



Spring has Sprung!

What do you think of when you "Think Spring?" Do you think of energy, change, and growth? Spring is an appropriate time of year to celebrate a historical milestone - our 40th Anniversary!

We are preparing you an unforgettable party. Amazing auction items come in daily, the seated dinner menu by [Gourmet Caterers](#) is finalized, Musicians [John Keegan & Madhouse](#) are ready to entertain you, and [Tito's Handmade Vodka](#) has perfected their recipe for delicious signature cocktails. Like a bit of variety? [Boston Beer Company](#) will be on hand with different beverage choices. All we need now is YOU!

To commemorate our 40th Anniversary, we have a few surprises up our sleeve. For the first time, [VIP tickets](#) include an exclusive cocktail hour with a gourmet tasting and wine pairings from one of Boston's top chefs! There will be a live and silent auction - remember to pre-register for [online bidding](#) today so you have more time to enjoy the party!

Join us in celebrating this significant chapter and see first-hand how your support made us who we are today.

Do you know someone who might benefit from having a service monkey? Connect us!



The Countdown is On!

Festivale is only 37 days away! Tickets are now on sale. They will sell out fast and not be available at the door. Invite your friends and buy a table. Be sure to let us know your guests' names so we can make them feel special!

Sponsors are vital to the success of our event. We are grateful to our Festivale Silver sponsors Joan K Sexton Foundation and Marilyn Kucharski for helping to make this celebration possible. We look forward to seeing you at Festivale!

Spring Newsletter: Featuring 40 Years of Success

Did you read your Spring Newsletter about our first placement in 1979 with Robert and Hellion and our most recent placement, Brett and Sophie? These remarkable partnerships are a testament to the good work you've allowed us to do over the past 40 years and continue to do at Helping Hands.

Do you want to hear more stories about the human-animal bond? Click here and give us your name and mailing address to start receiving your bi-annual printed newsletter.



Meet Kim and Sampson

Did you know that April 7-13 is National Volunteer Week? We are so grateful for the contributions our volunteers make every day.

Animal Husbandry volunteers, like Kim, play an active role here at The Monkey College. In Monkey Profile #13, you'll learn about Kim, her favorite monkey, Sampson, and what keeps Kim coming back as a volunteer year after year.

Did you miss previous Monkey Profiles? You're in luck! Catch up on all of them here.



We need YOU!

Volunteers are essential to the work we do here at Helping Hands. Their support and dedication allow us to continue to focus on life-changing partnerships.

Do you like working events? Do you enjoy meeting new people? We can use your help at Monkey Helpers' Festivale! Contact us here.



Do you want to play a vital role in caring for the health and well-being of our service monkeys? Learn more about working as an Animal Husbandry volunteer here.

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