

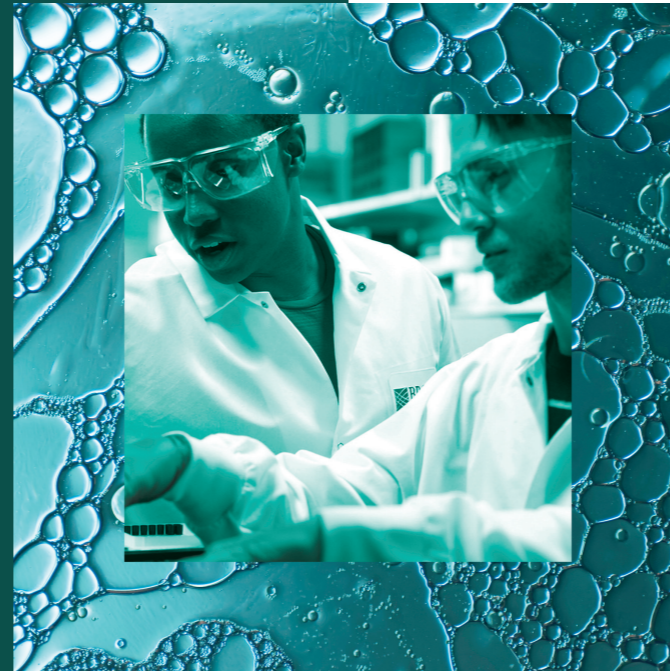
Kendall Square is where science happens, and innovation is born.



For 400 years, innovation is what we're made for. Our long list of landmark developments includes flexible fire hoses, synthetic penicillin, the Apollo 11 navigation system, microwave, Human Genome Project, Roomba, COVID vaccines, and more. Problem-solving innovation is our past, present, and future.

The world works here

In Kendall Square today, we're tackling global challenges in fields from life science to artificial intelligence, climate change, information technology, transportation, and more. Advancing science and tech worlds with creativity, agility, and a dose of audacity.



Kendall is known as a community where we take on big things. And this is a place where great minds can come together with great ideas and make impossible things possible.

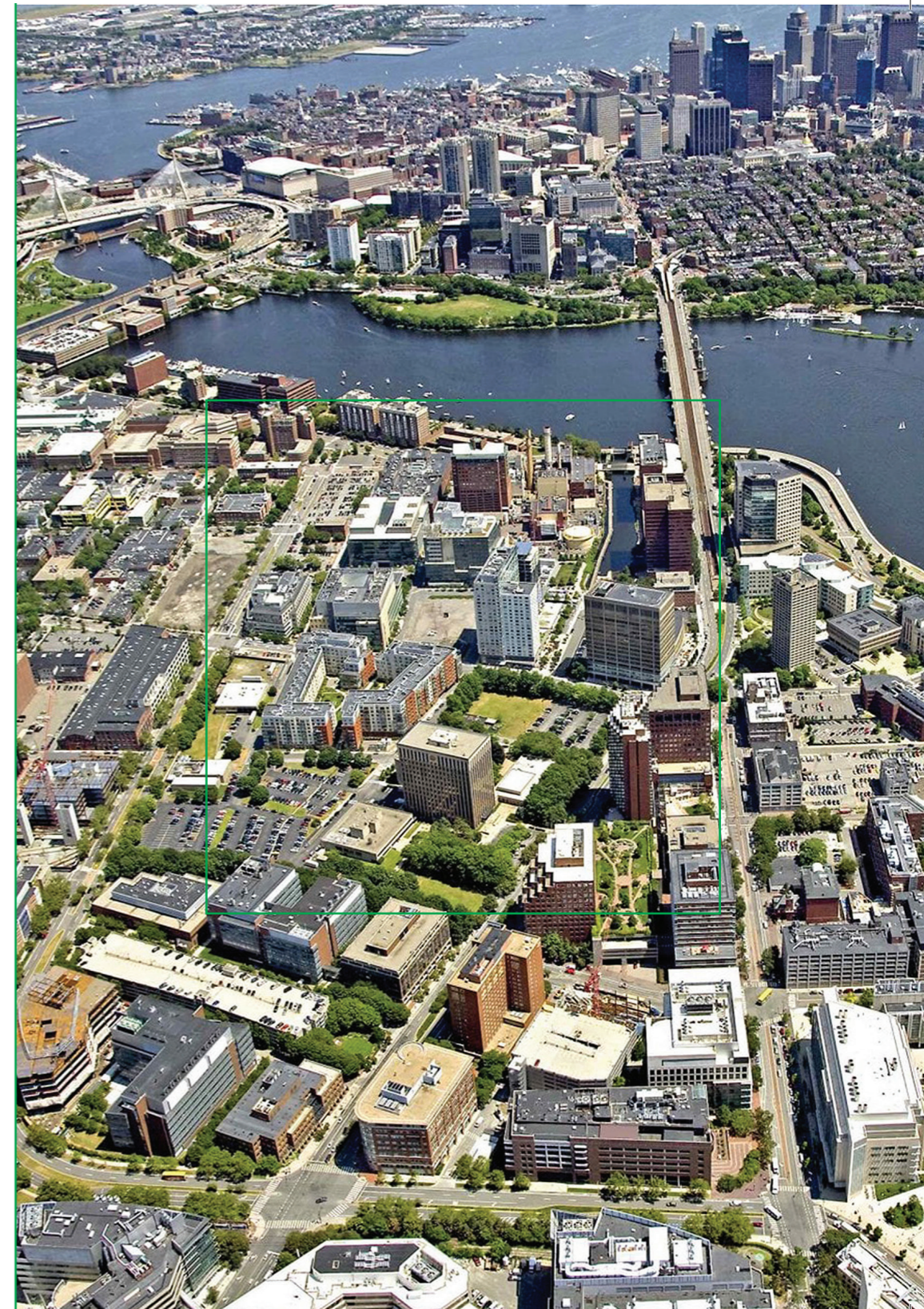
-LEE MCGUIRE
Chief Communications Officer,
Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard



Kendall Square is truly one-of-a-kind. This community's openness to working together, to being challenged, to pursuing something is why it's unparalleled in its contribution to tackling some of the world's biggest health challenges.

-ULI STILZ
Founder and Head,
Novo Nordisk Bio Innovation Hub

Kendall Square is the place to make a positive impact on the world. People and organizations come to work, study, live, and play because here, purpose-driven people and organizations thrive. Together, we lead the world.



KENDALL SQUARE

The world works here. The people and organizations of Kendall Square share a single purpose—improving the human condition.

With energy drawn from a legacy of innovation, excellence, creativity, and collaboration, Kendall Square is a leading global ecosystem committed to solving the challenges of today and tomorrow.

We are KSA. Formed to serve the needs of our members, KSA sustains and fuels the ecosystem by connecting and convening members on topics that matter, amplifying and promoting our members' work, and advocating for a vibrant, sustainable future for all in Kendall Square, and beyond. KSA is essential.

Purpose-driven. Innovative. Vibrant. Collaborative. Welcoming.



Connect & Convene

KSA amps up the bump factor.

In Kendall Square you can meet people from academia, life science, tech, venture capital, startups, and some of the largest corporations in the world.

Through support of our ever-evolving ecosystem, we thoughtfully nurture the connections among people and organizations who care about improving the human condition.

How?

Through our events and programs, including our:

- Annual Meeting Celebration
- Kendall Conversations on: AI, Belonging, Quantum, Sustainability, Transportation and more
- Kendall Square Challenge
- Kendall Tours
- KSA Member Socials and more

Amplify & Promote

When we amplify and promote our members, people and organizations from around the world learn about us, and come to live, work, study or simply meet and collaborate.

We share our members' impact with each other, and with the world.

Learn about your Kendall Square neighbors, their work, and all that's happening here through our weekly newsletter, social media, Kendall Calendar, or our website.



Collaborate & Advocate

Tackling challenges together is essential to our shared future in Kendall Square and beyond.

Transportation, Infrastructure, Housing, Energy, and Vibrancy are all challenges no one member can take on alone.

Working collectively, we make an impact.

We gather data. We listen to our members. We forge relationships with government officials, advocates, and allies in the city, state, and beyond. We develop policies and strategies to support our ever-changing, innovative, and caring ecosystem.

We advocate for Kendall Square.



Become a KSA Member

Membership Benefits

**Connections. Convenings. Amplification.
Promotion. Collaboration. Advocacy, Leadership.**
That's what membership in KSA is about.

Connections & Convenings

We facilitate connections between our members, and convene on topics that matter. Our members become part of something bigger than themselves. Meaningful, fun, and philanthropic, our events include:

- Nine Member Socials
- Six Kendall Conversations
- Five Innovation Tours
- Multiple Professional Peer Meet-ups and community events
- Two Signature Events
 - Kendall Square Challenge
 - Annual Meeting Celebration

Amplification & Promotion

We amplify our members—the work they do, their accomplishments, awards, breakthroughs, contributions, initiatives, and the impact they make on the world. We get the word out through multiple channels, including through our:

- Weekly newsletter, Kendall Now
- Kendall Calendar featuring 1,000+ member-hosted events, from lectures and networking to fitness, farmers' markets, art openings, and more
- Meetings with delegations from around the globe
- Print and broadcast media contacts
- Social media, LinkedIn and Instagram
- Experience Kendall Campaign to attract more people to Kendall Square to work, stay, dine, play, connect, and be inspired.

Collaboration & Advocacy

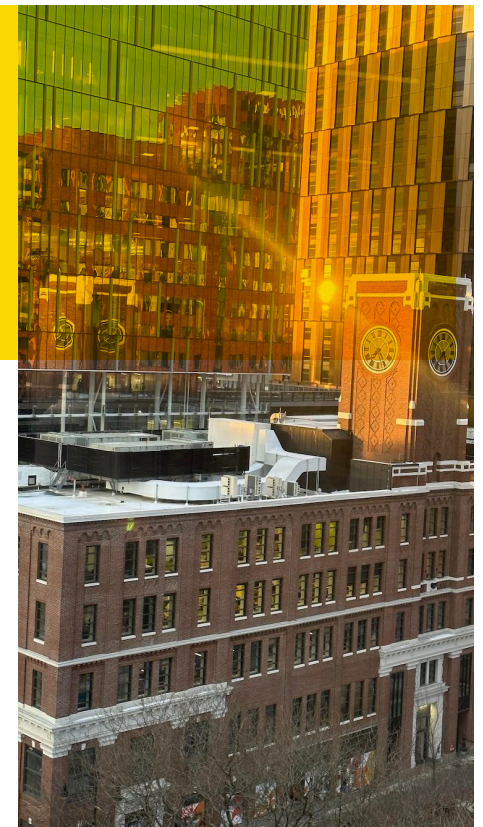
We bring people together, gather data, listen to our members, and identify opportunities for game-changing collaboration. We focus on AI, energy, infrastructure, life science, quantum, or culture, in our evolving innovation ecosystem, working collectively we make an impact. We strive to ensure a vibrant, innovative, sustainable future through:

- Building consensus to foster our ecosystem's economic competitiveness and leadership in the innovation economy
- Advocating with government officials in the city, state, region, and beyond
- Strengthening ties with organizations whose missions align with our ecosystem
- Connecting our members with our neighbors

Leadership & More

Our members have opportunities to shape the future on our Board of Directors, and to lead by serving on the Emerging Leaders Board, and Board Alumni Council.

Additional benefits include a complimentary Innovation or ArtWalk tour customized to each member, and special rates at MassBioHub, MIT Endicott House, and select conferences throughout the year.



Kendall Square is where science happens, and innovation is born.

Purpose-driven people and organizations thrive on our energy and work collaboratively to solve the world's biggest challenges.

When you join KSA, you, your colleagues, and your organization all become part of the Kendall Square ecosystem.

You can count on KSA to bring our ecosystem together, and to advocate for a vibrant, sustainable future for all of us.



When You Join Us

Joining KSA means feeling immediately celebrated and connected.

We look forward to welcoming you with a shout-out in our media channels. From there, we'll announce your awards, and achievements. Share your events, and acquaint you with members of our ecosystem.

Our members' employees are welcome to our events and programs. We encourage all to follow our weekly newsletter—and to follow us on LinkedIn and Instagram—so everyone is sure to know what's going on in Kendall Square.

***If you are a startup or emerging company, join us.**

For more information on dues, startup and emerging company memberships, or sponsorships, please contact:

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2026 Membership Dues

January 1, 2025 - December 31, 2026

Tier 1 \$550

- Local Nonprofits
- *Startups
- Local Restaurant/Retail

Tier 2 \$3,550

- Financial Institutions
- Foreign Consulates
- Government
- Hotels
- Professional Services
- Restaurant/Retail (With 5+ locations)

Tier 3 \$5,920

- Construction
- Incubators
- Research Institutions
- Venture Capital

Tier 4 \$11,780

- *Life Sciences
- Real Estate Managers & Brokers
- *Tech

Tier 5 \$23,700

- Higher Education
- Real Estate Owners & Developers

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DID YOU KNOW?

105 Nobel Prize Laureates come from Kendall Square

KSA Events 2026

The most innovative square mile on the planet.

We connect the Kendall community through fun, meaningful, and philanthropic events.

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Kendall Square Challenge

June 10
(Rain Date: June 11)

Reduced rate for KSA members

Over 50 teams from organizations across Kendall Square gather to compete in a series of physical and mental challenges, all in support of local nonprofits. Then, we celebrate together with a Kendall Square Block Party. Join this event for fun, philanthropy, and community!

KSA Annual Meeting Celebration

Fall (Date TBA)

Free For KSA Members

Celebrate the innovation and creativity of Kendall Square at this signature KSA event. It's an opportunity to honor the success of our innovative solutions to global problems and to strengthen our collaborative community in Kendall Square.

Community Events

Free for KSA and Cambridge community members

Our mission is to bring the community together. Join these free events in fun spaces as we welcome the Cambridge community to Kendall Square.

- SPRING Bike Safety
- FALL Window Painting
- WINTER Ice Skating

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Kendall Tours

Free for KSA Members

Join us for a guided tour of Kendall Square's unique places and history of innovation and transformation. We'll start at noon, and end at a local Kendall restaurant for a quick lunch. Watch for dates in March, May, July, September and November.

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Member Socials

Free for KSA Members

Dates to be announced
Sponsorships available

Casual gatherings in fun Kendall spaces offer a monthly way for members to mix, mingle, and make connections. Our mission is to bring the community together! Join these free events as we welcome the Cambridge community to Kendall Square.



KENDALL SQUARE
ASSOCIATION

Want to know about everything happening in Kendall Square?

Check out the Kendall Calendar and stay up-to-date on events and programs hosted by KSA, and our members. And, subscribe to Kendall Now our weekly newsletter featuring news from around Kendall.



KSA Programs 2026

We connect and convene the community on topics that matter, and we share our stories with you and the world.

Belonging In Kendall

Community Of Practice

Launched in 2024, this series of quarterly meetings for KSA's leaders provides opportunities to connect, share best practices, and address common challenges around belonging.

Government Relations & More

Tackling challenges together is essential to our shared future. We collaborate with government officials, advocates, and allies, gathering data and listening to our members, we share monthly Government Relations Updates, and we develop policies and strategies to support our ever changing, innovative, and caring ecosystem. We advocate for Kendall Square. Working collectively we make an impact.

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Kendall Calendar

Want to know what's happening in Kendall Square? Check the Kendall Calendar. It lists 1,000+ (mostly free) events hosted by the KSA and its members—everything from live music to free fitness, farmers markets, lectures, art tours, wine tastings, special events, and more.

Kendall Cares

Lend a helping hand! Our Kendall Volunteer Opportunity webpage is a gateway to discovering volunteer opportunities with KSA member nonprofits. You can find opportunities that fit your schedule, preferences, and passions, from one-time events to ongoing commitments.

Kendall Conversations

We host Kendall Conversations so our members have the opportunity to engage with thought leaders and one another on topics important to Kendall Square and the world. Past conversations included AI, Kendall Square's transformation into the premier global life science innovation ecosystem, Women in Science, What's Working, and Artemis. Coming up? Quantum and more.

Kendall Green

Kendall Square is a leader in sustainability. Kendall GREEN shares with the world the ways KSA members combat climate change – inside, outside, under, over, and beyond our buildings.

Kendall Now + More

We share our members' stories with you, and with the world through our weekly newsletter, Kendall Now, our social media, Kendall Calendar, and our website. Awards, breakthroughs, restaurant news and more, there are many stories here. Sharing our stories elevates Kendall Square.

Little Libraries

We help people connect through Little Libraries, a collaborative effort started by our members, and supported by all of us. We distribute books each month, and members can host a book drive to fill our libraries with gently used books.

Professional Peer Meetups

Our gatherings allow Kendall members to connect and work collaboratively with their counterparts in similar roles – communications, corporate social responsibility, open space planning and programming, and more.

For more information on

Belonging in Kendall Community of Practice and Kendall Volunteers

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Kendall Calendar, Kendall Now newsletter, and Little Libraries

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Kendall GREEN, Govt. Relations, and Professional Peer Meetups

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2025/26 Members

Our Members

- Alexandria Real Estate Equities
- Alnylam Pharmaceuticals
- Amgen
- Astellas
- AstraZeneca
- Bayer
- Biogen
- BioMed Realty
- BlueRock Therapeutics
- Boston Marriott Cambridge
- BR+A Consulting Engineers
- Bristol Myers Squibb
- Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard
- BXP
- Cambridge Redevelopment Authority
- CIC
- CLPF Cambridge Science
- Center c/o Lincoln Property Company
- Crown Castle
- Cullinan Therapeutics
- DivcoWest
- Draper
- Eastern Bank
- Elkus Manfredi Architects
- Equity Residential
- GE Vernova
- Google
- Graffito SP
- Ipsen
- Jacobs
- Johnson & Johnson
- Jones Lang LaSalle
- LabCentral
- Leggat McCall Properties
- McPhail Associates
- Microsoft
- Mispro
- MIT Investment Management Company
- MIT | Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Moderna
- New England Development
- Novartis
- Novo Nordisk
- Oxford Properties
- Pfizer
- Philips Research North America
- Ragon Institute of MGB, MIT, and Harvard
- Residence Inn Cambridge
- Sanofi
- Siena Construction
- Takeda
- The Bulfinch Companies Inc
- The Charles Hotel
- The Engine
- Turner Construction Company
- US DOT Volpe Center
- Vicinity Energy
- Waters Corporation
- Whitehead Institute

Startups resident at KSA incubators or launch pads are KSA members, they are not listed here due to space constraints.

Our Local Nonprofit Members

- Cambridge Community Foundation
- Cambridge Historical Tours
- Cambridge Office for Tourism
- Cambridge School Volunteers
- Cambridge Volunteers
- CASPAR
- Charles River Conservancy
- East Cambridge Scholarship Fund
- Enroot Education
- Fab Foundation
- Food For Free
- Global Arts Live
- InnerCity Weightlifting
- Innovators for Purpose
- Just-A-Start Corporation
- Kids in Tech
- Life Science Cares
- Massachusetts Science & Engineering Fair
- MassBio
- MassBioEd
- MIT Endicott House
- MIT Museum
- MultiCultural Arts Center
- Museum of Science
- My Brother's Keeper Cambridge
- My Green Lab
- On The Rise
- One8 Applied Learning Hub
- Per Scholas
- Science Club for Girls
- The Gardner School
- The Lab Project
- The Young People's Project

Our Restaurant + Retail Members

- Aceituna Grill
- Al's Cafe
- Amba
- Amelia's Trattoria
- Area Four
- Bakey
- Batifol
- Blue Bottle Coffee
- Bom Dough
- Bon Me
- BRED
- Brothers Marketplace
- Cafe Beatrice
- Cafe Luna
- Cambridge Athletic Club
- Cambridge Spirits
- CanalSide Food + Drink
- Catalyst Restaurant
- Depth N Green
- Desfina Restaurant
- Dig Inn
- Flavor Boom
- First Street Market
- Formaggio Kitchen
- Fuji at Kendall
- Garden Streets
- Geppetto's
- Glass House
- Joint Ventures Physical Therapy
- K-ooop Hair Styling
- Kendall House of Pizza
- Kendall Flower Shop
- Lamplighter Brewing Co.
- Legal Sea Foods
- Life Alive
- Little Luna
- Locke Bar and Restaurant
- Mamaleh's Delicatessen
- Mestizo
- Mex Taqueria & Bar
- Mexcito Street Tacos
- Paddle Boston
- Pagu
- PRB Boulangerie
- Rebelle Bagels
- Row 34
- Shy Bird
- State Park
- Sulmona Restaurant
- Sumaio Hunan Kitchen
- Tap 151 Bar & Grill
- Tatte Bakery & Café
- The Lexington
- Toscanini's Ice Cream
- Tuck's Truffles
- Vester Cafe



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The most
innovative square
mile on the planet.

KSA Sponsorships 2026

We offer organizations the opportunity to sponsor events, programs, and campaigns to advance their game-changing work while building their brand and engaging with the community.



KSA Annual Meeting Celebration

Fall (Date TBA)

Free for KSA members

This celebration is an opportunity to honor the success of our innovation ecosystem in addressing global problems, and to strengthen our collaborative community. All sponsors receive prominent recognition.

Presenting Sponsor

\$20,000

- Opportunity to be a part of the program on stage
- 40 Invitations to share with non-member guests
- All of the benefits listed below

Platinum Sponsor

\$10,000

- Opportunity to address audience from the stage
- Option to add branded giveaways
- 30 Invitations
- All of the benefits listed below

Gold Sponsor

\$5,000

- 20 Invitations
- All of the benefits listed below

Silver Sponsor

\$2,500

- Acknowledgement from the stage
- Prominent recognition in digital media, press releases and event material



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Buy Local

Program Sponsor
\$5,000

Support our local restaurants and keep Kendall Square vibrant and thriving. An investment in our neighborhood is an investment in all of us.

Community Events

Event Sponsor
\$5,000

We welcome everyone in the Cambridge community to Kendall for these events.

Free for KSA and Cambridge community members

ABOUT PROMINENT SPONSOR RECOGNITION

Recognition may include shout-outs during presentations, logos and branding on event materials, KSA will also recognize sponsors in the KSA Calendar, on digital registration pages, on Instagram and LinkedIn plus KSA's weekly newsletter, @KendallNow, which reaches thousands of people in Kendall and beyond.

KSA Sponsorships 2026

Kendall Square Challenge

June 10 (Rain Date: June 11)

Reduced Team Fee for KSA members

An unparalleled day of team building, philanthropy, and friendly competition. Over 500 people from 50+ organizations across Kendall Square gather to compete in a series of physical and mental challenges, all in support of local nonprofits. Then we celebrate victory with a giant block party. Join us for fun, philanthropy and community! All sponsors receive prominent event recognition.

Presenting Sponsor

\$35,000

- Top billing in event materials and physical signage across the event
- Opportunity to host two Challenge missions
- Speak at Kickoff or Block Party
- Nonprofit check presentation with elected officials at Block Party
- Entry of up to 4 teams to compete in the Challenge
- 50 Block Party tickets for employees, guests, friends, and families
- All of the benefits listed below

Platinum Sponsor

\$15,000

- Opportunity to host one Challenge mission
- Nonprofit check presentation with elected officials at Block Party
- Entry of up to 3 teams to compete in the Challenge
- 35 Block Party tickets
- All of the benefits listed below

Gold Sponsor

\$10,000

- Prominent recognition (digital media, press releases, event material)
- Entry for 2 teams to compete in the Challenge
- 20 Block Party tickets

Silver Sponsor

\$5,000

- Prominent recognition (digital media, press releases, event material)
- Entry for 1 team to compete in the Challenge
- 10 Block Party tickets



Member Socials

Free for KSA Members

Event Sponsor
\$2,500

These fun, casual mixers offer KSA members a way to mingle, network, and learn more about their neighbors while sampling food and drinks from local restaurants and bars.