

UPDATE

News & Insights from League School of Greater Boston

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Best Wishes for a Happy and Healthy 2020!

Thank you for making 2019 a bright year for the League School and its students. League School students have grown socially, emotionally, academically, and behaviorally thanks to your generous gifts of time, talents, and resources. Check out

thank you

some of the special moments of 2019 that you've helped make possible by CLICKING HERE.

A Special Message from a League Parent



Our 15-year-old daughter, Claire, has been at The League School for a little over a year. We had been searching for the right school for her for years and she had many schools and many transitions. But there was always something missing and things I needed to supplement outside of school (Behaviorist, OT, S&L, social skills, art, music).

With League, we have finally found the right FIT and it has been a blessing. All of Claire's needs are being met within the school day and the curriculum. Claire is thriving under the thoughtful care and instruction of an amazing team of



Click Here to see photos from the day

New England Patriot, Duron Harmon, Wows School with Visit and Donation

It was a very exciting day for the League School on December 10, when New England Patriots player, Duron Harmon, and his wife Christine, stopped by League School to speak with the students.

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Student-Focused Admissions Process Helps Ensure Good Fit

The League School's student-focused admissions process helps ensure that the school is a good fit for the student. "We use a comprehensive process to determine if the League School is a good fit for the teachers and staff. She has friends for the first time and she is happy to go to school!

Recently, Claire asked what her new school will be, assuming another transition would be coming. I explained that this is her new school for many years. She happily exclaimed, 'Oh, it's like my new home!'

She is challenged at League. She is nurtured at League. She is being guided into adulthood at League.

She is finally home at League!

Carrie Murphy, Parent

Please consider making a donation to League School. Your gift, at any level, will enable us to continue helping students, like Claire, reach their fullest potential.

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student's needs," said Larry Sauer, the school's Chief Operating Officer.

The school district referral is the first step in a fivestep program to be sure the League School and student are well matched.

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Newest Board Member Committed to Advancing School's Wellness Programs

The League School of Greater Boston recently welcomed new member, Joseph C. Freeman, to its Board of Directors. Joe is a partner with Mark Development and the Manzo Companies, which own and develop mill properties in the greater Boston area.

Joe is interested in students' physical activity and the school's community development programs.

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Legislative Forum Brings Attention to Challenges Facing Special Education

Area legislators, League School supporters, Massachusetts Association of 766 Approved Private Schools (maaps) leaders, and staff gathered on Friday, December 6, to learn about the League School and the challenges facing special educators.

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SAVE THE DATE: Thursday, May 14th



The League School's premier Night of Champions dinner will take place on Thursday, May 14, 2020. Every year, this event showcases the people and organizations who devote time and resources to our school. Held at the Four Points by Sheraton Norwood, the dinner raises critical funds for the school's SAVE THE DATE: Saturday, April 18th



continued progress in helping students with Autism develop to their fullest potential: socially, emotionally, academically, and behaviorally.

Community leaders, friends, parents, and staff members – please mark May 14 on your calendars. In addition to a delicious sit-down dinner, the Gala includes a popular auction.

To learn about becoming a sponsor for this wonderful event <u>CLICK HERE</u>.

Contact <u>Michelle Melanson</u> with questions or for more details.

Mark your calendars – the 7th Annual 5K Walk/ Run for Autism will take place on Saturday, April 18. All proceeds benefit the school and its mission of helping our students.

Walk, run, sponsor, or help out. We hope you can join us. Additional details to follow.

