

SBANP Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date & Time	Tuesday, April 11, 2023 @ 9:30AM
Goal	SBANP Meeting
Next Meeting	May 9, 2023 @ 9:30AM

Agenda

Joining us @10am will be Carl Nagy- Koechlin, Director of [Just a Start](#). Just a Start is a partner on The Seaport Circle project and Carl would like to join our SBANP meeting to discuss their job training program and learn how we may be able to work together.

Just a Start's mission is 'to promote equity by creating access to stable housing and building pathways to economic opportunity.'

Notes

Erin LaMonica (Community Initiative)

To register for the workshop with Wyatt Jackson next week: <https://forms.gle/vX9KW7T7KAJQycDY8>

Carl Nagy- Koechlin, Director of Just a Start and Miriam Ortiz.

Just a Start is a partner on [The Seaport Circle project](#)

-Working with Bunker Hill on the project

-The history of Just A Start was founded in 1968 by Gordon Gottsche as a youth training and community revitalization program in Cambridge's Wellington-Harrington neighborhood. Then turned more into housing development projects

-Run housing developments mostly in Cambridge

-Teach people the different housing process like affordable housing programs, assistance, mediation for tenant and renter

-Talked about their [biomedical training program](#) and IT Sector (Tuition Free)

-Small student body every year involved and they have seen instant raise increase within the employment market for those that complete the training

-They partnered with Bunker Hill Community College

-5 Day week program (9am:2pm) Fall to Spring Schedule (Study Body: 18)

-Building a new state of art HQ in Cambridge (Redline Accessible)

SPOKE		
Boston Harbor Now	<u>Island Pass Program</u>	Spring Celebration May 13th(Moakley Park) (Learning about nature)
Boston Library- South Boston		
Boston Children’s Chorus		
Beacon Communities LLC		
Gavin Foundation	Road to Recovery Gala 2023 <u>https://www.gavinfoundation.org/gala2023</u>	Road to Recovery Gala 2023 May 25th at 6:00PM
Laboure Center	<p>Spring Reception <u>https://www.ccab.org/ways-to-give/catholic-charities-laboure-reception/</u></p> <p>Construction to add English as a second language Certified Nurse Assistant as a class <u>https://www.ccab.org/adult-education-workforce-development/job-training/</u></p> <p>Childcare has a long waiting list as of right now</p> <p>Tom Brown working with seniors to help connect to programs <u>https://www.ccab.org/family-youth-services/healthyfamilies-parent-programs/</u></p>	Spring Reception Thursday, 27, 2023 (Honoring Tom Tinlin)
Notre Dame Education Center	-Youth and Adult Hi-set and High School Diploma Program Summer Session will begin soon. Please send potential students if you think this will be a good match for them	
South Boston Boys & Girls Club		
West Broadway Task Force	Earth Day April 22 Celebration and Clean up	
South Boston Collaborative		

Center		
South Boston En Accion	-Moved to 2nd floor of west broadway taskforce -Programming will start soon	
Hub Church		
South Boston Neighborhood Development Corporation (SBNDC)	Job Opening:Climate Action Intern from MIT (June-August) Gillette Grant Application Friday, April 28th (Email to Donna Brown)	Annual Event: Taste of South Boston Thursday, April 27, 2023 https://2023TOSB.eventbrite.com
Fourth Presbyterian Church	Mon, Wed and Fri (food pantry) Trauma Ministry (Expanded because of Tufts Grant) is going well Wyatt Jackson (Flyer) will be doing a workshop as part Professional development initiative Housing Issue and working with Sister Margaret Inviting House and Senate officials from MA Thursday, April 20, 5:30-6:30pm. West Broadway Task force event with invitation to Boston delegation of reps and senators	Next Wednesday at 1:00PM- 3:00PM
St. Monica-St. Augustine Catholic Church	Sister Margaret Earth Day-cleaning up the church	
Children Of Alcoholism And Substance Abuse (COASA)	Developing Workshops for the Tufts Grant Initiative Involved with Kathy and Erin to developed initiatives with Tufts	
South Boston Community Connections (SBCC)	-Working with Broadway Task Force -Senior now have a Crochet Club -Asian Coffee Club is beginning and still looking for new members -Gift cards are still available	