



March 2011



Welcome Bora!

We want to welcome Bora Chlemruom as our new Program Manager. Bora has spent the last 14 years working for non-profit organizations in the Greater Lowell and Boston area. Before joining the WLP, she worked as a provider of shelter and services to women and children affected by domestic violence.

Bora has extensive experience in direct service as well as planning, project management, volunteer management, education, budgeting, staffing, and advocacy work for low-income, immigrants, and women and children populations.

Welcome Suzanne!

We want to welcome Suzanne Lelogeais as our Interim Volunteer Services Coordinator. Suzanne came to the Women's Lunch Place as a kitchen volunteer in January of 2010. In August of that year, she moved into the volunteer office to assist Lisa Caissie with the day-to-day work.



Suzanne is a resident of Cambridge and a mother of two beautiful daughters. Although her main focus has been to raise her daughters, over the years she has worked as a teacher and trained and worked

Upcoming Events

2011 Restaurant Week
Boston® and Auction

March 30th Sara
Campbell GNO

April 7th 16th Annual
Taste of the Back Bay

April 18th Boston
Marathon

*For a complete list of our
upcoming events, be sure to
check our website!*



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as an ecumenical hospital chaplain. She loves the Women's Lunch Place and is so proud to be part of the exciting changes to come!



Executive Director, Sharon Reilly and Chef Joshua

Restaurant Week Boston ®

Once again, the Women's Lunch Place has been selected as the benefiting charity for the upcoming Restaurant Week Boston® March 6th through the 11th and March 13th through the 18th.

Dine out during Restaurant Week and use your American Express card. A portion of your sale will go directly to the Women's Lunch Place up to \$5,000!

BUT WAIT THERE IS MORE!

224 of the participating restaurants also donated a \$100 gift certificate to the RW auction. Starting at 12:00pm on March 6th, the Restaurant Week Boston® auction will go live. All bids start at \$50 and you can bid as many times as you want. The best part is that 100% of the proceeds of the auction go directly to the Women's Lunch Place.

Purchase a gift certificate to enjoy your favorite restaurant again, give your certificate away to a friend, or use it for a gift. All while supporting an amazing cause.

Eat Well. Eat Out. Eat Out Often. And don't forget to Bid Often as well!
For more information check out:

[Restaurant Week Boston®](#)

115th Boston Marathon

67 Newbury Street
Boston, MA 02116
(617) 267-1722

Join the WLP in cheering on our runners, George Higgins and Carrie Hitt, at the upcoming 2011 Boston Marathon to be held on April 18th.

George and Carrie are participating in the marathon as part of the John Hancock Non-Profit Program.

Together our runners are hoping to raise \$10,000 for the Women's Lunch Place. With the approximate raised already at \$4600, there is still a little way to go! Click on this link: [Marathon Donation](#) and choose the Marathon option in the drop down box. Don't forget to write in the block either Carrie or George!

We would like to thank our amazing runners and we wish them the best of success with their training!



Runner Carrie Hitt



Runner George Higgins

2011 WLP Mother's Day Cards

Support the mission of the Women's Lunch Place while honoring the women in your life!

The Women's Lunch Place will start selling our Mother's Day Cards in April.

Just like in the past, this year's card highlights a beautiful piece of artwork specifically created for the Mother's Day card by one of our guests through the Creative Expressions program.



Cards are sold for a suggested donation of \$25. To purchase a card or for more information, please email Jennifer at jenns@womenslunchplace.org



Shelter Hours:
Mon - Sat
7:00am - 2:00pm

Administrative Hours:
Mon - Fri
9:00am - 5:00pm

Share Your Passion

*Are you a volunteer? A donor? A neighbor of the WLP? A friend?
We want to hear from you. And more importantly...we want others to hear from you!*

Follow the link below to provide your story...
[Tell Your Story!](#)

Because we value your voice!

Project Bread's 2011 Walk for Hunger

Are you looking to participate in the upcoming Walk for Hunger as part of the WLP team? Attend the upcoming Team Building Workshop and Kickoff Breakfast on March 24th. For more information go to:

www.projectbread.org/kickoff



The Women's Lunch Place has been serving women and their children who are poor and homeless in the city of Boston for more than 28 years. It is one of the few places where women can find safety, comfort, and sustenance during the day. The WLP provides a nutritious breakfast and lunch as well as social, educational, wellness, and advocacy services six days a week.