



Spring 2025 ROBBINS FARM ALMANAC

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It was a spectacular day for the Classical Concert at the Park on June 8, 2024

Photo by Nan Neville

A Letter from the Friends President

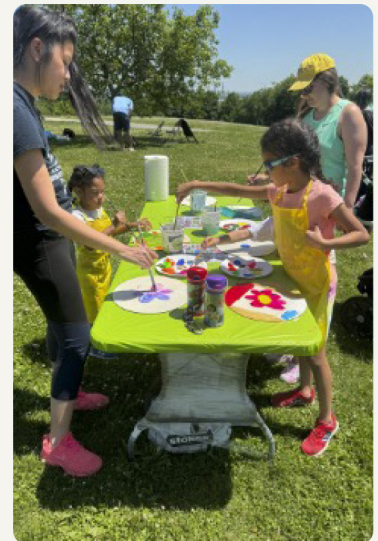
Dear Friends and Neighbors,

2024 was a busy and wonderful year at Robbins Farm Park, highlighted by the grand opening of Arlington's first inclusive playground, built with Universal Design principles. At the November 23rd celebration, a young girl in a wheelchair spinning joyfully on the new carousel reminded us all why this project matters.

The new space has something for everyone—musical features, quiet areas, new trees, and a play structure to discover. It's great to watch even the tiniest kids race up the hill, scale the hoops and boulders, and discover their own path to the new giant concrete slides.

In March, the Arlington Center for the Arts honored the Friends of Robbins Farm Park with the Alan McClennen Community Arts Award, recognizing both our work on the playground and our tradition of free cultural programs—made possible by volunteers and donors.

We are continuing our lively event schedule this year with concerts, a family art activity, spring and fall park cleanups, 4th of July celebration, Movie Night and Field Day. Robbins Farm Park remains a beloved gathering spot, whether it's for watching



Flags & Flowers Art Day



Music in the Playground

night sky events, playing sports, gathering with friends and dogs, or simply enjoying the view of Boston. The Friends of Robbins Farm Park is a volunteer-run organization. If you'd like to help at events or consider joining the board, I'd love to hear from you!

Warmly,

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FORFP 2025 EVENTS

- **May 31:** Robins & Friends Art Day
- **July 4:** 4th of July & Pie Celebration
- **July 19:** Rockin' Robbins Concert - Saklamara
- **July 31:** Jazz Concert - Harvard Alumni Jazz Band
 - **Sep 13:** Movie Night
 - **Oct 18:** Field Day
 - **Nov 8:** Fall Cleanup Day

See FORFP website for the most up-to-date schedule

