

## Hyde Park Community Resources

### *Who We Are*

Hyde Park Community Resources (HPCR) is a coalition of service providers and community institutions including Academy of the Pacific Rim; Bethesda Haitian Baptist Church; Boston Centers for Youth and Families; Boston Preparatory Charter School; Boston Police Department; Boston Society of Vulcans; Chittick Elementary School; Councilor Consalvo's Office; Department of Social Services; Elihu Greenwood School; Ethos, Franklin D. Roosevelt School; Georgetowne Homes; Girl and Boy Scouts; Greater Faith Worship Center; Haitian American Public Health Initiatives, Inc. (HAPHI); Haitian Multi-Service Center; Hyde Park Arts Association; Hyde Park Arts Initiative; Hyde Park Community Center; Hyde Park Library; Hyde Park Main Streets; Hyde Park Presbyterian Church; Hyde Park Seventh Day Adventist Church; Hyde Park YMCA; Jewish Vocational Services; KAFAM – Association of Haitian Women in Boston; Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services; Most Precious Blood Church; Ohrenberger Community Center; Roslindale Medical and Dental Center; Southwest Boston Community Development Corporation; Visiting Nurses Association; William Barton Rogers Middle School; Y/BPS.

### *Our Goals*

HPCR seeks to ensure that all Hyde Park residents have access to the services they need to live healthy and productive lives. Our goals are to provide information about existing recreational, health and social services; to identify gaps in services; and to plan and implement new services as needed.

### *Directory*

HPCR has created a directory of recreational, health and social services currently available in Hyde Park. The directory is designed to help families easily locate desired programs and resources. Hard copies of this directory are available for use at all agencies and institutions listed above. To access the directory online, go to [www.swbcd.org](http://www.swbcd.org), click on "Programs," and then click on "Hyde Park Community Resources."

### *Contact*

If you have questions or comments about the directory; would like to obtain a copy for your organization; or if you have information about new programs or program changes, please feel free to contact Pat Alvarez at the Southwest Boston Community Development Corporation at:

Southwest Boston Community Development Corporation

11 Fairmount Ave., Suite 101

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Phone: (617) 364-7300

E-mail: [palvarez@swbcdc.org](mailto:palvarez@swbcdc.org)

*Elementary Schools*

William Ellery Channing Elementary School

Deborah Dancy, Principal 35 Sunnyside Street, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-8722 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:channing@boston.k12.ma.us">channing@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: K1-5 Hours: 8:30am – 2:30pm
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Programs

Tutoring: Before school tutoring

Population Served: K-5<sup>th</sup> graders, currently 25 students in the program but they will accommodate as many students as are interested

Times: 7:15am-8:20am, during the school year

Cost:

Contact: 617-635-8722

Tutoring: After school subject based tutoring

Population Served: K-5<sup>th</sup> graders, currently 40 students in the program but they will accommodate as many students as are interested

Times: 2:30pm-5:30pm, during the school year

Cost:

Contact: 617-635-8722

Elihu Greenwood Elementary School

Ida Weldon, Principal 612 Metropolitan Avenue, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-8665 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:egreenwood@boston.k12.ma.us">egreenwood@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: K2-5  Hours: 9:20am-4:20pm
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Programs

*After School*

Enrichment Activities: Youth engage in various enrichment activities such as dance, painting, jewelry making, chess, theater, etc.	
Population Served: K and 2-5 <sup>th</sup> graders  Times: Fridays, 3:15pm-6:00pm Cost: \$67 week  Registration Process: Register through YMCA	Population Served: 2 <sup>nd</sup> graders, however will keep 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> graders if they begin participating in 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade (intended for students with disciplinary issues to attend during this time) Times: Monday-Thursday, 3:30pm-6:00pm Cost: \$15 per week contribution is suggested, Free if you cannot afford to pay \$15 per week Registration Process: Contact Parent Coordinator, Judy Vance

*During School*

Subject Based Tutoring: One on one tutoring for students	
Population Served: Elementary school students K-5	
Times: Mondays 10:30 am- 11:30am  Wednesdays 11am-12:30pm	(moving to 2-3 days a week)
Cost: Free Registration Process: Contact Parent Coordinator, Judy Vance	

*Adult Education & Job Skills*

Services Offered: Assistance with putting a resume together, Internet use, food pantry, housing referrals, tutoring assistance, and various other resources Population Served: All parents of Greenwood students eligible to use center's resources Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, during the school year Cost: Free Registration Process: Contact Parent coordinator, Judy Vance
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## Grew Elementary School

Ronald Jackson, Principal 40 Gordon Avenue, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-8715 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:grew@boston.k12.ma.us">grew@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: K2-5 Hours: 8:30am - 2:30pm
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## Roosevelt Elementary School

Emily Glasgow, Principal 95 Needham Road, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-8676 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:roosevelt@boston.k12.ma.us">roosevelt@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: K1-6 Hours: 8:30am – 2:30pm
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### Programs

#### SES- Supplemental Education Service

Subject Based Tutoring: Reading and mathematics tutoring for qualifying students

Population Served: Open to a limited number of Roosevelt 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade students who qualify financially and academically

Times: Tuesdays & Thursdays, 2:30 – 4:30pm

Cost: Free

#### Technology Goes Home

Tutoring: Students (and parents) are taught computer skills at school's computer lab. Culminates in a powerpoint presentation project. Participants are eligible to purchase a computer at a reduced cost upon completion of program.

Population Served: 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade Roosevelt students plus parents

Times: October-December, Once a week for 10 weeks from 5:00pm-7:30pm

Cost: Free

New Beginnings Academy

Maura Murray, Principal

Grades: Pre K – 8

20 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

(617) 364-6767

St. Anne's Elementary School

(Roman Catholic School)

20 Como Ave.

Grades: K – 8

Readville, MA 02136

(617) 361-3563

Most Precious Blood School

(Roman Catholic School)

1286 Hyde Park Ave.

Grades: Pre K – 8

Hyde Park, MA 02136

(617) 361-2162

Lt Joseph P. Kennedy Jr Memorial

(Roman Catholic School)

17 Hale Street

Grades: pre K – 8

Hyde Park, MA 02136

(617) 364-4975

*Middle School*

William Barton Rogers Middle School

Andrew Bott, Principal 15 Everett Street, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-8700 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:rogers@boston.k12.ma.us">rogers@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: 6-8  Hours: 7:20am – 1:30pm
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Programs

*After School*

Tutoring: Subject based tutoring

Population Served: 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders, any student who would like tutoring is eligible to participate. Limit is 100 students.

Times: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 1:30pm-3:00pm during the school year

Cost: Free for those students who are eligible for a free or reduced lunch (approximately 70% of this school's population)

Contact: 617-617-6358

Enrichment Activities: Citizen Schools. The program goal is to prepare students for leadership roles in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. To achieve this goal, Citizen Schools has identified four important objectives for students' success:

1) strengthen academic skills 2) develop academic skills 3) facilitate access to resources 4) build community connections. Youth receive homework assistance, tutoring, complete a special project of their interest, participate in some form of community development, take field trips to Boston locations, and listen to guest speakers.

Population Served: 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> graders, Program limit is 75 students. (Staff ratio is 1 staff member to 15 students, not enough staff for more than 75 students now)

Times: Monday to Thursday, 1:30pm-5:30pm. In the Fall for 12 weeks from late September to December. In the Spring for 12 weeks from late February to May.

Cost:

\$200/year

\$100/year for those students who are eligible for free or reduced lunch

\$50 non-refundable deposit required to secure a slot for your child

Students who remain enrolled for the entire academic year and who have an attendance rate of 80% or more will receive a \$50 refund or credit at close of program

Financial Aid: Families may be qualified for a childcare voucher through Child Care Choices of Boston. There is a waiting list, but it's worth adding your name to it. Contact Child Care Choices directly at (617) 542-5437.

Registration Process: Citizen schools conducts outreach to 6<sup>th</sup> and returning 7<sup>th</sup> graders during the summer, contact Citizen schools for more information (617) 695-2300.

#### William Barton Rogers Middle School & City Stage

Enrichment Activities: Drama Club. City Stage Co. representative assigned to school and works with youth to provide drama, music, dance and visual arts.

Population Served: 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders. Limit is 30 students (constrained by size of auditorium)

Times: 1:30pm-3:00pm, one day a week during the school year

Cost: Free

Registration Process: (617) 617-6358

#### *After School Sports*

##### Sports: Girls and Boys Basketball

Population Served: 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders. Limit is 30-40 students.

Times: 1:30pm-3:00pm; 3-4 days a week during the winter season

Cost: Free

Registration Process: 617-617-6358

##### Sports: Girls and Boys Track

Population Served: 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders. Limit is 30-40 students.

Times: 1:30pm-3:00pm; 3-4 days a week during the spring season (April, May & June)

Cost: Free

Registration Process: 617-617-6358

*High Schools*

Hyde Park Education Complex  
Christopher P. Lane III, Chief Administrative Officer  
655 Metropolitan Avenue, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-8955  
e-mail address: [hydepark@boston.k12.ma.us](mailto:hydepark@boston.k12.ma.us)

Community Academy of Science and Health Linda Cabral, Headmaster 655 Metropolitan Avenue, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-8950 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:CASH@boston.k12.ma.us">CASH@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: 9-12 Hours: 7:45am – 2:05pm
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The Engineering School Mweusi Willingham, Headmaster 655 Metropolitan Avenue, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-6425 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:engineering@boston.k12.ma.us">engineering@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: 9-12 Hours: 7:45 – 2:05pm
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Social Justice Academy Winston Cox, Headmaster 655 Metropolitan Avenue, Hyde Park 02136, (617) 635-6960 e-mail address: <a href="mailto:socialjustice@boston.k12.ma.us">socialjustice@boston.k12.ma.us</a>	Grades: 9-12 Hours: 7:45 – 2:05pm
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Academy of the Pacific Rim  
(Charter Public School)

Jeanne Colasacco, Principal	Grades: 5-12
1 Westinghouse Plaza	Hours: 8:05 – 3:20pm
Hyde Park, MA 02136	
Tel: (617) 361-0050	
Web: <a href="http://www.pacrim.org">www.pacrim.org</a>	

Programs

*Tutoring*

Subject Based Tutoring: Subject based tutoring for students.
Population Served: Middle School Students of the Academy of the Pacific Rim
Times: Monday to Friday, 3:00pm – 4:00pm
4:00pm - 5:00pm
Cost: Free

Subject Based Tutoring: Subject based tutoring for students.
Population Served: High School Students of the Academy of the Pacific Rim
Times: Monday to Friday, 3:00pm – 4:00pm
4:00pm – 5:00pm
Cost: Free

*Enrichment & Recreation*

Extra Curricular Activities: After school activities include: Dance Infusion, Circus Circus!, Opening Ceremony Committee, Art Club, Cardio Fitness, Craft Making, Martial Arts, Swimming, Cheerleading, Double-Dutch
Population Served: Middle School Students of the Academy of the Pacific Rim
Times: Monday to Friday, 3:00pm – 5:00pm
Cost: Free

Extra Curricular Activities: Yearbook, Drama, Leadership, Student Council, Kung Fu, Newspaper, Cultural Heritage Committee, Model UN, Off-campus (student internships), Step Squad, Art, Coed Flag Football, Technology, Track, Girls Softball, Coed Soccer, Girls/Boys Basketball, Baseball, Metro-Lacrosse, Cheerleading  
Population Served: High School Students of the Academy of the Pacific Rim  
Times: Monday to Friday, 3:00pm – 5:00pm  
Cost: Free

### *Summer Program*

Summer Enrichment Program: Each high school student is required to complete a P.R.E.P. (Pacific Rim Enrichment Program) experience over the summer for a total of 75 hours. Below are a list of places that students have worked with:

Summer Search, Flaherty Pool, NationalYouthLead.Forum, Fairmont Physical Therapy, Mildred Ave.Community Center, Gillette Economics for Leaders (Babson College, CA), Hebrew Rehabilitation Center, Johnson & Wales, MSPCA Angell Memorial Animal Hospital, BAHEC, Dance Academy, NEC Summer Civil Rights, Dorchester Nazarene Copassionate Center, Mattapan Community Health Center, Educated Girls for Engineering (EDGE, Union College), Documentary for Acuta Records, Roxbury Community College (Theatre), Acuta Records, Children's Hospital (Dental Dept), The Food Project, Harvard Crimson Academy, St. Coliumbkille Summer Program, Writer's Express (Simmons College), George Wright Golf Course, World Scholar Athlete Games, MS2 (Phillips Academy, Andover),

Mass.General Hospital (Nutrition & Food Services), Thompson Island Green Corps (Outward Bound), Summer Stars Performing Arts Camp, City of Medford Dept. of Public Works, HP Babe Ruth Baseball, Second Chance Shelter for Cats, Hofstra University Lacrosse Camp, Caregiver Alliance (Central Boston Elder Services), Eggleston Boston Public Library, HP Library,

Project Hip Hop, Maura Hennigan Campaign, Urban Dreams Youth Development (dance), Perkins School for the Blind (independent landscaping), Emagination Computer Camps, Charles Playhouse (Blue Man box office internship), Simmons College Upward Bound (Math/Science), Lemuel Shattuck Hospital, E.Boston Head Start (ABCD), Dept. of Conservation & Recreation, Ohrenberger Community Center, School Year Abroad (China), NE Aquarium (community outreach educator) Zapstix Surf Shop (teach surfing, New Hampshire), City School (Milton Academy), U.of Miami Summer Scholars Program, NE Patriots Training Camp

Population Served: High School Students of the Academy of the Pacific Rim  
Times: 75 hours during the summer  
Cost: Free

Boston Preparatory Charter Public School

Scott McCue, Head of School	Grades: 6-12
1286 Hyde Park Avenue	Hours:
Hyde Park, MA 02136	
Tel: (617) 333-6688	
<a href="http://www.bostonprep.org/">http://www.bostonprep.org/</a>	

Programs

<p>Enrichment Activities: Enrichment Curriculum. Students choose one art and athletic activity each trimester. Some activities are on-site at the YMCA, however Boston Prep. staff is present. Activities have included: swimming, martial arts, dance, chorus, track, soccer, yearbook, basketball and visual arts.</p> <p>Population Served: Mandatory for all students in 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades. 207 students maximum (30% from Hyde Park)</p> <p>Times: Monday to Friday, 3:00pm-4:15pm.</p> <p>Cost: Free</p> <p>Registration Process: Contact the school 617-333-6688</p>
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Boston Trinity Academy

(Christian School, non-denominational)

Timothy Wiens, Headmaster	Grades: 6 – 12
17 Hale Street	
Boston, MA 02136	
(617) 364-3700	
<a href="http://www.bostontrinity.org/">http://www.bostontrinity.org/</a>	

*YOUTH SERVICES:*

*ART, THEATRE, MUSIC & DANCE:*

*MORNING*

<p><b>Riverside Theatre Works</b></p> <p>45 Fairmount Avenue</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-7024</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.rtwboston.org">www.rtwboston.org</a></p>	<p>Extracurricular Activities: February Vacation Week Camp. Week filled with Broadway show tunes, learning lines, and rehearsing fully staged dance numbers. Culminates with Friday night performance.</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 4-18 years. Class size is 30 students.</p> <p>Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-3:00pm, February School Vacation Week</p> <p>Cost: \$325/week. No financial aid available.</p> <p>Registration Process: Contact Riverside Theatre to enroll, Carol Ward or Melissa Williams. Saturday dance classes and weekday theatre classes usually full with waiting list.</p>
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*ART, THEATRE, MUSIC & DANCE:*

*AFTER SCHOOL*

<p><b>Riverside Theatre Works</b></p> <p>45 Fairmount Avenue</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-7024</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.rtwboston.org">www.rtwboston.org</a></p>	<p>Extracurricular Activities: Dance, music and theatre classes. Students will learn Broadway show tunes, learn lines, and rehearse fully staged dance numbers. Culminates with Friday night performance.</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 4-18 years.</p> <p>Times: Monday to Saturday, September to June</p> <p>Cost: Varies by class. Financial aid available, six yearly \$1000 scholarships offered.</p> <p>Registration Process: Contact Riverside Theatre to enroll, Carol Ward or Melissa Williams. Enrollment begins in the summer for the following school year. Check website for update of classes – <a href="http://www.rtwboston.org">www.rtwboston.org</a></p>
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<p><b>Riverside Theatre Works</b></p> <p>45 Fairmount Ave.</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-7024</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.rtwboston.org">www.rtwboston.org</a></p>	<p>Programs: Private lessons for voice, guitar, piano, acting and ballet. All private studios present a recital during the year.</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 8-adult</p> <p>Times: lessons are scheduled individually with the instructor</p> <p>Cost: \$25 per ½ hour for lessons. All lessons are paid for at the first of each month.</p> <p>Contact: RTW office at 617-361-7024</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p>	<p>Extracurricular Activities: Breakin' and Poppin'. The Foundation project presents Breakin' and Poppin classes taught by the Floor Lords. This form of dance was at the start of the hip hop culture and is still one of the most popular and intense forms of dance today.</p>
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Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Population Served: 13-17 years  
Times: After school, 2-3 times a week during the school year  
Cost: \$136/year to join teen department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Extracurricular Activities: Spoken Word. Taught by Sophia Snow and George Watski of the Foundation Project. This program will allow teens to express themselves through the art of spoken word.

Population Served: 13-17 years  
Times: After school, 2 times a week during the school year  
Cost: \$136/year to join teen department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park Presbyterian Church**

ShOut – Sharing our Talents Tutoring and Arts Program

1109 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Program: Tutoring in language, writing and mathematics. Arts program.

Population Served: 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Graders

Times: Wednesdays, 3:00pm-5:00pm, during the school year

Cost: \$35 per year, financial aid possible  
Contact: Liaison at Henry Grew school identifies children and makes referral.

For information contact Reverend Beth Wieman, 617-361-0051.

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Programs: Children's' Art Classes – Children's' classes will be in general arts and crafts for younger students with the emphasis on engaging in art. Adolescents and teens will be offered more specific offerings in various media and interests with an instructional emphasis.

Population Served: Preschool to teen

Times: After school program, 3-4:30 p.m.

Saturdays TBA, School Vacation Program

TBA, Summer Program TBA

Cost: TBA

Registration Process: Program capacity 10 students, first come first served enrollment process. Contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336.

*ART, THEATRE, MUSIC & DANCE:*

*SUMMER*

<b>Riverside Theatre Works</b>	Extracurricular Activities: Dance, music and theatre classes
45 Fairmount Avenue	Population Served: Ages 4-18 years. Class limit 225 per summer.
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Times: Monday to Saturday during the summer
Tel: (617) 361-7024	Cost: Varies by class. Financial aid available, six yearly \$1000 scholarships offered.
Web: <a href="http://www.rtwboston.org">www.rtwboston.org</a>	Registration Process: Contact the theatre to enroll, Carol Ward or Melissa Williams.

<b>Hyde Park YMCA</b>	Sports: eXtreme Camp. Children explore Boston and its surrounding areas through activities and field trips, including a tour of Fenway Park, Patriot's Training Camp, rock-climbing, and a weekly beach trip. The camp will have two focuses this year – sports and arts.
1137 River Street	Population Served: Ages 9-12 years
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, in the summer months of June, July, & August
Tel: (617) 361-2300	Cost: \$165/week for YMCA members
Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a>	\$ 195/week for non-members
	Registration Process: Complete registration form and submit fee to YMCA.

*ART, THEATRE, MUSIC & DANCE:*

*WEEKENDS*

<p><b>Hyde Park Art Center</b> 26 Central Ave. Hyde Park, MA 02136</p>	<p>Programs: Children's' Art Classes – Children's' classes will be in general arts and crafts for younger students with the emphasis on engaging in art. Adolescents and teens will be offered more specific offerings in various media and interests with an instructional emphasis. Population Served: Preschool to teen Times: After school program, 3-4:30 p.m.</p> <p>Saturdays TBA, School Vacation Program TBA, Summer Program TBA Cost: TBA Registration Process: Program capacity 10 students, first come first served enrollment process. Contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364- 9336.</p>
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*ENRICHMENT & RECREATION:*

*SUMMER*

<p><b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b></p> <p>1249 Hyde Park Avenue</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 343-5600</p> <p>Contact Info: Officer Rideout (617) 343-5611</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a></p>	<p>Crime &amp; Consequences: The Youth Service Officer, along with sheriff's personnel, advise youth of what prison is like and what they can do to avoid the mistakes made by the inmates. Opportunity to speak with an inmate to learn why he or she is in jail and what it is like. Emphasis of program is on making good choices.</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 12 to 16 Times: During school year, as arranged Cost: Free Registration Process: School and social service personnel can contact Officer Rideout at Boston Police Department, Hyde Park Branch to request this program for a classroom or other group of youth.</p>
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<p><b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b></p> <p>1249 Hyde Park Avenue</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 343-5600</p> <p>Contact Info: Officer Rideout (617) 343-5611</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a></p>	<p>Re-Inventing Justice: The Youth Service Officer and legal professionals work to educate youth. Youth are invited to attend a real court case to learn about what happens when someone is arrested, gets put on probation, etc. Emphasis on making good choices</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 12 to 18 Times: During the school year, as arranged Cost: Free Registration Process: School and social service personnel can contact Officer Rideout at Boston Police Department, Hyde Park branch to request this program for a classroom or other group of youth.</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-2300</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Enrichment Activities: College Tour. Visit and learn about the college way of life in and outside of the Greater Boston area.</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 15-18 years; Minimum group of 2, maximum of 9</p> <p>Times: Schedule varies, during the school year</p> <p>Cost: \$136/year to join the Teen Department</p> <p>Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-2300</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Enrichment Activities: Baby and Me (<i>Make new friends and learn new skills in the Kids Gym</i>). Toddler Time (<i>Play, explore, dance and sing</i>). Kinder Gym and Swim (<i>play time in Kids Gym followed by structured swim time</i>).</p> <p>Population Served: Parents and their child, Baby and Me 9-18 months; Toddler Time, 18-36 months; Kinder Gym and Swim, 9-36 months.</p> <p>Times: Various weekday mornings depending on program.</p> <p>Cost: Members, \$35, Community members, \$35. Kinder Gym and Swim, \$60.</p> <p>Registration Process: All programs are 8 weeks long, Contact YMCA to register.</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p>	<p>Enrichment Activities: Kindergym. Structured play time for preschoolers, includes group games, circle time songs and music, story time.</p> <p>Population Served: Preschoolers, ages 18 months – 4 years.</p>
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Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Times: Wednesdays (with parent), 9:30am-11:00am. Fridays, 9:30am-11:00am.

Cost: Members, \$50. Community members, \$50.

Registration Process: All programs are 8 weeks long, Contact YMCA to register.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Creative Designs (children express creativity during story and craft class). Game's On (Play games while developing skills, team work and motor skills).

Population Served: Ages 3-4 years.

Times: Various weekday afternoons depending on program.

Cost: Creative Designs, \$40 members and community members. Game's On, \$35, members and community members.

Registration Process: All programs are 8 weeks long, Contact YMCA to register.

**ABCD / Hyde Park Head Start**

695 Truman Pkwy.

Hyde Park 02136

19 Corinth Street

Roslindale, MA 02131

Tel: (617) 327-1152

Website: <http://www.bostonheadstart.org/>

Programs: Comprehensive childcare services, including educational, health, nutritional, mental health and social services for young children and their families.

Population Served: Infants to 5-year olds from families who meet federal low-income guidelines.

Times: Year-long program, full day, generally 8am to 6pm.

Cost: Free for families that meet federal low-income guidelines. Families who have or are receiving public assistance or other subsidies may also be eligible

Registration Process: Make an appointment with the family care manager at your local Head Start branch. Bring to the appointment Your child's birth certificate or proof of birth Household income verification Two proofs of City of Boston residency

**Hyde Park Branch Library**

35 Harvard Avenue  
Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2524

Website:  
<http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm>

Programs: Pre-school story time. Stories, songs, crafts and fun each week.

Population Served: Ages 3-5.

Times: February – April

Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m.

Cost: Free

Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact the library, 617-361-2524

**Hyde Park Branch Library**

35 Harvard Avenue  
Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2524

Website:

<http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm>

Programs: Toddler Story Time. Stories, songs and crafts each week.

Population Served: Ages 18 months to 3 years

Times: March – May

Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.

Cost: Free

Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact library 617-361-2524

**Ohrenberger Community Center**

175 West Boundary Rd.

West Roxbury, MA 02132

Tel: (617) 635-5183

Programs: Pre-school program designed to promote emotional, social and physical development. Daily schedule includes time for group activities, stations, gym time, outdoor play, story time in the school library, crafts, free play, baking and daily snacks.

Population Served: Children ages 3 and 4

Times: October – June

3-year old: 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Monday & Tuesday OR Thursday & Friday

4-year old: 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Monday – Friday OR Mon, Tues & Wed. OR Thurs & Fri

Cost & Registration: Call 617-635-5183

*ENRICHMENT & RECREATION:*

*AFTER SCHOOL*

<b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b>	Let's Rap: Officer Rideout leads a discussion group with youth about today's issues.
1249 Hyde Park Avenue	Population Served: Ages 12 to 18
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Times: Once a month, as arranged
Tel: (617) 343-5600	Cost: Free
Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a>	Registration Process: Contact Youth Outreach Worker at the Hyde Park Community Center for more information (617) 635-5178

<b>Hyde Park Branch Library</b>	Programs: Chess with Charlie
35 Harvard Avenue	Population Served: All ages
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Times: Tuesday, 2:30 – 4:15
Tel: (617) 361-2524	Saturday, 12:30-5:45
Website:	Cost: Free
<a href="http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm">http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm</a>	Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact the library, 617-361-2524

<b>Hyde Park YMCA</b>	Enrichment Activities: Careers 101. Come and learn about different careers directly from professionals in fields such as human services, law and journalism. Sessions are planned based on teen's interests.
1137 River Street	Population Served: Ages 13-17 years
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Times: After school, periodically throughout year
Tel: (617) 361-2300	Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department
Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a>	Registration Process: Register as YMCA

member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Community Partnerships. Learn to make art, explore related careers, get a behind-the-scenes view of the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, and be part of a large art exhibit, *Community Creations*, in May.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years  
Times: After school once a month during the school year  
Cost: \$136/year to join the Teen Department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Cultural Immersion Excursions. Participants and families are invited to cultural events in and outside of Boston as opportunities arise.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years. Program takes 9-18 students maximum.  
Times: After school during the spring  
Cost: \$136/year to join the Teen Department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

Enrichment Activities: Drop In at "Bikes Not Bombs." Volunteer work that helps prepare bikes for international shipping. Students also

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Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

have the opportunity to build a bike that they can keep.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years.

Times: Once a week after school during the spring and summer.

Cost: \$136/year to join the Teen Department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

### **Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Earth Service Corps. Engage in environmental education, service learning, outdoor adventure, leadership development, and cultural education. Meet once a week for planning, recreation, field studies and more. E.S.C. members will brainstorm ways to contribute to the community. Members will also participate in outdoor trips.

Population Served: Ages 12-15 years.

Times: Once a week during the spring and summer.

Cost: \$136/year to join the Teen Department

*(Free for Boston area teens)*

Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: G.E.T. Fit. Program helps girls take control of their own health. Girls will participate in fitness classes, nutrition education, social activities and wellness workshops.

Population Served: Females, 11-14 years  
Times: After school once a week during the school year  
Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department Activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Helping Hands. Make a difference in the community, develop new skills and learn about new careers by volunteering at least one hour a week.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years

Times: After school 3 times a month  
Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department Activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Enrichment Activities: HP Wild. Earn money to learn about trees, science and make a difference in Hyde Park. Work with Earthworks to plant and maintain trees and urban wilds.

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years  
Times: Wednesdays & Thursdays, 3:00pm-5:00pm, September to December and February to June.

Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department Activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Keystone. Engage in workshops led by experts in healthy physical, emotional, social and spiritual development. Topics covered include depression, drugs and dating violence prevention.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years.  
Times: After school once a month, year round.  
Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department.  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Oceans in Our backyard. Engage in hands on, exciting activities related to marine science.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years.

Times: After school 2:00pm-6:00pm during the spring. In the summer, 11:00am-5:00pm.  
Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department.  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Ohrenberger Community Center**

175 West Boundary Rd.

West Roxbury, MA 02132

Tel: (617) 635-5183

Programs: School age child care program focusing on homework assistance and enrichment activities.

Population Served: Children ages 6-12

Times: 2:30 – 6:30 p.m. during school year.

8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. during school vacations  
and summer

Cost & Registration: Call 617-635-5184

**Ohrenberger Community Center**

175 West Boundary Rd.

West Roxbury, MA 02132

Tel: (617) 635-5183

Programs: Youth program including scheduled  
homework time, arts & crafts, science and  
structured outside group games.

Population Served: Youth entering 4<sup>th</sup> grade  
and up

Times: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 2:30  
p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Cost & Registration: Call 617-635-5184

*ENRICHMENT & RECREATION:*

*WEEKEND*

<p><b>Most Precious Blood Church</b></p> <p>43 Maple Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p>	<p>Enrichment Activities: <i>Catholic Youth Organization – Prayer and Pizza</i>. Games, trips, movies, volunteer work.</p> <p>Population Served: 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> graders on Saturdays. 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders on Fridays.</p> <p>Times: Fridays, 6:30pm-9:00pm. Saturdays, 6:30pm-9:00pm. Year round.</p> <p>Cost: Free</p> <p>Registration Process: call the church to register, Joseph and Diane Shaughnessy, 617-364-9500.</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-2300</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Recreation: Fun Friday Nights at the Wang Center</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 13-17 years. Program maximum of 9-18 youth.</p> <p>Times: Friday nights beginning in March.</p> <p>Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department</p> <p>Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-2300</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Enrichment Activities: YES – Youth Enrichment services. Fun outdoor activities.</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 13-17 years</p> <p>Times: Saturdays once a month, year round.</p>
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Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department

\$5-10 additional per trip

Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Recreation: Movie Night. Chill out on Friday nights and relax with friends. Fun and thought provoking films are viewed.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years

Times: Friday nights, year round

Cost: \$136/year to join the Teen Department  
Registration Process: Register as a YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Stony Brook Reservation**

Turtle Pond Parkway

West Roxbury, Hyde Park.

Tel: (617) 333-7404

Resources: Ten to twelve miles of hiking trails and bicycle paths meander through the quiet, forested portion of the reservation. Sunfish and Perch swim in the fresh waters of Turtle Pond, an easily accessible spot for fishing. In the Reservation's southern section are soccer and baseball fields, tennis courts, picnic areas, playground, an ice skating rink, and a pool. Restrooms, bath house and first aid available.

Population Served: Everyone

Times: Year-round, dawn to dusk

Cost: Free

Contact: 617-333-7404

*Additional summer information:*

\*Moynihan Wading Pool, 920 Truman Parkway, 617-698-1802

\*Olsen Swimming and Wading Pool, 95 Turtle Pond Parkway, 617-364-9188

**Hyde Park Branch Library**

35 Harvard Avenue  
Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2524

Website:

<http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm>

Programs: Chess with Charlie

Population Served: All ages

Times: Tuesday, 2:30 – 4:15

Saturday, 12:30-5:45

Cost: Free

Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact the library, 617-361-2524

*ENRICHMENT & RECREATION:*

*SUMMER*

<b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b>	College Field Trips: Officer Rideout takes youth on a tour of Massachusetts college campuses. Allows youth the opportunity to explore campus life and gather information.
1249 Hyde Park Avenue	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	
Tel: (617) 343-5600	Population Served: Ages 17 to 18
Contact Info: Officer Rideout (617) 343-5611	Times: Summer, as arranged
Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a>	Cost: Free
	Registration Process: Contact Officer Rideout to arrange a trip.

<b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b>	Junior Police Academy: A weeklong program that introduces youth to the various operational components of the Police Department. It also includes an enrichment curriculum with field trips to various city attractions.
1249 Hyde Park Avenue	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	
Tel: (617) 343-5600	Population Served: Ages 9 to 12
Contact Info: Officer Rideout (617) 343-5611	Times: Monday to Friday, 8:00am – 4:00pm
Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a>	Program runs for a week sometime between the Monday after July 4 <sup>th</sup> and the Friday prior to Labor Day.
	Cost: Free
	Registration Process: Contact the Youth Services Officer at the Hyde Park Police Department.

<b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b>	Let's Rap: Officer Rideout leads a discussion group with youth about today's issues.
1249 Hyde Park Avenue	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Population Served: Ages 12 to 18

Tel: (617) 343-5600	Times: Once a month, as arranged
Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a>	Cost: Free
	Registration Process: Contact Youth Outreach Worker at the Hyde Park Community Center for more information (617) 635-5178

<b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b>	Summer Field Trips: Officer Rideout takes youth on field trips to Canobie Lake Park in Salem, New Hampshire and Six Flags New England in Agawam, MA.
1249 Hyde Park Avenue	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	
Tel: (617) 343-5600	Population Served: Ages 10 to 16
Contact Info: Officer Rideout (617) 343-5611	Times: Twice a summer, as arranged by Officer Rideout
Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a>	Cost: Free
	Registration Process: Contact Officer Rideout to complete an application.

**Most Precious Blood Church**

43 Maple Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Enrichment Activities: Catholic Youth Organization – Prayer and Pizza. Games, trips, movies, volunteer work.

Population Served: 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> graders on Saturdays. 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders on Fridays.

Times: Fridays, 6:30pm-9:00pm.

Saturdays, 6:30pm-9:00pm. Year round.

Cost: Free

Registration Process: call the church to register, Joseph and Diane Shaughnessy, 617-364-9500.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Enrichment Activities: Adventure Camp. Children engage in exciting hands-on activities and field trips, including a trip to Battleship Cove, a Pawtucket Red Sox game, a day at George's Island and a weekly beach trip.

Population Served: Ages 6-8 years

Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, in the summer months of June, July, & August

Cost: \$165/week for YMCA members

\$ 195/week for non-members

Registration Process: Complete registration form and submit fee to YMCA.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Enrichment Activities: Oceans in Our Backyard. Engage in hands on, exciting activities related to marine science.

Population Served: Ages 13-17 years.

Times: After school 2:00pm-6:00pm during the spring. In the summer, 11:00am-5:00pm.

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department.  
Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Recreation: Scamper Camp. The children participate in a variety of age appropriate activities coinciding with weekly themes such as colors and numbers. While on-site the children will participate in: opening circle activities, art projects, reading circle, library visits, group games, swimming two times a week at the on-site indoor pool, nap time, hands-on science and singing. Off-site trips once a week.

Population Served: Ages 3-5 years

Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, summer months of June, July and August

Cost: \$ 210/week for YMCA members

\$ 250/week for non-members

Registration Process: Complete registration form and submit fee to YMCA.

**Girl Scouts, Patriots' Trail Council**

95 Berkeley St., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor

Boston, MA 02116

Tel: (617) 482-1078

Website: <http://www.ptgirlscouts.org/>

Parkway Service Unit (West Roxbury/Roslindale):

<http://www.geocities.com/gspcpcparkwaysu/>

Summer Camps:

<http://registration.ptgirlscouts.org/welcome.html>

Programs: Girl Scouting is a unique girl-only place where a girl finds:

Courage by exploring new adventures

Confidence by discovering her abilities

Character by shaping her values

Connections by creating friendships with other girls

Population Served:

*(Not all age levels offered in Hyde Park/Roslindale)*

Daisy (ages 5-6)

Brownie (ages 6-8)

Junior (ages 8-11)

Teen Girl Scouts (ages 11-17)

Cost: Varies, financial aid is available  
Registration Process: Call: 617-482-1078

*or (1-800-882-1662)*

fax: 617-482-9045

e-mail: [info@ptgirlscouts.org](mailto:info@ptgirlscouts.org)

## **Boston Natural Areas Network**

62 Summer Street, Second Floor  
Boston, MA 02110-1008  
Tel: (617) 542-7696  
Fax: (617) 542-0383

website: [info@bostonnatural.org](mailto:info@bostonnatural.org)

Activities: Youth Conservation Corps. Youth teams work along the Neponset River Greenway, the East Boston Greenway and in Boston's Urban Wilds. The teens learn team work and job skills while engaged in environmental improvement projects involving environmental restoration, trail building, landscaping and horticulture. The Youth Conservation Corps work and education programs focus on restoring habitat and creating access. The Corps:

Create and maintain trails

Assess past re-vegetation projects and plan new restoration projects, which attract birds, butterflies and other insects.

Assist BNAN's [City Natives](#) horticulturist to propagate and care for native plants at the City Natives nursery. Learn about bee keeping.

Create a new mural along the [Neponset River Greenway](#) and the [East Boston Greenway](#)

Explore the salt marsh and estuary by digging in the mud, dip netting for creatures, looking for signs of wildlife and learning the plants of the marsh.

Canoe the Neponset River and estuary and the Belle Isle Marsh

Test water quality

Learn about current local and global environmental concerns and efforts.

Population Served: Ages 15-17.

Cost:

Contact: To Apply for a position with the Corps, email Candice Cook, program manager at: [candice@bostonnatural.org](mailto:candice@bostonnatural.org) or call 617-542-7696 (ext. 16). Students must be registered with the City of Boston Hopeline to apply.

**Stony Brook Reservation**

Turtle Pond Parkway

West Roxbury, Hyde Park.  
Tel: (617) 333-7404

Resources: Ten to twelve miles of hiking trails and bicycle paths meander through the quiet, forested portion of the reservation. Sunfish and Perch swim in the fresh waters of Turtle Pond, an easily accessible spot for fishing. In the Reservation's southern section are soccer and baseball fields, tennis courts, picnic areas, playground, an ice skating rink, and a pool. Restrooms, bath house and first aid available.  
Population Served: Everyone  
Times: Year-round, dawn to dusk  
Cost: Free  
Contact: 617-333-7404

*Additional summer information:*

\*Moynihan Wading Pool, 920 Truman Parkway, 617-698-1802

\*Olsen Swimming and Wading Pool, 95 Turtle Pond Parkway, 617-364-9188

**Hyde Park Branch Library**

35 Harvard Avenue  
Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2524

Website:

<http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm>

Programs: Summer reading program. Youth can drop-in at the library any time to read and earn points and prizes.

Population Served: Youth up to grade 12

Times: Anytime

Cost: Free

Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact the library, 617-361-2524

**Ohrenberger Community Center**

175 West Boundary Rd.

West Roxbury, MA 02132

Tel: (617) 635-5183

Programs: School age child care program focusing on homework assistance and enrichment activities.

Population Served: Children ages 6-12

Times: 2:30 – 6:30 p.m. during school year.

8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. during school vacations  
and summer

Cost & Registration: Call 617-635-5184

*AFTER SCHOOL:*

*SPORTS*

<b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b>  1249 Hyde Park Avenue  Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 343-5600  Contact Info: Officer Lane (617) 293-6592  Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a>	Boston Ballers: Neighborhood basketball league.  Population Served: Ages 4 to 15  Times: Mondays, 5:00pm – 8:00pm at Rogers Middle School  Cost: Free  Registration Process: Contact Officer Lane to pre-register prior to each season.
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<b>Piers Park Sailing Center</b>  <i>in conjunction with Boston Police Activity League</i>  95 Marginal Street  East Boston, MA 02128  Tel: (617) 561-6677  Web: <a href="http://www.piersparksailing.org">www.piersparksailing.org</a>	After School Program: An opportunity for youth to take advantage of the wonderful opportunities in Boston Harbor to learn about sailing, the sea, teamwork, perseverance, and citizenship.  The goals of PPSC youth programs, in addition to teaching sailing, include fostering the development of Six Pillars of Character: Trustworthiness, Fairness, Respect, Responsibility, Citizenship, and Caring.  Population Served: Ages 10 to 17 Times: Monday - Thursday, 3:30pm – 5:30pm  Spring (May to June)  Fall (September to October)  Students can attend one day a week. Cost: Free Registration Process: Contact Sailing Center to obtain an application.
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**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Sports: Preschool and Youth swimming lessons. Also offer parent/child swim lessons where parent and child can participate together in water activities including kicking and paddling in an atmosphere of fun and play.

Population Served: Ages 3-5 preschool, 6-12 years for youth.

Times: Varies depending on child's swimming level, evenings and weekends.

Cost: Family Rate, \$38-\$49. Preschool Rate, \$57-\$73. Community Rate, \$97.

Registration Process: Contact YMCA to register. Child care available on site.

<b>Hyde Park YMCA</b>	Sports: Adult/Teen Swimming Lessons
1137 River Street	Population Served: 13yrs and older
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Times: Mondays, 6:30pm-8:00pm, year round
Tel: (617) 361-2300	Cost: Varies depending on program, cheaper for YMCA members.
Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a>	Registration Process: Contact YMCA to register

<b>Hyde Park YMCA</b>	Enrichment Activities: CHILL. In partnership with Burton Boards. Learn to snowboard at Wachusett mountain with free use of gear, lessons and transportation. Participants are taught patience and perseverance while learning to snowboard.
1137 River Street	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	
Tel: (617) 361-2300	
Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a>	Population Served: Ages 13-17 years. Minimum class of 5, maximum class of 18. Times: Wednesdays, 2:00pm-10:00pm during the winter Cost: \$136/year to join Teen Department.  \$10/year additional for this program Registration Process: Application due by January 17 <sup>th</sup> . Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department activities.

<b>Hyde Park YMCA</b>	Sports: Indoor Wall Climbing. Challenge yourself and exercise in a new and exciting way on open climbing wall nights. Rent the climbing wall for private parties, staff meetings, building teamwork, and private lessons. Open on Tuesday nights for members from 6:30-8pm.
1137 River Street	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	
Tel: (617) 361-2300	

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Population Served: All ages

Times: Spontaneous, year round

Cost: \$136 year to join Teen Department

Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department Activities.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Sports: American/Eclectic Karate. This martial arts program helps children develop self-control and discipline, strength and self-confidence.

Population Served: Ages 7-13.

Times: Monday & Tuesday, 6:00pm-7:00pm.

Cost: Family members, \$42. Individual members, \$63. Community Members, \$88.  
Registration Process: Program is 8 weeks long, contact YMCA to register.

**Hyde Park Youth Hockey**

P.O. Box 365643

Hyde Park, MA 02136

[www.hydeparkyouthhockey.com](http://www.hydeparkyouthhockey.com)

*Skate at Bajko Rink*

*75 Turtle Pond Pkwy.*

*Hyde Park, MA 02136*

*Tel: (617) 364-9188*

Programs: Hyde Park Youth Hockey is dedicated to the instruction of the fundamentals of skating and ice hockey. Our mission is to allow children the opportunity to learn to skate in a fun and safe environment.

Population Served: Children 4-10 years

Times: Hockey Season November – March.

Games and lessons vary by program.

Cost: \$150 - \$250 Depending on program

Registration Process: For more information on registration look online  
[www.hydeparkyouthhockey.com](http://www.hydeparkyouthhockey.com)

**Hyde Park Jr. AA / Little League Baseball**

P.O. Box 69

Programs: Little league baseball

Population Served: Youth ages 5 to 16

Times: Season runs from April 1<sup>st</sup> to June 30<sup>th</sup>.

Readville, MA 02137

Tel: (617) 361-2255 x10

Website under construction:

[www.hydeparkjraa.org](http://www.hydeparkjraa.org)

We also run a summer travel program but you must have played the spring season to participate.

Cost: Fees start at \$35 for tee-ball up to \$125 for Senior league.

Registration Process: Registration begins in January. Call the Hotline 617-361-2255 x10 for more information on registration times and locations.

**Hyde Park Soccer for Kids**

P.O. Box 365847

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2255 x14

Website: [www.hpsk.org](http://www.hpsk.org)

*Games are played at Hyde Park's Wesley G. Ross Field, near Cleary Square at the intersection of Westminster & Wood Avenue*

Programs: Hyde Park Soccer for Kids, HPSK, is a community program to afford children living in Hyde Park, Massachusetts of all abilities with an opportunity to learn the fundamentals of soccer by participating in practices and competing in games. Players are expected to play hard, do their best and good sportsmanship is required. Players are provided uniforms (socks, shirts, jerseys). All players are awarded participation trophies at a banquet which follows at the end of the fall season.

Population Served: Teams are coed and are for area children between the ages of 5 and 13  
Times: Spring (mid-April to mid-June) and Fall seasons (after Labor Day to early November)

Cost: \$60 for both seasons; \$10 discount is applied for those who register before April 1<sup>st</sup>. Scholarships provided on an "as needed" basis.  
Registration Process: Call the Hotline 617-361-2255 x14 for more information. Registration applications available at [www.hpsk.org](http://www.hpsk.org)

and should be mailed to:

HPSK

P.O. Box 365847

Hyde Park, MA 02136.

Checks payable to HPSK.

**Ohrenberger Community Center**

175 West Boundary Rd.

Programs: Gymnastics program. Children learn tumbling and gymnastics skills according to their abilities.

Population Served: Children ages 3-14

West Roxbury, MA 02132

Tel: (617) 635-5183

Times: Start in October.

Beginner (ages 3-6): 3 – 3:45 p.m. on Tues,  
Wed or Thur.

Intermediate (ages 5-10): 3:45 – 4:30 p.m. on  
Tues, Wed or Thur.

Advanced (ages 7-14): 4:30 – 5:15 p.m. on  
Tues, Thur.

All skills:

(ages 4-7) 5:45 – 6:30 p.m. Wed

(ages 8+) 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. Wed

Cost & Registration: Call 617-635-5183

*SPORTS:*

*WEEKENDS*

<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-2300</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Sports: Bidy-Ball. These clinics are designed to expose children to a variety of sports with an emphasis on fun, and physical activity. Each session will focus on a different sport, including soccer, basketball and baseball.</p> <p>Population Served: Ages 3-6 years Times: Saturdays, 11:00am- 12:00pm Cost: \$30 for YMCA members</p> <p>\$40 for non-members Registration Process: Contact YMCA to register</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-2300</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Sports: Indoor Wall Climbing. Challenge yourself and exercise in a new and exciting way on open climbing wall nights. Rent the climbing wall for private parties, staff meetings, building teamwork, and private lessons.</p> <p>Population Served: All ages Times: Spontaneous, year round Cost: \$136 year to join Teen Department Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department Activities.</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p>	<p>Sports: Preschool and Youth swimming lessons. Also offer parent/child swim lessons where parent and child can participate together in water activities including kicking and</p>
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Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

paddling in an atmosphere of fun and play.

Population Served: Ages 3-5 preschool, 6-12 years for youth.

Times: Varies depending on child's swimming level, evenings and weekends.

Cost: Family Rate, \$38-\$49. Preschool Rate, \$57-\$73. Community Rate, \$97.

Registration Process: Contact the YMCA to register. Child care available on site.

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Sports: Youth Karate, *Goju-aiki-jutsu*. This traditional Okinawan discipline is a comprehensive living and learning experience that enhances life skills of the body and mind.

Population Served: Ages 7-14.

Times: Saturday, 11:00am-12:00pm  
Cost: Family members, \$35. Youth/Teen members \$53. Community members, \$75.  
Registration Process: Contact YMCA to register.

**Stony Brook Reservation**

Turtle Pond Parkway

West Roxbury, Hyde Park.

Tel: (617) 333-7404

Resources: Ten to twelve miles of hiking trails and bicycle paths meander through the quiet, forested portion of the reservation. Sunfish and Perch swim in the fresh waters of Turtle Pond, an easily accessible spot for fishing. In the Reservation's southern section are soccer and baseball fields, tennis courts, picnic areas, playground, an ice skating rink, and a pool. Restrooms, bath house and first aid available.

Population Served: Everyone

Times: Year-round, dawn to dusk

Cost: Free

Contact: 617-333-7404

*Additional summer information:*

\*Moynihan Wading Pool, 920 Truman Parkway, 617-698-1802

\*Olsen Swimming and Wading Pool, 95 Turtle Pond Parkway, 617-364-9188

**Hyde Park Youth Basketball Association**

11 Riverside Square

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2255 x11

Website: [www.hydeparkyba.com](http://www.hydeparkyba.com)

Games and practices played at different gyms throughout Hyde Park.

Programs: The mission of the Hyde Park Youth Basketball Association is to build a better community using basketball as the vehicle for learning about working together, playing fair, and treating others with dignity and respect. We seek to teach our players the fundamentals of the game of basketball, as well as something about teamwork and sportsmanship. We want to ensure that they have fun while experiencing the joys and disappointments of athletic competition.

Population Served: Boys and Girls ages 6-14

Times: Season runs December – March. Games played on Saturdays. Older leagues typically have practice one weeknight per week.

Cost: Approximately \$40 for season

Registration Process: Register in October. For more information call the hotline 617-361-2255 x11, or look online [www.hydeparkyba.com](http://www.hydeparkyba.com)

*SPORTS:*

*SUMMER*

<b>Boston Police Department, District E-18</b>	Boston Ballers: Neighborhood basketball league.
1249 Hyde Park Avenue	Population Served: Ages 4 to 15
Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 343-5600	Times: Mondays, 5:00pm – 8:00pm at Rogers Middle School
Contact Info: Officer Lane (617) 293-6592 Web: <a href="http://www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp">www.cityofboston.gov/police/e18.asp</a>	Cost: Free (Pre-registration before each season) Registration Process: Contact Officer Lane to pre-register prior to each season.

<b>Community Boating</b>	Community Boating: Classes in sailing, windsurfing and kayaking. This includes instruction (formal classes and informal on-the-water training) and unlimited use of boats, windsurfers, and kayaks. When not on the water, youth attend dances, Junior Olympics and other team-building events.
21 David Mugar Way	Population Served: Ages 10 to 18
Boston, MA 02114 Tel: (617) 523-1038	Times: Mondays to Fridays, 9:00am – 3:00pm
Web: <a href="http://www.community-boating.org">www.community-boating.org</a>	June to August Cost: \$1.00 Registration Process: Obtain application from Community Service Office at Boston Police Department – Hyde Park Branch.
	<i>Or</i>
	Fill out an application online at <a href="http://www.community-boating.org">www.community-boating.org</a>
	Obtain proof of youth's ability to swim 75 yards (can be obtained from the YMCA or another community pool)
	Turn in application by mailing to above address or dropping off at boathouse.

Pay \$1.00 registration fee

Complete application prior to May 1<sup>st</sup>.

On or after May 1<sup>st</sup> contact CBI to register for specific boating classes.

**Piers Park Sailing Center**

*in conjunction with Boston Police Activity League*

95 Marginal Street

East Boston, MA 02128

Tel: (617) 561-6677

Web: [www.piersparksailing.org](http://www.piersparksailing.org)

Future Leader Program: Open to youth with solid basic sailing skills, the Future Leader Program offers young people a variety of opportunities to build their leadership talents, expand their sailing skills, and challenge themselves to be their very best.

Once trained, our Future Leaders will play an important role in supporting the sailing center as dock managers during evenings (4:30-8:30) and weekends in 4 hour shifts (8:30 AM-12:30 PM, 12:30-4:30 PM, or 4:30- 8:30 PM). Each Future Leader will be required to cover one shift per week (two shifts per month must be on weekends).

In addition, Future Leaders will spend time with instructors two mornings per week during the summer assisting and learning. Future Leaders will also have at least one afternoon session per week of sail training and one afternoon session of navigation, boat maintenance, and other related topics.

Participants will receive a stipend of \$500 for the season.

Population Served: Age 14 to 17

Times: Commitment to program begins in early May (8 to 10 hours per week in May and June, 20 to 25 hours per week in July and August).

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Applicants need to demonstrate: the ability to work independently,

show initiative and follow-through on tasks of all kinds, demonstrate solid basic sailing skills, and

be willing and able to commit between 20 and 25 hours per week for the program during the months of July and August.

Applicants need to submit a resume, two letters of reference, an application, health history, and swim certification. In addition, applicants will complete an individual interview with the Youth Programs Director.

<p><b>Piers Park Sailing Center</b> <i>in conjunction with Boston Police Activity League</i></p>	<p>Summer Sail: Provides youth an opportunity to take advantage of the wonderful opportunities in Boston Harbor to learn about sailing, the sea, teamwork, perseverance, and citizenship.</p>
<p>95 Marginal Street  East Boston, MA 02128  Tel: (617) 561-6677  Web: <a href="http://www.piersparksailing.org">www.piersparksailing.org</a></p>	<p>The goals of PPSC youth programs, in addition to teaching sailing, include fostering the development of Six Pillars of Character: Trustworthiness, Fairness, Respect, Responsibility, Citizenship, and Caring. With additional funding in the future, many more children could be served. Population Served: Ages 10 to 17 Times: 9:00am – 12:00pm, 1:00pm – 4:00pm</p>
	<p>June to August Cost: Free Registration Process: Application forms become available March 1<sup>st</sup>. Contact the Sailing Center to obtain the application.</p>

<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b>  1137 River Street  Hyde Park, MA 02136  Tel: (617) 361-2300  Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Sports: Adult/Teen Swimming Lessons  Population Served: 13yrs and older  Times: Mondays, 6:30pm-8:00pm, year round  Registration Process: Contact YMCA to register</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b>  1137 River Street  Hyde Park, MA 02136</p>	<p>Enrichment Activities: Adventure Camp. Children engage in exciting hands-on activities and field trips, including a trip to Battleship Cove, a Pawtucket Red Sox game, a day at George’s Island and a weekly beach trip.</p>
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Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Population Served: Ages 6-8 years

Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, in the summer months of June, July, & August

Cost: \$165/week for YMCA members

\$ 195/week for non-members

Registration Process: Contact YMCA to register

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Sports: eXtreme Camp. Children explore Boston and its surrounding areas through activities and field trips, including a tour of Fenway Park, Patriot's Training Camp, rock-climbing, and a weekly beach trip. The camp will have two focuses this year – sports and arts.

Population Served: Ages 9-12 years

Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, in the summer months of June, July, & August

Cost: \$165/week for YMCA members

\$ 195/week for non-members

Registration Process: Contact YMCA to register

**Hyde Park YMCA**

1137 River Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-2300

Web: <http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/>

Sports: Indoor Wall Climbing. Challenge yourself and exercise in a new and exciting way on open climbing wall nights. Rent the climbing wall for private parties, staff meetings, building teamwork, and private lessons.

Population Served: All ages

Times: Spontaneous, year round

Cost: \$136 year to join Teen Department

Registration Process: Register as YMCA member to participate in all Teen Department Activities.

**Stony Brook Reservation**

Turtle Pond Parkway

West Roxbury, Hyde Park.

Tel: (617) 333-7404

Resources: Ten to twelve miles of hiking trails and bicycle paths meander through the quiet, forested portion of the reservation. Sunfish and Perch swim in the fresh waters of Turtle Pond, an easily accessible spot for fishing. In the Reservation's southern section are soccer and baseball fields, tennis courts, picnic areas, playground, an ice skating rink, and a pool.

Restrooms, bath house and first aid available.

Population Served: Everyone

Times: Year-round, dawn to dusk

Cost: Free

Contact: 617-333-7404

*Additional summer information:*

\*Moynihan Wading Pool, 920 Truman Parkway,  
617-698-1802

\*Olsen Swimming and Wading Pool, 95 Turtle  
Pond Parkway, 617-364-9188

*TUTORING:*

*AFTER SCHOOL*

<b>Hyde Park Presbyterian Church</b>  ShOut – Sharing our Talents Tutoring and Arts Program  1109 River Street  Hyde Park, MA 02136	Program: Tutoring in language, writing and mathematics. Arts program.  Population Served: 3 <sup>rd</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup> Graders  Times: Wednesdays, 3 p.m. – 5 p.m., during the school year  Cost: \$35 per year, financial aid possible Contact: Liaison at Henry Grew school identifies children and makes referral.  For information contact Reverend Beth Wieman, 617-361-0051.
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<b>Hyde Park Branch Library</b>  35 Harvard Avenue Hyde Park, MA 02136  Tel: (617) 361-2524  Website: <a href="http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm">http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm</a>	Programs: Homework Assistance Program.  Population Served: Youth in grades 1-8.  Times:  Monday – Thursday, 3p.m. – 5 p.m.  Saturday, 10a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  Cost: Free Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact the library, 617-361-2524
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<b>Boston Public Library Online</b>  <a href="http://www.bpl.org/kids/homeworkhelp.htm">http://www.bpl.org/kids/homeworkhelp.htm</a>	Programs: Can't make it down to the library? You can get help with Math, Science, Social Studies and English assignments from a real tutor - online!  Population Served: Grades 4-12 and College Intro  Times: Every day 2pm - 10pm. <i>En Español</i>
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*available Sunday through Thursday 2pm - 10pm.*

Cost: Free

Registration Process:

<http://www.bpl.org/kids/homeworkhelp.htm>

<b>Ohrenberger Community Center</b>	Programs: School age child care program focusing on homework assistance and enrichment activities.
175 West Boundary Rd.	Population Served: Children ages 6-12
West Roxbury, MA 02132	Times: 2:30 – 6:30 p.m. during school year.
Tel: (617) 635-5183	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. during school vacations and summer
	Cost & Registration: Call 617-635-5184

<b>Ohrenberger Community Center</b>	Programs: Youth program including scheduled homework time, arts & crafts, science and structured outside group games.
175 West Boundary Rd.	Population Served: Youth entering 4 <sup>th</sup> grade and up
West Roxbury, MA 02132	Times: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 2:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Tel: (617) 635-5183	Cost & Registration: Call 617-635-5184

*TUTORING:*

*WEEKENDS*

<p><b>Hyde Park Branch Library</b></p> <p>35 Harvard Avenue Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 361-2524</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm">http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm</a></p>	<p>Programs: Homework Assistance Program.</p> <p>Population Served: Youth in grades 1-8.</p> <p>Times:</p> <p>Monday – Thursday, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</p> <p>Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.</p> <p>Cost: Free</p> <p>Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact the library, 617-361-2524</p>
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<p><b>Boston Public Library Online</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.bpl.org/kids/homeworkhelp.htm">http://www.bpl.org/kids/homeworkhelp.htm</a></p>	<p>Programs: Can't make it down to the library? You can get help with Math, Science, Social Studies and English assignments from a real tutor - online!</p> <p>Population Served: Grades 4-12 and College Intro</p> <p>Times: Every day 2pm - 10pm. En Español available Sunday through Thursday 2pm - 10pm.</p> <p>Cost: Free</p> <p>Registration Process:</p> <p><a href="http://www.bpl.org/kids/homeworkhelp.htm">http://www.bpl.org/kids/homeworkhelp.htm</a></p>
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*ADULT & FAMILY SERVICES:*

*EDUCATION & JOB SKILLS*

<p><b>Franklin D. Roosevelt School</b></p> <p>Technology Goes Home</p> <p>95 Needham Road</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 635-8676</p>	<p>Tutoring: Students and parents are taught computer skills at school's computer lab. Culminates in a powerpoint presentation project. Participants are eligible to purchase a computer at a reduced cost upon completion of program.</p> <p>Population Served: 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders plus parents Times: October-January, Once a week for 3 months from 5:00pm-7:30pm Cost: Free</p>
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<p><b>Elihu Greenwood Elementary School – Parents Center</b></p> <p>612 Metropolitan Avenue</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p>Tel: (617) 635-8665</p>	<p>Services Offered: Assistance with putting a resume together, Internet use, food pantry, housing referrals, tutoring assistance, and various other resources</p> <p>Population Served: All parents of Greenwood students eligible to use center's resources Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, during the school year Cost: Free Registration Process: Contact Parent coordinator, Judy Vance</p>
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<p><b>Jewish Vocational Services</b></p> <p>Hyde Park Branch Library</p> <p>35 Harvard Avenue</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p><a href="http://www.jvs-boston.org">www.jvs-boston.org</a></p>	<p>Services Offered: Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 classes for the adult learner</p> <p>Population Served: Adults who meet low-income eligibility requirement, no high school diploma</p> <p>Times: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 10</p>
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a.m. – 1 p.m. Ongoing classes from September to June.  
Cost: Free  
Registration Process: Contact Lorrie Anderson to complete registration application, 617-699-9116 or Trish Gaquin 617-399-3312.

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Programs: Artist demonstrations – A visiting artist gives a demonstration and talk on their methods and techniques while they work. The viewing audience is invited to ask questions and engage the artist in a dialogue about creating visual art. Refreshments are served.

Population Served: Open to all ages, 60 slots available.

Times: 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday each month, October – March

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Visit Art Center or contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

**Jewish Vocational Services**

Hyde Park Branch Library

35 Harvard Avenue

Hyde Park, MA 02136

[www.jvs-boston.org](http://www.jvs-boston.org)

Services Offered: Adult Literacy Program. ESOL, English for Speakers of Other Languages: Classes in oral and written language for non-native English speakers.

Population Served: Adults

Times: Morning, between 9:00am-12:00pm.

Cost:

Registration Process: Contact Lorrie Anderson, [landerson@jvs-boston.org](mailto:landerson@jvs-boston.org).

**Ohrenberger Community Center**

Adult Education Program

Services Offered: Ault Basic Education, ABE, PreGED, GED. Classes to improve Reading, Writing and Math skills. General Educational Development: Classes in preparation for the

175 West Boundary Rd.

West Roxbury, MA 02132

Tel: (617) 635-5183

Fax: (617) 635-5283

High School Equivalency Diploma Exam.

Population Served: Adults 18+

Times: Morning classes, between 9:30am-1:00pm.

Cost: Free classes

Registration Process: Contact Yassi Saeyan, [Ysaeyan@gmail.com](mailto:Ysaeyan@gmail.com) or 617-635-2174.

**Massachusetts Adult Literacy Hotline**

Website:

<http://www.sabes.org/hotline/default.aspx>

Tel: 1-800-447-8844

Services Offered: The Massachusetts Adult Literacy Hotline provides referrals to over 300 adult education programs that offer one-on-one tutoring, small-group or classroom instruction to adult learners. Information about basic reading, math, adult basic education, English language training, family literacy, GED preparation or testing sites.

Population Served: Adults

Cost: Free

Registration Process: 1-800-447-8844, or register online

<http://www.sabes.org/hotline/default.aspx>

**Haitian American Health Initiatives, Inc.  
(HAPHI)**

10 Fairway Street

Mattapan, MA 02126

Tel: (617) 298-8076

Website: [www.HAPHI.org](http://www.HAPHI.org)

Services Offered: Adult Literacy and ESL classes, Citizenship classes, Health Insurance programs for Elders and Refugees, HIV/AIDS counseling, Food Pantry, The Youth Computer Project offers computer literacy instruction to youth who are at-risk and disabled.

Population Served: Haitian Americans living in Greater Boston (particularly Mattapan, Dorchester, Hyde Park and Milton)

Times: Varies, most programs offered year round

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Call HAPHI at 617-298-8076

**Catholic Charities Haitian Multi-Service Center**

185 Columbia Rd.

Dorchester, MA 02121

Tel: (617) 506-6600

Website:

<http://www.ccab.org/locations/metro-boston/haitian-multi-service/>

Services Offered: The mission of the HMSC is to support both immigrant and nonimmigrant communities, while continuing its commitment to the Haitian community, through social service programs, civic involvement initiatives, and leadership development in a culturally sensitive environment.

Adult Education, GED, English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), Computer Literacy. Elders drop-in Center. Health Services (Health education, prenatal care, HIV/AIDS education). Counseling (family and youth, mental health, substance abuse, pregnancy). Emergency Assistance (emergency food, fuel, and rental assistance.).

Population Served: Immigrants and nonimmigrant's with emphasis on the Haitian community.

Times: Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Friday, 9 a.m.-12 noon

Cost: Free

Registration Process:

Adult Basic Education, GED, ESOL,  
Computer Literacy: Contact Sara Jorgensen  
617-506-6639

Elders Drop-In Center, Prenatal Care, Health  
Education: Contact Guy Appollon 617-506-  
6613

Food Pantry: 617-506-6600

**Y/BPS** – A partnership between the YMCA of Greater Boston and Boston Public Schools

Tel: (617) 669-6103

Website: <http://www.ybps.org/>

**Services Offered:** Information on enrolling children in Boston Public Schools. You can schedule meetings in your home, in the community, or even at your place of employment to hear about why you should choose Boston Public Schools. Information on registration/enrollment process and the nuts and bolts of understanding the different kinds of Boston Public Schools. Workshops are also offered throughout the community in English and Spanish.

**Population Served:** Boston residents, all ages

**Times:** Scheduled as needed

**Cost:** Free

**Registration Process:** Contact Renee Suchy to request a meeting, 617-669-6103, or e-mail at

[rsuchy@aol.com](mailto:rsuchy@aol.com)

**Association of Haitian Women in Boston (AFAB-KAFANM)**

330 Fuller Street  
Dorchester, MA 02124  
Tel: (617) 287-0096

Website:

<http://www.afab-kafanm.org/index.html>

**Programs:** AFAB's mission is to empower Haitian women by helping them develop their individual and collective capacity to improve social, economic and political status and thus be able to effect positive changes in their life and their families' lives. **Programs Include:** Housing and housing advocacy; Adult Education (ESOL, Literacy, Computer training, Economic literacy workshops ; Youth Development (Ayiti Demen cultural education, Sojourner After-School program, leadership training for girls); Domestic Violence prevention; Community outreach.

**Population Served:** Haitian women and their children

**Times:**

Monday – Thursday, 10 a.m. – 6p.m.

Friday, 9 a.m. – 5p.m.

Saturday hours

Cost: Financial contribution suggested for  
adult education.

Registration Process: Call 617-287-0096

*ADULT & FAMILY SERVICES:*

*COMMUNITY RESOURCES*

<p><b>Elihu Greenwood Elementary School – Parents Center</b></p> <p>612 Metropolitan Avenue</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 635-8665</p>	<p>Services Offered: Assistance with putting a resume together, Internet use, food pantry, housing referrals, tutoring assistance, and various other resources</p> <p>Population Served: All parents of Greenwood students eligible to use center's resources Times: Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm, during the school year Cost: Free Registration Process: Contact Parent coordinator, Judy Vance</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park Community Center</b></p> <p>Healthy Baby Healthy Child Pantry</p> <p>249 River Street</p> <p>Mattapan, MA 02126</p>	<p>Services Offered: Food Pantry</p> <p>Population Served: Adults and families</p> <p>Times: Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30am-11:30am</p> <p>Cost: Free Registration Process: Contact 617-590-8423</p>
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<p><b>Most Precious Blood Church</b></p> <p>43 Maple Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 364-9500</p>	<p>Services Offered: Food Pantry</p> <p>Population Served: Community members of all ages</p> <p>Times: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00am-11:00am to receive voucher. Year round. Cost: Free Registration Process: Stop by church at hours indicated above. Participants must show proof of identification and Hyde Park residency. They will receive a voucher to pick up food once a month at the Community Center for a total of 6 months. The church also has</p>
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emergency vouchers available for one day only.

**Dial 211**  
Services: Statewide phone-based information and referral service. Trained specialists provide information on essential health and human services, and community services.  
Population Served: All adults  
Times: Monday-Friday, 8am-8pm  
Cost: Free and confidential  
Contact: Call 211. For TTY dial (617) 536-5872; from out of state (877) 211-6277.

**Greater Faith Worship Center Campus**  
120 Safford St.  
Hyde Park, MA 02136  
Tel: (617) 361-5479  
Website: [www.greaterfwcc.org](http://www.greaterfwcc.org)

Services: Sunday Worship Services, Food Pantry  
Population Served: All  
Times: Sunday Services, 11:30am  
Cost: Free  
Contact: 617-361-5479

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Tel: (617) 669-6103  
Website: <http://www.ybps.org/>

Services Offered: Information on enrolling children in Boston Public Schools. You can schedule meetings in your home, in the community, or even at your place of employment to hear about why you should choose Boston Public Schools. Information on registration/enrollment process and the nuts and bolts of understanding the different kinds of Boston Public Schools. Workshops are also offered throughout the community in English and Spanish.  
Population Served: Boston residents, all ages  
Times: Scheduled as needed  
Cost: Free

Registration Process: Contact Renee Suchy to request a meeting, 617-669-6103, or e-mail at

[rsuchy@aol.com](mailto:rsuchy@aol.com)

**Riverside Theatre Works**

45 Fairmount Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-7024

Website: [www.rtwboston.org](http://www.rtwboston.org)

Programs: Private lessons for voice, guitar, piano, acting and ballet. All private studios present a recital during the year. "Pay What You Can" program for theatre performances on Saturdays at 3pm – Call to make a reservation, 617-361-5269 – Patrons pay whatever they can afford to see a show.

Population Served: Ages 8-adult

Times: Lessons are scheduled individually with the instructor

Cost: \$25 per ½ hour for lessons. All lessons are paid for at the first of each month.

Contact: RTW office at 617-361-7024

**ABCD / Hyde Park Head Start**

695 Truman Pkwy.

Hyde Park 02136

19 Corinth Street

Roslindale, MA 02131

Tel: (617) 327-1152

Website: <http://www.bostonheadstart.org/>

Programs: Comprehensive childcare services, including educational, health, nutritional, mental health and social services for young children and their families.

Population Served: Infants to 5-year olds from families who meet federal low-income guidelines.

Times: Year-long program, full day, generally 8am to 6pm.

Cost: Free for families that meet federal low-income guidelines. Families who have or are receiving public assistance or other subsidies may also be eligible

Registration Process: Make an appointment with the family care manager at your local Head Start branch. Bring to the appointment Your child's birth certificate or proof of birth,

Household income verification, Two proofs of City of Boston residency.

**Center for Community, Health, Education and Research**

420 Washington St.

Dorchester, MA 02124

Tel: (617) 265-0628

Website: <http://www.ccher.org/index.htm>

Programs: Clinical and social services: Case Management; Mental Health Services & Family Counseling; HDAP & Drug Referral; Housing Search and Placement; Home-delivered Meal & Nutrition; Peer Support Program; Skill Building & Job Training. Education and prevention about health issues. Hyde Park Health Associates – Medical and Mental health services.

*Satellite Office – Hyde Park Health Associates*

745 River St.

Mattapan, MA 02126

Tel: (617) 364-0222 or (617) 364-2588

Population Served: Underserved and uninsured individuals, particularly Haitian and other immigrant communities.

Times:

Dorchester office:

Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

HP Health Associates:

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri, 10a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, 2 – 6 p.m.

Saturday, 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Cost: Accept most forms of insurance, open to all residents regardless of ability to pay.

Registration Process:

Dorchester office, 617-265-0628

Hyde Park Health Associates, 617- 364-0222

**Haitian American Health Initiatives, Inc.**

Services Offered: Adult Literacy and ESL classes, Citizenship classes, Health Insurance

**(HAPHI)**

10 Fairway Street

Mattapan, MA 02126

Tel: (617) 298-8076

Website: [www.HAPHI.org](http://www.HAPHI.org)

programs for Elders and Refugees, HIV/AIDS counseling, Food Pantry, The Youth Computer Project offers computer literacy instruction to youth who are at-risk and disabled (No transportation offered).

Population Served: Haitian Americans living in Greater Boston

Times: Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Call HAPHI at 617-298-8076

**Catholic Charities Haitian Multi-Service Center**

185 Columbia Rd.

Dorchester, MA 02121

Tel: (617) 506-6600

Website:

<http://www.ccab.org/locations/metro-boston/haitian-multi-service/>

Services Offered: The mission of the HMSC is to support both immigrant and nonimmigrant communities, while continuing its commitment to the Haitian community, through social service programs, civic involvement initiatives, and leadership development in a culturally sensitive environment.

Adult Education, GED, English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), Computer Literacy. Elders drop-in Center. Health Services (Health education, prenatal care, HIV/AIDS education). Counseling (family and youth, mental health, substance abuse, pregnancy). Emergency Assistance (emergency food, fuel, and rental assistance.).

Population Served: Immigrants and nonimmigrant's with emphasis on the Haitian community.

Times: Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Friday, 9 a.m.-12 noon

Cost: Free

Registration Process:

Adult Basic Education, GED, ESOL, Computer Literacy: Contact Sara Jorgensen

617-506-6639

Elders Drop-In Center, Prenatal Care, Health Education: Contact Guy Appollon 617-506-6613

Food Pantry: 617-506-6600

**Association of Haitian Women in Boston (AFAB-KAFANM)**

330 Fuller Street  
Dorchester, MA 02124  
Tel: (617) 287-0096

Website:

<http://www.afab-kafanm.org/index.html>

Programs: AFAB's mission is to empower Haitian women by helping them develop their individual and collective capacity to improve social, economic and political status and thus be able to effect positive changes in their life and their families' lives. Programs Include: Housing and housing advocacy; Adult Education (ESOL, Literacy, Computer training, Economic literacy workshops ; Youth Development (Ayiti Demen cultural education, Sojourner After-School program, leadership training for girls); Domestic Violence prevention; Community outreach.

Population Served: Haitian women and their children

Times:

Monday – Thursday, 10 a.m. – 6p.m.

Friday, 9 a.m. – 5p.m.

Saturday hours

Cost: Financial contribution suggested for adult education.

Registration Process: Call 617-287-0096

**Southwest Boston Community Development Corporation**

11 Fairmount Ave., Suite 101

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Services: The CDC's mission is to develop and preserve affordable housing for low and moderate-income people; prevent displacement of neighborhood residents, particularly elders and those of limited means; and strengthen the commercial base of the neighborhoods. The CDC provides referrals to community agencies

Tel: (617) 364-7300

Website: [www.swbcdc.org](http://www.swbcdc.org)

for residents in need of counseling assistance with homeownership, housing and/or foreclosure.

Population Served: Residents of Hyde Park and Roslindale

Times: Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Cost: Free

Contact: Contact Mike Feloney 617-364-7300.

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Program: Adult art classes available by discipline; Watercolor, Oil Painting, etc.

Population Served: Adults

Times: Weekly, day and time TBA

Cost: TBA

Registration Process: Program capacity 10 students. Register at Arts Center or Contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Services: Studio space available for lease on a yearly basis for artists and groups.

Population Served: Adults

Times: Year sublease

Cost: \$1.12 per square foot

Contact: Madeline LaFarge, 617-840-5761

*ADULT & FAMILY SERVICES:*

*SOCIAL ACTIVITIES*

<p><b>Stony Brook Reservation</b></p> <p>Turtle Pond Parkway</p> <p>West Roxbury, Hyde Park. Tel: (617) 333-7404</p>	<p>Resources: Ten to twelve miles of hiking trails and bicycle paths meander through the quiet, forested portion of the reservation. Sunfish and Perch swim in the fresh waters of Turtle Pond, an easily accessible spot for fishing. In the Reservation's southern section are soccer and baseball fields, tennis courts, picnic areas, playground, an ice skating rink, and a pool. Restrooms, bath house and first aid available.</p> <p>Population Served: Everyone</p> <p>Times: Year-round, dawn to dusk</p> <p>Cost: Free</p> <p>Contact: 617-333-7404</p> <p><i>Additional summer information:</i></p> <p>*Moynihan Wading Pool, 920 Truman Parkway, 617-698-1802</p> <p>*Olsen Swimming and Wading Pool, 95 Turtle Pond Parkway, 617-364-9188</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park YMCA</b></p> <p>1137 River Street</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA</p> <p>Tel: (617) 561-6677</p> <p>Web: <a href="http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/">http://www.ymcaboston.org/hydepark/</a></p>	<p>Programs Offered: Water Exercise and Aquasize, Adult Karate, Healthy Balance (6 week program on diet analysis, menu planning, individual exercise programs, and stress reduction techniques), Group Exercise classes (Abs Only and Abs &amp; More; Active Older Adults; Y's Way to Physical Fitness; Boot Camp; Interval/Cross Training; Kickboxing; Pilates and Yoga). Coming Soon: Breast Cancer Survivor's Fitness Plan.</p> <p>Population Served: Adults</p> <p>Times: Varies depending on program</p> <p>Cost: Varies depending on program, cheaper for YMCA members</p> <p>Contact: Contact YMCA 617-561-6677 to register. Child care available on site for before</p>
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and after-school, and full day school vacation days. Also available at the Greenwood School before and after-school programs.

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Programs: Artist demonstrations – A visiting artist gives a demonstration and talk on their methods and techniques while they work. The viewing audience is invited to ask questions and engage the artist in a dialogue about creating visual art. Refreshments are served.

Population Served: Open to all ages, 60 slots available.

Times: 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday each month

October – March

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Visit Art Center or contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

*Currently held at McDonald's on Hyde Park Ave. across from Star Market, 10am -12p.m.*

Program: Mondays with Paul – Watercolor artists of all levels come together to paint, and learn from one another.

Population Served: Adults

Times: Monday afternoons

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Contact Rosemarie Clinton, 617-333-6894 or e-mail:

[clnt783@aol.com](mailto:clnt783@aol.com)

**Hyde Park Open Studios**

Hyde Park Art Center

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Program: Hyde Park Open Studios – The general public is invited into the studio space of local artists to view and appreciate art. Work is also available for purchase.

Population Served: All ages

Times: TBA, traditionally occurring on weekend in November or December

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Unlimited, free and open to public. For more information contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

**Artists-at-large**

Tel: (617) 276-3223

Website: [www.artistsatlargeinc.org](http://www.artistsatlargeinc.org)

Programs Offered: The Music Workshop. A weekly series devoted to presenting the broad spectrum of creative music in the Boston area, from folk and jazz to hip hop, experimental music, and more. Formal concerts the second Monday of each month, other Mondays are opportunities for established groups to try out new material, or for individuals to perform in impromptu encounters. The workshop welcomes artists from all genres.

Population Served: Adults

Times: Every Monday, 8pm. Formal concerts the second Monday of each month. Other Mondays available for artists to try out new material, or impromptu music sessions.

Cost: \$7 donation suggested

Contact: Contact Founder & President Tommey Seggers, 617-276-3223.

Music Workshop held at:

Fraternal Order of Eagles Lodge  
15 Dana Ave, Hyde Park, MA 02136  
Accessible by #32 bus from Forest Hills and Commuter Rail (Hyde Park stop).

**Ohrenberger Community Center**

175 West Boundary Rd.

West Roxbury, MA 02132

Tel: (617) 635-5183

Programs: Adult ceramics, quilting, arts & crafts

Population Served: Adults

Times:

Ceramics, Tues 7 – 9 p.m.

Quilting, Wed 7 – 9 p.m.

Arts & Crafts, Wed 4:30 p.m. – 5: 30 p.m.

Cost: \$45-\$50 for ten week session

Registration: Call 617-635-5183

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Programs: Gallery openings – Showcasing individual and group artists in open gallery for art appreciation and sale.

Population Served: All

Times: Rotating events TBA throughout the year, evening opening with additional viewing times available

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Free and open to general public. For more information contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

*ADULT & FAMILY SERVICES:*

*HEALTH / MEDICAL RESOURCES*

<b>Greater Roslindale Medical &amp; Dental Center</b>	Services Offered: Adult Medical and Dental care. Family Practice (adults & children); Internal Medicine (adult); Pediatrics; Teen Health (adolescents); Obstetrics; Gynecology; Onsite laboratory; Podiatry; Nutrition; Dentistry; Dental Hygiene; Social Services. Population Served: Serving residents predominantly from Roslindale, Hyde Park, and West Roxbury, although anyone is welcome. Languages Spoken: English; Greek; Spanish; Albanian.
4199 Washington St., Suite 1	Times: Open 6 days a week, plus 24 hour physician telephone coverage.
Roslindale, MA 02131	Monday – Wednesday, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
Tel: (617) 323-4440	Thursday & Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Website: <a href="http://roslindale.org/">http://roslindale.org/</a>	Saturday, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
	Cost: Accepts most insurance plans. Patients without health insurance can meet with a Financial Counselor and complete a free care application. The application requires proof of residency and income among other things. Eligibility decisions can take up to 30 days. If the applicant is approved for Commonwealth Care or free care, patients may receive all of their health care at GRMDC and may also be seen at Boston Medical Center for inpatient or outpatient care.
	Contact: Call for an appointment, (617) 323-4440

<b>Healthy Baby / Healthy Child</b>	Services Offered: Home visits conducted by public health nurses and advocates, who provide health education and case management services.
205 River Street	

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 534-5832

Population Served: Residents of Boston who are pregnant and/or families who have children less than 3 years of age. Languages spoken: Spanish, Haitian Creole  
Times:  
Cost: Free  
Registration: Call (617) 534-5832

**Hyde Park Pediatrics**

695 Truman Pkwy.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 361-1470

Website: [www.hydeparkpedi.com](http://www.hydeparkpedi.com)

Services Offered: Primary care pediatric services. Counseling offered through Commonwealth Counseling Associates, call (617) 361-4548.

Population Served: Youth and families

Times: Office Hours:

Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm

Routine appointments available beginning at 8 am on Tuesday and Thursday mornings and most evenings until 8:00 p.m. in addition to regular business hours. Urgent care appointments: seven days a week. Weekend and holiday urgent care appointments available every morning. There is a physician on call 24hrs a day, seven days a week. After 11pm on weekdays and 9pm on weekends, emergency calls are taken by qualified nurse practitioners who are in contact with the physician on call.  
Cost: Most insurance plans accepted  
Registration: Call (617) 361-1470 to schedule an appointment.

**Hyde Park Medical Care**

1337 Hyde Park Ave.

Services Offered: General medical care, internal medicine.

Population Served: Adults

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Times: Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 5:00pm

Tel: (617) 364-9880

Cost: Most insurance plans accepted.  
Registration: Call (617) 364-9880 to schedule an appointment.

**Hyde Park WIC**

695 Truman Pkwy., Room 102

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 364-4453

Main Site: (617) 822-5584

Services Offered: Massachusetts Women, Infants, and Children Nutrition program provides free food, nutrition information and referrals to help keep pregnant women, infants, and children under five healthy and strong.

Population Served: Automatically income eligible if you receive TANF, food stamps or Medicaid. May be eligible if working.

Times: Office Hours:

Wednesday, 11:00am – 6:00pm

Friday, 8:30am – 1:00pm

First Friday every month, 8:30am – 12:00pm

Cost: Free if eligible

Registration: Call (617) 364-4453. Or call  
Dorchester office (617) 822-5584.

**Mattapan Community Health Center**

1425 Blue Hill Avenue  
Mattapan, MA 02126

Tel: (617) 296-0061

Website:

<http://www.mattapanchc.org/index.htm>

Services: *Clinical* - Adolescent Medicine; Adult Medicine; Dentistry (Adult and Pediatrics); Dermatology; Ear Piercing; ECG Testing; Elder Care Services; Genetic Counseling; Health Referrals; Laboratory Services; Nutrition Services; Pediatrics; Podiatry; Women's Health (OB/GYN).

*Public Health Programs and Social Services –*

Breast and Cervical Cancer Initiative; Diabetes Health Education; Family Planning; Family Support Services (DSS, DYS, Advocacy, Housing); Financial Counseling; Health Care Revival Initiative; Health Disparities Collaborative; Health Education and Screening Services; HIV/AIDS Multi-Services; Lead Screening; Maternal and Child Health; Mattapan Initiative to Reduce Infant Mortality; Nutrition Services; Outreach Maternal Case Management; Pregnancy and Parenting Support; School-Based Health Center; Tuberculosis Prophylaxis; WIC Services; Youth Sports Health.

Population Served: Individuals served are from the Mattapan, Dorchester, Roxbury and Hyde Park neighborhoods of Boston, as well as adjacent Boston suburbs like Brockton, Randolph and Stoughton.

Languages spoken: Cape Verdean; English;

French; Haitian Creole; Spanish; Swahili

We also offer translation services

Times: 24 Hour phone

Monday 8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday 8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Thursday, Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Cost: Accepts most insurance plans. Financial counseling services are available during all business hours. Sliding fee scale is available, based on income. Additional lab fees may be required

Contact: Call for an appointment, (617) 296-0061

**Oxford House – Laval Street House**

22 Laval Street

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Tel: (617) 276-3251

Website: [www.oxfordhouse.org](http://www.oxfordhouse.org)

Service: Oxford House is a self-run, self-supported recovery house concept and system of operation for individuals recovering from alcoholism and drug addiction. Oxford Houses are democratically self-run by the residents who elect officers to serve for terms of six months.

Population Served: Women only, recovering alcoholics or drug addicts

Times: A recovering individual can live in an Oxford House for as long as he or she does not drink alcohol, does not use drugs, and pays an equal share of the house expenses. The average stay is about a year, but many residents stay three, four, or more years. There is no pressure on anyone in good standing to leave. If a majority of residents believe that any member has relapsed into using alcohol or drugs, that person is immediately expelled.

Cost: Each House is fully responsible for its own expenses and debts

Contact and Registration: Fill out an application and be interviewed by the existing members of the House. If there is a vacancy and if 80% of the members approve, the applicant is accepted

**Haitian American Health Initiatives, Inc.  
(HAPHI)**

10 Fairway Street

Mattapan, MA 02126

Tel: (617) 298-8076

Website: [www.HAPHI.org](http://www.HAPHI.org)

Services Offered: Adult Literacy and ESL classes, Citizenship classes, Health Insurance programs for Elders and Refugees, HIV/AIDS counseling, Food Pantry, The Youth Computer Project offers computer literacy instruction to youth who are at-risk and disabled.

Population Served: Haitian Americans living in Greater Boston (particularly Mattapan, Dorchester, Hyde Park and Milton)

Times: Monday – Friday, 9a.m. – 5p.m.

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Call HAPHI at 617-298-8076

**Center for Community, Health, Education and Research**

420 Washington St.

Dorchester, MA 02124

Tel: (617) 265-0628

Website: <http://www.ccher.org/index.htm>

Programs: Clinical and social services: Case Management; Mental Health Services & Family Counseling; HDAP & Drug Referral; Housing Search and Placement; Home-delivered Meal & Nutrition; Peer Support Program; Skill Building & Job Training. Education and prevention about health issues. Hyde Park Health Associates – Medical and Mental health services.

*Satellite Office – Hyde Park Health Associates*

745 River St.

Mattapan, MA 02126

Tel: (617) 364-0222 or (617) 364-2588

Population Served: Underserved and uninsured individuals, particularly Haitian and other immigrant communities.

Times:

Dorchester office: Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

HP Health Associates: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri, 10a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, 2 – 6 p.m.

Saturday, 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Cost: Accept most forms of insurance, open to all residents regardless of ability to pay.

Registration Process:

Dorchester office, 617-265-0628

Hyde Park Health Associates, 617- 364-0222

**Catholic Charities Haitian Multi-Service Center**

185 Columbia Rd.

Dorchester, MA 02121

Tel: (617) 506-6600

Website:

<http://www.ccab.org/locations/metro-boston/haitian-multi-service/>

Services Offered: The mission of the HMSC is to support both immigrant and nonimmigrant communities, while continuing its commitment to the Haitian community, through social service programs, civic involvement initiatives, and leadership development in a culturally sensitive environment.

Adult Education, GED, English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), Computer Literacy. Elders drop-in Center. Health Services (Health education, prenatal care, HIV/AIDS education). Counseling (family and youth, mental health, substance abuse, pregnancy). Emergency Assistance (emergency food, fuel, and rental assistance.).

Population Served: Immigrants and nonimmigrant's with emphasis on the Haitian community.

Times: Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Friday, 9 a.m.-12 noon

Cost: Free

Registration Process:

Adult Basic Education, GED, ESOL, Computer Literacy: Contact Sara Jorgensen 617-506-6639

Elders Drop-In Center, Prenatal Care, Health Education: Contact Guy Appollon 617-506-6613

Food Pantry: 617-506-6600

*ELDER SERVICES:*

*EDUCATION, ART, THEATRE, MUSIC & DANCE*

<b>Riverside Theatre Works</b> 45 Fairmount Ave. Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 361-7024 Website: <a href="http://www.rtwboston.org">www.rtwboston.org</a>	Programs: Private lessons for voice, guitar, piano, acting and ballet. All private studios present a recital during the year.  Population Served: Ages 8-adult  Times: lessons are scheduled individually with the instructor  Cost: \$25 per ½ hour for lessons. All lessons are paid for at the first of each month. Contact: RTW office at 617-361-7024
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<b>Hyde Park Branch Library</b> 35 Harvard Avenue Hyde Park, MA 02136 Tel: (617) 361-2524 Website: <a href="http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm">http://www.bpl.org/branches/hyde.htm</a>	Programs: Book Club  Population Served: All ages  Times:  Third Tuesday of each month, 10:30 a.m.  Cost: Free Registration Process: No pre-registration required, contact the library, 617-361-2524
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<b>Ohrenberger Community Center</b> 175 West Boundary Rd. West Roxbury, MA 02132 Tel: (617) 635-5183	Programs: Fitness class  Population Served: Seniors  Times: Tues & Thur, 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Wed, 9:30 a.m. – 10 a.m.  Cost: \$10 for ten weeks Registration Process: 617-635-5183
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<b>Ohrenberger Community Center</b>	Programs: Painting class
175 West Boundary Rd.	Population Served: Seniors
West Roxbury, MA 02132	Times: Wednesdays, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
Tel: (617) 635-5183	Cost & Registration: 617-635-5183

<b>Ohrenberger Community Center</b>	Programs: Computer classes
175 West Boundary Rd.	Population Served: Seniors
West Roxbury, MA 02132	Times: Intro Part 1: Tues, 9:30 – 11 a.m.
Tel: (617) 635-5183	Intro Part 2: Wed, 9:30 – 11 a.m. Cost & Registration: 617-635-5183

<b>Hyde Park Art Center</b>	Program: Mondays with Paul – Watercolor artists of all levels come together to paint, and learn from one another.
26 Central Ave.	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Population Served: Adults
<i>Currently held at McDonald's on Hyde Park Ave. across from Star Market, 10am -12p.m.</i>	Times: Monday afternoons
	Cost: Free
	Registration Process: Contact Rosemarie Clinton, 617-333-6894 or e-mail: <a href="mailto:clnt783@aol.com">clnt783@aol.com</a>

<b>Hyde Park Art Center</b>	Program: Adult art classes available by discipline; Watercolor, Oil Painting, etc.
26 Central Ave.	
Hyde Park, MA 02136	Population Served: Adults
	Times: Weekly, day and time TBA
	Cost: TBA
	Registration Process: Program capacity 10 students. Register at Arts Center or Contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

**Hyde Park Open Studios**

Hyde Park Art Center

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Program: Hyde Park Open Studios – The general public is invited into the studio space of local artists to view and appreciate art. Work is also available for purchase.

Population Served: All ages

Times: TBA, traditionally occurring on weekend in November or December

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Unlimited, free and open to public. For more information contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Services: Studio space available for lease on a yearly basis for artists and groups.

Population Served: Adults

Times: Year sublease

Cost: \$1.12 per square foot

Contact: Madeline LaFarge, 617-840-5761

*ELDER SERVICES:*

*COMMUNITY RESOURCES*

<p><b>Ethos</b></p> <p>555 Amory Street</p> <p>Jamaica Plain, MA 02130</p> <p>Tel: 617-522-6700</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.ethocare.org/">http://www.ethocare.org/</a></p>	<p>Program: Ethos provides an array of services to adults over 60 and their caregivers in the home and community. Mission is to provide choices for long term care to families so that elders can remain in their own home for as long as possible. Services include homemaking, grocery shopping, meals on wheels, laundry, meal preparation, protective services, caregiver support, and volunteer opportunities for all ages, and more.</p> <p>Population Served: Adults 60+</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Any age who is a caregiver</li><li>- Adults who have Alzheimer's</li></ul> <p>Times: Varies, offered throughout the year</p> <p>Cost: Varies by service, some free, some request donation and some based on income sliding scale. Financial Aid is possible, given on a case by case basis.</p> <p>Registration Process: Contact Anne Walker. Call 617-292-6211.</p>
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<p><b>Haitian American Health Initiatives, Inc. (HAPHI)</b></p> <p>10 Fairway Street</p> <p>Mattapan, MA 02126</p> <p>Tel: (617) 298-8076</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.HAPHI.org">www.HAPHI.org</a></p>	<p>Services Offered: Adult Literacy and ESL classes, Citizenship classes, Health Insurance programs for Elders and Refugees, HIV/AIDS counseling, Food Pantry, The Youth Computer Project offers computer literacy instruction to youth who are at-risk and disabled (No transportation offered).</p> <p>Population Served: Haitian Americans living in Greater Boston (particularly Mattapan, Dorchester, Hyde Park and Milton)</p>
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Times: Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Cost: Free  
Registration Process: Call HAPHI at 617-298-8076

**Dial 211**

Services: Statewide phone-based information and referral service. Connects callers to a trained specialist who can provide information on essential health and human services, and community services.  
Population Served: All adults  
Times: Monday-Friday, 8am-8pm  
Cost: Free and confidential  
Contact: Call 211. For TTY dial (617) 536-5872; from out of state (877) 211-6277.

**Catholic Charities Haitian Multi-Service Center**

185 Columbia Rd.

Dorchester, MA 02121

Tel: (617) 506-6600

Website:

<http://www.ccab.org/locations/metro-boston/haitian-multi-service/>

Services Offered: The mission of the HMSC is to support both immigrant and nonimmigrant communities, while continuing its commitment to the Haitian community, through social service programs, civic involvement initiatives, and leadership development in a culturally sensitive environment.

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Population Served: Immigrants and nonimmigrant's with emphasis on the Haitian community.

Times: Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Friday, 9 a.m.-12 noon

Cost: Free

Registration Process:

Adult Basic Education, GED, ESOL, Computer Literacy: Contact Sara Jorgensen

617-506-6639

Elders Drop-In Center, Prenatal Care, Health  
Education: Contact Guy Appollon 617-506-  
6613

Food Pantry: 617-506-6600

*ELDER SERVICES:*

*SOCIAL ACTIVITIES*

<p><b>Seniors Clubs</b> – <i>Go-Go Seniors, Jolly Aces, Hi-Flyers/Hi-Parkers</i></p> <p>Fraternal Order of Eagles</p> <p>15 Dana Ave.</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p>	<p>Social Activities: Seniors clubs. Go-Go Seniors, Jolly Aces, Hi-Flyers/Hi-Parkers. Social events, trips, and monthly meetings.</p> <p>Population Served: Hyde Park Seniors, around 55+</p> <p>Times: Depending on club, different monthly meeting times at Eagles Lodge</p> <p>Cost:</p> <p>Contact: Contacts for individual clubs listed in Hyde Park Bulletin</p>
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<p><b>Ohrenberger Community Center</b></p> <p>175 West Boundary Rd.</p> <p>West Roxbury, MA 02132</p> <p>Tel: (617) 635-5183</p>	<p>Programs: BINGO</p> <p>Population Served: Seniors</p> <p>Times:</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month, 12 – 3 p.m. (free, refreshments provided)</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month, 12:30 – 3 p.m. (\$2 fee includes lunch)</p> <p>Registration: 617-635-5183</p>
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<p><b>Hyde Park Art Center</b></p> <p>26 Central Ave.</p> <p>Hyde Park, MA 02136</p> <p><i>Currently held at McDonald's on Hyde Park Ave. across from Star Market, 10am -12p.m.</i></p>	<p>Program: Mondays with Paul – Watercolor artists of all levels come together to paint, and learn from one another.</p> <p>Population Served: Adults</p> <p>Times: Monday afternoons</p> <p>Cost: Free</p> <p>Registration Process: Contact Rosemarie Clinton, 617-333-6894 or e-mail:</p>
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**Hyde Park Open Studios**

Hyde Park Art Center

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Program: Hyde Park Open Studios – The general public is invited into the studio space of local artists to view and appreciate art. Work is also available for purchase.

Population Served: All ages

Times: TBA, traditionally occurring on weekend in November or December

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Unlimited, free and open to public. For more information contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

**Hyde Park Art Center**

26 Central Ave.

Hyde Park, MA 02136

Programs: Gallery openings – Showcasing individual and group artists in open gallery for art appreciation and sale.

Population Served: All

Times: Rotating events TBA throughout the year, evening opening with additional viewing times available

Cost: Free

Registration Process: Free and open to general public. For more information contact Cheryl Murphy, 617-364-9336

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