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Quarterly Insight into the Progress and Philanthropy of The Kraft Group

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

PRIDE & PARTNERSHIP

Foxborough's ever-present sense of community was on full display this spring with examples of pride and partnership through events like Clean Up Foxboro Day, Founders Day and the flagpole dedication.

Events like these remind us of the civic pride and selfless volunteers that make Foxborough special. We were thrilled to join so many of you in these initiatives and celebrations, as we look forward to these events every year.

Community partnership was also at the forefront of the second quarter, with some excellent news coming from Town Hall regarding the financial state of the town. The stadium's event season for Fiscal Year 2016 (July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016) generated the most Payments In Lieu of Taxes (P.I.L.O.T.) revenue in town history, generating a record \$3.8 million in ticket revenue for the town; up 34 percent, or nearly \$1 million, from the previous town record of \$2.8 million in Fiscal Year 2014.

"This is great news for the town and for Gillette Stadium and is reflective of the successful events that are being held at the venue," said Town Manager Bill Keegan.

Additionally, the town's finance department announced the town has achieved a "AAA" bond rating through the success of its businesses, support of its residents and financial management of its leaders. The AAA bond rating means Foxborough now has the highest credit quality rating available and is a notch higher than the U.S. government (rated at "AA+"). Keegan, during a recent Board of Selectmen meeting, thanked those who have

contributed to the historic rating.

"We have to thank all of the people that contribute to [the town's financial strengths], including the commercial and residential taxpayers that pay into this community," Keegan said. "We are fortunate that we have large taxpayers like the Kraft Group, Schneider Electric, Chestnut Green and the new development at Forbes Crossing. ... Without those contributions to our tax base we wouldn't be getting a AAA rating right now."

We are very proud to contribute to Foxborough's strong economy and look forward to building on that success through stadium events in Fiscal Year 2017, including a record number of concerts at Gillette Stadium, and new developments at Patriot Place like the Hilton Garden Inn and Scorpion Bar A Mexican Cantina (both expected to open this fall). We also recently announced, in partnership with Harvard University, that the 2017 and 2018 NCAA Men's Lacrosse Championships will be played over Memorial Day Weekend at Gillette Stadium. This will be the fourth and fifth times the stadium has hosted the event and first time since 2012. These championships have been successful in the past, generating \$310,037 in town ticket revenue in 2008, \$260,405 in 2009 and \$215,059 in 2012.

In June, we hosted Beyoncé's The Formation World Tour, three Copa America soccer matches, including the world's top team, Argentina, and the world's top player, Lionel Messi, and the Monster Jam truck series. Looking ahead to the third quarter, we are excited to host eight concerts and welcome the return of Patriots and UMass football.



The NCAA Men's Lacrosse Championships are returning to Foxborough in 2017 and 2018.



RECORD SUMMER

2016 Concert Series marks the busiest concert season in Gillette Stadium history

Since opening in 2002, Gillette Stadium has become one of the world's top grossing concert venues, according to Billboard magazine, annually bringing the most iconic performers to Foxborough.

While the stadium stage has been the scene of many monumental moments in music over the years, 2016 will mark a major milestone when the stadium hosts its busiest concert season ever with nine shows scheduled. This year's Stadium Concert Series kicked off on June 3 with Beyoncé's The Formation World Tour, attracting a sellout crowd of more than 50,000 fans.

July brought five shows to the stadium with Luke Bryan's Kill The Lights Tour (July 15-16), Guns N' Roses' Not In This Lifetime Tour (July 19-20) and Coldplay's A Head Full of Dreams Tour (July 30).

August brings the return of Kenny Chesney, who has performed at Gillette Stadium more than any other artist, for two nights of his Spread The Love Tour (Aug. 26-27). The concert season wraps up in September with Bruce Springsteen & The E Street Band's The River Tour (Sept. 14).

The nine concerts are expected to attract more than 400,000 fans to Gillette Stadium, which will bring record revenues of more than \$1 million to the Town generated through ticket user fees and an additional hundreds of thousands of dollars through meals and hotel occupancy taxes.

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

PATRIOT PLACE NEWS



Concept drawing courtesy of Big Night Entertainment Group

PATRIOT PLACE ADDS MEXICAN CUISINE TO RESTAURANT LINEUP

Scorpion Bar A Mexican Cantina expected to open this fall at Patriot Place

Patriot Place diners will soon be able to satisfy their appetites for Mexican cuisine with the addition of Scorpion Bar A Mexican Cantina to the lifestyle center's restaurant lineup.

The high-end Mexican concept, which is expected to open this fall in the North Marketplace across from Victoria's Secret, is owned by Big Night Entertainment Group, operators of a number of first-class hospitality and award-winning food concepts known for their spectacular design throughout New England.

At Patriot Place, Scorpion Bar A Mexican Cantina will serve authentic and innovative Mexican dishes, including tacos, enchiladas, burritos and other specialty plates. The restaurant will be custom-designed by using high-end, reclaimed materials from the Southwest to create an environment that will make you feel like you are right in Mexico.

Between 90 and 100 employees are expected to be hired for the Patriot Place location.

“Led by Ed and Joe Kane and Randy Greenstein, Big Night Entertainment Group is a first-class operator in the restaurant and hospitality industry; bringing high-end, award-winning concepts to communities. We are thrilled to welcome them to Patriot Place and add Scorpion Bar A Mexican Cantina to our lineup of award-winning restaurants. We look forward to the excellent food and hospitality.”



— BRIAN EARLEY
General Manager,
Patriot Place

BY THE NUMBERS

RECORD REVENUE: Fiscal Year 2016 was the largest Payments in Lieu of Taxes (P.I.L.O.T.) year for the Town of Foxborough, besting the the next highest year (Fiscal Year 2014) by 34 percent, or nearly \$1 million. Below is a closer look at the Town revenue generated by the Kraft Group in FY16.

\$25.4M+

Amount of P.I.L.O.T. revenue Town received from the Kraft Group since the opening of Gillette Stadium (14 fiscal years)



\$3.8M+

Total net P.I.L.O.T. revenue Town received in FY16. Previous record was the \$2.8 million generated in FY14.



\$1.6M+

Amount of P.I.L.O.T. revenue Town received from concerts in FY16; more than double the previous high (\$832K in FY10).



\$477K+

Amount of P.I.L.O.T. revenue Town received from special soccer events in FY16; Nearly double the previous high (\$269K in FY14)



IN THE COMMUNITY

CHALK ART INSPIRES SMILES



Patriot Place teams up with Foxborough Schools, Foxboro Dental Associates for Art Festival

The second annual Foxborough Street Painting Festival at Patriot Place attracted chalk artists of all ages from 17 communities in Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

While the chalk drawings varied from square-to-square throughout Patriot Place's North Marketplace, they each began with one thing in common - a smile. Inspired by the festival's theme, "What Makes Me Smile," artists put chalk to pavement to illustrate and bring to life their happy places.



Student volunteers are all smiles at the second annual Foxborough Street Painting Festival at Patriot Place.

Patriot Place and Foxboro Dental Associates teamed up with the Foxborough Public Schools to host the May 21 art festival. Event organizers said they enjoyed spending the day with so many talented artists and enjoyed watching their chalk drawings come to life.

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

2016 PATRIOTS TRAINING CAMP

BACK TO FOOTBALL IN FOXBOROUGH

Patriots Training Camp offers fans a variety of family-oriented fun and entertainment

The long wait is over with football finally back in Foxborough!

The Patriots opened their 57th annual training camp - and 14th straight camp at Gillette Stadium - on July 27 with the first public practice held on July 28 on the fields behind Gillette Stadium.

The daily practice sessions are free and open to the public. As dates and times for training camp are confirmed, they will be updated on the Patriots website, www.Patriots.com/trainingcamp.

For the 10th consecutive season, the Patriots invited Foxborough residents and season ticket members to the popular in-stadium practice on Aug. 1 as part of a free evening of football for fans that kicked off earlier in the evening with the Patriots Hall of Fame induction ceremony for former running back and three-time Super Bowl champion, Kevin Faulk.

The in-stadium practice included detailed explanations of drills over the stadium's PA system and gave fans an opportunity to watch players go through numerous individual drills before participating in 7-on-7 and 11-on-11 drills.

Other important dates throughout training camp include:

Aug. 9-10: Joint practice sessions with the New Orleans Saints

Aug. 11: Patriots host the New Orleans Saints in the 2016 preseason home opener at Gillette Stadium (7:30 p.m.)

Aug. 15-16: Joint practice sessions with the Chicago Bears

Aug. 18: Patriots host the Chicago Bears at Gillette Stadium (8 p.m.)

Fans are encouraged to verify practice times daily by calling 508-549-0001.

FAN ZONE

In addition to watching Patriots practice, fans attending training camp can enjoy other types of family entertainment, including Patriots Fan Zone. The interactive, football-themed area is open to fans of all ages on training camp practice dates through Aug. 10. Located adjacent to the practice fields, Fan Zone features fun activities and games, appearances by Patriots alumni and cheerleaders, concessions and much more.



FACES OF FOXBOROUGH LINDSEY CUNIFF

After graduating from Foxborough High School in 2015, Lindsey Cuniff entered her freshman year at UMass Amherst with aspirations of pursuing a career in marketing, but a course in sports management got her interested in a whole other field of employment.

"I loved a sports management class I took and decided I want to major in that and communications," Lindsey said.

A Foxborough resident her entire life, Lindsey took the next step in pursuing a career in sports management by landing a summer internship with the Kraft Sports Group's Business Development and External Affairs Department.

Her responsibilities have varied since joining the department in May. She has assisted with Gillette Stadium's social media initiatives and has helped management prepare for major stadium events like Beyonce and Monster Jam.

"I am able to do a lot of different things for the department, depending on what type of day it is and what type of events are coming up at the stadium," Lindsey said. "It's been great and I love the experience that I'm getting. I haven't found anything here that I haven't liked doing and I really enjoy the people I'm working with."

When Lindsey is not in school or working, she enjoys playing softball and hanging out with her family and friends around Foxborough.

"I love the people in this community," she said.



The Cuniff family, from left: Chris, Lindsey, Debbie and Chris Jr.



PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

FOUNDERS DAY

CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

Every June, Foxborough celebrates its wonderful sense of community with a town-wide bash worthy of a parade, field day and fireworks.

The Kraft Group and New England Patriots always look forward to this celebration and joined in on this year's Founders Day fun with several special guests.

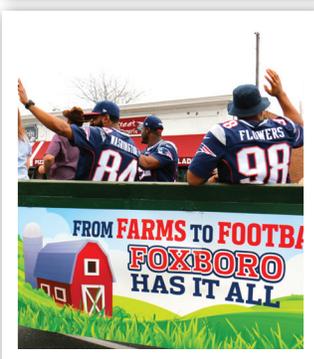
In keeping with the parade's theme of "Farm and Flowers," Patriots players Brandon Bolden (#38), Nate Washington (#84), Trey Flowers (#98) and Geneo Grissom (#92) waved to the crowd from a horse-drawn wagon, while Patriots mascot, Pat Patriot, Patriots Cheerleaders and Kraft Group staff handed out



stickers, pins and other Patriots-themed goodies to the crowd.

A special thank you to Cindi Haddad-Drew, Monica Fidler and the

Foxborough Founders Day Committee for all of the hard work and planning that went into a very successful - and very fun - Founders Day.



CLEAN UP FOXBORO DAY

SPRING CLEANING

New England Patriots pitch in to clean up Foxborough at annual community event

On April 30, more than 500 volunteers participated in the fourth annual Clean Up Foxboro Day, which collected nearly 4.5 tons of trash while celebrating a cleaner community.

Joining the volunteers in the effort was a team of Kraft Group employees and Patriots players Trey Flowers and Cameron Fleming, who mingled with the crowd during the post-event cookout

and helped announce the winner, Bridget Whyte, of the Kraft Group's raffle prize - a VIP concert experience at Gillette Stadium this summer. Whyte received four suite tickets and free parking to an upcoming show.

A very special thank you to A.J. Dooley, Jack Authelet and Tina Belanger for their efforts in organizing the annual Clean Up Day.



PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

IN THE SCHOOLS



BUTLER GOES BACK TO SCHOOL

Malcolm Butler surprises Foxborough students with impromptu visit to high school

Students at Foxborough High were surprised to find a new classmate in their halls on April 11 when Patriots cornerback and Super Bowl XLIX hero Malcolm Butler made a surprise visit.

Butler gave hugs and took selfies with students in the FHS halls before making a stop at the cafeteria where he told students that he needed a lunch break from his workouts.

"I had to come out and do something positive," Butler said. "I've been working out all day, so I decided to come and see what's up with you guys."

After a quick Q&A session in the cafeteria, Butler headed off to gym class to see how Warriors train.

Butler helped FHS wellness teacher C.J. Neely lead warm ups with laps around the gymnasium and lunges, high kicks and shuffles across the floor.

Once the class was warmed up, Butler took a break from testing their physical abilities and



ABOVE: Patriots cornerback Malcolm Butler participates in a Q&A with Foxborough High School students during a gym class on April 11. **RIGHT:** Butler surprised students and faculty with an impromptu visit to Foxborough High School to share his story and participate in gym class.

quizzed the students with trivia questions about his career. In return, the students challenged him to do pushups.

Five lucky students received autographed footballs and But-



ler did 21 pushups, which represents his jersey number. Butler then helped the students begin their training for the Heinricher Hustle, a two-mile race held on May 20 that honored FHS as-

sistant principal Joe Heinricher, who passed away suddenly in March. Foxborough Schools Superintendent Deb Spinelli said having players like Butler visit encourages and inspires students, especially in trying times.

"The New England Patriots are really role models for all kinds in the community, teaching us all about work ethic, hard work, perseverance, putting your best foot forward at all times and working as a team," she said. "We look up to them in terms of the attitude we should take in life and all the qualities they stand for as a team means a lot to us. ... Malcolm is a great example of somebody who has worked hard and aspired to be who he is today. He had a dream and accomplished it. For our students, whatever their dreams are, they can be inspired by Malcolm and do the same."

Butler's visit to FHS was featured on the National Football League's social media app, Snapchat.

5TH ANNUAL PATRIOT PLACE CHILI BOWL COOK OFF

Chili Bowl raises over \$3K for Hockomock Area YMCA

The fifth annual Patriot Place Chili Bowl presented by Bass Pro Shops crowned a new champion and raised more than \$3,000, a new fundraising high, for the Hockomock Area YMCA's Reach Out For Youth

& Families Campaign on April 2.

Twenty8 Food & Spirits, located inside the Renaissance Boston Patriot Place Hotel, took home both the judges' award and the popular vote in

the chili competition. Cast members of National Geographic's hit TV series, "Wicked Tuna" served as celebrity judges along with former Patriots offensive lineman Pete Brock, Foxborough Building Commissioner Bill Cas-



barra and Foxborough Assistant Town Manager Mary Beth Bernard.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT *Gillette* STADIUM™

<p>JULY 28</p>	<p>PATRIOTS 2016 TRAINING CAMP Date: Thursday, July 28, 9:15 a.m. Details: The first four public practices of Patriots Training Camp (July 28-31) are scheduled to begin at 9:15 a.m. on the practice fields behind Gillette Stadium. The practices are free and open to the public.</p> 	<p>SEPT 10</p>	<p>UMASS VS. BOSTON COLLEGE FOOTBALL Date: Saturday, Sept. 10, 12:00 p.m. Details: The UMass Minutemen take on Boston College in a college football game at Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>JULY 30</p>	<p>COLDPLAY A HEAD FULL OF DREAMS TOUR Date: Saturday, July 30, 7 p.m. Details: Coldplay will be coming to Gillette Stadium as part of the band's first world tour since the 2011/12 Mylo Xyloto Tour.</p> 	<p>SEPT 10</p>	<p>REVOLUTION VS. NYCFC Date: Saturday, Sept. 10, 7:30 p.m. Details: The Revolution host NYCFC in a MLS regular season match at Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>AUG 1</p>	<p>PATRIOTS HALL OF FAME INDUCTION Date: Monday, Aug. 1, 5 p.m. Details: Celebrate Kevin Faulk's induction into the Patriots Hall of Fame with a free ceremony on NRG Plaza outside The Hall at Patriot Place presented by Raytheon.</p> 	<p>SEPT 14</p>	<p>BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN THE RIVER TOUR Date: Wednesday, Sept. 14, 7:30 p.m. Details: Bruce Springsteen and the E Street Band will bring their The River Tour to Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>AUG 1</p>	<p>PATRIOTS IN-STADIUM PRACTICE Date: Monday, Aug. 1, 7 p.m. Details: Foxborough residents and Patriots Season Ticket Members are invited to watch the team practice inside Gillette Stadium.</p> 	<p>SEPT 18</p>	<p>PATRIOTS VS. MIAMI DOLPHINS Date: Sunday, Sept. 18, 1 p.m. Details: The New England Patriots host the Miami Dolphins in the team's 2016 regular season home opener.</p> 
<p>AUG 11</p>	<p>PRESEASON: PATRIOTS VS. SAINTS Date: Thursday, Aug. 11, 7:30 p.m. Details: The Patriots host the New Orleans Saints in a preseason football game at Gillette Stadium.</p> 	<p>SEPT 22</p>	<p>PATRIOTS VS. HOUSTON TEXANS Date: Thursday, Sept. 22, 8:25 p.m. Details: The New England Patriots host the Houston Texans in a Thursday Night Football regular season matchup.</p> 
<p>AUG 13</p>	<p>REVOLUTION VS. PHILADELPHIA UNION Date: Saturday, Aug 13, 7:30 p.m. Details: The Revolution host the Philadelphia Union in a MLS regular season match at Gillette Stadium.</p> 	<p>SEPT 24</p>	<p>UMASS VS. MISSISSIPPI STATE FOOTBALL Date: Saturday, Sept. 24, TBD Details: The UMass Minutemen take on Mississippi State in a college football game at Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>AUG 18</p>	<p>PRESEASON: PATRIOTS VS. BEARS Date: Thursday, Aug. 18, 8 p.m. Details: The Patriots host the Chicago Bears in a preseason football game at Gillette Stadium.</p> 	<p>OCT 1</p>	<p>REVOLUTION VS. SPORTING KANSAS CITY Date: Saturday, Oct. 1, 7:30 p.m. Details: The Revolution host Sporting Kansas City in a MLS regular season match at Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>AUG 20</p>	<p>REVOLUTION VS. COLUMBUS CREW Date: Saturday, Aug. 20, 7:30 p.m. Details: The Revolution host the Columbus Crew in a MLS regular season match at Gillette Stadium.</p> 	<p>OCT 2</p>	<p>PATRIOTS VS. BUFFALO BILLS Date: Sunday, Oct. 2, 1 p.m. Details: The New England Patriots host the Buffalo Bills in a regular season matchup at Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>AUG 26</p>	<p>KENNY CHESNEY'S SPREAD THE LOVE TOUR Date: Friday, Aug. 26, 5 p.m. Details: Kenny Chesney brings his Spread The Love Tour to Gillette Stadium with special guests Miranda Lambert, Sam Hunt and Old Dominion.</p> 	<p>OCT 15</p>	<p>UMASS VS. LOUISIANA TECH FOOTBALL Date: Saturday, Oct. 15, TBD Details: The UMass Minutemen take on Louisiana Tech in a college football game at Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>AUG 27</p>	<p>KENNY CHESNEY'S SPREAD THE LOVE TOUR Date: Saturday, Aug. 27, 5 p.m. Details: Kenny Chesney brings his Spread The Love Tour to Gillette Stadium with special guests Miranda Lambert, Sam Hunt and Old Dominion.</p> 	<p>OCT 16</p>	<p>PATRIOTS VS. CINCINNATI BENGALS Date: Sunday, Oct. 16, 1 p.m. Details: The New England Patriots host the Cincinnati Bengals in a regular season matchup at Gillette Stadium.</p> 
<p>SEPT 3</p>	<p>REVOLUTION VS. COLORADO RAPIDS Date: Saturday, Sept. 3, 7:30 p.m. Details: The Revolution host the Colorado Rapids in a MLS regular season match at Gillette Stadium.</p> 	<p>OCT 23</p>	<p>REVOLUTION VS. MONTREAL IMPACT Date: Sunday, Oct. 23, 4 p.m. Details: The New England Revolution host the Montreal Impact in a regular season matchup at Gillette Stadium.</p> 

UPCOMING EVENTS AT Patriot PLACE

AUG 5

SOUNDS OF SUMMER LIVE MUSIC SERIES

Dates: Aug. 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 28

Details: Enjoy live music from the Sounds of Summer stage presented by Moe's Southwest Grill located outside of Splitsville Luxury Lanes featuring talented local artists. Moe's provides the chips and salsa while you listen to the music.



AUG 5

THE COMEDY SCENE AT CBS SCENE

Dates: See calendar below

Details: See top national and regional comedians take the stage in Foxborough. Shows scheduled July through October. For more information and to buy tickets, visit thecomedyscene.club.



AUG 10

SUMMER FLICKS FREE OUTDOOR MOVIES PRESENTED BY MENCHIE'S

Dates: Aug. 10, Aug. 24, Sept. 2, 6 p.m.

Details: Menchie's Frozen Yogurt and Patriot Place invite you to Summer Flicks, a free outdoor movie series featuring family-friendly movies like "Minions," "Finding Nemo," "Star Wars: The Force Awakens" and more. Pre-show entertainment begins on NRG Plaza at 6 p.m.



AUG 22

FIT BY THE FIELD

Schedule: Held weekly (July through August)

Details: Patriot Place is offering free weekly fitness classes for people of all abilities and ages in the shadow of Gillette Stadium. Classes include Yoga (5:30-6:30 p.m.) and Zumba (7-8 p.m.) on Mondays and BMAX on Tuesdays (5:30-6:30 p.m.)



AUG 25

MASS CRUISERS AUTO SHOW - CRUISE NIGHTS 2016

Date: Aug. 25 (every other Thursday through Oct. 27), 4 p.m.

Details: Join the Mass Cruisers Auto Club every other Thursday for free and exciting cruise nights. For more information, visit www.patriot-place.com.



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PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM FUND

PIP Fund Supports FHS DECA Trip to Internationals

The first-year success of Foxborough High School's DECA chapter, a business-oriented student organization, continued to reach impressive feats with five students participating in the DECA International Career Development Conference held in Nashville, Tenn. over April vacation.

The Partners in Patriotism Fund supported the students' participation in the leadership and career development conference by awarding the DECA chapter with a \$7,000 grant to cover the cost of the trip.

"On behalf of all students, I want to personally thank the Partners in Patriotism Fund and the Kraft family for providing us with the generous donation of \$7,000," said FHS business teacher and DECA advisor, Jon McCabe. "The experience and opportunity to attend this conference was truly amazing and I'm sure it will

remain with the students and myself for a longtime."

"Without the Kraft family's contribution, all five of us (students) might not have been able to afford this once-in-a-lifetime experience," said Mackenzie Anderson, FHS DECA chapter president and founder. "I will be forever grateful to the Partners in Patriotism Fund for granting us the ability to go to Nashville for the ICDC [International Career Development Conference]. It is a trip I will never forget."

The international conference brought 18,000 DECA students from around the country together to compete, learn and network in the world of business.

Foxborough was represented by Anderson, Tasneem Bootwala, Christopher Cuniff, Courtney Seeley and Matt Weiss. Bootwala earned a medal



Members of the Partners in Patriotism Fund's Grants Committee present a \$7,000 grant to the FHS DECA Chapter.

for receiving one of the highest scores in the written test portion of the competition.

"It was very exciting to know that on a playing field with kids from all over the world that I can compete on that level and do well,"

said Bootwala, who competed in the Principles of Business Management and Administration category.

DECA is an educational student organization that prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs for careers in marketing, finance,

hospitality and management through a series of competitive events and leadership conferences.

FHS DECA chapter's success in its first year has McCabe expecting a huge influx of participation next year.

Flagpole Dedication

Flag Day had extra meaning in Foxborough on June 14 as a large crowd gathered on the Common to dedicate the Town's new flagpole.

In a testament to Foxborough's community spirit, a group of volunteers led by Jack Authelet, Jim DeVellis, Tina Belanger and Rachel Calabrese set out to replace the 100-year-old flagpole on the Common. After receiving more than 120 donations from the community, including a \$12,000 donation from the Partners in Patriotism Fund, the Town constructed a fiberglass pole that stands more than 100 feet tall.



"This is such a great representation of who we are and what we are as a community," said Authelet. "We have the thrill of being responsible for getting this flagpole up and getting that flag to fly. Long may it wave and long may we stand proud."

The dedication included remarks from Authelet, DeVellis, Selectmen Chair David Feldman, State Rep. Jay



Barrows, Town Manager Bill Keegan, Rev. Bill Dudley and Veterans Committee Chair John Connolly. Foxborough Boy and Girl Scouts recited the Pledge of Allegiance and the Serenading Seniors sang, "God Bless America." The dedication concluded with the crowd, including members of the PIP Fund's Grants Committee (pictured above), collectively cutting the ribbon to the new flagpole.



Founders Day Fireworks

The Partners in Patriotism Fund proudly awarded \$3,000 to the Foxborough Founders Day Committee to help defray the cost of the annual fireworks display that lights up the June sky in town.

DATE OF APPLICATION: _____



Request for Donation

Partners in Patriotism Fund

The Partners in Patriotism (PIP) Fund is a registered nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting Foxborough- based philanthropic and community efforts through monetary donations. The PIP Fund will assist residents of Foxborough through the support of charitable endeavors, as well as through personal financial assistance.

Every line on this form must be completed accurately in order to be eligible for review. Please provide supporting documentation, where appropriate.

CONTACT INFORMATION

NAME OF ORGANIZATION/INDIVIDUAL: _____

NAME OF CONTACT: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ EMAIL: _____

PREFERRED METHOD OF CONTACT: (choose one) PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

AMOUNT OF REQUEST (Be Specific): _____ DATE FUNDING IS NEEDED: _____

REQUEST INFORMATION

Please provide a detailed summary of your request, including estimated expenses (attach additional pages to application if needed): _____

If the donation request is approved, would you be willing to share this news with the local media (e.g. newspaper, online news sites, etc.)? Note, this question has no bearing on whether a donation application is approved.

Yes _____ No _____

By submitting this form to the Partners in Patriotism Fund, you acknowledge that the Partners in Patriotism Fund may request to review and verify certain information, including financial information, with regards to your request.

Mailing address: Partners in Patriotism Fund Attn: Jess Enos, Gillette Stadium, One Patriot Place, Foxborough MA 02035

Or scan and email to: PIPFund@Patriots.com

For more information: www.GilletteStadium.com/Partners-in-Patriotism

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

MOTHER-SON DODGEBALL

DODGE THIS!

Mothers and sons can't dodge the fun in Foxboro Recreation's annual tournament at Gillette Stadium

While there was no dodging the rain on May 13, more than 400 mothers and sons participating in Foxboro Recreation's sixth Mother-Son Dodgeball tournament at Gillette Stadium did their best to duck, dive and dip the barrage of dodgeballs coming their way.

With bragging rights at stake and friendly trash talk displayed on the stadium's video boards, teams of sons were pitted against teams of mothers as the Gillette Stadium turf was transformed into a dodgeball battleground.

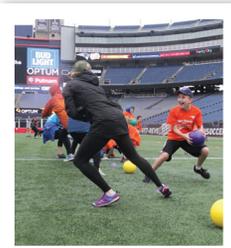
"It may have rained, but that certainly did not dampen the enthusiasm of our participants," said Foxboro Recreation Director Debbie Giardino. "Every game was loud and the atmosphere around the stadium was electric!"

When the last dodgeball hit the ground, the sons team, MightyDuckers, was the last group standing, winning the 2016 tournament.

Giardino thanked the Kraft family for again donating use

of Gillette Stadium to make the event possible.

"Being able to have mothers and sons play dodgeball on the Gillette Stadium field is a gift from the Kraft Group that can never have a price on it," Giardino said. "It's truly a priceless event that creates everlasting memories for everyone who participates. We are so grateful of Robert Kraft's generosity and commitment to Foxborough."



Foxborough Fire hosts Bowl a Strike Against Muscular Dystrophy tourney at Splitsville

Members of the Foxborough Fire Department Professional Fire Fighters Association of Massachusetts Local 2252 raised more than \$19,000 during their inaugural bowling tournament hosted at Splitsville Luxury Lanes at Patriot Place on May 22. Thirty-eight teams from 25 local public safety departments came to "strike out muscular dystrophy" to help the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) find



Patriot Place, YMCA team up for Healthy Kids Day

More than 1,000 people gathered at Patriot Place on May 14 to celebrate health and wellness at the Hockomock Area YMCA's annual Healthy Kids Day. The event encourages children to be active and provides families with fun ways to live healthier lives. Healthy Kids Day is part of the Y's Healthy Kids Future initiative with Stop & Shop, which aims to reduce inactivity and poor nutrition in the community. The day included activities like fitness challenges, obstacle courses, arts and crafts and more. Patriots tackle Nate Solder was on hand to sign autographs for the participants.



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IN THE COMMUNITY

Residents Enjoy 'Awesome' Experience at Supercross

April 23 was a special day for two Foxborough residents, as Mitchell Timmins and Blaine Newhook enjoyed a VIP experience at the Monster Energy AMA Supercross Championship races at Gillette Stadium.

Timmins and Newhook spent the day as guests of the Kraft Group after Timmins won tickets and a VIP track walk experience through a resident giveaway offer found in the Q1 2016 issue of the Partners in Patriotism newsletter.

Timmins and Newhook, both 2014 graduates of Foxborough High School, grew up riding dirt

bikes together and were thrilled to see Supercross in town for its first ever races at Gillette Stadium.

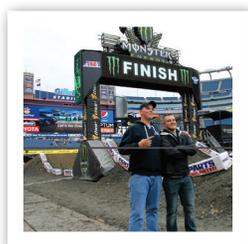
The day was extra special for Newhook, who headed out to boot camp for the Coast Guard a week after the event.

"This is one of the best days of my life," Newhook said. "It's such an awesome experience."

"The track was awesome," added Timmins. "It was the first time I was able to see a Supercross track in person, let alone walk along one."

Following the track walk, Timmins and Newhook walked through the pit party, where they got to see the different bikes and riders working with their mechanics to make final adjustments in advance of the races.

"This event is something we've been waiting years to come to Gillette Stadium," said Newhook. "A huge thank you to the Kraft family for bringing it to Foxborough."



Foxborough residents Mitchell Timmins, left, and Blaine Newhook on the VIP track walk at Supercross on April 23.

DJ Khaled Surprises Resident at Doorstep with Tickets to Beyonce Concert

Foxborough resident Nicole Harrington is a huge DJ Khaled fan, so when she heard he would be the opening act for Beyonce's The Formation World Tour at Gillette Stadium on June 3, she was making plans to attend the show. But she didn't expect to find the DJ at her doorstep hours before the concert with her Zappos delivery in one hand and tickets to the Beyonce show in the other.



Nicole Harrington, left, receives her Zappos order from DJ Khaled at her home in Foxborough hours before the hip-hop star performed at Gillette Stadium.

"I was overjoyed with emotion when I opened the door and saw DJ Khaled," Harrington said. "He gave me a big hug and I knew my day could not get any better than that."

Harrington follows the DJ on social media and learned of the concert sweepstakes through a promotion with Zappos. Hoping to meet the hip-hop star through the promotion, Harrington ordered a pair of running sneakers on Zappos, which Khaled hand-delivered.

ARTS: Foxborough artists win awards at Patriot Place festival

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"Once again, we had an amazing turnout and show of support from the community and surrounding towns," said Kelly Arcacha, district visual arts department head at Foxborough High School. "Many thanks to Patriot Place for hosting the event and providing all of the wonderful family activities throughout the day and a huge thank you to Dr. Victor Leung and Foxboro Dental Associates for generously sponsoring the awards and to Alex & Ani for the beautiful prizes given to each award recipient."



Foxborough students Ana Noriega and Tasneem Bootwala accept their award from Pat Patriot.

Arcacha gave a special shout out to Foxborough High School seniors Lauren Beimler and Kayley Tran for their efforts in planning this year's festival.

"They worked very hard behind the scenes to make this event happen," Arcacha said. "We couldn't have done this event without them."

The following Foxborough artists received Street Painting Festival awards:

2016 Award Winners for Students Grades K-4

1st Place: Eamonn Kelly, Taylor Elementary School

2nd Place: Lydia Stone, Igo Elementary School

3rd Place: Lacey Desantis, Igo Elementary School

2016 Award Winners for Students Grades 9-12

1st Place: Kasi Mammone and Adeline Storrs, Foxborough High School

2nd Place: Ana Noriega and Tasneem Bootwala, Foxborough High School

2016 Award Winners for Adult (19yrs+)

3rd Place: Colleen Schofield, UMass Dartmouth (Foxborough High graduate)

2016 Award Winners for Family

1st Place: David and Mia Michelson (father-daughter team from Foxborough)

2nd Place: Visruth Chavalam (father-son team from Foxborough)

2016 Award for Best Representation of Theme

1st Place: Visruth Chavalam, Burrell Elementary School

2016 People's Choice Awards

3rd Place: Kasi Mammone and Adeline Storrs, Foxborough High School

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RESIDENT PLAYBOOK

WIN A VIP EXPERIENCE TO PATRIOTS TRAINING CAMP

Celebrate the return of football in Foxborough with a VIP experience to a 2016 Patriots Training Camp practice on the fields behind Gillette Stadium.

One lucky winner will receive four VIP passes to Patriots Training Camp to watch practice from the team's VIP tent. After practice, a number of players will sign autographs. The day continues with a tour of Gillette Stadium and four complimentary tickets to The Hall at Patriot Place presented by Raytheon, where you can view a dazzling array of interactive exhibits and artifacts that celebrate football in New England. The Hall's signature exhibit and premier photo opportunity is The Super Bowl Experience, where you can re-live each of the team's four Super Bowl championships, view the Lombardi Trophies and Super Bowl championship rings and re-enact Malcolm Butler's game-winning interception in Super Bowl XLIX.

The experience will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 16. Details on how to enter this exclusive resident offer can be found in the photo caption.

HOW TO WIN



To enter to win this exclusive Foxborough resident experience, please email your name and address with "Resident Playbook" in the subject line to FoxboroResidents@GilletteStadium.com. One winner will be chosen at random and notified via email on Monday, Aug. 15. For rules and regulations, visit www.GilletteStadium.com/Partners-in-Patriotism

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