

Boston's Age Strong Commission

Weekly Digest

December 27- January 2, 2022

Information & opportunities for Boston's older adults

Ring in the New Year 2022!



MAYOR MICHELLE WU &
THE AGE STRONG COMMISSION
INVITE YOU TO THE

FIRST NIGHT VIRTUAL CELEBRATION

Wednesday, December 29, 11:30am

Live Music from Athene Wilson & Friends Band!
Live Magic by Magician Mike Harrington
Boston Mayor Michelle Wu
Age Strong Commissioner Emily Shea
...and a live countdown to noon!

RSVP to MaryBeth at 617-635-3959 or
marybeth.kelly@boston.gov
to get the Zoom link/call in number

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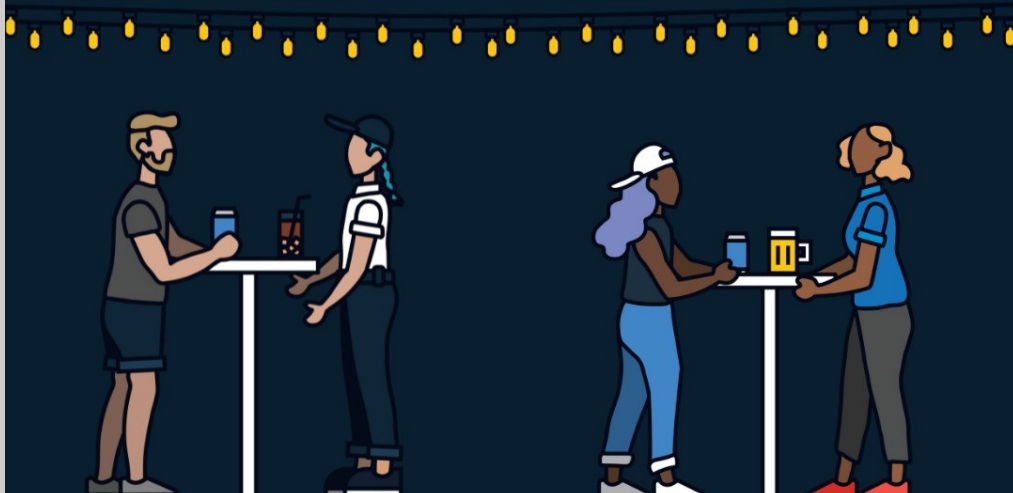
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VACCINATION REQUIRED

Starting on Jan. 15, 2022, individuals will be required to show proof of COVID-19 vaccination to enter certain indoor spaces like restaurants, fitness facilities, entertainment spaces, and certain meeting spaces in Boston.



Learn more at BOSTON.GOV/B-TOGETHER

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LET'S GET BOOSTED!

Visit boston.gov/Covid19-vaccine for more information.

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE FOR A COVID-19 BOOSTER?

CITY of BOSTON



AGE: 18 or older



STATUS: fully vaccinated



TIME: 6 months from your last COVID-19 vaccine OR 2 months from J&J



Let's get boosted!

Visit boston.gov/covid19-vaccine to find a vaccination clinic in your neighborhood



KEEP BOSTON SENIORS WARM THIS WINTER

The **Seniors Save** program can provide up to \$8,000 to eligible seniors to replace faulty heating systems.

Visit boston.gov/seniors-save to apply today.



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28

10:30am-12:30pm

BPL Virtual: A Quilting Circle

Codman Square Branch

690 Washington Street, Dorchester

Click [here](#) to register & for more information.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29

11:30am

Age Strong First Night Virtual Celebration

To RSVP call Marybeth at 617-635-3959

or email marybeth.kelly@boston.gov

3pm

BPL Virtual: Shelf Service Live

***Personalized Reading Recommendations
from BPL Librarians***

Click [here](#) for more information.

4pm

Community Kwanzaa Krawl: Candlelight Gathering

BPL: Dudley Branch

149 Dudley Street, Roxbury

Click [here](#) for more information.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30

1:30pm

Community Kwanzaa Krawl: Celebrate Your Purpose

BPL: Dudley Branch

149 Dudley Street, Roxbury

Click [here](#) for more information.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31

New Year's Eve!

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1

New Year's Day!

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2

6pm

Parks Virtual: Yoga

Click [here](#) to register & for more information.

FREE COVID-19 HOME TEST KITS AVAILABLE FOR CITY OF BOSTON RESIDENTS

With COVID-19 cases once again on the rise among our residents, at-home rapid tests are an

important strategy to protect your friends and family from exposure and help stop the spread of COVID-19.



Boston residents can now pick up free rapid at-home test kits at designated sites around the City, while supplies last. Each person will be able to pick up a kit for each member of their immediate household per visit. There are two tests in each kit.

Community Test Pickup Sites

(Tests are available at these sites during operating hours.)

BACK BAY:

- Boston Public Library Central, 700 Boylston St.

BRIGHTON:

- BPL Brighton Branch, 40 Academy Hill

DORCHESTER:

- BPL Codman Branch, 690 Washington St.
- BPL Grove Hall Branch, 41 Geneva Ave

EAST BOSTON:

- BPL East Boston Branch, 365 S. Bremen St.
- BCYF Paris Street, 112 Paris St.

Hyde Park:

- BCYF Hyde Park, 1179 River St.

MATTAPAN:

- BPL Mattapan Branch, 1350 Blue Hill Ave
- BCYF Mildred Avenue, 5 Mildred Ave

MISSION HILL:

- BCYF Tobin, 1481 Tremont St.

SOUTH BOSTON:

- BPL South Boston Branch, 646 E Broadway

ROSLINDALE:

- BPL Roslindale Branch, 4246 Washington St.

ROXBURY:

- BPL Roxbury Branch, 149 Dudley St.
- BCYF Shelburne Branch, 2730 Washington St.

For more information, visit boston.gov/departments/public-health-commission/free-covid-19-home-test-kits

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Happy New Year




SIGN UP FOR ALERT-BOSTON!

In 4 simple steps:

- 1 Enter your Email or Phone number
- 2 Select how you would like to be Alerted
- 3 Enter your First and Last Name
- 4 Enter your Zip Code & Select a Language

Sign up at boston.gov/alert-boston

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