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Kendall Square
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2023 >>> MEMBER EVENTS <<<

To get involved in KSA events and programming, contact hello@kendallsquare.org.

KENDALL SQUARE CHALLENGE
JUNE 14, 2023 (RAIN DATE: JUNE 15, 2023)

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!
>> Reduced rate for KSA members.

15TH KSA ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
OCTOBER 19, 2023

Formerly known as the Annual Meeting, this celebration is an opportunity to honor the success of our innovation ecosystem in pioneering solutions to global problems and building a collaborative community in Kendall Square. Join us!
>> Free for all KSA members.

MEMBER SOCIALS

Casual gatherings in fun, new Kendall spaces offer a way for members to mix and mingle at a local Kendall bar/restaurant/outdoor space on Thursdays between 3:30 - 5:30 PM.
>> Free for all KSA members.

- January 26
- February 23
- March 23
- April 20
- May 18
- June 22
- July 20
- September 21
- November 16
- December 7

KENDALL ORIENTATION

Interactive, virtual gatherings introduce newcomers to Kendall on Fridays at noon. Part guided tour, part history lesson, and a fun way to meet new colleagues from across Kendall in spaces and places you didn't even know existed.
>> Free for all KSA members.

- February 10
- April 7
- June 23
- September 29
- November 3

KENDALL TOURS

Join us for a guided tour of Kendall Square's public spaces, businesses and history of innovation and transformation. We'll end the tour at a local Kendall restaurant for a quick lunch. Happening from 12 - 1 PM.
>> Free for all KSA members.

- March 15
- May 17
- July 12
- October 11

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Casual gatherings in fun, new spaces offer a way for residents, families and the community to access Kendall's vibrancy.
>> Free for all KSA members.

- Free Community Skate @ Canal District Kendall: February 5, 2023, 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
- Summer Community Event: TBD

Be sure to check out KSA's full Event Calendar and subscribe to our weekly newsletter, @KendallNow.

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2023 >>> PROGRAMMING <<<

COMMUNITY IMPACT WORKING GROUP

We bring leaders together to elevate equity, sustainability and corporate engagement in Cambridge, collectively, effectively, and in alignment with community needs. We are launching two new programs in 2023: **Pathways to Kendall** supporting Inclusive Workforce Development by connecting the community with learning and training opportunities in Kendall; and **Kendall GREEN** amplifying our members' innovative approaches to combating climate change, from composting to geothermal—it's all happening here in Kendall Square.

TRANSPORTATION WORKING GROUP

Having grown up along the MBTA Red Line, Kendall is a model for transit-oriented development where major employers and property owners actively support sustainable and practical transportation options. We study transportation, gleaning insight from our members, the MBTA experts, and more.

WORK NOW

Topical meetings connect decision-makers and leaders from companies across Kendall to focus on how we work today, and how to positively shape the workplace now. Together, we learn from experts and one another, sharing ideas and practices that work, and establishing collaborative solutions and benchmarks.

>> Free for all KSA members.

- March 2 ▪ May 25 ▪ September 21 ▪ November 30

INCLUSION DRIVES INNOVATION

Professional development program that focuses on providing foundational learning in anti-discrimination and equity, applying frameworks to organizational systems and culture, and guiding teams through equity-centered organizational action planning. IDI alumni convene regularly to move this essential work forward.   >> Reduced rate for KSA members.

- Spring Course - March 29 through June 7
  (no session on April 19)
- Fall Course - October through December
  (exact dates TBD)