

October



EDITION



Dear BISB Families,

The school year is off to a great start, and we're already settling into the rhythm of fall.

So far, we've kicked off the year with some fantastic events! **Movie Night** brought families together for a fun outdoor screening, our **Spooky Storytime** sparked imagination for the little ones, the new **Book Club** launched engaging discussions for parents and staff, and the **Cradles to Crayon event** helped us give back to children in need across Massachusetts.

Looking ahead, we're bringing back favorites like **Heritage Fair** and **Ice Skating at Warrior Ice Arena**, while also continuing new activities such as **Boston Lights at the Franklin Zoo Park** and our **new Book Club!**

For your convenience, all event details and sign-ups are available on our **newly updated website: WWW.BISBPA.ORG**. Be sure to bookmark it so you always have quick access to what you need.

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**MOVIE
NIGHT**

OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT & SPOOKY STORYTIME



OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT

- WHAT A NIGHT TO REMEMBER! -

Our first outdoor Movie Night in September was a huge success – the weather couldn't have been better, and it was wonderful to see so many BISB families enjoying the evening together.

Kids loved spending time at school after dark, picnicking under the stars, and watching the film they voted for.

A big thank you to the Tanzania Team for offering snacks and to everyone who joined and helped make this event such a fun community night!



SPOOKY STORYTIME

Our Spooky Storytime was a hit – lots of little ghosts and ghouls joined for books, giggles, and Toddler fun at Hummingbird Books!





BOOK CLUB CRADLES TO CRAYON

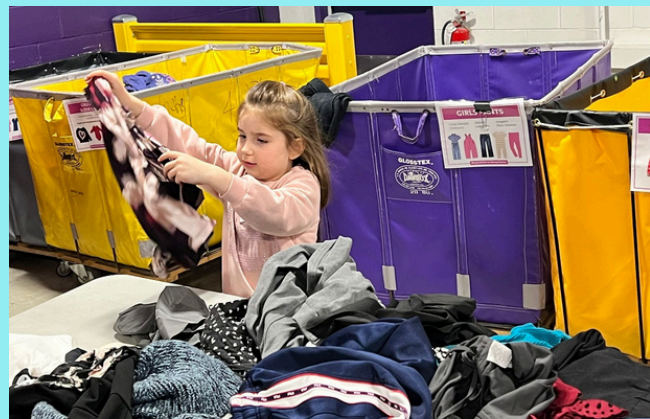
BOOK CLUB AT HUMMINGBIRDS

At our first BISB Book Club night we had the pleasure of meeting the fabulous **Emily Franklin, author of "The Lioness of Boston"**, and enjoyed an engaging discussion about her inspiring novel. The cozy setting at Hummingbird Books made it the **perfect place to connect and share thoughts with fellow BISB community members over drinks and snacks.** We can't wait for the next chapter of our Book Club on Nov. 4th.



CRADLES TO CRAYON - FAMILIES GIVING BACK DAY

Many BISB families came together for our C2C Day, making a real difference as they sorted and packed clothing donations for children in need.






SAVE THE DATES



UPCOMING PA EVENTS

2025

October

- 26th Boston Lights 
at Franklin Zoo
- 31st Halloween Bake Sale

November

- 4th Book Club 
- 7th Heritage Fair
- 15th Cradles to Crayons

December

- 2nd Book Club
- 13th Cradles to Crayons
- 14th Family Ice Skating
Warrior Ice Arena

To find out more information on any of our events and to sign up, scan or click link below:

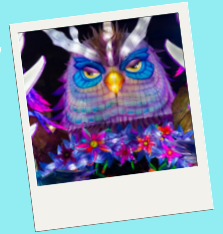


 new events



What's happening OCTOBER

BISB PARENT ASSOCIATION



BOSTON LIGHTS AT FRANKLIN PARK ZOO -A LANTERN EXPERIENCE- OCTOBER 26, SUNDAY

EARLY TIME SLOT: 5.30PM
LATE TIME SLOT: 7PM
FRANKLIN ZOO PARK

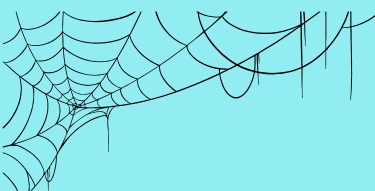
We're excited to share a new event for our BISB families – Boston Lights at Franklin Park Zoo. It's one of Boston's most popular and beautiful events, the perfect way to enjoy a magical evening together. Sign-up closed.



HALLOWEEN BAKE SALE OCTOBER 31, FRIDAY BISB LIBRARY

For our spooktacular Halloween Bake Sale we're inviting you to donate homemade or store bought treats – the spookier the better!

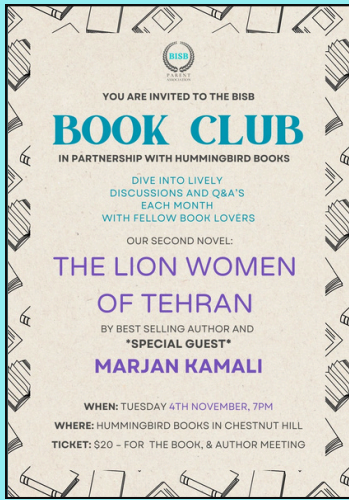
We'll be looking for enthusiastic volunteers to help set up and run the bake sale. It's always a fun way to get involved and enjoy the Halloween spirit with the school community – sign-up below.





What's happening NOVEMBER

BISB PARENT ASSOCIATION



BOOK CLUB
NOVEMBER 4, TUESDAY
6.45PM / HUMMINGBIRDS BOOKS
\$19 P. PERSON (INCL. BOOK, SNACKS, DRINKS)

Join us for our second BISB Book Club evening with bestselling author Marjan Kamali, writer of "The Lion Women of Tehran" and enjoy an inspiring talk and book signing. Books can be ordered via the link below for collection only at Hummingbird Books. Book purchase serves as your event ticket.
Sign-up below.



HERITAGE FAIR
NOVEMBER 7
RAINBOW HALL (SHOWA)

THANK YOU FOR SIGNING UP!

We're thrilled by the incredible response - all tables for this year's Heritage Fair are now booked!

A huge thank-you to everyone who signed up to showcase their culture and traditions. If you'd still like to be part of this exciting event, **we'd love your help as a volunteer at the country tables.** It's a wonderful way to join the celebration and support our community. **Volunteer - Sign up below!**



CRADLES TO CRAYON
FAMILIES GIVING BACK DAY
NOVEMBER 15, SATURDAY

10AM - 12PM / GIVING FACTORY NEWTONVILLE

Join us to sort, quality check, and pack clothing for children in need across Massachusetts. During the shift, help grow our Gratitude Garden by decorating paper flowers, creating autumn crafts, and sharing messages of thanks to celebrate the season of giving!





What's happening

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

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**WARRIOR FAMILY ICE SKATING
DECEMBER 14
WARRIOR ICE SKATING ARENA**



We're thrilled to bring back one of last year's most loved events! On December 14, the Warrior Ice Skating Arena will be reserved just for BISB families.

So bind your skates, get ready for a festive afternoon on the ice, and don't miss out.

Mark your calendar – sign-up will go live on November 13.



BECOME A VOLUNTEER!



You can imagine it takes an army of volunteers to run many of the events throughout the year. We truly appreciate any help the parent community can provide.

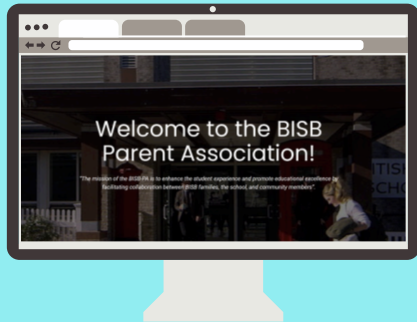
Visit our website <http://bisbpa.org/get-involved/>, email us parent.association@bisboston.org or speak with your Class Representative.

What's happening IN OUR COMMUNITY

BISB PARENT ASSOCIATION



**ALL PA-INFORMATION IN JUST ONE PLACE!
CHECK OUT OUR BISB PA WEBSITE!!**



We are thrilled to announce that the PA's new and improved website has officially launched!

www.bisbpa.org is your all-inclusive source for information related to the PA. You can see our **PA event calendar**, **sign-up for upcoming events**, **view current and past newsletters**, **apply as a volunteer**, **donate and more!** Check it out!

ATTENDING ANY EVENT?

Don't forget to tag us on socials!



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