Email: george.lori@verizon.net
BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY  
(617) 542-9090  
Fax: (617) 542-8855 75  
www.bbbsmb.org  
Federal Street, 8th Floor  
Boston 02110  
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Massachusetts Bay is a fresh, innovative, energetic organization that is making a real difference in the lives of youth across Massachusetts Bay. With over 1,800 youth being served, BBBSMB is helping to strengthen communities by providing kids with an invested, caring adult mentors in their lives.

BIKE NEWTON  
(617) 527-1239  
www.BikeNewton.org  
Email: bikenewton@gmail.com  
Imagine Newton with safe and convenient routes for bicyclists! With bike lanes and sharrows, “Bike Route” signs, smooth shoulders and bike signals. Imagine Newton if we could safely bike to do errands, get to the T, and if kids could bike to school and after-school activities.

BIRTHDAY WISHES  
(866) 388-9474  
www.birthdaywishes.org  
Email: susan@birthdaywishes.org  
P.O. Box 590645  
Newton 02459  
Provides birthdays for homeless children.

BLOCK PARTIES  
www.newtonma.gov (Police Department, Forms)  
Newton encourages Neighborhood Block Parties. All that is required is permission from the Newton Police Department for the street closing.

BLUE HILLS TRAILSIDE MUSEUM  
(617) 333-0690  
www.massaudubon.org/bluehill  
1904 Canton Ave.  
Canton 02020  
Open Thurs.-Sunday 10am-5pm and Monday holidays. Grounds open daily dawn to dusk all year round.

BOSTON AREA RAPE CRISIS CENTER (BARCC)  
24/7 Hotline: 1-800-841-8371;  
(617) 492-8306  
Fax: (617) 492-3291  
www.barcc.org  
99 Bishop Allen Dr  
Cambridge 02139  
Provides free, confidential services to survivors of sexual violence ages 12+, their family members, friends, partners, and community. Services include counseling, legal and medical advocacy, case management and educational and professional training programs. All services are available in English, Spanish, French, and Haitian Creole, as well as other languages as needed.

BOSTON ARTISTS ENSEMBLE  
(617) 964 6553  
www.bostonartistsensemble.org  
Email: baemusic@verizon.net  
85 Hillside Avenue  
Newton 02465  
Brings the highest quality chamber music to Newton five times per season at the Trinity Episcopal Church in Newton Center. Performers have included members of the BSO such as cellist Jonathan Miller, violinist Tatiana Dimitriades, and violists Steven Ansell and Ed Gazouleas. Violinist Sharon Leventhal and pianist Randall Hodgkinson are frequent participants.

BOSTON ASSOCIATION FOR CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION (BACE) and NURSING MOTHERS’ COUNCIL  
(617) 244-5102  
www.bace-nmc.org  
Email: bace.nmc@gmail.com  
PO Box 29  
Newtonville 02460  
Provides referrals to childbirth classes and related services. Through its Nursing Mothers’ Council, provides free telephone counseling to breastfeeding mothers as well as free monthly drop-in support groups. Offers sales and rentals of breastfeeding aids. Sponsors professional training.

BOSTON BALLET SCHOOL NEWTON STUDIO  
(617) 456-6263  
Fax: (617) 695-6995  
www.bostonballet.org  
Email: kwood@bostonballet.org  
863 Washington St.  
Newtonville 02460  
Offers ballet classes for adults and children 2 years and up; all levels.

BOSTON BAR ASSOCIATION LAWYER REFERRAL  
(617) 742-0625  
www.BostonBar.org/Lrs  
A Boston Bar Association run referral service

BOSTON CAMERATA  
(617) 262-2092  
www.bostoncamerata.org  
P.O. Box 120751  
Boston 02112  
A preeminent early music ensemble founded in 1954. Produces an in-town concert series and tours regularly across the U.S. and all over the world.

BOSTON CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING  
(617) 338-6665  
TTY: (617) 338-6662  
www.bostoncil.org  
Email: jmcdonough@bostoncil.org  
60 Temple Place, 5th floor  
Boston 02111

BOSTON COLLEGE  
(617) 552-8000  
www.bc.edu  
140 Commonwealth Ave.  
Chestnut Hill 02467  
A four-year Jesuit college open to men and women of all races and creeds. Offers BA and BS degrees in many fields, MA and Ph.D. degrees in social work, law, nursing, education, theology, management, and arts and sciences.

BOSTON COLLEGE ARTS COUNCIL  
(617) 552-4935; (617) 552-0134  
www.bc.edu/offices/artsCouncil  
Email: arts@bc.edu  
Boston College  
Rubenstein Hall  
Chestnut Hill 02467  
Strives to make the experience of art available and meaningful to the Boston College student body and to the wider university community.

BOSTON COLLEGE CAMPUS SCHOOL  
(617) 552-3460  
Fax: (617) 552-6465  
www.bc.edu/offices/campusSchool  
Email: odonnesn@bc.edu  
Boston College  
Campion Hall  
Chestnut Hill 02467  
Offers educational, therapeutic, and healthcare services for children 3-21 with severe multiple disabilities. Offers consultations to local school systems and families.

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Email: jmcdonough@bostoncil.org  
60 Temple Place, 5th floor  
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BOSTON COLLEGE LEGAL ASSISTANCE—BRIGHAM AND WOMEN’S HOSPITAL

BOSTON COLLEGE LEGAL ASSISTANCE BUREAU
(781) 893-4793
Fax: (781) 893-4799
www.bc.edu/schools/law/services/academic/programs/clinical/lab.html
24 Crescent St., Ste. 202
Waltham 02453
Provides legal advice and representation in civil cases to low-income residents of Waltham, Watertown, and Newton. Provides elders (over 60) in eight municipalities (including Newton) with referrals, advice and representation. Also provides legal advice and representation to entrepreneurs, small businesses and nonprofits that cannot afford private counsel. All services are free of charge.

BOSTON JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
(617) 244-9899
Fax: (617)244-9894
www.bjff.org
Email: info@bjff.org
1001 Watertown St. 2nd fl.
West Newton 02465
Presents the best contemporary films from around the world on Jewish themes at its annual Festival and throughout the year. Through features, shorts, documentaries, and conversations with visiting artists, the Festival explores Jewish identity, the current Jewish experience, and the richness of Jewish culture in relation to a diverse modern world.

BOSTON PARENTS PAPER
Email: Boston.ParentsPaper@parenthood.com
639 Granite St., Lower Level 25
Braintree 02184

BOSTON SELF-HELP CENTER
And Ride Advocacy Project
(617) 277-0080
1534 Tremont St.
Roxbury Crossing 02120
Provides peer counseling, education and advocacy programs for adults with disabilities or chronic illnesses. Special programs include Ride Advocacy Project and Multiple Chemical Sensitivities/Environmental Illnesses. Helps people identify their rights and resources. Offers information and referral services.

BOSTON WOMEN’S FUND
(617) 725-0035
Fax: (617) 725-0277
www.bostonwomensfund.org
Email: info@bostonwomensfund.org
14 Beacon St., Ste. 805
Boston 02108
Works with low-income women, women of color, with disabilities, older women, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender people, immigrant and refugee women, and girls, who are working to create a society based on racial, social, and economic justice. Provides grants and develops programs that strengthen the grassroots initiatives and leadership of women and girls.

BOWEN AFTER SCHOOL CARE PROGRAM
(617) 969-3130
www.bascp.org
Email: ellencarter@bascp.org
280 Cypress St.
Newton Center 02459
Provides K-5 childcare to the Bowen School community. Children participate in a wide range of educational, sports, arts and crafts activities, and field trips.

BoxART PROJECT
(617) 796-1540
www.newtonma.gov/culture
Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton, MA 02459
A joint project of the Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs, Newton Open Studios and the Public Works Department, BoxART seeks to help beautify Newton while encouraging artists to share their creativity by transforming utility boxes into distinctive works of art. Vibrant public art creates an inviting environment and a sense of place. Periodic requests for proposals are announced; selected images are transferred to bus-wrap and affixed to chosen utility boxes by staff.

BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB OF NEWTON
(617) 630-2066
(See John M. Barry Boys and Girls Club page 56)

BRIDGE OVER TROUBLED WATERS
(617) 423-9575
www.BridgeOTW.org
47 West St.
Boston 02111
Offers counseling, day programs, medical, GED/educational services, job/career development programs, single parents program and residential services.

BRIGHAM AND WOMEN’S AMBULATORY CARE CENTER AT CHESTNUT HILL
(617) 732-9801
www.b Brighamandwomens.org/departments_and_services/radiology/practices/ambChestnutHill.aspx
850 Boylston Street
Chestnut Hill 02467
Adult services including: Primary Care, Ob/Gyn, Dermatology, Radiology including MRI, CT and Mammography, Phlebotomy, Endoscopy, Fish Center for Women’s Health, Osher Clinical Center for Complementary and Integrative Medical Therapies, Orthopedics and Arthritis, Allergy, Physical Therapy and Pain Management.

BRIGHAM AND WOMEN’S AT NEWTON CORNER
(617) 796-7170
www.b Brighamandwomens.org/departments_and_services/medicine/services/primarycare/offices/newton.aspx
272 Centre Street
Newton Corner 02458
Adult Primary Care, Ob/Gyn, Phlebotomy and Interventional Radiology (Vein Center) services.

BRIGHAM AND WOMEN’S HOSPITAL
1-800-BWH-9999
www.b Brighamandwomens.org
Email: bwhinfo@partners.org
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BRIGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE  
(617) 201-7088  
www.newtonma.gov/civicax/filebank/documents/40187  
Email: JRice@tsnn.com  
20 Hartford St.  
Newton Highlands 02461  
A multi-use arts/community center with an after-school program for middle school students 5 days a week. On Saturdays, Zola Center for Persons with Disabilities use the center. Call (617) 232-8462 x21.

BRIMMER AND MAY SCHOOL  
(617.278.2359)  
www.brimmerandmay.org  
69 Middlesex Rd.  
Chestnut Hill 02467  
Brimmer and May is a coed, diverse, Pre-Kindergarten through grade 12 independent day school. The School’s curriculum combines academic excellence with innovative practices in the context of a global perspective. Brimmer and May is the only school in New England cited as a “Model School” for 21st century learning by the National Association of Independent Schools.  
twitter.com/brimmerandmay  
Facebook - Brimmer and May School  
Facebook - Brimmer and May Alumni

BULLOUGH’S POND ASSOCIATION  
(617) 244-5355  
www.bulloughspond.org  
255 Mill St.  
Newtonville 02460  
Provides maintenance and improvement of Bullough’s Pond for the purpose of enjoyment, education, and recreation.

Burr Community Afterschool Program  
(617) 965-1518  
www.communityafterschool.org  
171 Pine St.  
Newton 02466  
Offers an afterschool program of enrichment and enjoyment for children who attend Burr School kindergarten to 5th grade.

CABOT AFTER SCHOOL  
(617) 964-2749  
Fax: (617) 969-2364  
www.cabotafterschool.org  
Email: lee_guerin@newton.k12.ma.us  
229 Cabot St.  
Newton 02460  
Offers a safe, nurturing environment for children attending the Cabot School. Our educators strive to promote a sense of community and help to foster friendships in a relaxed and fun filled way.

CAMP ECHO BRIDGE  
(617) 796-1527  
Fax: (617) 796-1512  
www.newtonma.gov/parks  
Parks and Recreation Dept.  
An inclusive camping program for children and young adults ages 5-21 that combines recreation and learning. Activities include swimming at Crystal Lake, arts and crafts, sports, academics, and field trips and theme-based weeks. Also includes a Counselor-in-Training (CIT) program for all teens 13-15 and a residential camping week for campers ages 10 and up and the CIT.

CAN-DO  
(617) 964-3527  
Fax: (617) 964-3593  
www.newtoncando.org  
Email: Jam_cando@msn.com  
1075 Washington St.  
West Newton 02465  
Develops and manages housing for low to moderate-income individuals and families in Newton.

CAP, Child Assault Prevention Program  
(617) 969-5906 x 143  
www.ncscweb.org  
Email:gsommer@ncscweb.org  
Director of Community Support and Prevention Services  
Newton Community Service Center  
492 Waltham St.  
Newton 02461  
A program presented to Newton Public School students in grades K, 2 and 5. Trained volunteer Prevention Specialists present classroom workshops, teaching children strategies to reduce their vulnerability to assault and violence, with the focus on bullying, stranger safety and assault by known persons.

Cappella Clausura  
(617) 964-6609  
www.clausura.org  
Email: manager@clausura.org  
P.O. Box 600100  
Newton 02460  
Founded by Amelia LeClair in 2004 to research, study and perform the music of women composers. Cappella Clausura’s name honors the extraordinary body of music written by cloistered nuns of 17th century Italy who were said to be “in clausura:” covered, hidden away, segregated from public life. A core group of 8-12 professional singers perform a cappella, with continuo, and with chamber orchestra, and classical and baroque period instruments as the repertoire requires. We take the name “Clausura” as a metaphor for the cultural obstacles faced by women composers throughout history.

Carroll Center for the Blind  
(781) 899-4610  
www.carroll.org  
Email: dina.rosenbaum@carroll.org  
770 Centre St  
Newton Corner 02458  
Helping individuals of all ages with vision loss develop the skills to lead independent lives. The Carroll Store provides optical services including low vision devices.

Cat Connection  
(617) 451-7939  
www.thecatconnection.org  
Email: info@thecatconnection.org  
P.O. Box 541435  
Waltham 02454  
Aims to control the local feral cat population and facilitates the adoption of stray and abandoned cats and kittens into responsible permanent homes.

Catholic Charities Archdiocese of Boston  
(617) 451-7939  
Fax: (617) 451-0337  
www.ccab.org  
P.O. Box 500100  
Boston 02210  
For more than 100 years, Catholic Charities has continued its mission of building a just and compassionate society rooted in the dignity of all people. The agency provides nearly 90 programs and services throughout Eastern Massachusetts. Our services
respond to the needs of the poor and working poor, provide supportive services to children and families, and assist refugees and immigrants as they become active participants in their communities. Last year, Catholic Charities served over 200,000 people in need of all faiths. Programs include basic needs services, childcare, interpreter services, youth and family services, and service referrals.

CENTRE ACRES DAY CAMP
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks & Recreation Dept.
Offers 7 week summer day camp located at Newton Centre Hut. Swimming at Crystal Lake. Sign up by week. Extended day options 8am-6pm

CENTRE STREET FOOD PANTRY
(617)340-9554
www.centrestfoodpantry.com
Email: centrestfoodpantry@gmail.com
11 Homer St.
Newton Center 02459
Residents of Newton and surrounding communities who meet the USDA guidelines or receive other assistance may shop once per month for a three to four day supply of food. Shoppers are able to choose the canned, fresh, and frozen items they can use for their households from our shelves. Donations can be dropped off during our open hours; larger donations at another prearranged time. The Centre Street Food Pantry is open to shoppers every Tuesday from 4-7pm and the first Saturday of each month from 11am-2pm.

CHARLES RIVER CANOE & KAYAK
(617) 965-5110
Fax: (617) 965-7695
www.paddleboston.com/newton/direc-
tions.php
www.paddleboston.com/nahanton.php
www.PaddleBoston.com
2401 Commonwealth Ave.
Auburndale 02466
Dedicated to providing residents of the Boston area with opportunities for outdoor paddle sports recreation. Offers small-boat rentals and sales, instruction, guided tours and trips, kid’s paddling camps, and a wealth of knowledge and experience. Rentals in Auburndale and Nahanton Park.

CHARLES RIVER CENTER
(781) 972-1000
Fax: (781) 444-5146
www.charlesrivercenter.org
Email: jgrugan@charlesrivercenter.org
59 East Militia Heights Rd.
Needham 02492
A nonprofit social service agency that provides advocacy and a variety of services to children and adults with developmental disabilities and their families.

CHARLES RIVER CONSERVANCY
(617) 608-1410
www.thecharles.org
Email: crc@thecharles.org
4 Brattle St. #309
Cambridge 02138
The Charles River Conservancy is dedicated to the stewardship, renewal, and enhancement of the urban parklands along the Charles River, for the enjoyment of all.

CHARLES RIVER PUBLIC INTERNET CENTER (CRPIC)
(781) 891-9559
Fax: (781) 891-6535
www.crpic.org
154 Moody St.
Waltham 02453
Our mission is to advance technology and internet literacy for adults and youth by empowering people with the technical skills necessary for economic success. We provide the general public with a welcoming space equipped with 20 computers connected to the Internet that can be used free of charge. Our staff offers informal assistance on an as-needed basis to the public. We also provide free, one-on-one tutoring sessions with a scheduled appointment.

CHARLES RIVER WATERSHED ASSOCIATION
(781) 788-0007; (781) 788-0057
www.charlesriver.org
Email: charles@crwa.org
190 Park Rd.
Weston 02493
Located on the grounds of the Leo J. Martin Golf Course. The mission is to use science, advocacy and the law to protect, preserve and enhance the Charles River and its watershed. For the past 40 years, CRWA has figured prominently in major clean-up and watershed protection efforts, working with government officials and citizen groups from 35 watershed towns from Hopkinton to Boston.

CHESTNUT HILL HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION
(contact via Planning and Development Department)
(617) 796-1120
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/histpres/default.asp
Reviews exterior and landscape changes to properties within the historic district for their appropriateness in order to maintain the historic character of the district.

Call us for an estimate.

978.537.9791
CHESTNUT HILL SCHOOL
(617) 566-0445
www.tchs.org
428 Hammond Street
Newton 02467

CLEARWAY SCHOOL
(617) 964-6186
Fax: (617) 965-5680
www.clearwayschool.org
Email: clearway@clearwayschool.org
61 Chestnut St.
West Newton 02465
A small, private, nonprofit day school for students in grades 6 to 12 with language-based learning disabilities, nonverbal learning disabilities, dyslexia, and other similar special needs. We accommodate a wide range of students who typically share a common theme of having difficult school experiences prior to coming to Clearway and the need for a small setting.

COMING OF AGE SENIOR CITIZEN NEWSLETTER
(617) 796-1660
Fax: (617) 969-9560
www.newtonseniors.org
Email: info@newtonseniors.org
Email: msass@newtonma.gov
Newton Senior Center
345 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
A bi-monthly newsletter containing timely articles for senior citizens with information about programs, events and services in Newton. Mailed every other month complimentary to every household that has someone over the age of 60.

COMMITTEE FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES
(See Mayor’s Committee for People with Disabilities page 63)

COMMUNITIES FOR PEOPLE
(617) 267-1031
www.communities-for-people.org
418 Commonwealth Ave.
Boston 02215
Offers a community-based approach to residential programs for troubled youth. Focuses on achieving permanency, making life long connections within the community, and developing independent living skills. Goal is to provide youth and families with the services and support they need to thrive independently and as part of their communities.

COMMUNITIES UNITED
(See Newton Creative Start page 72)
(617) 527-6689
www.communitiesunitedinc.org
Email: newton@communitiesunitedinc.org
573B Washington St.
Newton 02458
Goal is to give preschool children and families an opportunity to experience growth by providing an environment that encourages participation and interaction in a full range of developmentally appropriate activities. Promotes an anti-bias perspective that acknowledges and celebrates differences. Committed to the concept that parents are the first and most important teachers of their children. Strives to increase the ability of children and families to cope with and initiate change in their lives and build upon the gains made through their experiences.
COMMUNITIES WITHOUT BORDERS — COMMUNITY SERVICE AGENCY

COMMUNITY PRESERVATION GRANTS PROGRAM
(617) 796-1144
Fax: (617) 796-1142
www.newtonma.gov/cpa
Email: aingerson@newtonma.gov
Newton City Hall, Planning Dept.
Makes grant recommendations to the Board of Aldermen for affordable housing, historic resources, open space or recreation land. Our website includes diagrams of the funding process, current funding guidelines and available funds, upcoming deadlines, sample forms, and information about past projects. To ask questions or get started on submitting a proposal, contact us.

COMMUNITY ROWING
(617) 779-8267
www.communityrowing.org
Email: friendlyperson@communityrowing.org
Harry Parker Boathouse
20 Nonantum Rd
Brighton 02135
Operates rowing and sculling programs for ages 12-adult and for people with special needs. No experience needed.

COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
(See Newton Community Education page 71)
(617) 559-6999

COMMUNITY SERVICE AGENCY
(877) 869-3016
Fax: (781) 559-3192
www.communityserviceagency@riversidecc.org
Email: communityserviceagency@riversidecc.org
237 Highland Ave.
Needham 02494
The Community Service Agency (CSA) provides Intensive Care Coordination and Family Support and Training for youth with serious emotional disturbance (SED), under the age of 21, and enrolled in MassHealth Standard or CommonHealth who meet the medical necessity criteria for this service.

COMMUNITIES WITHOUT BORDERS
(617) 233-6071
www.communitieswithoutborders.org
Email: psmith@igc.org
130 Washington St.
Newton Corner 02458
The mission, since 2000 is to educate orphans and other vulnerable children in Africa in order to nourish hope for a better future for them, society and the world. Our approach fosters building ongoing community-to-community relationships at the grassroots level.

COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION
(See Parent Advisory Council for Special Education page 78)
Email: info@newtonpac.org

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, CITY OF NEWTON
(617) 796-1120
www.newtonma.gov/Planning/Department_services.htm
Planning and Development Dept.
Newton City Hall, Lower Level
Newton 02459
The Community Development Program uses an annual allocation of over $2.5 million in federal Community Development Block Grant, HOME Program and Emergency Shelter Grant Funds to assist Newton’s low and moderate-income residents. The Program relies on the assistance of citizen advisory committees that make funding recommendations to the Planning and Development Board for final approval by the Mayor. The following is a list of the type of assistance provided.

Affordable Housing Development
(617) 796-1120
Provides loans to nonprofit and for-profit developers for property acquisition and development of permanent affordable housing for income-eligible households. Housing may be rental or for sale.

Architectural Access Program
(617) 796-1125
Funds accessibility projects that benefit people with disabilities. The majority of projects are undertaken to improve access at public facilities, although some funding is available to make nonprofit service organizations more accessible.

Business Loan Program
(617) 796-1139
Offers low-interest loans to microenterprise and small business entrepreneurs to locate or continue to locate in Newton. Businesses must meet income eligibility or job creation requirements. Also offers zero-interest loans to small businesses in village centers to improve exterior facades.

First Time Homebuyer Program
(617) 796-1120
Provides funds to help low and moderate income households purchase existing housing units in the city of Newton. Both mortgage buydown and down payment/closing cost assistance are offered.

Housing Rehabilitation
(617) 796-1120
Helps income-eligible homeowners and tenants to live in safe housing. Financial assistance is available for rehabilitation including energy conservation, lead abatement, asbestos removal, and accessibility improvements, etc.

Human Services Program
(617) 796-1132
Provides grants to local human service providers to support a variety of needed services they offer to low and moderate-income Newton residents, adults with disabilities, victims of domestic violence, elders, abused children, people who are homeless or illiterate, and people with AIDS.

Neighborhood Improvements
(617) 796-1139
Funds improvements to streets, parks, playgrounds, public buildings, and traffic signals and other infrastructure improvements in income-eligible areas. These target neighborhoods currently include portions of Newton Corner, Nonantum, Newtonville and West Newton.
COMMITTEE
(617) 559-6152
Email: stacey_moriarty@newton.k12.ma.us
Curriculum Resource Center
Newton Public Schools
100 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
Provides in-school enrichment programs in the arts and sciences that enhance the curricula for grades K-8.

CRYSTAL LAKE
(617) 552-7124
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/aquatics/crystal/
Parks & Recreation Department
16 Rogers St.
Newton Highlands 02461
Natural swimming area, beachfront with sand, floating dock, swimming lessons.
Check website for schedules and fees.

CRYSTAL LAKE CONSERVANCY
www.crystallakeconservancy.org
PO. Box 610038
Newton Highlands 02461
Email: CrystallakeConservancy@gmail.com
Dedicated to the preservation and protection of Crystal Lake for the benefit of the public by promoting and supporting the unique natural beauty and enjoyment of the lake. Working groups engage in short-term and long-term initiatives as well as engagement of the public, particularly watershed residents to ensure the continued use and health of Crystal Lake. Recent initiatives include storm-drain markings and filters, watershed signs, rain gardens.

CULTURAL AFFAIRS ORGANIZATIONS
(See Arts & Culture, pages 16 & 17)

CYSTIC FIBROSIS FOUNDATION
1-800-966-0444; (508) 655-6000
Fax: (508) 655-6000
www.cff.org
Email: mass-ri@cff.org
Natick 01760
220 N. Main St., Ste. 104
With more than 75 chapters and branch offices across the country that work diligently to raise funds to help support the search for a cure, each chapter hosts multiple fun and exciting fundraising events aimed at bringing local communities together in support of the Foundation’s mission.

COUNSELOR IN TRAINING PROGRAM AT ALBEAMARLE ACRES
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/camps/counselor/albeamarle.asp
Parks & Recreation Department
A two-week training program for boys and girls ages 13-15. Located at Albeamarle Acres Summer Program at Horace Mann School.

COUNSELOR IN TRAINING PROGRAM AT CAMP BRUNEN BROOK
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/camps/counselor/brunen_brook.asp
Parks & Recreation Department
A two-week training program for boys and girls ages 13-15. Located at Camp Brunen Brook at Peirce School.

COUNTRYSIDE CHILDREN’S CENTER
(617) 964-6958
Fax: (617) 965-1710
www.countrysidechildrenscenterinc.com
191 Dedham St.
Newton Highlands 02461
An after school program serving children from kindergarten through fifth grade dedicated to ensuring a safe, nurturing environment for our children. Goal is to meet each child’s social, intellectual, physical and emotional needs through a great variety of play and social interaction. Joining ranks with Countryside Elementary School to offer a blended day of learning while supporting each family by providing a comforting home away from home. Two locations: Countryside School and 45 Pettee St., Newton Upper Falls. 12pm-5:45pm Monday-Friday.

COOPERATIVE METROPOLITAN MINISTRIES (CMM)
(617) 244-3650
www.coopmet.org
Email: info@coopmet.org
474 Centre St.
Newton 02458
Our Mission: Mobilizing congregations and communities across economic, religious, racial, and ethnic boundaries so that, in partnership, we can work more effectively for a just society.

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS
(781) 444-1091
www.compassionatefriends.org
A not for profit, non-sectarian mutual assistance self help organization offering friendship and understanding to bereaved parents, siblings and grandparents. Meetings are open to all who have experienced the death of a child at any age and from any cause. Meets in Needham twice monthly.

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
(617) 796-1120
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/conserv/default.asp
Planning and Development Dept.
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton Center 02459
Administers the Wetlands Protection and the City of Newton Floodplain Ordinance 22-22 and preserves and protects Newton’s wetlands and floodplains. Acquires properties for the preservation of open space and wildlife protection, maintains all conservation areas in a sound manner, makes the areas accessible to the public and educates the public about open space issues.

CONSUMER OFFICE
(See Newton-Brookline Consumer Office page 70)
(617) 796-1292

CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION
1-800-638-2772
www cpsc.gov
Handles recalls and provides information or products used round the home.
DISTRICT COURT OF NEWTON
(617) 244-3600
www.mass.gov/courts/courtsandjudges/courts/newtondistrictmain.html
1309 Washington St.
Newton 02465
Hears civil, criminal, mental health, small claims, summary process, supplementary process and restraining order cases. Jury and non-jury criminal and civic trials.

EASTER SEALS OF MASSACHUSETTS
(617) 226-2640
Fax: (617) 737-9875
www.eastersealsma.org
Email: info@eastersealsma.org
89 South St. 1st fl.
Boston 02111
Providing services for people with disabilities and their families. Easter Seals Massachusetts provides a variety of programs and services for children and adults with disabilities or special needs. Services may be offered in an individual’s home, in the community or at our facility. Services include Assistive Technology, Assistive Technology Regional Center (ATRC), AT Loan Program, Autism, Camp, Disability Resource Information, Great Hires, Employment and Training Services, Rehabilitation and Therapy Services, Veterans Services, Youth Leadership Network and Youth Transition Services.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE
1-800-899-4000

DREAM FAR HIGH SCHOOL MARATHON
(617) 694-4885
Fax: (617) 527-9994
www.dreamfar.org
Email: jamie@dreamhsm.org
27 Scotney Road
Chestnut Hill 02467
Our mission is to challenge high school students to reach their full potential - physically, socially, emotionally, and academically - through a mentor-supported marathon training program.

DURANT-KENRICK HOUSE AND GROUNDS
(See Historic Newton, pages 24-26)

DRAMAFAR HIGH SCHOOL MARATHON
(617) 694-4885
Fax: (617) 527-9994
www.dreamfar.org
Email: jamie@dreamhsm.org
27 Scotney Road
Chestnut Hill 02467
Our mission is to challenge high school students to reach their full potential - physically, socially, emotionally, and academically - through a mentor-supported marathon training program.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
(617) 796-1120
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/lrplan/econdev/default.asp
Promotes new and existing businesses to strengthen the local economy, provide jobs and expand the city’s tax base. Comprised of mayoral appointees.

EDCO COLLABORATIVE
(617) 738-5600
www.edcollab.org
Email: edco@edcollab.org
281 Winter Street
Waltham 02451
Has a long, rich history of providing services to school districts in Greater Boston and to at-risk students and adults across MA. Since 1969, EDCO has been offering high quality student programs, outstanding educator training, and other cost-effective services to school communities. We continue to provide innovative and responsive programming for our members and to support the needs of students and adults who remain at-risk through a variety of state and federally funded programs.

EDCO PROGRAM FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING
(617) 244-3407 (Voice)
(617) 244-2403 (V/TTY)
Fax: (617) 965-8918
Email: emulligan@edcollab.org
Newton North High School
457 Walnut St.
F. A. Day Middle School
21 Minot Place
Newtonville 02460
Offers comprehensive education for deaf and hard of hearing children in grades 6-12; housed at F.A. Day Middle School and Newton North High School.

ELDER ABUSE HOTLINE
1-800-922-2275

ELLIS HOUSE
(781) 449-1212
Fax: (781) 449-4064
www.riversidecc.org
Email: elliothouse@riversidecc.org
255 Highland Ave.
Needham 02494
A clubhouse program that utilizes the strength of extensive peer support and rehabilitative environment to provide employment, social and independent living experiences for individuals who have a history of mental illness.
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS — FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
(617) 796-1420 Health and Human Services
(617) 796-1426 Flu Information hotline

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESOURCES – PUBLIC HEALTH
(617) 796-1420 Health and Human Services
(617) 796-1426 Flu Information hotline

EMERSON COMMUNITY CENTER
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/Planning/Econ/econ_web/econ_index.htm
Parks and Recreation Dept.
45 Pettee St.
Newton Upper Falls 02464
Offers neighborhood activities for all ages evenings and weekends, Oct.-May. Two privately licensed day care programs are located here: Upper Falls Nursery School (617) 332-6488 and Countryside After School Program (617) 965-6434.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE
(617) 796-1360
(See Library page 27)

EPILEPSY FOUNDATION OF MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE AND MAINE
(617) 506-6041
(888) 576-9996
Fax: (617) 506-6047
www.efmarinhme.org
540 Gallivan Blvd #200
Boston 02124
Provides information and referral services; regional conferences; annual walks for epilepsy; annual candlelight dinners and auctions in Boston; Camp Wee-Kan-Tu; epilepsy education for schools, first responders, professionals and community groups; support groups.

EXPECTANT MOTHERS GUIDE TO BOSTON
www.expectantmothersguide.com
Online resource guide designed to help mothers find local pregnancy, postpartum support groups, childbirth, baby and parenting-related information and programs.

EXPLORING PROGRAM Norumbega Council, Boy Scouts of America
(See Boy Scouts of America page 43)
(508) 872-6551

E-Z PASS MA PROGRAM (formerly FASTLANE)
(857) 368-4636
(617) 986-5511
Fax: (857) 368-0601
www.massdot.state.ma.us/highway/traf-fictravelresources/EZPassMAProgram.aspx
10 Park Plaza, Ste. 4160
Boston 02116
Provides customers with a transponder tag for electronic toll payment on the Mass. Turnpike.

FACING HISTORY AND OURSELVES
(800) 856-9039
www.facinghistory.org
Email: info@facing.org
16 Hurd Rd.
Brookline 02445
For more than 30 years, Facing History has believed that education is the key to combating bigotry and nurturing democracy. Through a rigorous investigation of the events that led to the Holocaust, as well as other recent examples of genocide and mass violence, students in a Facing History class learn to combat prejudice with compassion, indifference with participation, and myth and misinformation with knowledge. We work with educators throughout their careers to improve their effectiveness in the classroom, as well as their students’ academic performance and civic learning.

FAIR HOUSING COMMITTEE
(617) 796-1146
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/hcd/cac/nfhc/default.asp
Email: rmullo@newtonma.gov
The Fair Housing Committee, whose members are appointed by the Mayor, is staffed by the Planning Department. The committee’s mission is to promote and support the City’s efforts to be a diverse and welcoming community with housing choices and opportunities free from housing discrimination.

FAMILY TIES OF MASSACHUSETTS
1-800-905-TIES
www.massfamilyties.org
5 Randolph St., 3rd floor
Canton 02021
A Department of Public Health agency that also publishes an online directory of special needs resources. Provides parent-to-parent support, information and referral services, and workshops to ensure that parents feel confident in caring for children with special needs.

FARMERS’ MARKETS
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/programs/farmers/default.asp
Parks & Recreation Department
Fresh fruits and vegetables, turkey pies, jellies and jams, honey, cider, baked goods, beef, fresh fish, goat cheese, plants and flowers. (rain or shine)

Summer Market
Tuesdays: 1:30-6pm
July- Oct
Cold Spring Park
1200 Beacon St.

Winter- Indoor Market
Tuesdays: 1:30-6pm
November - June
Hyde Community Center
90 Lincoln St
Newton Highlands

FCD EDUCATIONAL SERVICES
(617) 964-9300
Fax: (617) 964-9449
www.fcd.org
Email: schools@fcd.org
398 Walnut Street
Newtonville 02460
The leading non-profit provider of school-based substance abuse prevention services around the world.

FEDERATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
(617) 236-7210
Fax: (617) 572-2094
www.fcsninfo@fcsn.org
529 Main St. Suite 1M3
Boston 02129
Advocacy and support organization. Offers directory of special needs camps and resources.
**FESSENDEN SCHOOL**

(617) 964-5350  
www.fessenden.org  
250 Waltham St.  
West Newton 02465  
Our mission is to teach, nurture and celebrate growing boys while striving to develop balance in mind, heart and body. The foundation of our philosophy is providing a character education that embraces the values of honesty, compassion and respect in an inclusive community.

**FOLK SONG SOCIETY OF GREATER BOSTON**

(617) 623-1806  
www.fssgb.org  
Our roughly 300 members include open and overlapping communities of singers, pickers, scholars, and friends gathering in many forms. We sponsor monthly concerts, group singing events: monthly sings; midweek sings and trade swaps; periodic workshops; a yearly weekend gathering in the fall; an extensive library of folk music.

**FOOD PANTRIES IN NEWTON**

**Arabic Baptist Church Boston Food Pantry and Clothing, Newton Corner**

(617) 723-9766  
www.arabicbaptist.org  
Email: samyibra@gmail.com  
sinoteibra@cs.com  
187 Church Street  
Newton 02458  
Food and clothing distributed the second and fourth Friday of each month 11am-1pm.

**Centre Street Food Pantry**

Newton Center  
(617) 340-9554  
www.newtonfoodpantry.org  
Email: amyradin@comcast.net  
11 Homer Street  
Newton Center 02459  
Tuesdays from 4-7pm and the first Saturday of each month from 11am-2pm.

**Newton Food Pantry, Waban**

(617) 527-2394  
www.newtonfoodpantry.org  
Email: tracie.longman@gmail.com  
Waban Library Center (Basement)  
1608 Beacon Street  
Waban 02468  
Wednesdays 1:30-3:30pm and the third Saturday of each month 11am-noon.

**FOOD SOURCE HOTLINE**

1-800-645-8333  
145 Border St.  
East Boston  
Hotline for emergency food resources and food stamp information.

**FOOD STAMP HOTLINE**

(617) 796-1420  
Newton residents may apply at the Department of Health & Human Services

**FOUNDATION FOR RACIAL, ETHNIC AND RELIGIOUS HARMONY**

(617) 969-5906  
www.theharmonyfoundation.weebly.com  
492 Waltham St.  
West Newton 02465  
Established to raise funds for activities that promote understanding and respect for similarities and differences among people. Facilitates and funds educational and public awareness programs, seminars, and all other activities which the Foundation deems appropriate to forward the understanding and acceptance of people of different faiths, races, and ethnic backgrounds. Reaches out to community groups and agencies which share the Foundation’s goals to provide financial assistance to augment their existing programs.

**FRANKLIN PARK ZOO**

(617) 541-LION  
www.zoonewengland.org  
1 Franklin Park Rd.  
Boston 02121  
Mission is to inspire people to protect and sustain the natural world for future generations by creating fun and engaging experiences that integrate wildlife and conservation programs, research and education.

**FREEDMAN CENTER FOR CHILD AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT AT MSPP**

(617) 332-3666  
Fax: (617) 244-1072  
www.mspp.edu/freedman  
Email: margaret_hannah@mspp.edu  
One Wells Avenue  
Newton Center 02459  
Helps children and families with information, provides resources to serve mental health and wellness needs through programs and referral services.

**FUEL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

(See ABCD Fuel Assistance Program page 38)  
(617) 796-1282

**FRIENDS OF HEMLOCK GORGE**

(617) 244-2601  
www.hemlockgorge.org  
1094 Chestnut St.  
Newton Upper Falls 02464

**FRIENDS OF NAHANTON PARK**

(617) 262-1111  
www.nahantonpark.com  
499 Winchester St.  
Newton 02459  
A volunteer organization dedicated to the enhancement and preservation of Nahanton Park.

**FRIENDS OF THE UPPER FALLS GREENWAY**

www.upperfallsgreenway.org  
Email: info@upperfallsgreenway.org  
Citizen volunteer group in support of the Upper Falls Greenway. Organizes special events, plantings, clean-ups, maintenance, art projects.

**FRIENDS OF THE NEWTON FREE LIBRARY**

(617) 796-1360  
www.newtonfreelibrary.net  
300 Homer St.  
Newton Center 02459  
Promotes and supports the Newton Free Library’s programs, functions, resources, and services. Initiates activities to enhance community awareness of literary, artistic, and cultural programs. Advocates for the library with public officials.

**FRANKLIN PARK ZOO**

(617) 541-LION  
www.zoonewengland.org  
1 Franklin Park Rd.  
Boston 02121  
Mission is to inspire people to protect and sustain the natural world for future generations by creating fun and engaging experiences that integrate wildlife and conservation programs, research and education.

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(617) 332-3666  
Fax: (617) 244-1072  
www.mspp.edu/freedman  
Email: margaret_hannah@mspp.edu  
One Wells Avenue  
Newton Center 02459  
Helps children and families with information, provides resources to serve mental health and wellness needs through programs and referral services.

**FRIENDS OF THE UPPER FALLS GREENWAY**

www.upperfallsgreenway.org  
Email: info@upperfallsgreenway.org  
Citizen volunteer group in support of the Upper Falls Greenway. Organizes special events, plantings, clean-ups, maintenance, art projects.

**FUEL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

(See ABCD Fuel Assistance Program page 38)  
(617) 796-1282

**FUSTANTIC FRIDAYS**

(617) 796-1500  
Fax: (617) 796-1512  
Parks and Recreation Dept. and the Newton Highlands Community Development Corporation  
Hyde Community Center  
90 Lincoln St.  
Newton Highlands 02461  
Activities, board games, foozball, basketball, live DJ and snack bar, exclusively for 5th graders every month on Fridays, 7-9pm.
Funtastic School Vacation Programs
(617) 796-1500
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks & Recreation Department
Various locations. December, February and April vacations. K-6 grades; can register by day or all week.

Funtastic Summer Vacation Program
(617) 796-1500
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks & Recreation Department
Last week in June and last two weeks in August. Grades 1-6 register by day or week. Fieldtrip every day.

Garden City Preservation Society
Email: gcps.volunteers@gmail.com

Garden Clubs
Newton Community Pride
(617) 796-1540
www.newtoncommunitypride.org

Garden in the Woods
(See New England Wild Flower Society page 68)
(508) 877-7630

Gath Pool (Aquatics)
(617) 796-1500
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/aquatics/gath
Parks & Recreation Department
256 Albemarle Rd.
Newtonville 02460
City-owned swimming pool, 6 lanes, diving well, shallow area, children’s wading pool, shade structures, water slide. Lessons offered. Check website for schedules and fees.

Girl Scouts of Newton
(617) 671-1223
Newton: www.newtongirlscouts.org
Local Council:
www.girlscoutseasternmass.org
National: www.girlscouts.org
Email: newtong@gmail.com
Open to girls grades K-12 to help them grow into caring and confident young women. Activities such as arts, nature, science, culture, cooking, citizenship and sports lead girls to develop positive values, gain practical life skills, handle challenges, learn cooperation and team-building, connect with their communities, self advocate and feel empowered to make a difference. A volunteer-run organization that relies on parents and other adults to become trained as troop advisers with the associate personal rewards and skill-building opportunities.

Good Shepherd Community Care
(617) 969-6130
Fax: (617) 928-1450
www.gscommunitycare.org
90 Wells Avenue
Newton Center 02459
Founded as Hospice of the Good Shepherd in 1978, Good Shepherd is one of the most trusted health care organizations in Greater Boston focusing on hospice and palliative care. A Newton-based independent, non-profit, non-sectarian organization, long aware of the profound and unique needs of people facing the final stage of life - their own, or that of a loved one. Enhancing the quality of remaining life, so that those in the final stage of life can live as fully, independently, and comfortably as possible is their goal. Programs include Hospice, Pediatric Palliative Care, Russian Hospice Program and Good Shepherd Institute.

Gore Place
(781) 894-2798
Fax: (781) 894-5745
www.goreplace.org
Email: goreplace@goreplace.org
52 Gore St.
Waltham 02453
A Federal period, elegantly furnished historic house and estate of Gov. Christopher Gore which includes a small farm with sheep, goats and poultry. Has been called “the Monticello of the North.” Architectural historians consider it the most significant Federal period mansion in New England.

Government Officials
(See pages 22 & 23)

Greater Boston Baptist Association
(781) 449-4000
www.BostonBaptist.org
Email: dom@bostonbaptist.org
754 Greendale Ave.
Needham 02492
The Greater Boston Baptist Association relates to churches to facilitate, equip, encourage and resource them.

Greater Boston Guild for the Blind
(617) 323-5111
Fax: (617) 323-6687
www.gbgb.org
Email: eyeinfo@gbgb.org
1980 Centre St.
Boston 02132
GBGB is a subsidiary of The Jewish Guild for the Blind. Comprehensive Adult Day Health Program (ADH) provides nursing supervision, medication management, health education, social work services, vision rehabilitation, therapeutic activities, transportation, and a hot meal. Computer Training provided in GBGB’s Adaptive Technology Center includes individual assessment of skills and training needs, and individual or group instruction on adaptive equipment and software. Low vision clinic provides eye examinations, low vision evaluation, prescription and training in use of low vision devices.
Greater Boston Legal Services — Highland Jazz

Greater Boston Legal Services
(617) 371-1234
Hotline: 1-800-342-5297
www.gblds.org
197 Friend St.
Boston 02114
Every week, Greater Boston Legal Services provides free legal assistance and representation on civil (non-criminal) matters to hundreds of the neediest residents in the city of Boston and 31 surrounding cities and towns. When they have nowhere else to turn, low-income families and individuals, elders, and people with disabilities look to GBLS for help to secure the most basic necessities of life.

Greater Boston Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG)
(617) 667-2229
www.gbpflag.org
Email: info@gbpflag.org
Promotes the health and well-being of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender persons, their families and friends. Our mission is to provide support to cope with an adverse society; education to enlighten the public; and advocacy to end discrimination and to secure equal civil rights. Provides opportunities for dialogue about sexual orientation and gender identity, and acts to create a society that is healthy and respectful of human diversity.

Green Decade/Newton
(617) 965-1995
www.greendecade.org
Email: info@greendecade.org
PO Box 590242
Newton 02459
Promotes goals of Energy Smart Newton to reduce energy 20% by 2020 in our homes, public facilities and businesses. Seeks to improve reuse/recycling/waste disposal practices and bike/pedestrian safety. Promotes safe alternatives to toxic chemicals in homes and on lawns. Sponsors educational programs at library, Students for a Greener World and student art contest. Funds grant projects. Seeks to conserve and protect our natural resources.

Hadassah
(781) 455-9055
Fax: (781) 455-9906
www.hadassah.org
Email: bostonchapter@hadassah.org
200 Reservoir St., Suite 103
Needham 02494
The Woman’s Zionist Organization of America is a Jewish volunteer organization supporting medical, educational and youth programs in Israel and the United States.

Health and Human Services Department
(617) 796-1420
www.newtonma.gov/gov/health
Email: ruth_hoshino@newton.k12.ma.us
1000 Commonwealth Ave.
Newton 02459
The mission of the department is to protect, promote and sustain the health, harmony, and well being of all Newton residents, in a culturally-sensitive, customer-friendly manner. Our focus is on prevention.

Heating Assistance Program
(617) 796-1420
(See Department of Health & Human Services page 5)
Residents at least age 60, should contact the Department of Senior Services, (617) 796-1660.

Hebrew College
(617) 559-8600
1-800-866-4814
FAX (617) 559-8601
www.hebrewcollege.edu
160 Herrick Rd.
Newton Center 02459
Promotes excellence in Jewish learning and leadership within a pluralistic environment of open inquiry, intellectual rigor, personal engagement and spiritual creativity. Dedicated to building bridges between the academy and the community, Hebrew College offers a diverse educational and cultural program for youth, adults and Jewish professionals and seeks to invigorate Jewish life.

Hebrew SeniorLife
(617) 363-8000
www.hebrewseniorlife.org
1200 Centre Street
Boston 02131
The largest provider of elder care in the Boston metropolitan area, founded in 1903. An affiliate of Harvard Medical School, a nonprofit, non-sectarian organization devoted to innovative gerontology and geriatric research, senior health care, long-term nursing home care, and Greater Boston senior housing communities that improve the lives of older adults. From independent living to assisted living, Hebrew SeniorLife provides retirement communities in Massachusetts that are designed to help older adults live healthy independent lives.

Highland Glee Club
(508) 655-8232
www.highlandgleeclub.com
Since 1908, the Highland Glee Club has been performing men’s choral music. Spanning many styles: classical, show tunes, folk songs, ballads and spirituals under the direction of a professional music director and accompanist. New members are always welcome. Rehearsals from September to April, 7:15-9:30pm.

Highland Jazz
(781) 237-1917
www.highlandjazz.org
EMAIL: highlandjazz@verizon.net
P. O. Box 610037
Newton Highlands 02461
The oldest, continuous, community-based jazz series in New England, now in its 31st season. Highland Jazz has presented over 200 concerts and gained a national reputation for showcasing the highest caliber of musicians and vocalists. Featured performers have included the late Dizzy Gillespie, Alan Dawson, Herb Pomeroy, Dave McKenna and Dick Johnson as well as Sheila Jordan, Steve Kuhn, Paul Broadnax, Greg Hopkins, Donna Byrne, Marshall Wood and Gray Sargent among others. Has also been an early showcase for musicians who have gone on to gain international acclaim including vocalist Rebecca Parris, pianist Makoto Ozone, vibraphonist Warren Wolf, trumpeter Jason Palmer, alto saxophonist Grace Kelly and guitarist Julian Lage.
Nutrition Education and Counseling, Meals-on-Wheels in Newton, and Community Dining Sites. Springwell’s Meals-on-Wheels plays a key role in helping seniors live longer lives by providing regular nutrition and daily contact with a friendly driver. Some utilize our service while recovering from illness or surgery, others may need meals indefinitely. To be eligible for federally subsidized meals under the Older Americans Act, people must be age 60 or older, be unable to prepare a nutritionally balanced meal, and be unable to go to one of the 9 senior dining sites.

THE HOME FOR LITTLE WANDERERS
(617) 267-3700
www.thehome.org
271 Huntington Avenue
Boston 02115
For more than 200 years, children and families have sought help from The Home because they are facing tough situations that threaten their well-being. The goal of the Home is to help them thrive and succeed. Services include family support and stabilization, outpatient, in-home and school-based therapy, early childhood clinical services, special educational intensive foster care and adoption, mental health consultation to schools and community agencies and help navigating local child and family care resources.

HOME-BASED STABILIZATION PROGRAM
(See Riverside Outpatient Center in Newton page 84)
(781) 329-0909
Fax: (781) 320-9136
HORACE MANN DAY-AFTER-DAY
(617) 964-1202
www.dayafterdayinc.org
687 Watertown St.
Newtonville 02460
HORIZONS FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN
(617) 553-5455
www.horizonschildren.org
1705 Columbus Ave.
Roxbury 02119
A non-profit dedicated to improving the lives of young homeless children and their families by ensuring that they are prepared for school success. We provide high quality early education, opportunities to play, and comprehensive family support services.

HOSPITALITY HOMES
(617) 482-4338; 1-800-595-4678
Fax: (617) 879-6364
www.hosp.org
P.O. Box 15265
Boston 02215
Provides temporary housing in volunteer host homes and other donated accommodations for families and friends of patients seeking care at Boston area medical centers. Since 1983, Hospitality Homes’ unique, home-away-from-home lodging option has provided a caring response as well as relief from emotional and financial challenges for these individuals and families.

HOSTELLING INTERNATIONAL
New England
(617) 718-7990
Fax: (617) 718-7995
www.usahostels.org
19 Stuart Street
Boston 02116
To foster intercultural understanding and environmental awareness by being a leader in budget travel; by developing, maintaining and operating hostels; and by promoting programs and education for our membership and the local and global communities. Manages 6 hostels in Boston, Cape Cod and the Islands.

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, CITY OF NEWTON
(See Community Development Program page 47)
(617) 796-1120
HOUSING AUTHORITY
(See Newton Housing Authority page 74)
(617) 552-5501
HUA XIN CHINESE LANGUAGE SCHOOL AT GBCCA
(617) 332-0377
Fax: (617) 630-8102
Email: gbccaorg@aol.com
437 Cherry St.
West Newton 02465
Promotes public awareness of Chinese culture and heritage, to enhance the well-being and social standing of Chinese Americans; and to provide an environment for people to learn Chinese culture, language and arts. Serves as a center for a variety of programs such as GBCCA Library, the Huaxin Chinese Language School, Huaxin School of Arts, Huaxin...

HUD FAIR HOUSING & EQUAL OPPORTUNITY OFFICE
1-800-669-9777
www.hud.gov/fairhousing
Email: answers@hud.gov
10 Causeway St. Rm. 301
Boston 02222

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION
(See Health and Human Services Department page 5)
(617) 796-1420

HUMAN SERVICES, DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
(See Health and Human Services Department, page 5)
617) 796-1420

HYDE COMMUNITY CENTER
(See Newton Highlands Community Development Corp. page 73)
(617) 527-4933
www.hydecenter.org

ICE SKATING LESSONS
(617) 796-1500
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks & Recreation Department
Offers ice skating lessons for adults and children ages 4.5 and up. Classes held at local MDC rinks Oct.-Feb. All skill levels taught.

ICE SKATING (OUTDOORS)
Weather permitting
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
Hotline: 617 796-1536
www.newtonma.gov/parks

INTERFACE RESOURCE & REFERRAL
SERVICE at THE FREEDMAN CENTER
AT MSPP
(617) 332-3666x411
Fax: (617) 244-1072
www.projectinterface.org
Email: interface@warmlines.org
One Wells Avenue
Newton 02459
Provides mental health resource and referral services for children and families. Categorizes information on Web site about a wide variety of mental health and wellness topics. Lists relevant upcoming events, such as lectures and trainings. Offers a Helpline for professional, personalized counseling plus referrals matched for location, specialty and insurance/fee requirements. (Note: Helpline access available for Newton and other participating communities.)

INTERNATIONAL REVENUE SERVICE
INFORMATION LINE (IRS)
1-800-829-1040
www.irs.gov

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF NEW ENGLAND
(617) 695-9990
Fax: (617) 695-9191
www.iiboston.org
Email: info@iine.us
1 Milk Street
Boston 02109
Provides newcomers with direct and practical assistance in the form of English & literacy courses, refugee resettlement services, citizenship education, economic development, employment training & placement, legal aid and social services (e.g. crisis intervention, mental health counseling, human trafficking prevention).

ISLAMIC CENTER OF NEW ENGLAND
(617) 471-9526
www.icne.net
Email: icne_Email@icne.net
470 South St.
Quincy 02169
74 Chase Dr.
Sharon
(781) 784-0434

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JACKSON HOMESTEAD
(See Historic Newton pages 24-26)
(617) 796-1450
Email: cstone@newtonma.gov

JACKSON/WALNUT PARK SCHOOLS
(617) 202-9772 (Admissions Office)
www.jacksonwalnutparkschools.org
71 Walnut Park
Newton Corner 02458
An educational collaborative sponsored by the Sisters of Saint Joseph of Boston made up of Jackson School, a K-6 Catholic elementary school and Walnut Park Montessori School, a Montessori preschool serving children 2.9-kindergarten.

Jackson School
(617) 969-1537
www.jacksonschool.org
200 Jackson Road
Newton 02458
A Catholic elementary school for children ages 1.6-6 years

Walnut Park Montessori School
(617) 969-9208
www.walnutparkmontessori.org
Email: office@walnutparkmontessori.org
47 Walnut Park
Newton Corner 02458
An AMS accredited Montessori pre-school service for children 18 months to kindergarten.

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER
(Also see Leventhal-Sidman Jewish Community Center page 58)

JCC CAMPS
JCC Grossman Camp
(617) 244-5124
bostonjcc.org/grossman
Email: grossman@jccgb.org JCC

Kaleidoscope Creative Arts & Science Camp
(617) 558-6523
www.bostonjcc.org/kaleidoscope
Email: kaleidoscope@jccgb.org
333 Nahant St.
Newton Center 02459

Sports Camps
(617) 558-6456
www.bostonjcc.org/sportscamps
Email: sports@jccgb.org
JCC EVENTS & PERFORMANCE SERIES
(617) 965-5226
www.bostonjcc.org/arts
Email: boxoffice@jccgb.org
Leventhal-Sidman JCC
333 Nahanton St.
Newton Center 02459
Brings outstanding musicians, comedians and other performers to the stage at the Leventhal-Sidman JCC in Newton and occasionally in other venues.

JCDS, BOSTON’S JEWISH COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL
(617) 972-1733
www.jcdsboston.org
57 Stanley Avenue
Watertown 02472
JCDS combines scholastic excellence and joyful learning in an intentionally pluralist K-8 school community that fosters Jewish values, Hebrew, innovation, curiosity, and respect.

JEWISH BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF GREATER BOSTON
(617) 965.7055
www.jbbbs.org
Email: info@jbbbs.org
333 Nahanton Street, Third Floor
Newton Center 02459
Aims to transform lives through friendship. We introduce children in need to adult mentors, and match adults with disabilities to new friends in their communities. Programs serve Jewish, non-Jewish and interfaith people.

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTERS OF GREATER BOSTON
(617) 558-6522
www.bostonjcc.org
Email: membership@jccgb.org
333 Nahanton Street
Newton 02459
Health and wellness, aquatics, enrichment classes, cultural arts and theatre, five early learning centers, summer camps and vacation programs, programs for senior adults, programs for children and adults with special needs, programs for families with young children. Open to all.

JEWISH COMMUNITY HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY (JCHE)
(617) 912-8400
Fax: (617) 912-8489
TTY: (617) 789-4868
www.jche.org
Email: info@jche.org
30 Wallingford Road
Brighton 02135
Builds and manages affordable non-sectarian senior housing. With an extensive array of services and life-enhancing programs enables over 1300 tenants of all backgrounds to live in their own apartments. Ulin House, Leventhal House, Genesis House in Brighton; Golda Meir House and Coleman House in Newton.

IN NEWTON
Golda Meir House
(617) 965-4252
160 Stanton Avenue
Newton 02466
Coleman House
(617) 614-5320
677 Winchester Street
Newton Center 02459
JCHE provides affordable, independent housing with supportive services for older adults of all backgrounds. In addition to its two Newton buildings, JCHE has independent senior housing in Brighton and Framingham.

JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDREN’S SERVICE HEADQUARTERS
(781) 647-JFCS (5327)
www.jfcsboston.org
Email: info@jfcsboston.org
1430 Main Street
Waltham 02451
A leading provider of comprehensive human services delivering personalized and integrated care that improves the lives of people of all ages.

JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDREN’S SERVICES VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION
(617) 227-6641
Intake & Referral: (617) 224-4137
www.jfcsboston.org
1371 Beacon Street
Suite 203
Brookline 02446
The leading provider of comprehensive human services, delivering personalized and integrated care that improves people's lives.

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
(See Boston Jewish Film Festival page 43)

JEWISH WAR VETERANS
(See Veterans’ Posts and Chapters page 88)

JOHN M. BARRY BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF NEWTON
(617) 630-2066
Fax: (617) 630-8999
www.NewtonBGC.com
675 Watertown St.
Newton 02460
The Club creates great futures for kids ages 6-18 by providing caring guidance, fun, and engaging programs that help kids do well in school, give back to their communities and choose healthy lifestyles.

JOURNEY SONGS
(617) 527-4858
www.journeysongs.org
Email: cindy@jimfrances.com
First Unitarian Society in Newton
1326 Washington St.
West Newton 02465
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Waltham 02452

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Fax: (508) 559-0041
www.keepingpace.org
Email: keepingpace.multiplemiracles@verizon.net
194 S. Main St.
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Support network for families and families-to-be of multiple birth children. Chapters throughout the state.
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www.lalecheleague.org
Email: LLLNewton@hotmail.com
Offers phone consultations for breastfeeding questions and mothers’ groups for breastfeeding support and information. Extensive lending library of breastfeeding and parenting books available. All breastfeeding mothers and pregnant women interested in breastfeeding are welcome to come to meetings.

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www.larzanderson.org
15 Newton Street
Brookline 02445
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Email: dworcester@learningprep.org
1507 Washington St.
West Newton 02465
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LEGAL ADVOCACY AND RESOURCE CENTER
1-800-342-5297
www.masslegalhelp.org
Child-abuse resources. Operates a free legal hotline in support of its mission to help low-income Massachusetts residents with legal problems by providing quality legal information and advice, and by making referrals to legal and social service agencies.

LEVENTHAL-SIDMAN JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER
(617) 558-6522; (617) 558-6411
www.bostonjcc.org
Email: membership@jccgb.org
333 Nahanton St.
Newton 02459
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LGBTQ DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROJECT HOTLINE
Hotline: 1-800-832-1901
www.thehotline.org
The LGBTQ Domestic Violence Project Hotline is a statewide hotline for members of the LGBTQ community in Massachusetts who are affected by domestic violence. The toll-free hotline is available 24 hours a day, 7 day a week, and is staffed by trained advocates. The LGBTQ Domestic Violence Project services include crisis intervention and safety planning, an emergency safe house, counseling, emotional support and support groups, sexual-assault case management, direct legal representation, and police/court accompaniment.

LICENSE BOARD
(617) 796-1420
Email: dzalezniak@newtonma.gov
Newton City Hall
Administers the licenses for alcoholic beverage establishments and common victualer operations. Issues one-day temporary licenses to non-profits.

LIFELONG LEARNING
(See Seniors, page 31-35)

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A program of Newton Community Education
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www.newtoncommunityed.org
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777 Dedham St.
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Offers individualized early childhood education for children ages 2.0-5, from 9-noon inspired by the Reggio Emilia approach to early childhood education. Early Drop-off at 8:30am for an additional fee, Monday-Friday. Extended days available until 3pm Monday-Thursday. A site for student teachers in Child Development Program. Scholarship assistance is available. Longfellow 3 Transitional Kindergarten offers a program that gives children an experience that bridges the transition from pre-school to kindergarten.

LONGFELLOW PRESCHOOL AT MOUNT IDA COLLEGE — MASS HEALTH
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10am-12:30pm. For a reasonable fee, you can sign up for two 6-week courses. Lifetime Learners range in age from late 60’s to early 90’s and come from Newton and over 30 surrounding communities. The program offerings you can choose from are: Sound of Music, a live classical music performance series that showcases highly accomplished musicians; World Affairs and Politics, a current events lecture series featuring authorities from the local area who have expertise in the fields of world affairs, international relations, politics, education, law and the media; courses in literature, travel, opera, current affairs, writing and languages.

LYMAN ESTATE
(781) 893-7232
www.lymanestate.org
185 Lyman St.
Waltham 02454
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MAB COMMUNITY SERVICE
(617) 738-5110
www.mabcommunity.org
Email: webmaster@mabcommunity.org
200 Ivy St.
Brookline 02446
Was founded in 1903 as the Massachusetts Association for the Blind. MAB now serves individuals who are blind or visually impaired, adolescents with brain injuries, and adults with developmental disabilities.

MARCH OF DIMES BIRTH DEFECTS FOUNDATION
(508) 366-9066
www.marchofdimes.com
Email: MA625@marchofdimes.com
114 Turnpike Rd.
Westborough
Their mission is to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality through research, community services, education and advocacy.

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(617) 278-9000
www.lymanestate.org
400 Beacon Street
Chestnut Hill 02467
Mary Baker Eddy, the founder of Christian Science, lived in this house from 1908-1910. While residing here she founded The Christian Science Monitor and made final revisions to Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures. Longyear Museum owns this site, and offers guided house tours by appointment. Reservations are required at least 24 hours in advance. To schedule a tour, please call (617) 278-9000, ext. 100.

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www.MassBike.org/newsevents_ Rides and events
www.nhtsa.gov/bicycles Helmet fit
www.SameRoadsSameRules.org Safety information and Laws
www.mass.gov/massdot State bicycling resources

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www.massenergy.com
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(800) 841-2900
TTY (800) 497-4648
www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/masshealth/
55 Summer St.
Boston 02110
A public health insurance program for low to medium income residents providing comprehensive health insurance.
to increase opportunities for youth and young parents, and to empower young people to make healthy decisions about relationships, sex, parenting, and life.

1-800-645-3750—Teen Parent Benefits
Access line: information and referrals for pregnant and parenting teen programs and services across Massachusetts.

MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND
(See MAB Community Services page 59)

MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF OLDER AMERICANS
(617) 426-0804
Fax: (617) 426-0070
www.maoamass.org
Email: advocacy@maoamass.org
19 Temple Place
Boston 02111
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www.massbfc.org
Email: info@massbfc.org
254 Conant Rd.
Weston 02493
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MASSACHUSETTS BREAST CANCER COALITION
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1-800-649-6222
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Email: info@mbcc.org

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Rockland 02370
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(617) 414-7437

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www.mctf.org
Email: info@childrenstrustma.org
55 Court St. 4th floor
Boston 02108
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www.masscitizensforlife.org
Email: info@masscitizensforlife.org
529 Main St.
Boston 02129
Fosters respect for human life and defends the right to life of all human beings, born and pre-born, through educational, legislative, political and charitable activities.

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www.mass.gov/mcad
1 Ashburton Place
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(781) 641-8500
www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/dcf

Baby Safe Haven
1-866-814-7233
30 Mystic St.
Arlington 02464
Accepts reports of abuse and neglect of children under age 18 and screens the report. Following the screening the Department could initiate an emergency, or non-emergency investigation response, initial assessment, referral to community services, or case closure. The department provides risk assessment, family services, foster care, adoption services, and case management when needed.

MASSACHUSETTS COMMONWEALTH CONNECTOR
(877) 623-6765
www.mahealthconnector.org
The state’s health connector helps residents find the right health insurance coverage and avoids tax penalties. For people who qualify for Commonwealth Care, low or no-cost health insurance.

MASSACHUSETTS CULTURAL COUNCIL
(617) 858-2700
www.massculturalcouncil.org
10 St. James Ave. 3rd Fl
Boston 02116
An agency of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts dedicated to promoting and supporting the arts.

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1-800-342-8747
Fax: (508)480-0002
www.massdental.org
Two Willow St.
Southborough 01745
Services for deaf, late deaf and hard of hearing citizens including interpreting, case management and technology.

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(617) 727-5550
1-800-392-6450
TTD 1-800-392-6450
Fax: (617) 626-7685
www.ma.gov/mcb
600 Washington St.
Boston 02111
Programs include vocational rehabilitation, independent living social services, assistive technology, rehabilitation teaching, orientation and mobility, medical assistance, vending facility program, Ferguson Industries for the Blind and consumer assistance.

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1-800-882-1155 (voice)
(617) 740-1700
TTY: 1-800-530-7570
Videophone: 1-866-970-7177
Emergency Interpretive Service: 1-800-249-9949
www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/mcdhh
150 Mount Vernon St. Suite 550
Dorchester 02125

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75 Pleasant Street
Malden 02148-4906
Information on state’s public schools, MCAS exams gifted / talented student services, high school equivalency / GED and more.

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Formerly Massachusetts Department of Welfare
(617) 348-8500
www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/dta
600 Washington Street #4
Boston 02111
Provides medical assistance, Medicaid, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Food Stamps, and Emergency Assistance, Emergency Aid to Elderly, Disabled and Children. Assists with housing searches.

MASSACHUSETTS FOUNDATION FOR THE HUMANITIES
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www.masshumanities.org
66 Bridge St.
Northampton 01060
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MASSACHUSETTS GOVERNMENT OFFICES
(See page 23)
www.mass.gov

MASSACHUSETTS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
(617) 933-4900
Master Gardener Help Line: (617) 933-4929
www.masshort.org
Email: hort_line@masshort.org
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Wellesley 02482
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Email: nero@massmed.org
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Waltham 02451
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www.mspp.edu/ce
Email: ce@mspp.edu
One Wells Avenue
Newton Center 02459
Provides free and anonymous information and referral for alcohol and other drug abuse problems and related concerns. The MSPP INTERFACE Referral Service collects and categorizes a wide range of valuable resources related to mental health and wellness for the benefit of the general public – children, adults and families – as well as educators and mental health professionals.

MASSACHUSETTS SENIOR CARE ASSOCIATION
1-800-CARE-FOR
www.maseniorcare.org
2310 Washington Street, Suite 300
Newton Lower Falls 02462
Committed to improving the quality and delivery of long-term care services in Massachusetts through research, education and advocacy. Online resources educate consumers about the different types of health care services offered in Massachusetts and provide guidance on how to choose a senior care facility that’s right for you and your loved one.

MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS – Angell Animal Medical Center (MSPCA)
(617) 522-7400
www.mspca.org
350 South Huntington Ave.
Boston 02130
Angell Medical Center
(617) 522-7292

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www.helpline-online.com
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Boston 02116
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1-800-942-1007
www.mass.gov/wic
250 Washington St.
Boston 02108
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MASS. WOMEN, INFANTS & CHILDREN NUTRITION PROGRAM — McLEAN HOSPITAL
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Players, Newton Cultural Center Players, Mayor’s New Year’s Open House, Holiday Lighting, Community Sings. Also administers the Arts Lottery Council, which awards yearly grants to individual artists and art organizations. Applications available July 1; submission deadline Oct. 15.

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Email: mcleaninfo@mclean.harvard.edu
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www.newtonma.gov/culture
www.newtoncommunitypride.org
Email: Jsmith@newtonma.gov
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Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Ave.
Newton Center 02459
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140 Commonwealth Ave.
Chestnut Hill 02467
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288 Walnut Street, Suite 130
Newtonville 02460
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250 Brookline St.
Newton 02459
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METCO
(617) 559-6000
(See Newton METCO Program page 74)

METRO BOSTON DEPARTMENT OF EARLY EDUCATION AND CARE (EEC)
(617) 988-6600
Fax: (617) 988-2451
Email: commissioners.office@massmail.state.ma.us
51 Sleeper Street, 4th Floor
Boston 02210
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METROPOLITAN MEDIATION SERVICES
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377 Elliot Street, Building J
Newton Upper Falls 02464
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Mount Ida is a traditional summer camp on the 85-acre campus of Mt. Ida College. Activities include sports, music, drama, arts and crafts, and more.

MULTI CULTURAL AIDS COALITION
(617) 442-1622
Fax: (617) 442-6622
www.mac-boston.org
31 Heath St.
Jamaica Plain 02130

The mission of the Multicultural AIDS Coalition (MAC) is to mobilize communities of color to end the HIV/AIDS epidemic. We work to ensure high quality, accessible prevention and treatment services for people living with HIV, at high risk for becoming infected, or closely affected by the disease. We also support broader community efforts to eradicate conditions that fuel the epidemic, including substance abuse, lack of health care access, homelessness, incarceration and oppression based on race, ethnicity, gender and sexual orientation.

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MULTI CULTURAL AIDS COALITION
(617) 442-1622
Fax: (617) 442-6622
www.mac-boston.org
31 Heath St.
Jamaica Plain 02130

The mission of the Multicultural AIDS Coalition (MAC) is to mobilize communities of color to end the HIV/AIDS epidemic. We work to ensure high quality, accessible prevention and treatment services for people living with HIV, at high risk for becoming infected, or closely affected by the disease. We also support broader community efforts to eradicate conditions that fuel the epidemic, including substance abuse, lack of health care access, homelessness, incarceration and oppression based on race, ethnicity, gender and sexual orientation.
NAACP NEW ENGLAND AREA CONFERENCE (NEAC)
(617) 323-8885
www.thenec.org
P.O. Box 320128
West Roxbury 02132
The mission of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is to ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights of all persons and to eliminate racial hatred and racial discrimination.

NAHANTON NATURE CENTER
(617) 332-2686, (617)796-1500
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Email: parks@newtonma.gov
Accessible from both 525 Winchester St. and 455 Nahanton St. The Park’s current design dates from 1981 and supports 55 acres of unique habitat that includes meadow, woods, wetlands, a pond, and a beautiful woodland path for the disabled that borders the Charles River.

NAHANTON PARK COMMUNITY GARDENS
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks and Recreation Department
Nahanton Park, Winchester St.
Newton 02459
Offers 10’ x 20’ rental garden space in Nahanton Park. Call for information regarding availability of space.

NAMI: NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF MENTAL ILLNESS
Newton/Wellesley
P.O. Box 600416
Newtonville 02460
https://sites.google.com/site/naminewtonwellesley
A local grassroots organization that is part of a national network of family groups working to improve the quality of care for the treatment of those with mental illness. Works toward improving the quality of life for families of those who suffer from mental disorder.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING AND EXPLOITED CHILDREN
1-800-843-5678, 1-800-THE-LOST
www.missingkids.com
699 Price St.
Alexandria VA 22314

NATIONAL CENTER OF MEDICAL HOME INITIATIVES FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
(847) 434-7605
(800) 433-9016, ex. 7605
www.medicalhomeinfo.org

Community Garden Dragon Boat Team
The Wellness Warriors is a dragon boat team for cancer survivors and their supporters. Exercise and support groups are so important in the fight against cancer. We practice together from May through August on the Charles River in Cambridge. When we practice or when we race, on or off the boat, we are united as a team. We are a floating support group and we are unique. We love to laugh, we love to paddle hard, and we love being with each other. Come, awaken your own dragon and join us! Learn more about us at www.wellnesswarriorsboston.org or 781-526-7303

Wellness Warriors Dragon Boat Team

NATIONAL CENTER FOR Missing AND EXPLOITED CHILDREN
(866) 624-3578 (press 4, then press 2)
New England Region of Narcotics Anonymous
www.nerna.org
Email: info@newenglandna.org
One of the gateways to the “experience, strength and hope” available to any addict seeking recovery. Offers information for addicts and professionals about Narcotics Anonymous in the New England Region. Believes in the therapeutic value of one addict helping another. All are welcome.

NEWTON CONSERVATORS
www.NewtonConservators.org
Working to preserve open space in Newton since 1961
Join Us!

Spend 12 months getting to know Newton’s parks with the Newton Conservators Almanac!
Become a member today and receive Walking Trails In Newton’s Park & Conservation Lands.

WALKING TRAILS
WE BELIEVE IN THE POWER OF BEAUTIFUL PLACES
Newton Conservators, Inc.
National Center for Medical Home Implementation
c/o American Academy of Pediatrics
141 Northwest Point Boulevard
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
In a family-centered medical home the pediatric care team works in partnership with a child and a child’s family to assure that all of the medical and non-medical needs of the patient are met.

NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE
1-800-799-7233
TTY: 1-800-787-3224
www.thehotline.org

NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION
(617) 770-3000
Fax: (617) 770-0700
www.nfpa.org
1 Batterymarch Park
Quincy 02169
Established in 1896, the mission is to reduce the worldwide burden of fire and other hazards on the quality of life by providing and advocating consensus codes and standards, research, training, and education.

NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR CREDIT COUNSELING (NFCC)
(202) 677-4300
(800) 388-2227
www.nfcc.org
2000 M Street NW
Suite 505
Washington, D.C. 20036
As the nation’s largest financial counseling organization, the NFCC Member Agency Network includes more than 600 community-based offices located in all 50 states and Puerto Rico. NFCC Member Agencies provide financial counseling and education to millions of consumers each year in person, over the phone, or online.

NATIONAL MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY, GREATER NEW ENGLAND CHAPTER
(800) 344-4867
Fax: (781) 890-2089
www.msnewengland.org
Email: communicationsGNE@nmss.org
Facebook.com/Msnewengland
Tweet @MS_newengland
101 First Ave., #6
Waltham 02451
Mobilizes people and resources to drive research for a cure and to address the challenges of everyone affected by MS. The Society funds research and treatments to stop disease progression, restore lost function, and end multiple sclerosis forever. Also helps individuals and families affected by MS through MS education, emotional support, public policy advocacy, and direct financial assistance.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR WOMEN
(Massachusetts Chapter: MASSNOW)
Massachusetts and Boston Chapter Offices
(617) 254-9130
Fax: (617) 254-9134
www.massnow.org
Email: massnow@massnow.org
727 Atlantic Ave.
Boston 02111
The largest organization of feminist activists in the United States. The Massachusetts Chapter has about 5,000 members and 9 local chapters throughout the state. Priority issue areas are: ending violence against women, racial justice, reproductive rights and health, economic equality and labor rights, LGBTQ equality and civil and constitutional rights.

NATIONAL SEXUAL ASSAULT ONLINE HOTLINE
(Operated by the Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network - RAINN)
www.ohl.rainn.org/online
A free, live, online alternative to phone hotlines for victims of sexual violence and their friends and families. The Online Hotline uses a secure and anonymous instant messaging format that allows users to type messages back and forth with trained counselors. RAINN does not capture the IP address or any personal information about the user, and does not store transcripts of conversations. All messages are encrypted so the text cannot be intercepted and read by someone else. Trained counselors provide crisis intervention and support and can help with questions about medical issues, legal issues, and recovery. Counselors refer users to their community rape crisis centers for individual or group support sessions and other ongoing services.

NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE
1-800-273-8255

NATIONAL YOUTH SPORTS SAFETY FOUNDATION
(617) 367-6677
www.nyssf.org
Email: NYSSF@aol.com
One Beacon St. Ste. 3333
Boston 02108
A national educational organization dedicated to reducing the number and severity of injuries youth sustain in sports and fitness activities.

NEEDLEPOINT GUILD
Massachusetts Chapter of the American Needlepoint Guild
(978) 823-0091
www.needlepoint.org
Email: massachusettschapterofneedlepoint.org
Wellesley Community Center
219 Washington St.
Wellesley 02481

One Newton Place
287 Centre St.
Newton Corner
Newton, MA 02458
Telephone: 617-527-5255
www.amarinofthailand.com
New Art Center’s programs offer many important opportunities for the community to come together to engage in thinking about and making art.

NEW CENTER FOR ARTS & CULTURE
(617)531-4612
Email: sbookinweiner@ncaboston.org
1321 Center Street, Ste. 201
Newton 02459
The New Center presents performances, art, and ideas that explore the Jewish imagination, reflecting the spirit of contemporary Jewish culture while discovering universal themes through a Jewish lens.

NEW ENGLAND FOUNDATION FOR THE ARTS
(617) 951-0010
Email: info@nefa.org
145 Tremont St. 7th floor
Boston 02111
Mission is to cultivate and promote the arts in New England by supporting artists with resources, connecting stakeholders across the artistic enterprise and strengthening the creative economy.

NEW ENGLAND ORGAN BANK
1-800-446-NEOB
www.neob.org
60 First Avenue
Waltham 02451
The oldest independent organ procurement organization in the country, it is the federally designated OPO for New England. Organized under a Board of Trustees and a Clinical Policy Board.

NEW ENGLAND SCHOOL OF ACUPUNCTURE
(617) 558-1788
www.nesa.edu
150 California Street
Newton 02458

NEW ENGLAND SERVE
www.neserve.org
Email: info@neserve.org
An independent health policy research and consulting organization, with a focus on children with special health care needs. Systems for delivering and financing care are often fragmented and complex. To improve these systems, New England SERVE promotes: Family-Centered Care,

RESPONSIBLE HEALTH CARE FINANCING,
CONSUMER ROLES IN HEALTH POLICY-MAKING,
CR DATABASE, MEDICAL HOME
PARTNERSHIP. ESTABLISHED IN 1983, NEW ENGLAND SERVE HAS MAINTAINED A PRIMARY FOCUS ON CREATION COLLABORATION AMONG PROFESSIONALS IN ALL TYPES OF HEALTH CARE SETTINGS AND THE FAMILIES THEY SERVE.

NEW ENGLAND WILD FLOWER SOCIETY: GARDEN IN THE WOODS
(508) 877-7630
Fax: (508) 877-3658
TTY: (508) 877-6553
www.newenglandwild.org
180 Hemenway Rd.
Framingham 01701
Programs include Plant Conservation Volunteers, New England Plant Conservation Program, Invasive Plant Atlas of New England and numerous conservation collaborations since 1900. Participates in the Seeds of Success program, collecting seeds for the northeast U.S.; manages Garden in the Woods, the 45 acre native plant botanic garden in Framingham which is open to the public April 12-Oct. 31 and Nasami Farm in Whately, MA, open to the public. Offers nursery-propagated and grown native species and cultivars. Offers one of the largest programs in native plant education in the country.

NEW PHILHARMONIA ORCHESTRA
(617) 527-9717
www.newphilharmonia.org
Email: info@newphil.org
Founded in 1995, is a 75 member non-professional regional orchestra based in Newton and presenting a dozen performances each year at the First Baptist Church in Newton Center. “Music of, by and for the people” encapsulates the spirit of the organization. The orchestra advances its mission by presenting classical, family and special programs of diverse repertoire of classical and light classical music for the enjoyment of audiences of all ages and experiences. At the same time the orchestra strives to provide its non-professional players the opportunity to achieve a high level of ensemble performance not otherwise available.
NEW REPERTORY THEATRE
Box Office: (617) 923-8487
Main Office: (617) 923-7060
www.newrep.org
Email: info@newrep.org
Tickets: tickets@newrep.org
Admin. Office: 200 Dexter St.
Theater: 321 Arsenal St.
Watertown 02472
Produces plays that speak powerfully to the essential ideas of our time. Through the passion and electricity of live theater performed to the highest standards of excellence, New Rep expands and challenges the human spirit of both artists and audience. New Rep presents world premieres, contemporary and classic works in several intimate settings. Committed to education and outreach, including special dedication to the creation of innovative in school programming and providing access to underserved audiences. An active advocate for the arts and a major voice in the national dialogue defining the role of theater in our culture.

NEW TV
(See Newton Media Center page 74)
(617) 965-7200

NEWTON ART ASSOCIATION
(857) 919-1441
www.newtonartassociation.com
Email: info@newtonartassociation.com
PO Box 610396
Newton 02461
Supports local artists and art in the community. Organizes two major shows a year and a number of individual and small group exhibitions for association members. Presents outstanding New England artists demonstrating their work and techniques at monthly meetings on the second Thursday at the Senior Center, 345 Walnut St., Newtonville that are open to the public. Encourages art appreciation and education for all. Activities include exhibits, critiques, salons, lectures, workshops, and community outreach to students and the elderly.

NEWTON AT HOME
(617) 795-2560
www.newtonathome.org
Email: info@newtonathome.org
206 Waltham St.
West Newton 02465
Dedicated to enabling Newton residents to age at home comfortably, safely, independently, and with peace of mind. A membership-based, volunteer-oriented, non-profit organization that offers members access to a rich array of services and programs and fosters social support and a sense of community.

NEWTON ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION BASKETBALL
(617) 559-6999
www.naabasketball.org
A program of Newton Community Education

Joy, Growth, Success
DISCOVER THE ONLY SCHOOL IN NEW ENGLAND CITED AS A “MODEL SCHOOL” FOR 21ST CENTURY LEARNING BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS.

Brimmer and May
Coeducational independent day school. Pre-K–12
69 Middlesex Road Chestnut Hill, MA 617-738-8695
www.brimmerandmay.org

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1330 Boylston Street, 5th FL
Chestnut Hill, MA 02467
P: (617) 738-5200
F: (617) 738-0875
www.all-cpas.com

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NEWTON ATHLETIC PROGRAMS
www.newtonma.gov/parks
(This website links to all athletic programs listed below:)
Newton Smash Volleyball
Newton Youth Lacrosse
Newton East Little League
Newton North Little League Newton Central Little League
Newton South Little League Newton West Little League
Newton Girls Softball
Newton Youth Soccer
Newton Boys Soccer
Newton Girls Soccer
Newton Babe Ruth Baseball 13-15 Newton Senior Softball
Newton Girls Basketball
Newton Travel Basketball
Newton Pop Warner Football
Newton Youth Hockey

NEWTON AUXILIARY POLICE
(617) 527-4229
www.newtonauxpolice.com
Email: jsilton@comcast.net
A volunteer organization serving the City’s Department of Emergency Management, helping to respond and support as needed. Assists in traffic control at parades, road races, and provides extra assistance to the police department in emergencies.

NEWTON BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN TASK FORCE
www.newtonbikeped.org
Email: newtonbikeped@gmail.com
An independent, innovative, and practical volunteer group working with the City and local organizations to secure safe and convenient bicycle and pedestrian access in Newton.

NEWTON BOY SCOUTS KNOX TRAIL COUNCIL
(508) 872-6551
www.ktc-bsa.org
490 Union St.
Framingham 01701

NEWTON CANTONESE SCHOOL
(617) 930-3380
www.newtoncantoneseschool.org
Email: support@newtoncantoneseschool.org
42 Vernon St.
Newton Corner 02458
Provide lessons in reading and writing of the Chinese language in Cantonese. The school offers two tracks: Conversation Track (Pre-school to Grade 7) and Literacy Track (Pre-school to Grade 8). Conversational Mandarin are offered from Grade 5-8). Cultural activities include Table Tennis, Badminton, Martial Arts, Chinese Painting, Chinese Cooking, Chinese Dance, Crochet and Knitting.

NEWTON CEMETERY CORPORATION
(617) 332-0047
Fax: (617) 969-5520
www.newcemcorp.org
Email: ncc@newcemcorp.org
791 Walnut St.
Newton 02459
Established in 1855, the Newton Cemetery is a non-profit, non-sectarian garden cemetery. The grounds provide a beautiful park-like setting with ponds, streams, flower gardens, and varied wildlife. Grounds are open every day of the year. Visitors welcome. Maps and self-guided tours are available at the office.

NEWTON CHINESE SCHOOL
(781) 296-2486
www.newtonchineseschool.org
Email: principals@newtonchineseschool.org
FA Day Middle School
21 Minot Place
Newtonville 02460
Newton Chinese Language School is not only a Chinese language learning center for kids but also a vivid activity center for Chinese community in the greater Boston area.

NEWTON CHORAL SOCIETY
(617) 527-7464 (SING)
www.newtonchoral.org
P. O. Box 122
Newton 02460
Under the leadership of Music Director David Carrier, the NCS has developed a reputation as one of the finest choruses in the Boston area. With an expressive sound, challenging repertoire, frequent high-level collaborations and an active, enthusiastic membership, NCS is a vibrant part of the Boston-area music landscape.

NEWTON CITIZENS PRUNER’S PROGRAM
(617) 796-1516
Email: mwelch@newtonma.gov
Parks & Recreation Department
Provides free training in proper tree maintenance and pruning techniques. After training, volunteers do supervised pruning on city trees.

NEWTON COMMONWEALTH GOLF COURSE
(617) 630 1971; (617) 969 8756
www.sterlinggolf.com
Email: kosgood@sterlinggolf.com
212 Kenrick St.
Newton Corner 02458
A beautiful, exceptionally groomed, 18-hole public course. It offers a short, but challenging round of golf featuring quick greens and relatively narrow fairways. Course management is essential, as many a big hitter has discovered, with water and sand bunkers appearing frequently. Offers many specials for kids and seniors as well as resident pricing.

NEWTON CAMERA CLUB
(617) 243-0557
www.newtoncameraclub.org
Provides photographers of all skill levels a forum for discussing photography and sharing their work. Check website of exhibitions, meeting locations and dates.

NEWTON BROOKLINE CONSUMER OFFICE
(617) 796-1292
Email: consumer@newtonma.gov
1000 Commonwealth Ave.
Newton 02459
Working in cooperation with the MA Attorney General’s Office under the auspices of the Dept. of Senior Services, provides free consumer mediation to residents having a dispute with a business regarding the purchase of goods or services for personal use. Self help and resource referrals.

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NEWTON COMMUNITY CHORUS
(617) 969-7929
www.NewtonCommunityChorus.org
Email: info@newtoncommunitychorus.org
Rehearsals at Newton Country Day School
785 Centre St.
Newton Center 02458
A welcoming group of singers who are as ardent about improving their musical ability as in having fun doing it all in an atmosphere of conviviality and acceptance that allows several generations of music lovers, with various levels of experience, to share the challenge of learning and performing classical choral work.

NEWTON COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION
(617) 244-4035
Fax: (617) 244-2160
www.ncdf.com
Email: ncdf.inc@verizon.net
425 Watertown St., Ste. 205
Newton 02458
NCDF fosters economic and cultural diversity within the City of Newton through the development and management of affordable housing. NCDF has developed six properties in Newton and manages additional two properties that were developed by another non-profit affordable housing agency in Newton. NCDF provides home to hundreds of low and moderate-income families, senior citizens and persons with disabilities.

NEWTON COMMUNITY EDUCATION
(617) 559-6999
FAX: (627)559-6998
www.newtoncommunityed.org
Email: staff@newtoncommunityed.org
457 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
NCE is a self-sustaining arm of the Newton Public Schools open to all students regardless of residence. Provides educational, social cultural and vocational programs to adults and children endeavoring to provide high-quality classes at a reasonable cost.

NEWTON COMMUNITY FARM
(617) 916-9655
www.newtoncommunityfarm.org
Email: information@newtoncommunityfarm.org
303 Nahanton St.
Newton Center 02459
A non-profit community farm and Newton’s last working farm. Teaches and models sustainable agricultural and environmental practices on the historic 2.25 acre Angino Farm. Provides fresh, locally-grown produce through a community supported agriculture program (CSA), on-site farm stand, Newton’s summer farmers’ market, and donations to food pantries. Offers youth summer programs and high school student internships at the farm. Also offers educational programs all year for adults and youth on gardening, cooking, nature. Public events include farm-to-table dinners, seedling sale, fall festival, farm tours. Volunteer opportunities include drop-in farm hours, communications, events, education, governance.

NEWTON COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
(617) 559-6065
www.theneutronpartnership.org
Email: beverly_mobilia@newton.k12.ma.us
246 Dudley Road
Newton Center 02459
Funded by the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care and administered by the Newton Public Schools, the council’s mission is to enhance the quality of services for Newton’s children, pre-birth through 5 years, and their families. CPCF helps families with accessing state financial assistance for early childhood education and care services, getting information about services available in the community, including referrals, finding parent workshops about family education and literacy, and referrals to Parent Child Home Program, and in-home literacy program.

NEWTON COMMUNITY PRESERVATION GRANTS PROGRAM
(617) 796-1144
www.newtonma.gov/cpa
Uses a combination of local and state funds to make grants for affordable housing.
NEWTON COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER (NCSC)  
(617) 969-5906  
Child Care Registration x121  
Early Literacy Services x113  
Child Assault Prevention (CAP) x143  
The Parents Program x125  
SOAR 55 x 120  
FAX (617) 964-3975  
www.NCSCweb.org  
Email: info@NCSCweb.org  

NEWTON CONSERVATORS  
www.newtonconservators.org  
Email: president@newtonconservators.org  
PO Box 590011  
Newton 02459  
Promotes and protection and preservation of natural areas, including parks, parklands, playgrounds, forests and streams which are open or may be converted to open spaces for the enjoyment of the people of Newton for scientific study, education and recreation. Also aims to disseminate information about these and other environmental matters.

NEWTON COUNCIL OF PARENT-TEACHER ORGANIZATIONS  
(Newton PTO Council)  
(617) 559-6000  
www.newtonptocouncil.org  
Email: ptocouncil@newtonptocouncil.org  
Education Center  
100 Walnut St.  
Newtonville 02460  
An umbrella organization comprised of all 21 PTO’s in the city. Its members are the current and past presidents of each PTO. The purpose is to support all Newton parents in the quest for the highest quality of education for their children.

NEWTON COUNCIL ON AGING  
(617) 796-1660  
www.newtonseniors.org  
Email: jcolino@newtonma.gov  
Newton Senior Center  
345 Walnut St.  
Newtonville 02460  
Along with the Newton Senior Center, the Newton Council on Aging comprises the Newton Department of Senior Services. Mayor appointed council that advocates for the needs, interests and quality of life of Newton’s senior citizens. Meets the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm at the Newton Senior Center.

NEWTON COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL OF the SACRED HEART  
(617) 244-4246  
Fax: (617) 965-5313  
www.newtoncountryday.org  
785 Centre St.  
Newton Center 02459  
Newton 02458  
Educatng women of courage and confidence since 1880.

NEWTON CULTURAL ALLIANCE  
(617) 332-4300  
www.newtonculture.org  
Email: contact@newtonculture.org  
PO Box 610225  
Newton 02461  
An umbrella collaborative organization of approximately 25 Newton arts and culture non-profits dedicated to enriching the vitality of the community by expanding arts awareness, connecting with Newton’s business community and development of collaborative creative facilities.

NEWTON CULTURAL COUNCIL  
(617) 796-1540  
www.newtonma.gov/culture  
Email: Lplaut@newtonma.gov  
Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs  
1000 Commonwealth Avenue  
Newton Center 02459  
Year round multi-cultural activities for the entire community that include art/music education for pre-school children, the Newton Youth Players and spelling bees for elementary age children, the nationwide Roman Totenberg Young String Competition among many other programs. Offers support for Newton artists, musicians and crafts people, and administers the Newton Cultural Council, all with the support of Newton Community Pride.

NEWTON CULTURAL COUNCIL AT NEWTON CITY HALL  
(617) 796-1540  
Fax: (617) 552-7089  
www.newtonma.gov/culture  
Email: Lplaut@newtonma.gov  
Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs  
Newton City Hall  
1000 Commonwealth Avenue  
Newton Center 02459  
Through a granting process, administers Newton’s allocation from Massachusetts Cultural Council. Applications available July 1; Deadline for submission Oct. 15.

NEWTON DIALOGUES ON PEACE AND WAR  
A Newton Peace Group  
www.newtondialog.org  
Email: ntndlg@comcast.net  
PO Box 610039  
Newton Highlands 02461  
Formed shortly after the September 11 attacks, Newton Dialogues on Peace & War is a Newton Peace Group founded to provide a collaborative creative facilities.
attacks, this a group of Newton citizens united by shared concerns about the current crisis and by a sense of urgency about the many issues facing the nation as a result of these attacks.

NEWTON DISTRICT COURT
(617) 243-7206
1309 Washington St.
West Newton 02458
Hears civil, criminal, mental health, small claims, summary process, supplementary process and restraining/harassment order cases. Jury and non-jury criminal and civil trials are held in the Court. Specialized Drug Court session takes place on Tuesday. Clerk Magistrate’s office available to assist with questions, and Probation department available to provide information about available resources for e.g. mental health, substance abuse, and anger management issues.

NEWTON EMBLEM CLUB #8
Women’s Auxiliary to the Elks
(617) 965-7086
429 Centre St.
Newton Corner 02458
A charity and community service organization for women.

NEWTON FAMILY SINGERS
(617) 630-0853
www.newtonfamilysingers.org
Email: NewFamilySingers@gmail.com
225 Waban Ave.
Newton 02460
An intergenerational chorus celebrating family, community and American folk music.

NEWTON FIREFIGHTERS’ ASSOCIATION, Local 863, I.A.F.F.
P. O. Box 600384
Newton 02460
Sponsors charitable activities, including volunteering for youth events and city functions.

NEWTON FIREMEN’S RELIEF ASSOCIATION
(617) 796-2231
Fax: (617) 552-7305
1164 Centre St
Newton Center 02458
Provides assistance to Newton firefighters, both retired and active, and their families.

NEWTON FOOD PANTRY
(See Food Pantries in Newton page 51)

NEWTON FREE LIBRARY
(See Library page 27)
(617) 796-1360

NEWTON GIRL SCOUTS
(See Girl Scouts of Newton 52)

NEWTON GIRLS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION
(See Newton Athletic Programs page 70)

NEWTON GIRLS SOCCER LEAGUES
(See Newton Athletic Programs page 70)

NEWTON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES DEPT.
(See page 5)
(617) 796-1420

NEWTON HIGHLANDS BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE
(617) 965-9617
Email: jzfagan@aol.com
The Beautification Committee is a sub-committee of the NH Neighborhood Area Council. Our mission is to plant large pots of flowers throughout the Newton Highlands shopping district in order to enhance its beauty and create a welcoming atmosphere. It is carried out yearly by volunteers in cooperation with the Highlands merchants who maintain the flowers in front of their stores, and /or assist us financially. We also raise funds via donations from the community. In addition to gathering to install the planters in May, volunteers maintain and water approximately 20 containers in the square at the corner of Lincoln and Hartford Streets. This project began over 15 years ago and has continued yearly from May through October. We have twice been awarded for our efforts by the city of Newton, and we are very proud of the atmosphere it creates in our village square.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION / HYDE COMMUNITY CENTER
(617) 527-4933
Fax: (617) 527-4933
www.hydecenter.org
Email: director@hydecenter.org
P. O. Box 610171
90 Lincoln St.
Newton Highlands 02461
Serves as a catalyst for community-building, introducing Highlands residents to each other and giving people an opportunity to work together on programs and activities serving the diverse interests of members of the Newton Highlands neighborhood. The Center collaborates with other community-building organizations in the Highlands to offer activities that are located not only at the Center itself, but elsewhere, in Newton and beyond.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS NEIGHBORHOOD AREA COUNCIL
www.newtonma.gov/gov/neighborhood/highlands/default.asp
The nine-member Newton Highlands Neighborhood Area Council is an official elected body under the city charter. Its purpose is to facilitate communication between Highlands residents and the Board of Aldermen and other city organs. It also serves as a forum / mechanism for dealing with various local issues and for fostering community spirit through annual events such as Village Day, the Halloween party and haunted house, and the Winter Social.

NEWTON HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSOCIATION
(617) 491-3690
www.developmentalre.com
40 Harrison St.
Newton Highlands 02461
Joins in partnerships to restore historic properties; consults, at no cost, with owners of historic properties in Newton; assists in the restoration of the grave markers in the City Cemetery.

NEWTON HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Contact via Planning and Development Department
(617) 796-1120
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/hist-pres/default.asp
City’s official body on historic preservation and reviews preservation projects including demolition as well as changes to local landmarks and properties with preservation restrictions.

NEWTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY
(See Historic Newton page 54)
(617) 796-1450

NEWTON HISTORY MUSEUM AT THE JACKSON HOMESTEAD
(See Historic Newton pages 24-26, 54)
(617) 796-1450
NEWTON HOUSING AUTHORITY
(617) 552-5501
Fax: (617) 964-8387
www.newtonhousingauthority.org
82 Lincoln St.
Newton Highlands 02461
The Newton Housing Authority has a 50 year tradition of providing a high standard of affordable housing to its diverse population of more than 1300 residents: the largest provider of affordable housing in the City of Newton.

NEWTON HOUSING REHABILITATION PROGRAM
Planning & Development Dept.
(617) 796-1120
Newton City Hall
Newton 02459
Administered by the Newton Community Development Program, the program enables income-eligible homeowners and tenants to live in safe and sanitary housing; offers financial assistance in the form of rehabilitation, including weatherization, de-leading and asbestos removal accessibility.

NEWTON LIONS CLUB
22 Parkway Drive
Newton 02460
Supports local and worldwide service activities through its fund-raising projects.

NEWTON LITTLE LEAGUE
North, South, East, West, and Central Divisions
(See Newton Athletic Programs page 70)

NEWTON LODGE OF ELKS (B.P.O.E. 1327)
(617) 965-7086
Email: NewtonElks@hotmail.com
429 Centre St. and rear from Richardson St. parking lot
Newton Corner 02458
A fraternal organization active in civic, patriotic, youth, community, elder, and charitable programs.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS COMMUNITY CENTER
(617) 796-1500
Email: jdore@newtonma.gov
545 Grove St.
Newton Lower Falls 02462
Supervised by the Newton Parks and Recreation Department

NEWTON MA ANIMAL RESPONSE TEAM (NMART)
(617) 796-2109
Newton Police Dept.
Email: rtorres@newtonma.gov
Seeks experienced volunteers to assist in sheltering pets in case of a disaster. Training is provided.

NEWTON MEDIA CENTER
(617) 965-7200
Fax: (617) 965-5677
www.newtv.org
Email: newtv@newtv.org
23 Needham St.
Newton Highlands 02461
Dedicated to providing the diverse Newton community with a platform for opinions, news and local information not generally otherwise available. Also offers training, a media facility and content distribution. Membership is open to all Newton residents, organizations, and businesses.

NEWTON METRO COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP FUND
(617) 559-6138
Email: newtonmcsf@yahoo.com
289 Cherry St.
West Newton 02465

NEWTON MOTHERS’ FORUM
(617) 610-5756
www.newtonmoms.com
Email: newtonmoms@gmail.com
Created to help mothers in Newton and the surrounding areas meet and get to know each other, share ideas and information, and build a community for themselves and their families. Our local outreach programs are focused on raising various donations to help children and families in the community. Some activities include our children e.g. playgroups, but we also do some things just for ourselves. Flagship event is the monthly "Mothers’ Night Out", when we meet for wine, dinner and a lecture.

NEWTON NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY
(617) 527-2692
www.ma.ng.mil
1137 Washington St.
West Newton 02465

NEWTON-NEEDHAM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
(617) 244-5300
www.nnchamber.com
Email: info@nnchamber.com
281 Needham St.
Newton 02464
Has a proud history of providing leadership and support and advocacy for the business and cultural vitality of Newton and Needham. A not for profit membership organization not affiliated with any other chamber of commerce locally or nationally.
NEWTON NORTH HIGH SCHOOL INDOOR SPORTS COMPLEX
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks and Recreation Dept.

NEWTON OPEN STUDIOS
(617) 872-0228
www.NewtonOpenStudios.com
Email: info@newtonopenstudios.org
Newton Community Pride
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton Center 02459
Since 2009, a project of Newton Community Pride. Produces community arts events that bring together artists and residents of Newton and funded by artist registration fees and donations and grants. Thousands attend the NOS spring event and fall juried show, and NOS’s smaller shows at Newton City Hall and NewTV.

NEWTON “OVER 55” RECREATION
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks and Recreation Dept.
124 Vernon St
Newton Corner 02458
Offers monthly day-trips, theatre, special events, Fitness Programs, golf, boccie, tennis, daily walking clubs, multiple dance classes, low-impact aerobics, cards, x-country skiing, biking, bowling, aquatics, social groups and wellness programs.

NEWTON PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION (Newton PAC)
www.newton.k12.ma.us/student services
Email: info@newtonpact.org
100 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
A volunteer group that welcomes parents, educators, providers and community members interested in the issues of special education services. Holds monthly meetings that offer opportunities to network with other parents, school staff and outside speakers.

NEWTON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
(Also see pages 28-30)
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks
Email: parks@newtonma.gov
124 Vernon St
Newton Corner 02458
(See Recreation, pages 28-30, School Vacation Camps and Summer Vacation Camps)
Provides meaningful recreation opportunities through a wide variety of activities for all ages including: “Over 55,” special needs for children and adults, “Arts in the Parks,” Gath Pool, Crystal Lake, tennis courts, summer camps, Camp Scholarship Fund, Eco Explorers for ages 11-14, Newton Youth Theatre, Camp Auburndale Station: The Next Stop grades 5-8, Brunen Brook grades K-6, swim team and sports leagues for residents. Maintenance and Forestry Divisions care for city grounds, public buildings, city trees, parks and islands, and administers “off-berm” tree planting program.

NEWTON PARTNERSHIP
(See The Newton Partnership page 85)

NEWTON PATCH
www.newtonpatch.com

NEWTON PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Email: Pedestrian@newtonma.gov
Comprised of citizens and city officials who advise City Departments on pedestrian issues and help to set priorities for pedestrian improvements through developed long range planning and promoting short term opportunities.

NEWTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
(See page 7)

NEWTON POLICE MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION
(617) 610-9093
1321 Washington St.
West Newton 02465
Maintains fund for officers who are sick or injured for the benefit of their families; provides scholarship grants for children of officers.

NEWTON PTO COUNCIL
100 Walnut Street
Newtonville 02460
www.newtonptocouncil.org
Email: ptocouncil@newtonptocouncil.org
Comprised of all 21 PTO’s in Newton. Supports parents in their quest for the highest quality education by providing PTO presidents with opportunities to meet, share and learn about school and PTO-related activities. Sponsors city-wide public meetings regarding the social and emotional well-being of students and other topics, in addition to acting as a conduit of information between the school administration, Newton parents and other members of the community.

NEWTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
(See Education page 20)
(617) 559-6105
www3.newton.k12.ma.us
100 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460

NEWTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS VOLUNTEERS
(617) 559-6131
www3.newton.k12.ma.us/search/node/volunteers
Email: ellen_bender@newton.k12.ma.us
100 Walnut Street
Newtonville 02460
Adult volunteers to tutor 2nd & 3rd grade students in mathematics; must take training session and complete a CORI check. Variety of times and school locations are available.

NEWTON REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE
(617) 953-4125
P.O. Box 600309
Newton 02460
Promotes the principles of the Republican Party and works to foster and promote sound, responsible government through educational and political activities.

NEWTON SAN JUAN del SUR, NICARAGUA SISTER CITY PROJECT
(617) 965-2164
Email: david.gullette@simmons.edu
Email: mgullette@msn.com
68 Pembroke St.
Newton Corner 02458
Works in San Juan providing schools, clean water, and adult education, and engages in cultural exchange with Nicaraguan people.
NEWTON SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS PROGRAM
www.3.newton.k12.ma.us/community/newtonschoolvolunteers
Email: ellen_bender@newton.k12.ma.us
Provides individual math support for Newton students in grades 2-5 to help them gain confidence and competence in mathematics. Using the Everyday Mathematics curriculum, tutors work with children before or after school, once a week, for 45 minutes, playing games that help reinforce skills, helping with daily assignments, and helping to fill in the gaps in mathematical knowledge. If you would like your child to be tutored by a Newton School Volunteer, please contact your child’s teacher or the Program Coordinator. If you would like to be a Newton School Volunteer tutor, please contact Ellen Bender, above. You will be asked to meet with the Coordinator to learn more about the program and indicate your preference for school, grade level, days and times. Teaching experience is not required. You will receive training in current instructional techniques and a variety of materials to use when working with your student. Seminars for tutors are scheduled regularly.

NEWTON SCHOOLS FOUNDATION
(617) 559-6120
www.newtonschoolsfoundation.org
Email: info@newtonschoolsfoundation.org
246 Dudley Road
Newton Center 02459
Enhances and broadens community support for public education and provides private funding for innovative and challenging programs in the Newton Public Schools.

NEWTON SENIOR CENTER
(See Seniors pages 31-35)
(617) 796-1660
Fax: (617) 969-9560
www.newtonseniors.org
Email: info@newtonseniors.org
345 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
Offers programs and services in the areas of health, mental health, education, nutrition, fitness, arts, transportation, and more.

NEWTONServes (A Day of Community Service)
(617) 796-1540
Fax: (617) 527-7089
www.newtonma.gov/newtonserves
www.newtoncommunitypride.org
Email: lplaut@newtonma.gov
One thousand Newton residents give a day of service, usually the last Sunday of April, at almost 100 indoor and outdoor sites across Newton raking, helping senior citizens, planting, painting, building, participating in spring clean ups. Sponsored by Newton Community Pride with the Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs, individuals, families, organizations, friends can all volunteer.

NEWTON SILVER ALERT SYSTEM
(617) 796-3660
Email: eroenba@newtonma.gov
Provides information if a senior citizen who has Alzheimer’s disease or dementia wanders away from home.

NEWTON SINGERS
(617) 969-8673
(617) 965-4568
www.newton singers.org
Email: newton_singers@yahoo.com
Newton Singers is a community chorus of men and women of all ages sponsored by the Newton Parks & Recreation Commission. Our repertoire includes jazz, show tunes, madrigals, folk songs, and much more! Our Choral Director, Ben Youngman, teaches us how to make great music.

NEWTON SOUTH RECREATION COMPLEX
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Parks and Recreation Dept.
Recreation classes and programs on Sundays in the Winter

NEWTON TAB
(781) 433-8200
Fax: (781) 433-8202
www.wickedlocalnewton.com
254 Second Ave.
Needham 02492
Publisher of news and information website all about Newton; publisher of weekly newspaper.

NEWTON TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION
www.newtontaxpayers.org
Email: Main@newtontaxpayers.org
PO Box 451
Newton 02460
A non-partisan fiscal watchdog organization. Founded in 1936 to foster governmental economy and efficiency. Based on a belief in civic duty and volunteerism and representing all areas, economic strata and political persuasions.

NEWTON TEACHERS ASSOCIATION
(617) 244-9562
www.newteach.org
Email: NTAPresident@gmail.com
46 Austin St
Newtonville 02460

NEWTON’S TEEN VOICE
(617) 796-1436
www.newtonma.gov/youth
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton 02459
Gives teens the opportunity to make a difference in the community by representing the interests of Newton teens as Youth Commission leaders, engaging in meaningful social action, advocacy and service projects and connecting with peer leaders, public service mentors and the Mayor directly.

NEWTON THEATRE COMPANY (NTC)
(617) 796-1540
www.newtonma.gov/culture
Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton, MA 02459
Newton’s newest theatre company founded by Melissa Bernstein that draws upon Newton talent to present reconfigurations of classic works or new stagings of great pieces of literature.

NEWTON THERAPEUTIC RECREATION PROGRAM
(See Athletes Unlimited page 41)

NEWTON TREE CONSERVANCY
www.newtontreeconservancy.org/
GetInvolved
Email: newtontreeconservancy@gmail.com
84 Fenwick Road
Waban 02468
Working to restore - promote, plant, and preserve - Newton’s urban forest. NTC builds public awareness of the benefits
of trees and of Newton’s street tree loss (14,000 since the 1970’s, and continuing at 650 per year), advocates for more trees and resources to care for them, and raises funds for tree planting. Since 2008, NTC has organized 20 neighborhoods and planted 300 trees (through 2013), conducted classes and programs in tree planting and pruning, sponsored tree lectures and events, and partnered with donors and community organizations on projects to improve our urban forest and our environment.

NEWTON UNPLUGGED AND CONNECTED
(617) 969-5906 x143
www.ncscweb.org
Email: gsommer@ncscweb.org
Newton Community Service Center
492 Waltham St.
Newton 02465
Reminding us there is more to life than what is on the other side of a plug, the Newton Unplugged calendar offers daily activities in March to encourage your family and friends to be active and have fun without a TV or computer. Sponsored by: Newton Community Service Center & Child Assault Prevention program (CAP), the City of Newton, and the Newton School Department.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS AREA COUNCIL
(617) 869-3642
Email: upperfalls@newtonma.gov
www.newtonma.gov/gov/neighborhood/upper_falls
A legal entity of Newton city government to facilitate communication between Newton Upper Falls residents and the City, to address issues of importance to Newton Upper Falls residents, and to support and foster pride in Newton Upper Falls through the sponsorship of various community activities.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION
(617) 796-1120
(Contact via Planning and Development Department)
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/histpres/default/asp
Reviews exterior and landscape changes to properties within the historic district for their appropriateness in order to maintain the historic character of the district.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS SENIORS
(617) 796-1500
Emerson Community Center
51 Pettee St.
Newton 02464
A social organization open to all. Meets at 9:45 a.m. on Wednesdays March-June and September-December.

NEWTON URBAN TREE COMMISSION
(617) 796-1530
Email: mwelch@newtonma.gov
Parks & Recreation Dept.
124 Vernon St.
Newton Corner 02458
Responsible for the City’s trees. Receive training in proper tree maintenance and be part of our “Newton Citizen Pruners Program” to care for trees in specific city locations.

NEWTON VOLUNTEERISM
www.newtonma.gov/volunteer
The City of Newton offers many volunteer opportunities year-round. Check the website and learn about openings on the City of Newton’s many boards, commissions, committees and other opportunities. Contact the school department and the library directly for volunteer opportunities.

NEWTON WATER COLOR SOCIETY
(617) 527-0463
www.newtonwatercolorsociety.org
Email: info@newtonwatercolorsociety.org
Founded in 2009 to provide opportunities for artistic development for professional and amateur watercolor artists. Monthly meetings include plein air painting, visiting artists demonstration and watercolor videos. Also five-day workshops with internationally known watercolorists.

NEWTON WOMEN’S TWILIGHT LEAGUE
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
Parks and Recreation Dept.
124 Vernon St.
Newton Corner 02458
Offers recreational softball, volleyball, and basketball for women year-round.

NEWTON YOUTH COMMISSION
(See Youth Commission, page 92)
(617) 796-1436

NEWTON YOUTH PLAYERS
(617) 796-1540
www.newtonyouthplayers.com
Email: Lplaut@newtonma.gov
Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Ave.
Newton 02459
A program of the Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs. For grades 2-5, (1-6 during the summer) youngsters learn the basics of putting on a Broadway show including acting, singing, staging, costume design and scenery painting. Everyone accepted on a first come basis. Parts for everyone; a low-keyed approach. Three separate casts per week, fall, winter, spring. Early registration essential.

NEWTON YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE
(See Newton Athletic Programs page 70)

NEWTONVILLE AREA COUNCIL
www.newtonma.gov/gov/neighborhood/newtonville/default.asp
The nine-member Newton Highlands Neighborhood Area Council is an official elected body under the city charter. Its purpose is to facilitate communication between Highlands residents and the Board of Aldermen and other city organs. It also serves as a forum/mechanism for dealing with various local issues and for fostering community spirit through annual events such as Village Day, the Halloween party and haunted house, and the Winter Social.

NEWTONVILLE HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION
(contact via Planning and Development Department)
(617) 796-1120
www.newtonma.gov/gov/planning/histpres/default/asp
Reviews exterior and landscape changes to properties within the historic district for their appropriateness in order to maintain the historic character of the district.
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**Newton-Wellesley-Weston Committee for Community Living, Inc. (NWW)**

(617) 964-6860  
Fax: (617) 630-9132  
www.nwwcommittee.org  
1301 Centre St.  
Newton Center, 02459  

Provides residential and other supportive services to persons with developmental disabilities and their families, including group homes and independent apartments, social work services, volunteers, conferences, recreational programs, and support groups.

**Newton-Wellesley Hospital — Parent Advisory Council for Special Education**

(617) 243-6000  
www.nwh.org  
www.nwh.org/facebook  
www.nwh.org/twitter  
www.nwh.org/youtube  
Email: carefinder@partners.org  
2014 Washington St.  
Newton 02462  

A premier community teaching hospital offering a full range of medical, surgical and specialty care including 24-hour emergency services pediatric emergency department and dedicated inpatient units. A member of Partners HealthCare, a network that includes Massachusetts General Hospital and Brigham and Women's Hospital. Departments include The Spine Center, Auerbach Breast Center, Jim and Ellen Kaplan Center for Joint Reconstruction Surgery, MassGeneral for Children at Newton-Wellesley Hospital, Wikstrom Surgical Center, Maureen Egan Gastroenterology Unit, the Center for Minimally Invasive GYN Surgery, Brigham and Women’s/Newton-Wellesley Obstetrics, Women’s Imaging Center, Center for Weight Loss Surgery, and The Wellness Center. Volunteers operate hospital gift/coffee/thrift shops. The hospital also offers tours, supportive services, free lectures and health screenings throughout the year. All numbers are 617 area code unless otherwise indicated.

**Nonantum Children’s Christmas Party Association**

P. O. Box 12  
Newton 02458  

Helps charities improve the quality of life for children, the handicapped, and the elderly. Provides limited financial assistance to groups, including fire victims, homeless, bereaved and infirm; participates in food drives; supports youth and senior programs.

**Nonantum Neighborhood Association**

(617) 230-4658  
www.nonantum.net  
Email: Lyraden@comcast.net  

A social, musical & spiritual community whose mission is to share the style and substance of early American sacred song.

**Norumbega Harmony**

(617) 792-5773  
www.norumbegaharmony.org  
Email: Lyraden@comcast.net  

A social, musical & spiritual community whose mission is to share the style and substance of early American sacred song.

**Outdoor Adventure**

(617) 796-1500  
Fax: (617) 796-1512  
www.newtonma.gov/parks  
Parks and Recreation Dept.  

Offers a hands-on summer program along the Charles River at Nahant Park, 455 Nahant St., and Newton Centre for grades 2-5. Two 3 week sessions. 9-1pm Extreme Outdoor Adventure Program

**Overeaters Anonymous**

www.oa.org/membersgroups/  
find-a-meeting  
Various locations in Newton

Overeaters Anonymous offers a program of recovery from compulsive eating using the Twelve Steps and Twelve Tradition of OA. Worldwide meetings and other tools provide a fellowship of experience, strength and hope where members respect one another’s anonymity. OA charges no dues or fees; it is self-supporting through member contributions.

**Parent Advisory Council for Special Education (PAC)**

www.newtonpac.org  
Email: info@newtonpac.org  
Education Center  
100 Walnut St.  
Newtonville 02460  

An organization of parents of children with disabilities in the preschool, elementary school, high school, and in private schools who meet to learn more about special education programs, issues, policies, regulations, and resources. We sponsor
monthly informational meetings, maintain an online discussion group, and work with the school administration regarding our children’s education.

PARENT CHILD HOME PROGRAM (PCHP)
(617) 969-5906 X 113
www.ncscweb.org/programs/earlyeducation/pchp
Email: dbrush@ncscweb.org
A free program offering home visits for income eligible families with language barriers or other obstacles that may make it difficult for their children to succeed in school. A trained home visitor visits families twice a week during the school year for a consistency of two years.

PARENT CONNECTION OF THE BETH ISRAEL DEACONNESS MEDICAL CENTER
(617) 667-2229
Fax: (617) 667-1459
www.bidmc.org/parentconnection
Email: csweeney@bidmc.harvard.edu
Find a Doctor: 800-667-5356
TDD 1-800-439-0183
330 Brookline Avenue
Boston 02215
Provides free mentoring service to new moms who deliver at BIDMC that consists of weekly phone call support through 12 weeks post delivery. Groups for moms and babies under age one, no matter the location of the delivery, at Healthworks Fitness Center, Chestnut Hill on Wednesdays from 1-2:30pm and at the Dedham Health and Athletic Complex Tuesdays 10-11:30am. Working Moms Groups 2nd and 4th Thursday of the months, 7-8:30pm also at the Dedham Health and Athletic Complex. Registration is required. Call or email.

PARENTS, FAMILIES AND FRIENDS OF LESBIANS AND GAYS (PFLAG)
(781) 891-5966
www.gbpflag.org
Email: info@gbpflag.org
P.O. Box 541619
Waltham 02454

PARENTS HELPING PARENTS
PARENTAL STRESS LINE
1-800-632-8188
www.parentshelpingparents.org
Email: info@parentshelpingparents.org
108 Water St.
Watertown 02472
Operates a 24-hour telephone counseling service for parents and childcare givers. Also offers free and confidential weekly parent support groups including a group in Newton. For meeting times call Rita at (617) 926-5008 x102.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS
1-800-637-7974
www.parentswithoutpartners.org
Provides real help in the way of discussions, professional speakers, and study groups, publications and social activities for families and adults. Check website for nearest chapter.

PARKS & RECREATION DEPT.
(See Parks & Recreation pages 28-30)
(617) 796-1500
Parks & Recreation Commission
(617) 796-1500

PARTNERS HEALTH CARE AT HOME
(781) 290-4000
www.partnershealthcare.org
281 Winter St., Ste.240
Waltham 02451
Provides services for families in their homes and a listing of community resources.
RASHI SCHOOL
(617) 969-4444
8000 Great Meadow Rd.
 Dedham 02026
The mission of the Rashi School, the Boston Area Reform Jewish Independent School, is to provide a dynamic, child-centered program of academic excellence that integrates rich secular and Jewish studies curricula and nurtures in its students’ critical minds and compassionate hearts.

REACH BEYOND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
(781) 891-0724
Hotline: 1-800-899-4000
Fax: (781) 891-3861
www.reachma.org
Email: info@reachma.org
PO Box 540024
Waltham 02454
Committed to advancing the safety, healing, and empowerment of those who experience domestic or relationship violence, through direct services and education while promoting social justice for individuals and families. Offers a 24-hour toll free hotline, emergency shelter, individual advocacy and support, child and adolescent therapy, support groups, and outreach and education services.

REBECCA POMROY FOUNDATION
P.O. Box 66006
Newton 02466
Makes charitable grants.

REC PLACE AFTER SCHOOL INC.
(617) 332-7327
www.recplace.org
Email: recplaceafterschool@gmail.com
Newton Lower Falls Community Center
545 Grove St.
Newton 02462
After-school program primarily for children attending Angier and Williams schools, serving the Lower Falls community Monday-Friday.

RECOVERY RESOURCE ON LINE
www.soberrecovery.com
Nationwide website offers resources and information for drug rehab centers, support groups, alcoholism and mental health help for addicts.

Parks and Recreation Dept.
Lower Falls Community Center, Tuesdays 10-11:30
Nahant Park Nature Center, Mondays 10-11:30

PLANNED LIFETIME ASSISTANCE NETWORK (PLAN) OF MA & RI
www.planofma-ri.org
Email: info@planofma-ri.org
1340 Centre Street, Suite 102
Newton Centre 02459
PLAN of MA-RI serves people with disabilities and their families through its Pooled Trust. Our trustee and individualized care management services help protect choices and quality of life for people with disabilities and provide peace of mind to their families. We accept accounts of all sizes whether the funds are from the trust beneficiary or a third party.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD LEAGUE OF MASSACHUSETTS
Counseling/Referral Hot Line: 1-800-258-4448
www.pplm.org
1055 Commonwealth Ave.
Boston 02215
Provides high-quality reproductive health services in a confidential, non-judgmental, and culturally sensitive environment. Services include checkups, birth control, emergency contraception, abortion care, cervical cancer prevention, STD testing and treatment, pregnancy testing, and more.

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
(See page 6)

PLAY GROUPS
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512
www.newtonma.gov/parks
Email: jdore@newtonma.gov

PROPERTY TAX WORK OFF PROGRAM
(617) 796-1160
Assessment Administration, for income eligible Newton residents, 60 and older.

PUBLIC WELFARE, MASS. DEPARTMENT OF
(See Massachusetts Department of Transitional Assistance page 62)
(617) 348-8500

PUDDLESTOMPERS
(617) 796-1500
Newton Parks and Recreation Dept.
www.newtonma.gov
RESOLVE OF NEW ENGLAND — RSVP METRO WEST

RESOLVE OF NEW ENGLAND
(781) 890-2250
www.resolveofthebaystate.org
Email: admin@resolvenewengland.org
395 Totten Pond Rd., Ste. 403
Waltham 02451
For women and men coping with infertility, provides compassionate support, information and educational programs on all aspects of building a family, including medical treatment, donor options and adoption.

RIDE ADVOCACY PROJECT
(617) 277-0080
A project of Boston Self-Help Center
Advocates for people who have concerns about the MBTA RIDE Service

RIDE, THE
Registration: (617) 222-5123
TTY: 1-800-533-6282
Local Provider and Lift Bus: 1-508-935-2222
www.MBTA.com
Senior and Disability Office
(617) 222-5976

RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY CARE:
Riverside Community Service Agency
(877) 869-3016
www.riversidecc.org
237 Highland Ave.
Needham 02494
MassHealth-funded wraparound services for youth and families. Includes care coordination and parent support.

Riverside Emergency Services
1-800-529-5077
www.riversidecc.org
Twenty-four hour mobile psychiatric crisis evaluation and intervention for area residents.

Riverside In-Home Therapy Services
(781) 752-6857
MassHealth-funded therapeutic services for children, families and young adults offering counseling, crisis intervention and therapeutic mentoring services.

Riverside Life Skills Center and Riverside School -Needham
(781) 433-0672
www.riversidecc.org
255 Highland Ave.
Needham 02494
A Department of Mental Health-funded psychiatric day treatment program offering group counseling and stabilization for adolescents. Also, a 766-approved day academic program providing a safe, supportive and structured educational setting.

Riverside Newton-Needham Home Based Services
(617) 969-4925
www.riversidecc.org
64 Eldredge Street
Newton 02458
Free short-term home-bases services for children, adolescents and families residing specifically in Newton and Needham. Offers family counseling, parent support, crisis stabilization and case management.

Riverside Newton Youth Outreach
(617) 796-4902
www.riversidecc.org
Brigham Community House
20 Hartford Street
Newton 02461
Year-round, school and community-based counseling for middle and high school students in Newton. Accepts insurance and offers some free care.

Riverside Outpatient Center at Newton
(617) 969-4925
www.riversidecc.org
64 Eldredge St.
Newton 02458
Outpatient counseling for individuals, couples, families and groups. Offers psychopharmacology. Accepts most insurance plans.

Riverside Trauma Center
(888) 851-2451
www.riversidecc.org
255 Highland Ave.
Needham 02494
Helps people, schools and communities in Massachusetts recover from overwhelming stress caused by traumatic events. Offers psychological first aid, suicide prevention and postvention, training and consultation.

ROAD SCHOLAR
(formerly Elder Hostel)
1-800-454-5768
www.roadscholar.org
11 Ave. de Lafayette
Boston 02111
Provides adults over 55 with unique travel, and learning experiences. Nearly 8,000 educational tours in all 50 states and more than 90 countries alongside local and renowned experts. In-depth and behind-the-scenes learning opportunities, from cultural tours and study cruises to walking, biking and more.

ROSIE’S PLACE
(617) 318-0238 (direct)
(617) 442-9322 (main)
Fax: (617) 989-2729
www.rosiesplace.org
889 Harrison Ave.
Boston 02118
A sanctuary for poor and homeless women, offers emergency shelter, meals, and long-term assistance to women who have nowhere else to turn. Welcomes volunteers and donations of food, clothing, and toiletry items

ROTARY-Newton Chapter
www.RotaryClubofNewton.org
326 Fuller St.
Newton 02465
Meets at Brae Burn Country Club
Service and fund raising organization.
Fosters programs within the community and works toward international understanding.

RSVP METRO WEST (RETIRED AND SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM)
(See SOAR 55: Service Opportunities After Retirement page 83)
(617) 969-5906 x120
SAFE HAVEN LAW CHILDREN OF HOPE
(866) 814-SAFE
(617) 927-0077
(516) 781-3511
The Mission of Children of Hope/Safe Haven is to save the lives of newborns in danger of abandonment and to help preserve the health and future of their mothers. Their goal is to facilitate the safe transfer of an infant to appropriate personnel in a non-threatening environment for the mother and to protect the infant’s well-being. The law allows women to anonymously turn over unwanted newborns into the arms of police officers, firefighters or medical personnel without fear of prosecution.

SAFE LINK FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
Hotline: (877) 785-2020
TTY: (877) 521-2601
www.SafelinkHotline.com
A statewide 24 hour a day, 7 day a week toll-free hotline for anyone in Massachusetts who is affected by domestic violence and would like to speak to a trained advocate. All calls are free, confidential, and anonymous. Safelink advocates are multilingual, and have access to translation services for over 130 languages. Services include safety planning, supportive listening, a direct connection to domestic violence shelters in the area, and referrals to local domestic violence and community services. Also offers support and resources to people who are concerned about a victim of domestic violence.

SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL TASK FORCE
Email: srtsnnewton@googlegroups.com
A working group of parent representatives from each school and city officials that work to promote more walking and biking to and from school. Efforts include walking/biking days, resolving safety issues that affect the safety of kids walking and biking and ensuring bike safety and pedestrian safety training classes are held.

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SACRED HARP SINGING GROUP — SIERRA CLUB, MASSACHUSETTS
(See Norumbega Harmony page 78)
(617) 792-5773

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(866) 814-SAFE
(617) 927-0077
(516) 781-3511
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SALVATION ARMY
(781) 894-0413
www.salvationarmyusa.org

SCANDINAVIAN LIVING CENTER
(617) 527-6566
www.slcenter.org
Email: jcarella@slcenter.org
206 Waltham St.
West Newton 02465
A unique non-profit assisted living community whose mission is to provide affordable housing and assistance to elders and to support cultural enrichment and community connections. It welcomes all nationalities. Runs the Scandinavian Cultural Center.

SCHOOL VACATION CAMPS
(617) 796-1529
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks
Email: cames@newtonma.gov

Burr Park Community Center
Grades K-3
Email: slapham@newtonma.gov
(617) 796-1528

Lower Falls Community Center
Grades K-3
Newton Centre Hut
Grades K-6
8:30am-3:30 p.m.
Sign up by the day. Extended Day available.
Email: cames@newtonma.gov
(617) 796-1529

SENIOR CITIZEN TRANSPORTATION
Senior Services Department
(See Senior Transportation, pages 31 and 35)
(617) 796-1660
www.newtonseniors.org

SENIOR PARKING STICKERS
(617) 796-1660
Newton Senior Center
345 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
Available to Newton residents 65 years or older for municipal parking lots. $6.00 for a 2-year cycle, current car registration, copy of personal lease agreement if car is leased, and MA driving license required. Must apply in person.

SIERRA CLUB, Massachusetts
(617) 423-5775
Email: office@sierraclubmass.org
www.sierraclubmass.org
10 Milk St.
Boston 02108
Dedicated to the protection of the Earth and natural environment. Lobbies for enactment and enforcement of environmental laws. Offers outdoor programs.
SILENT SPRING INSTITUTE
(617) 332-4288; (617) 332-4284
www.silentspring.org
Email: info@silentspring.org
29 Crafts St.
Newton Corner 02458
A scientific research organization dedicated to identifying the links between the environment and women’s health, especially breast cancer.

SILVER NEWTONES
(617) 969-3922
www.silvernewtones.com
Email: musicdirector@silvernewtones.com
146 Walnut St.
Newton, MA 02460
A friendly chorus of people ‘50’ and over who spread the joy of music through singing at nursing homes, rehab facilities and senior centers. Meets weekly during the day; no auditions. New members always welcome.

SKIING AND SNOWBOARDING
Newton Parks & Recreation Department
(617) 796-1500
Fax: (617) 796-1512

SOAR 55–Service Opportunities after Reaching 55
(617) 969-5906 ext 120
Fax: (617) 964-3975
www.ncscweb.org/programs/soar55
Email: JlatorreStiller@ncscweb.org
Newton Community Service Center
429 Cherry St.
Newton 02465
A volunteer-connector organization for people after 55 and over who would like to share their professional and experience-based skills with local public and nonprofit organizations that need help. Offers a unique personalized and thoughtful approach to matching each individual with a rewarding and satisfying volunteer opportunity with over 300 volunteers serving at 80 sites in assignments that range from tutoring children, assuming leadership roles in organization, to management consulting.

SOCCER WORLD CUP
(617) 319-1502
www.SoccerWorldCup.us
275 Grove St., #2-400
Auburndale 02466
Email: collins@soccerworldcup.us
Uses soccer exercise to help reverse obesity and manage diabetes for kids.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION
1-800-772-1213
TTY 1-800-325-0778
Fax: (617) 625-2750
www.ssa.gov
135 Beaver St. #120
Waltham 02452
Administers Social Security Retirement, Survivor and Disability Benefits, and Medicare. Provides Supplementary Security Income (SSI) for the aged, disabled and blind.

SOLOMON SCHECHTER DAY SCHOOL
(617) 964-7765
www.ssdsboston.org
Stein Circle
Newton Center 02459
Newton Centre K-8 day school adhering to the principles of Conservative Judaism. Includes information on academics, activities, and admissions.

SONS OF ITALY
Ambrosio D. Cedrone Lodge No. 1069
(617) 527-9752
196 Adams St.
Nonantum 02458
Contributes to local non-profits and holds annual carnival parade and celebration; awards scholarships to eligible students.

SPACE PROGRAM
Newton Public Schools
(617) 559-6147

SPAUDDLING AND NEWTON-WELLESLEY HOSPITAL REHABILITATION
(617) 573-7000
TDD 1-800-439-2370
www.spaudlingrehab.org
Provides a full continuum of rehabilitation treatment and care. Contributes new knowledge and treatment approaches through research and outcome studies. Educates future rehabilitation specialists, including physicians, nurses, therapists and other allied health professionals. Advocates for persons with disabilities. Collaborates with Partners and other healthcare providers.

SPECIAL NEEDS DAY CAMP
(See Camp Echo Bridge page 44)
(617) 796-1500
www.newtonma.gov/parks

SPECIAL NEEDS THERAPEUTIC RECREATION PROGRAMS
(617) 796-1527
www.newtonma/parks
Email: mkelly@newtonma.gov
Therapeutic recreation programs include track, swim, basketball, ice-skating, skiing, soccer, tennis, golf, rowing, tandem biking, fishing, socials, baseball, camps and holiday parties. Annual events include Paddy’s Road Race, Kevin Clancy Basketball Tournament, Awards Ceremony & Camp Echo Bridge.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS
(617) 796-1527
www.newtonspecialathletes.com

SOILSCIENCE UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS
www.soilsciences.org
Email: info@soilsciences.org
A science education and research institution.

SSOCCER WORLD CUP
(617) 964-7765
www.SoccerWorldCup.us
275 Grove St., #2-400
Auburndale 02466
Email: collins@soccerworldcup.us
Uses soccer exercise to help reverse obesity and manage diabetes for kids.

This is your time.
This is your private bank.™

Boston Private Bank & Trust Company
1223 Centre Street • Newton, Massachusetts
617.646.4850

Here for all your personal and business needs.

Newton Center
10 Langley Road
617.243.3070

Newtonville
323 Walnut Street
617.641.0720

Newton Highlands
1160 Walnut Street
617.558.3655

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SPORTS LEAGUES
www.newtonma.gov/parks
provides links to most leagues
Newton Smash Volleyball
Newton Youth Lacrosse
Newton East Little League
Newton North Little League
Newton Central Little League
Newton South Little League
Newton West Little League
Newton Girls Softball
Newton Youth Soccer
Newton Boys Soccer
Newton Girls Soccer
Newton Babe Ruth Baseball 13-15
Newton Senior Softball
Newton Girls Basketball
Newton Travel Basketball
Newton Pop Warner Football
Newton Youth Hockey

SPRINGWELL
(617) 926-4100
Fax: (617) 926-9897
www.springwell.com
307 Waverley Oaks Rd, Suite 207
Waltham 02452.
Committed to providing a broad range of
services that enhance the options available
to seniors and persons with disabilities so
that they may live in their community.
A staff of more than 100 including social
workers, care advisors, RNs, a nutritionist
and a network of in-home care staff, per-
sonal care workers and home health aides
work with seniors, individuals with dis-
abilities and their families.
A one-stop shopping center that provides
everything from information, care advice,
and meals to 24/7 in-home care. Some ser-
dices are free, some are available at a subsi-
dized rate and some are available for a fee.

ST. MARY OF CARMEN ASSOCIATION
(617) 969-0681
Email: stmarycarmen@gmail.com
Holds annual festival in July to raise
money for area youth groups and for
scholarships.

STEP INTO ART
(617) 823-1840
www.stepintoart.org
Email: info@stepintoart.org
Provides dynamic art education programs
that actively engage children with great
works of art from Boston-area museums.

STEVEN GLIDDEN FOUNDATION
(617) 283-5784
www.stevegliddenfoundation.org
Email: SG@stevegliddenfoundation.org
Funds summer camp and other scholar-
ships for children of great disadvantage
and need (i.e. children exposed to domestic
violence, children who are homeless or are
refugees.

STRAY PETS IN NEED (SPIN)
(781) 235-1218
www.straypetsinneed.org
Volunteers needed to help the many
stray pets served by SPIN in the Newton
Wellesley area. SPIN also collects clean
bedding & linens for animal shelters.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE HOTLINE
1-800-327-5050
www.helpline-online.com
The Massachusetts Substance Abuse
Information and Education Helpline pro-
vides free and confidential information
and referrals for alcohol and other drug
abuse problems and related concerns.
The Helpline is committed to linking con-
sumers with comprehensive, accurate,
and current information about treatment
and prevention services throughout
Massachusetts. Services are available
Monday through Friday from 8am to 11pm
and on Saturday and Sunday from 9am
to 5pm. Language interpreters are always
available.

SUICIDE PREVENTION HOTLINE
1-800-273-8255

SUMMER VACATION CAMPS
www.newtonma.gov/gov/parks/camps/adventures.asp
Burr Park - Grades 1-4
Burr Park Community Center
Newton Corner - Grades 1-6
Newton Centre Hut
Emerson Community Center
Newton Upper Falls

SUPPORT COMMITTEE FOR
BATTERED WOMEN
(See also REACH Beyond Domestic
Violence page 80)
National Domestic Violence Hotline:
1-800-799-SAFE (7233)
National Sexual Assault Hotline:
1-800-656-HOPE (4673)
www.mass.gov/eopsslaw-enforce-
and-cj/prisons/dom-violence/
battered-women-resources

SUZUKI SCHOOL OF NEWTON
(617) 964-4522
Fax: (617) 969-8918
www.suzukinewton.org
Email: email@suzukinewton.org
1860 Washington Street
Auburndale 02466
Offers instruction on violin, viola, cello,
double bass, piano, guitar flute, harp,
music theory, chamber music and orches-
tra. Has a new integrated arts preschool
founded on the beliefs of Dr. Shinichi
Suzuki. The school recognizes every child’s
ability to learn and succeed by fostering
parent-child education and helping stu-
dents develop self-confidence, self-respect
and a capacity for self-discipline through
music study and performance.

SYNAGOGUE COUNCIL OF
MASSACHUSETTS
(617) 244-6506
www.synagoguecouncil.org
Email: info@synagoguecouncil.org
1320 Centre St., Ste 306
Newton Center 02459
The only interdenominational, syna-
gogue-based organization of its kind in
North America.

TALK OF THE TOWN TOASTMASTERS
www.TOTT.us
Provides a supportive atmosphere to help
overcome the fear of speaking offered to
the community at large for the improve-
ment of public speaking. Meets every 2nd
and 4th Wednesday, 7pm at the Newton
Senior Center.
Newton Senior Center
345 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460

TELECOMMUNICATIONS ADVISORY
BOARD
(617) 796-1120
Fax: (617) 796-1142
Planning and Development Dept.
Newton City Hall
A citizen advisory group to the Mayor on
issues pertaining to telecommunications
services in Newton. This includes: mon-
itoring of cable and telecommunications
licenses, provision of quality local com-
community access programming and services,
universal access to information and service
delivery to subscribers and users, and
maintaining competitive telecommunications
systems/services.
TEMPLE SHALOM GARDEN CLUB
(617) 965-9632
Email: Joanne.lyons@comcast.net
175 Temple Street
West Newton 02465
A Member Club of the Garden Club
Federation and open to all; offers gar-
den topic demonstrations, lectures and
workshops.

THE NEWTON PARTNERSHIP
(617) 796-9000
www.thenewtonpartnership.org
Email: info@thenewtonpartnership.org
246 Dudley Rd.
Newton Center 02459
A nonprofit organization, fosters a network
of support for children, youth, and families
in Newton by providing funding, consulta-
tion, and advocacy; by cultivating ongoing
collaboration among organizations; and,
by raising community awareness about the
needs of our city. TNP Inc. continues the
25-year history of the Newton Child Care
Fund and builds on a 6-year collaboration
of more than 20 local nonprofit organiza-
tions and agencies. With its new identity as
a community foundation, TNP Inc. serves
Newton residents who share a common
interest-keeping Newton strong for all.
With each year resulting in ever-scarce
fiscal resources, collaboration is the surest
method to meeting community needs.
Working with local organizations and
municipal departments, TNP Inc. will con-
tinue to build collaboration, raise funds,
and distribute resources for the Newton
community, working together for the com-
mon good.

THE SECOND STEP
(617) 965-3999
www.thesecondstep.org
P. O. Box 600213
Newton 02460
The Second Step partners with survivors of
domestic violence to foster safety, stability,
and well-being. Our comprehensive resi-
dential and community-based programs
build on the individual strengths, needs
and values of the families we serve. In
ongoing collaboration with the community,
we lay the foundation for a future free
from abuse and full of possibility.
Our services include safety planning,
advocacy, long-term transitional housing,
children’s programs, and legal case
management.
THE WALKER CENTER FOR ECUMENICAL EXCHANGE
(617) 969-3919
www.walkerctr.org
144 Hancock St.
Auburndale 02466
1435-year old institution with a mission of peace and social justice, The Walker Center hosts retreats and conferences, serves as a bed and breakfast, and provides affordable housing for graduate students enrolled in full-time degree programs related to social justice.

32 (DEGREE) MASONIC LEARNING CENTER
(617) 965-3960
www.childrenslearning.org
458 Newtonville Ave.
Newtonville 02460

TIME FOR PARTNERS
(See Mayor’s Office for Cultural Affairs, page 63)

TITLE I NURSERY SCHOOL
(617) 552-7343
Lincoln-Eliot School
191 Pearl St.
Newton Corner 02458
Offers a transitional kindergarten program.

TOWER HILL BOTANIC GARDEN
(508) 869-6111
Fax: (508) 869-0314
www.towerhillbg.org
11 French Drive
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Newton Parks & Recreation Department
124 Vernon St.
Newton Corner 02458

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www.2020action.org
Email: psmith@igc.org
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Fax: (617) 559-6148
www.understandingourdifferences.org
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100 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
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(617) 244-1810
Fax: (617) 552-5552
www.underwoodafterschool.org
Email: info@underwoodafterschool.org
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(617) 926-5480
Fax: (617) 926-3059
Email: ucpboston@ucpboston.org
71 Arsenal Street
Watertown 02472
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www.supportunitedway.org
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UPPER FALLS GREENWAY
www.upperfallsgreenway.org
Email: info@upperfallsgreenway.org
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UPPER FALLS SENIORS
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(617) 796-1090
www.newtonma.gov
Email: veterans@newtonma.gov
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton 02459
Provides one-stop shopping for veteran’s benefits. This office can assist veterans and their dependents in applying for numerous federal, state, and local assistance programs. Please contact this office to learn about your benefits.

VETERANS’ AFFAIRS REGIONAL OFFICE
1-800-827-1000
www.va.gov
JFK Federal Building
Boston 02203
Provides compensation and pension disability benefits to veterans and dependents, vocational counseling to disabled veterans, and processes claims of VA benefits.

VETERANS’ CENTER
(617) 796-1092
Email: veterans@newtonma.gov
345 Walnut St.
Newtonville 02460
Open 5-8pm first Tuesday in every month. Providers of veterans’ benefits, offers guest speakers and socialization.

VETERANS’ COUNCIL
(617) 796-1090
War Memorial Building
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton 02459

VETERANS’ POSTS AND CHAPTERS
Provides names of Post and Chapter Commanders, addresses and telephone numbers. Meeting dates can be obtained by contacting the Department of Veterans’ Services.
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Newton 02459
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War Memorial Building
Newton City Hall

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Waban Food Pantry
617) 527-2394
www.newtonfoodpantry.org
Email: tracie.longman@gmail.com
Waban Library Center (Basement)
1608 Beacon Street
Waban 02468
Wednesdays 1:30-3:30pm and the third Saturday of each month 11am – Noon.

Volunteer Opportunities
www.newtonma.gov/volunteer
The City of Newton offers many volunteer opportunities year-round. Check the website and learn about openings on the city of Newton’s many boards, commissions, committees and other opportunities. Contact the school department and the library directly for volunteer opportunities.

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WEAVERS GUILD OF BOSTON
PO Box 366
Andover 01810
www.weaversguildofboston.org
Monthly Guild meetings, including all workshops, are at the Congregational Church, 57 West Main Street, in Westborough. The Guild’s Annual sale is held in the fall. Founded in 1922, the Weavers’ Guild of Boston is the oldest and one of the largest weavers’ guilds in the United States. Guild programs educate members and the general public in the artistic and technical aspects of handweaving, and serve to advance the standards of handweaving.

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www.welfare-info.com
WOMAN’S CLUB OF NEWTON HIGHLANDS
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Newton Highlands 02461
Promotes educational, humanitarian and social programs. Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesday, Oct.-Apr for lunch/dessert.
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www.mass.gov/wic
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WEST SUBURBAN YMCA
(617) 244-6050
www.westsuburbanymca.org
276 Church Street
Newton Corner 02458
An association of men, women, children and teens of all ages and from all walks of life joined together by a shared passion: to strengthen the foundations of community. With a commitment to nurturing the potential of kids, promoting healthy living, and fostering a sense of social responsibility, the Y ensures that every individual has access to the essentials needed to learn, grow and thrive. Childcare, creative arts, teen center, athletic and camp programs give kids safe, nurturing environments that help them realize who they are and what they can achieve. Family time, fitness, sports, recreation and group interest programs improve health and well-being, and social services, community education, volunteerism and giving programs help people gain the skills, abilities and mindsets they need to live their best lives.

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A 10,000 watt radio station with a website where streaming audio is available 24 hours a day. On air since 1968, WNTN serves the community with local issues, conversation and entertainment. 1550 Today offers information about Newton politics, senior issues, lifestyles, arts, health and more and is also a multicultural resource for the Greek, Haitian, Irish and Brazilian communities of greater Boston.
YOUNG MEN’S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION (YMCA)
(See West Suburban YMCA page 90)
(617) 244-6050

YOUNG WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS
(978) 979-8993
www.youngwidowsandwidowers.org
Email: info@youngwidowsandwidowers.org
For widows and widowers up to age 58; meets Wednesdays from 7pm-9pm in Andover.

YOUTH COMMISSION
Health and Human Services Dept.
(617) 796-1436
www.newtonma.gov/youth
1000 Commonwealth Ave
Newton 02459
The Newton Youth Commission is a volunteer body of adults and high school students working together to empower youth. The goals of the Commission are to: encourage youth to take a leadership role in the community, provide youth an opportunity to speak on behalf of their peers, provide resources to help meet the needs of youth, programming for high school students on health and wellness, facilitate communications and collaboration among Newton youth serving agencies.

YOUTH INTERAGENCY TASKFORCE
(617) 796-1436
www.newtonma.gov/youth
Newton City Hall
1000 Commonwealth Ave.
Newton 02459
Convened by the City’s Health & Human Services Department. YITF is made up of youth services providers from across the city and meets quarterly to share information and address issues of concern and importance related to youth.

YOUTH PRO MUSICA
(617) 666-6087
www.youthpromusica.org
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West Newton 02465
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(617) 244-6333
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Email: manager@zamir.org
Email: Conductor@zamir.org
1320 Center St.
Newton Center 02459
A musical and educational organization dedicated to raising awareness of the breadth and beauty of Jewish culture through performances, recordings,
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ZERVAS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM
www.ZervasAfterschool.org
30 Beethoven Ave
Waban 02468
Email: Zervasasp@gmail.com
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