

HARVARD CLUB OF BOSTON

BULLETIN

JANUARY / FEBRUARY 2018

There's no better place to catch up with good friends and enjoy a specialty cocktail than at the Club.



PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Members,

Happy New Year! This time of year brings to mind resolutions – these might include doing more to give back to the community and improving our fitness in 2018. The Harvard Club of Boston can help with both!



Our “Harvard Club with a Heart” community service initiative had a great start last year. We supported a number of worthy causes, including ArtLifting, a program that connects homeless artists with buyers so the artists can become self-sufficient; the Home for Little Wanderers; Cradles to Crayons; the Pine Street Inn; Cookies for Kids Cancer; Women’s Lunch Place; among others. In December, board member Marcus De Florimonte, along with other Harvard Club members and Boston Police leadership, hosted a group of inner-city youth for lunch at the Club before taking them to a showing of “Black Nativity” at the Paramount Theatre. Watch the Bulletin and the event calendar on our website for community service events in which you can participate.

As for your fitness goals, consider adding Athletics to your Club membership. We have a number of new group fitness classes, including “Band Camp,” which uses resistance bands to build strength and flexibility, as well as some new yoga options. You can also make it a goal to learn how to play squash in 2018. Squash Pro, Sharon Bradey is assisted by our new Assistant Squash Pro, Gavan Hitchenor and either can get you started. It’s a great way to build endurance and have some fun at the same time.

Speaking of resolutions, I ask that you consider making a resolution to bring in one new member to the Club in 2018. If only 10% of you commit to this challenge, we will have nearly 500 new members this year. New members enrich our community and bring new ideas and new energy to the Club. With a larger base of members, we can spread our fixed costs over a bigger group, which helps keep dues increases low. We need your help – last year only 17% (about 75 people) of our new members were referred by a current member. With your help, we’d like to double that amount in 2018!

Finally, I would like to announce the formation of the Harvard Club of Boston Strategic Plan Task Force, led by Board Member Philip Lovejoy, with a diverse group of members. This team has been tasked with developing a five-year strategic plan that outlines priorities for ensuring the future success of the Club. We will be soliciting feedback from all members in the months to come.

As always, I welcome your feedback. Email me at president@harvardclub.com with your thoughts.

Sincerely,

Karen M. Van Winkle '80
President

GENERAL MANAGER'S LETTER

Dear Members,

I would like to personally thank the 1206 members who responded to our 2017 *Harvard Club Service Satisfaction Survey*. Here are the results:



	2016	2017
Super	30%	35.3%
Very Good	55.3%	53.7%
Average	12%	8.9%
Substandard	2%	1.6%
Poor	.07%	.05%
Total	100%	100%

As you can see, there were numerous positive results when comparing this year’s survey to last year’s baseline survey.

- *Super* increased by 5.3% (60 members)
- *Super* and *Very Good* increased from 85% to 89%
- *Super* vs. *Poor* improved from 40:1 to 71:1
- All categories, with the exception of *Super*, had decreases

We continue to invest in our employees, and last month we introduced a new club-wide employee orientation program. We also support ongoing training of our employees, including but not limited to workplace safety, allergy awareness, food handling, alcoholic beverage service, menu knowledge, and service gap recovery, just to name a few. *Super* service is our goal. It is critical that we hear from you when we have not met your expectations!

As always, feel free to contact me directly at scummings@harvardclub.com or 617-450-8400 if I can be of service to you.

Sincerely,

Steven P. Cummings, CCM, CCE
General Manager

HOURS OF OPERATION

HOLIDAY HOURS

Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Monday, January 15, 2018

Both Clubhouses closed.

President's Day, Monday, February 19, 2018

Both Clubhouses closed.

BACK BAY CLUBHOUSE DINING HOURS

Veritas

Breakfast

À La Carte breakfast M–F, 7:00 am–10:30 am

Continental breakfast Sa–Su, 7:00 am–10:00 am

Sunday Brunch 10:00 am–2:00 pm

Lunch

M–F, 11:30 am–2:30 pm

Bar Menu available 2:30 pm–5:00 pm

Dinner

M–Sa, 5:00 pm–9:00 pm

Bar Menu Th–Sa until 10:00 pm

Bar Service

M–W until 10:00 pm, Th–Sa until 11:00 pm

ClubPub

Food Service

Tu–F, 5:00 pm–10:00 pm, Sa, 11:30 am–4:30 pm

Bar Service

M–F, 4:00 pm–10:00 pm, Sa, 11:30 am–4:30 pm

DOWNTOWN CLUBHOUSE DINING HOURS

The Crimson

Breakfast

M–F, 7:00 am–10:00 am

Lunch

M–F, 11:30 am–4:00 pm

Dinner

Beginning January 8, The Crimson will be closed for dinner on Monday nights through February 26.

T–F, 4:00 pm–9:00 pm

Regatta Room

Lunch

M–F, 11:30 am–2:00 pm

ATHLETIC HOURS OF OPERATION

M–Th, 5:00 am–10:00 pm. Locker rooms close at 10:30 pm. Steam and Jacuzzi close at 10:00 pm.

F, 5:00 am–8:00 pm. Locker rooms close at 8:30 pm.

Steam and Jacuzzi close at 8:00 pm.

Sa, 7:00 am–6:00 pm. Locker rooms close at 6:30 pm.

Steam and Jacuzzi close at 6:00 pm.

Su, 8:00 am–4:00 pm. Locker rooms close at 4:30 pm.

Steam and Jacuzzi close at 4:00pm.

CLUB CHRONICLE REMINDER

If you aren't receiving our weekly e-newsletter, let us know and we'll be sure to add you to our distribution list. Or, if you've unsubscribed in the past and have changed your mind, email mboccio@harvardclub.com to resubscribe.

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EVENT RESERVATIONS

Sign up for Club activities at harvardclub.com via **our app**, or the **Calendar of Events** on your Member dashboard, or contact Kristy Burns at 617-450-8493 or kburns@harvardclub.com for events at both at the Back Bay Clubhouse and the Downtown Clubhouse.

*CLUB CHARGE

Any fee or charge imposed by the Harvard Club for meal or beverage service, private functions or use of the Club's facilities, including the Club Charge, pays for regular maintenance and restoration of the Club and other costs incurred by the Club. No fee or charge added to your statement for meal or beverage service, private function or use of the Club facilities is a tip, gratuity or service for wait staff, bartenders or service employees.

CANCELLATION POLICY

To cancel an event reservation, log on to harvardclub.com and select the event you want to cancel from your dashboard. Click the button at the bottom that says "CANCEL RESERVATION." If you need assistance, call 617-450-8493. Unless a cancellation date is specified, cancellations made three business days prior to the event will not be charged. Any cancellations after that deadline will be charged in full.

ATHLETIC WAIVER

All athletics members must submit a signed liability waiver in order to use the Club's athletic facilities. Waivers are available in the Fitness Center or by contacting our Athletic Department Manager, Valerie Phillips, at 617-450-8485.

CLUBHOUSE PHONE NUMBERS

Back Bay Clubhouse
617-536-1260

Downtown Clubhouse
617-542-2070

Cocktail 374

Where Friends Gather

Monday, January 8, 2018
Monday, February 12, 2018
6:00 pm–8:30 pm
Back Bay Clubhouse

You are invited to join us for our monthly cocktail party, Cocktail 374. We've had a tremendous response from our members and their guests regarding this event and hope you can join us again in January and February. Please note this event will now be held on the second Monday of each month.

Price per person: \$15
(plus *Club charge & tax)



Click [here](#) to register for January.

Click [here](#) to register for February.

Full charges will apply for cancellations made within 3 business days of the event.

HAA GLOBAL NETWORKING NIGHT

Tuesday, January 9, 2018
6:00 pm–8:00 pm
Back Bay Clubhouse

Sold out, contact HAA for questions.

The Harvard Alumni Association invites you to join fellow local alumni for a great opportunity to explore and expand your Harvard network. The last Global Networking event drew more than 8,000 alumni in over 100 cities.

Who is eligible to participate?

This event is open to Harvard alumni, students, and faculty. Guests are welcome. No recruiters or external companies please.

How much does it cost?

Event attendance is free at most locations. Food and beverage may be available for purchase.

CONTACT

Harvard Alumni Association Clubs & Shared Interest Groups
clubs@harvard.edu
617-495-3070 (or toll free: 800-654-6494)

Click [here](#) to register.

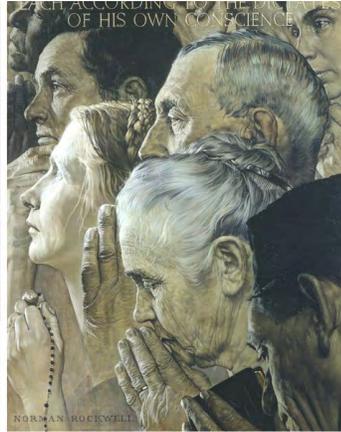
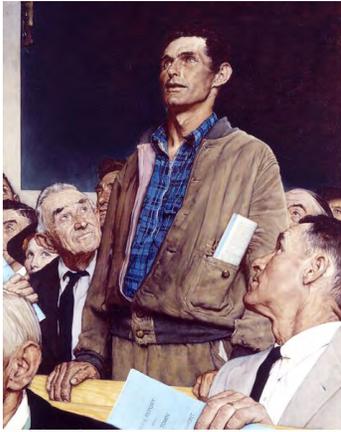
TRIVIA NIGHT

Wednesday, January 10, 2018
Wednesday, February 14, 2018
6:00 pm–8:00 pm
Downtown Clubhouse

Enjoy pub food and mingling while playing trivia with friends and fellow members. Prizes will be given to the first place team winners. Light hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar will be available.

Click [here](#) to register for January.
Click [here](#) to register for February.

NORMAN ROCKWELL "FOUR FREEDOMS" DISCUSSION



Thursday, January 11, 2018

6:15 pm–8:15 pm

7:00 pm Reception

7:30 pm Lecture

Back Bay Clubhouse

Join Director/CEO of Norman Rockwell Museum, Laurie Norton Moffatt, as she discusses today's relevance of Norman Rockwell's iconic *Four Freedoms* masterpieces. *Freedom of Speech, Freedom of Worship, Freedom from Want, and Freedom from Fear* will travel across the country, and around the world, for the first time in decades, as part of Norman Rockwell Museum's exhibition, *Enduring Ideals: Rockwell, Roosevelt & the Four Freedoms*.

We hope you can join Laurie and the Museum for this exciting event before the paintings head off on their journey in May to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the end of World War II.

Price per person: \$15 (plus *Club charge and tax)

Light refreshments and a cash bar will be available.

Click [here](#) to register.

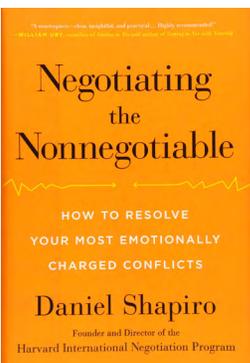
PUBLIC POLICY BOOK DISCUSSION

Friday, January 12, 2018

8:00 am–9:00 am

Downtown Clubhouse

Our Book Discussion Group addresses public policy, business, and economics issues. Our January selection is *Negotiating the Nonnegotiable: How to Resolve Your Most Emotionally Charged Conflicts* by Daniel Shapiro.

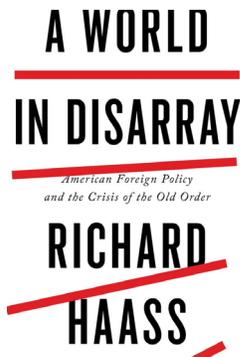


"Appealing to rationality isn't always the best way to mend a rift; instead, both parties in a negotiation have to be willing to get in touch with the conflict's more emotional underpinnings. In his book, *Negotiating the Nonnegotiable*, Shapiro shares the strategies he's used to help people in all kinds of settings access the core emotions driving their conflicts and reach mutually beneficial resolutions." —*Business Insider*.

Optional à la carte breakfast service will be available in the Crimson Pub starting at 7:00 am.

Registration is optional for this complimentary event.

Click [here](#) to register.



Friday, February 9, 2018

8:00 am–9:00 am

Downtown Clubhouse

Our February selection is *A World in Disarray: American Foreign Policy and the Crisis of the Old Order* by Richard Haass.

"A must-read for the new American president and all who are concerned by the state of the world and the prospect of things getting worse. Richard Haass takes the reader galloping through the last four centuries of history to explain how we got to where we are, and then offers an insightful and strategically coherent approach to coping with and managing the challenges before us. Practical and provocative: a book that sets the policy table." — Robert M. Gates

Optional à la carte breakfast service will be available in the Crimson Pub starting at 7:00 am.

Registration is optional for this complimentary event.

Click [here](#) to register.



Tuesday, January 23, 2018
6:00 pm–8:00 pm
Downtown Clubhouse

Come celebrate the life and poetry of the poet Robert Burns, the author of many Scottish poems. Enjoy a three-course whiskey dinner along with traditional music.

Price per person: \$85 (plus *Club charge and tax)
 Includes a three-course meal and whiskey tasting.

Click [here](#) to register.

NEW YEAR'S DAY BRUNCH

BACK BAY CLUBHOUSE
JAN. 1 | 10 am–2 pm



We'll have a special à la carte brunch menu and will be serving New Year's Day cocktails – the perfect start to 2018.

Reservations required,
 please call 617-536-1260.



The 2018 MFS Boston Pro-Am Doubles Squash Championships

Wednesday, January 3 to Sunday, January 7, 2018
Back Bay Clubhouse, Athletics Department

We are thrilled to announce the Harvard Club is a venue for the 2018 MFS Boston Pro-Am Doubles Squash Championships. Presented by MFS Investment Management, this event plays a prominent role in the North American Doubles calendar.

Come see Harvard University's Amanda Sobhy and Sabrina Sobhy in this premier Doubles Tournament.

For information to play in the Pro-Am, contact our Head Squash Professional, Sharon Bradey at sbradey@harvardclub.com or 617-450-8481.

To financially support this tournament or learn about volunteering and assisting with tournament operations, contact our Athletic Department Manager, Valerie Phillips at vphillips@harvardclub.com or 617-450-8485.

THURGOOD COMES TO HARVARD HALL



Actor Johnny Lee Davenport

Wednesday, January 24, 2018

7:00 pm Reception

7:30 pm Performance

9:00 pm Dessert & Coffee

Back Bay Clubhouse

New Repertory Theater's highly acclaimed production of *Thurgood*, starring the Eliot Norton Award-winning actor Johnny Lee Davenport in the role of the brilliant US Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall, is coming to Harvard Hall. A 12-season veteran of Boston's Shakespeare & Company, Mr. Davenport has appeared in more than 110 plays in the US and abroad. Reviews of his dramatic performance as our nation's first African-American member of the US Supreme Court have been extraordinary.

"Davenport has the kind of ineffable stage presence that can't be adequately described but needs to be experienced. His impact in live performance can be more directly traced to the way Davenport seems alive in every moment of a play and alert to exploring every possible corner of the characters he plays, including, crucially, their humor. However serious the subject, Davenport seldom succumbs to solemnity. His Thurgood Marshall is every inch the happy warrior, although the ideals that animated



Thurgood Marshall, circa 1955

Marshall also shine through in Davenport's passionate portrayal." – *Boston Globe*

Members are welcome to invite guests of all ages; teens and older recommended.

Price per person: \$30 (plus *Club charge & tax) includes performance, dessert and coffee.

Cancellation date is January 21, 2018.

Click [here](#) to register.

DO YOU WANT TO JOIN A CORPORATE BOARD?

Monday, January 22, 2018

6:30 pm Reception

7:00 pm Lecture

Back Bay Clubhouse

Topic: Corporate and Mutual Fund Boards: Responsibilities, Composition and Recruitment of Members

Our guest Pat Flynn will lead this session with an overview of the roles and responsibilities of corporate and mutual fund boards, including committee structures, time commitment, compensation, liabilities, and retirement age. A review of the characteristics of the individuals serving as corporate directors and as mutual fund trustees will follow, along with highlights of trends and the current "wish list" corporate directors have for new recruits to their boards. Recruitment methods, databases, and materials to help board candidates prepare for their interviews will be discussed.

Pat Flynn has served on corporate and mutual fund boards for over 20 years. Her current public and community service includes membership on the Board of Governors of the Innovation Institute of the Massachusetts Technology Collaborative (MTC) where she chairs the Advisory Committee that oversees MTC's annual publication of the Index of the MA Innovation Economy. She is also a member of the Massachusetts Business Roundtable, the MA Taxpayers Foundation, the Advisory Council of NACD/New England, and the Governance Committee of New England Baptist Hospital.



Registration is required for this complimentary event.

Click [here](#) to register.



BREAKFAST CLUB AT THE DOWNTOWN CLUBHOUSE

You know you're more productive all day when you have a good breakfast, so join the Breakfast Club for the month of January, come into The Crimson and get a month's worth of breakfasts for \$49.

You can come into the Downtown Clubhouse, present your breakfast club card and receive the meal of your choice from our breakfast menu.

Ready to join? See one of our staff to purchase your Breakfast Club membership card. For more information, contact Carol Bliss at 617-450-8462 or cbliss@harvardclub.com.

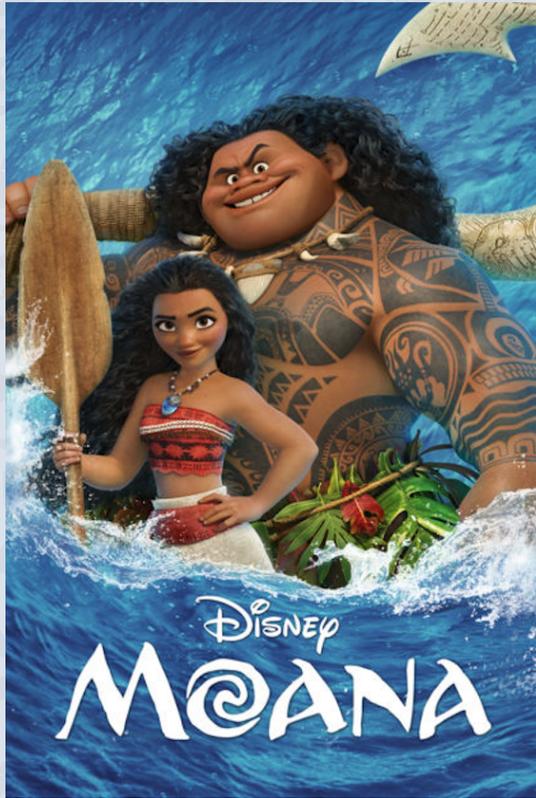
SHOE SHINE

Come by the Downtown Clubhouse for our complimentary shoe shining service.

Wednesday, January 24
Wednesday, February 14
11:30 am to 2:30 pm

For more information, contact Jocelyn Driscoll at 617-450-8470 or jdriscoll@harvardclub.com.

Members only please.



FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, January 26, 2018
6:00 pm Movie Viewing
Back Bay Clubhouse

Join us at the Back Bay Clubhouse for a winter luau. We will have comfortable chairs, fires blazing and decorations to get you in the spirit.

A complimentary popcorn and candy bar will be available. Bento box dinners will be available for purchase.

Click [here](#) to register.



-MEMBER- Mixer

Tuesday, January 30, 2018
Tuesday, February 27, 2018
5:30 pm–7:30 pm
Downtown Clubhouse

Join us for Member Mixer, a fun evening of mingling and networking. Our chefs will offer delicious complimentary appetizers from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm.

Regular dinner service will be available until 9:00 pm. Parking in the One Federal Street Garage after 5:00 pm is only \$9.00 for the entire evening.

Click [here](#) to register for January.
Click [here](#) to register for February.



BOSTON CELTICS VS. NEW YORK KNICKS

Wednesday, January 31, 2018
8:00 pm Game Time
TD Garden

Sold out, waitlist available.

The Downtown Club has your tickets to some thrilling Boston Celtics basketball. Seats are located in the loge.

Price per ticket: \$110 includes parking in the One Federal Street Garage.

Click [here](#) to register.



CONVERSATIONS WITH KATHERINE CRAVEN

Thursday, January 25, 2018

6:30 pm Registration

7:00 pm Dinner

Back Bay Clubhouse

Join us for what promises to be a rousing, enlightening conversation with Katherine Craven Kryzanski. Katherine has spent over 20 years in government and higher education. Described as the consummate public servant, honest, ethical and devoted to striving for excellence in government and administration, Katherine has a highly regarded approach to team building and community engagement. Named in 2014 by the Northeast Women in Public Finance as a “Trailblazing Woman in Public Finance,” Katherine has broken numerous glass ceilings for women in government and public finance in her roles as the founding Executive Director for the Massachusetts School Building Authority, First Deputy State Treasurer of the Commonwealth, and Executive Director for the University of Massachusetts Building Authority. The Club is honored to count her among our Board members.

After graduating from Boston Latin School and Harvard College, Katherine assisted in the writing and development of ten balanced annual state budgets, both



at the Massachusetts House Ways and Means Committee and as the policy director for the Speaker of the House of Representatives, where she focused on health care, debt portfolio management, tax policy, the implementation of the state’s “Rainy Day Fund” and educational spending policy. Subsequently, as the founding executive director of the Massachusetts School Building Authority, she oversaw an outlay of \$11 billion spending on K-12 school construction.

Price per person: \$36 (plus *Club charge & tax) includes three-course plated dinner. A cash bar will be available.

Click **here** to register.

GINGERBREAD HOUSE WORKSHOP



HARVARD CLUB WITH A HEART

Dear Members,

As President of the Club, I am particularly proud of the Harvard Club with a Heart initiative. I would like to thank all our members and staff who organized and supported our efforts over this past year. This program allows the Harvard Club to seek out and develop unique opportunities to give back to our community, through service, goods or monetary donations. I look forward to making this program even more robust in 2018.

Warmly,

Zoe Van Winkle



HARVARD CLUB WITH A HEART



Our Cookies for Kids Cancer event raised \$9,245 will be matched by another donor, bringing the total to \$18,490. Funds raised support critically-needed childhood cancer research.



Former Boston Celtic and sobriety advocate Chris Herren joined us to share his journey to recovery and insight into the opioid crisis.



We hosted an event for ArtLifting, a program connecting homeless artists with buyers so the artists can become self-sufficient.



Our staff organized a food drive for the Pine Street Inn to help bring much needed supplies to the homeless.



Our chefs participated in Feast with 45 at Fenway Park, which benefited the Pedro Martinez Charity, which works with underprivileged children.



Boston Police Department Chief William Gross with kids from the Police Athletic League attended a lunch hosted at the Club by members Marcus DeFlorimonte, Jocelyn Carter, Larry DiCara, John Sims, Chris Clevel and Michael Cronin.



Our staff participated in The Home for Little Wanderers Big Wishes Gift Drive, providing gifts to local families.



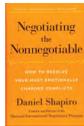
We participated in the Pie in the Sky Thanksgiving bake sale, with proceeds providing meals to critically ill and homebound in Massachusetts.



Our staff volunteered at Women's Lunch Place, a day shelter serving homeless women in the Greater Boston area.

JANUARY

Don't miss out – visit the member calendar at www.harvardclub.com for more information about these events and to register.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	<p>NEW YEAR'S DAY</p> <p>Back Bay Clubhouse open for brunch. Downtown Clubhouse closed. Athletics open 9:00 am to 12:30 pm.</p>		<p>Pro-Am Doubles Squash Championships</p> 	<p>Pro-Am Doubles Squash Championships</p> 	<p>Pro-Am Doubles Squash Championships</p> 	<p>Pro-Am Doubles Squash Championships</p> 
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<p>Pro-Am Doubles Squash Championships</p> 	<p>Cocktail 374</p> 	<p>HAA Global Networking Night</p>	<p>Trivia Night</p> 	<p>Norman Rockwell Exhibit</p> 	<p>Public Policy Book Discussion</p> 	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	<p>MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY</p> <p>Both Clubhouses Closed.</p>	<p>EndZone Lunch Series</p> 				
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	<p>Do you want to join a corporate board?</p>	<p>Burns Supper</p>  <p>Robbie Burns Supper</p>	<p>Thurgood Comes to Harvard Hall</p> 	<p>Conversations with... Katherine Craven Kryzanski</p>	<p>Family Movie Night</p> 	
28	29	30	31			
		<p>Member Mixer</p> 	<p>Celtics vs. Knicks</p> 			

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FEBRUARY

Don't miss out – visit the member calendar at www.harvardclub.com for more information about these events and to register.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5 Technology Night 	6	7 Conversations with... Kathryn Sikkink	8 Author Series with Niall Ferguson & Albert Laszlo-Barabasi	9 Public Policy Book Discussion A WORLD IN DISARRAY <small>and the Crisis of the 21st Century</small> RICHARD HAASS	10 Puppet Showcase Theater
11	12 Cocktail 374 	13	14 Trivia Night 	15	16	17
18	19 PRESIDENT'S DAY Both Clubhouses Closed.	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Member Mixer 	27 Harpoon Beer Dinner 	28			

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HOST AN EVENT AT THE HARVARD CLUB AND MEET YOUR QUARTERLY MINIMUM



From January to May 2018, host a private event or your next business meeting with us, and all food and beverage event purchases charged to your member account will be applied to your quarterly minimum.*

There's no better place than the Harvard Club to have a special family event. The breathtaking views, superior service and food quality will impress your business associates.

For more information, please contact:

Back Bay Club
617-450-4446
cateringbbc@harvardclub.com

Downtown Clubhouse
617-450-8484
cateringdtc@harvardclub.com

**Food and beverage charges will apply only to minimum requirements for the quarter in which the event is held.*



NEW ATHLETICS CLASS: STRENGTH AND MOBILITY



Looking for a new athletics class to recharge your exercise plan? We're offering a new group exercise class called Strength and Mobility on Monday nights at 6:30 pm. This class uses contemporary yoga, while integrating exercises from many different modalities, including body weight exercise, functional strength and martial arts, as well as agility training.

This new class will be taught by personal trainer Sara Weber, who has a background in flexibility, yoga, running, nutrition, behavioral change and strength training. Sara is an American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM) Certified Personal Trainer, holds a BS in Biology from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and an MBA from Harvard Business School.

2018 CLASS UPDATES

- Beginning January 2018, we will no longer offer yoga for athletes on Sundays.
- We have added Yoga for all levels as a class on Saturday mornings at 10:30 am.
- The spin class currently held on Saturdays at 9:30 am will now start at 9:15 am.



Thank you for your generous contributions to our 4th Annual *Cookies for Kids' Cancer* Charity Event. We raised \$9,245.00 and this amount will be matched by the OXO Company, bringing the total contribution to \$18,490.00.

All funds raised will support critically needed childhood cancer research to find less toxic, more effective treatments for kids. Thanks for being a good cookie!

AUTHOR SERIES WITH NIALL FERGUSON AND ALBERT LASZLO-BARABASI

Thursday, February 8, 2018

6:30 pm Registration & Reception

7:00 pm Discussion followed by Q&A and Book Signing
Back Bay Clubhouse

Please join us as we host a special evening with renowned historian Niall Ferguson and the nation's foremost network science expert Albert-Laszlo Barabasi. In his most recent book, *The Square and the Tower* Ferguson applies lessons from Barabasi's pioneering work in network science to the domain of historical analysis, drawing insights from a wide range of fascinating examples across past decades and centuries, with important implications for current affairs.

Ferguson is a senior fellow at the Hoover Institution at Stanford University, former Laurence A. Tisch Professor of History at Harvard University, and current senior fellow at the Center for European Studies at Harvard, a visiting professor at Tsinghua University, Beijing, and founder and managing director of the advisory firm Greenmantle LLC.

Albert-Laszlo Barabasi is the Robert Gray Dodge Professor of Network Science and a Distinguished University Professor at Northeastern University, where he directs the Center for Complex Network Research.



Niall Ferguson

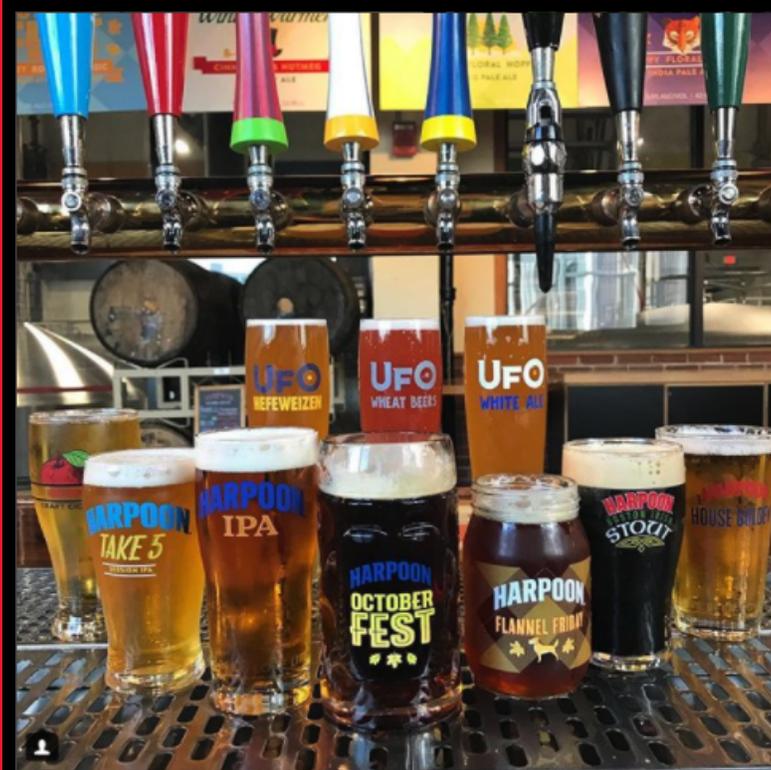


Albert Laszlo-Barabasi

He holds appointments in the Departments of Physics and College of Computer and Information Science, as well as in the Department of Medicine at Harvard Medical School and Brigham & Women Hospital in the Channing Division of Network Science, and is a member of the Center for Cancer Systems Biology at Dana Farber Cancer Institute.

Registration is required for this complimentary event.

Click [here](#) to register.



HARPOON BEER DINNER



SAVE THE DATE

Wednesday, February 28, 2018

6:45 pm Reception

7:00 pm Dinner

Back Bay Clubhouse

Click [here](#) to register.

2017 ROBERT BANKER CUP RESULTS



Congratulations to all players who participated in the 2017 Robert Banker Cup. The event started in September and ran for nine weeks. Three draws and 38 matches later, we ended the tournament on November 19 with some fantastic matches. Robert Banker, members and guests enjoyed a great day of doubles squash.

The Robert Banker Cup Committee would like to thank all who played and helped throughout the event. We look forward to seeing you all again in 10 months when we start the 12th Annual Robert Banker Cup.



Main Draw

Rick McMullen and David Hybels defeat Charlie Cornish and Bill Colehower, 15 to 14, in the 5th round. Epic match.

Consolation Draw

Nick Iselin and Mark King defeat Mat Sibble and Doreen Ho, 3 to 1.

Plate Draw

Spencer Platt and Jackie Rosenthal defeat David Little and David Lawrence, 3 to 0.

CHEF'S CORNER



When cooking at home, and at the Club, we all tend to gravitate toward heartier warm seasonal dishes. This winter, we are offering a few new dining events along that theme. In Veritas, **Wednesday, January 10 and 24**, we'll host Warm Up with Italian Nights, featuring house-made pasta dishes including a bolognese and shrimp scampi with fresh linguini. We'll also serve other classics like eggplant rollatini and antipasto platters. Our fresh pasta dishes will be paired with Italian wines.

Also in Veritas, Chef Adam Burnham will host a Chef's Table tasting in the Back Bay Wine Room on **Wednesday, January 17** and **Wednesday, February 21**. Adam will walk you through his five-course menu (\$65) with a focus on some of his own seasonal favorites.

At the Downtown Clubhouse, Chef Burt Jenness and Chef Sean Farrell will introduce a new winter menu, including a new small plates menu. Dinner options will include seared Atlantic salmon with a shrimp mussel fumet, a crispy duck with duck confit and a statler chicken with chestnut puree, Napa cabbage and parsnips. The additions to the small plates menu include steak and lobster tostadas, a gluten free sautéed spinach, boursin cheese, lemon and fried garlic flatbread, a handmade dumpling du jour, a mezze plate with baba ghanoush, mixed olives and hummus and shrimp tempura.

For reservations, call 617-536-1260 for the Back Bay Clubhouse or 617-542-2070 for the Downtown Clubhouse.

As always, we look forward to seeing you at the Club.



Tuesday, January 16, 2018
12:00 pm–2:00 pm
Downtown Clubhouse

Have lunch with former NFL player Troy Brown. Members and guests who attend this series will have the chance to discuss and analyze past week's games on film along with discussing other relevant NFL topics.



Price per person: \$25 (plus *Club charge & tax) includes lunch buffet and non-alcoholic beverages.

Click [here](#) to register.



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Contact Jocelyn Driscoll at jdriscoll@harvardclub.com for more information or if you would like to start a group with a topic of your own.

INN AT THE HARVARD CLUB WINTER PACKAGES

The Harvard Club is your home away from home in the heart of the city. Enjoy the convenience of staying at the Club with easy access to popular destinations like Newbury Street or the Boston Symphony Hall and take advantage of our two winter offers:

Winter Room Rate of \$199

For the months of January and February, we're offering members a winter rate of \$199 per night.*

Stay & Dine Room Rate of \$249

For the months of January and February, stay at the Club with a room rate of \$249 per night, which includes one overnight stay and dinner for two in Veritas. In honor of Valentine's Day, for the entire week of February 12, room amenities can be added to help you and your valentine celebrate, including fresh flowers, chocolate-covered strawberries and champagne.**

**Plus tax. **Amenities fees apply. This rate applies to standard rooms and is good for new bookings only. Based on availability. Please mention this offer when making your reservation.*

STAFF PROFILE AND UPDATE



Our Inn at the Harvard Club Rooms and Member Services Director, Patrick Laxton, joined us in October of 2016 from the Hyatt Regency Boston Harbor and has extensive experience in hospitality. He has held positions at the Fairmont Copley Plaza, The Fairmont Chateau Whistler and with Holland America Cruise Line.

A year ago, Patrick told us that becoming a part of the Harvard Club staff has been wonderful and that the members and the board have been so welcoming, and that he felt like family right away. On that note, we are thrilled to announce that Patrick has expanded his own family as he and his wife, Hayley, welcomed a baby boy, Liam Adamson Laxton, on October 16, 2017. Mother, father and baby are all doing well and look forward to sharing their first holiday season together. Please join us in congratulating the Laxton Family.



Through our Harvard Club with a Heart Initiative, the Club supports worthwhile community organizations. Our chefs were fortunate to be invited once again to participate in the annual Rodman for Kids Charity event on December 2. Several members of our culinary team, along with 71 other of Boston chefs, prepared dishes for the event at the World Trade Center, Seaport Hotel.

More than 2,300 guests were served and helped raise \$1.2 million for at risk and less fortunate children across Massachusetts. Our team served an Asian glazed beef shortrib, coconut and red curry squash puree, and jicama slaw to rave reviews.

CONVERSATIONS WITH KATHRYN SIKKINK

Wednesday, February 7, 2018
6:30 pm
7:00 pm Dinner
Back Bay Clubhouse



Kathryn Sikkink is the Carol K. Pforzheimer Professor at the Radcliffe Institute, and Ryan Family Professor of Human Rights Policy at Harvard Kennedy School. She is a political scientist working in the area of international relations, particularly human rights issues. Her books include *The Justice Cascade: How Human Rights Prosecutions Are Changing World Politics*, which won the Robert F. Kennedy Book Award and the WOLA-Duke Book Award for Human Rights in Latin America. Her latest book, which provides the topic for our conversation, is *Evidence for Hope: Making Human Rights Work in the 21st Century*.

Price per person: \$36 (plus *Club charge & tax) includes three-course dinner. A cash bar will be available. Charges will apply for cancellations received after February 3, 2018.

Click [here](#) to register.

Attendance is limited to 16.

BRING A GUEST PARKING OFFER



For the months of January and February, invite clients, friends and family for dinner in Veritas and receive a discounted parking fee of just \$10 for each guest's vehicle. Register your guests when you make your dinner reservation and we'll add a \$10 flat fee to your bill. Call 617-536-1260 to make your reservations.

Limited time offer. Valid for unlimited visits to the Back Bay Clubhouse.



Dr. Seuss Happy Birthday Breakfast

Saturday, March 3, 2018
9:00am—11:00am
Back Bay Clubhouse

I meant what I said and I said what I meant. It's Dr. Seuss' birthday, one hundred percent. You could not, would not, want to miss.... a celebration as fun as this. March is the month, the third is the day, 9-11 am is the time.... would you, could you, come and play?

Join us for a breakfast event filled with games and lots of fun.

Price per person: \$30 (plus *Club charge & tax) includes breakfast buffet, games and take-home gift bag.

[Click here](#) to register.



SAVE THE DATE: 110TH ANNUAL MEETING AND DINNER

Thursday, May 10, 2018

5:30 pm Annual Meeting, Aesculapian Room, Full Members Only

6:00 pm Reception & Cocktails in the Massachusetts Room & Foyer, All Members

7:00 pm Dinner in Harvard Hall, All Members
Back Bay Clubhouse

Price per person: \$55 (plus *Club charge & tax)

Cancellation date is Monday, April 3, 2018.

This event is Black Tie Optional.



Wednesday, March 7, 2018

6:30pm - 9:00pm

Downtown Clubhouse

Witness an '80s themed whodunit thriller at the Club for a family friendly night of suspense and crime solving. You'll work in teams to solve the murder that has taken place at the "Poison Ratenstein Concert" while enjoying a three course dinner. Dress in your most righteous '80s concert gear to rock out in style as you solve the crime. A prize will be given to the winning team.

Price per person: \$70 (plus *Club charge & tax) includes three course dinner. Cash bar will be available.

Click [here](#) to register

YOU'LL WISH YOU COULD HAVE FIVE SQUARE MEALS A DAY INSTEAD OF JUST THREE...



We know you love having options when it comes to dining. At the Club, we have five choices for a variety of experiences from light and casual to five-course and fine.

Back Bay Clubhouse

Veritas Dining Room | Elegance with historic charm

Veritas Lounge | Cocktails and our bar menu

ClubPub | Work space all day with pub food served after 5 pm

Downtown Clubhouse

Regatta Room | The ultimate place for a power lunch

The Crimson | Breakfast, lunch or dinner with a great sunset view

We have traditional New England classics to worldly contemporary cuisine, with impeccable and comfortable furnishings to impressive and sweeping views. And to seal the deal, we've also created ambiance that can rev up a romance or toast a birthday. Little did you know that reserving a table holds much more promise than just a time and place.

ELECTED MEMBERS FOR NOVEMBER 2017:

Steven F. Benz, Fletcher	Lonsdale Koester, ks'05
Bridget Bohlin, MIT'19	Venkat Kuppuswamy, gb'11
Dobbin O. Bookman, ph'95, gb'02	Pia C. Kurkuvelos '12
Noah J. Burhance '20	Michael Lackner, exu'13, g'17, css
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James Dessin, exu'12	Lidija M. Ortloff '82
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James Houhoulis '74	Jacqueline Spence, opm
Guillermo Infante, exg'17	Samuel Ward, ks'13
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ASSOCIATE MEMBERS FOR NOVEMBER 2017:

William Barker	Pedro Garcia
Michael R. Brown	Richard Shankman
Steven Frank	Nicole Sobel

DECEASED MEMBERS FOR NOVEMBER 2017:

Marvin Schorr, Y'45,YG'49, 63 year member	Jack E. Robinson, I'85, gb'87, 20 year member
Charles Raffi '48, 58 year member	

REFERRING MEMBERS FOR NOVEMBER 2017:

Thank you to those who have referred new members in November 2017.

Charles L. Brock, I'67, amp	Paul J. Pongor, Faculty
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Charles A. Arena '55, gb'57, 65 year member	Stephen Y. Barrow '58, 40 year member
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Frank J. Wezniak, gb'59, 45 year member	

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