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# **Celebrating World Water Day**



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#### Sustainability expert Hap Haven will discuss residential rainwater management.

Posted Thursday, March 21, 2024 12:00 am

In observance of World Water Day on March 22, an event dedicated to raising awareness about the crucial importance of water and the need for its protection, the Chestnut Hill Conservancy is hosting a lecture about sustainable practices for residential rainwater management.

The free lecture, part of the conservancy's Ask the Experts series, is set to feature Hap Haven, a nationally recognized sustainability expert with more than 40 years of experience in home and garden performance. The event, titled "SunHaven Carriage House – A Tour of Rainwater Management Systems," will take place virtually via Zoom on Wednesday, April 10, from 7:00 to 8:30 PM.

Haven's presentation will guide attendees through the SunHaven Carriage House, a century-old stone building in Germantown, showcasing nine innovative rainwater management systems designed to mitigate stormwater runoff. These practical solutions

are tailored for homeowners looking to implement sustainable practices in their properties.

Hap Haven, celebrated for his pioneering work in the sustainability-at-home movement, has facilitated the training of more than 1,000 contractors for Building Performance Institute certifications, earning him a place in the BPI Hall of Fame in 2011. His approach to energy education and his leadership in both for-profit and non-profit sectors have significantly influenced residential sustainability.

The Chestnut Hill Conservancy, in collaboration with the Chestnut Hill Community Association, offers this educational program to emphasize the importance of sustainable landscape care, especially for historic homes. The session is sponsored by Wallace Landscape Associates, along with the conservancy's general and supportive businesses.

The event is free, but registration is required. Attendees can sign up at chconservancy.org/asktheexperts.

For more information or to submit questions in advance, contact Chrissy Clawson, Conservancy Programs and Communications Manager, at chrissy@chconservancy.org.

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# Area crew: boys on the water, girls on the riverbank (/stories/area-crew-boys-on-the-water-girls-on-the-riverbank,31921)

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The regattas that come later in the annual Manny Flick crew series split the schedule between boys' and girls' events. Two weeks ago, all the girls' races were held first, and the boys followed.

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## Autism discussion on April 20 (/stories/autism-discussion-on-april-20,31920)

A panel of experts will discuss the talents and challenges of nonspeaking children and adults with autism at Johnson House Historic Site in Germantown.



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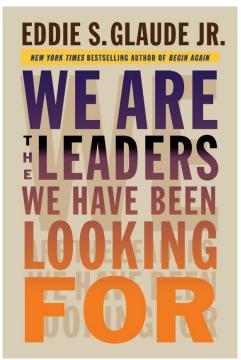
**Rescuing Labrador retrievers from breeder farms to loving families (/stories/rescuing-labrador-retrieversfrom-breeder-farms-to-loving-families,31918)** Imagine life as a breeder dog. If you're lucky, a Brookline Labrador Retriever Rescue volunteer comes along and rescues you.

#### Hitchcock's only comedy, adapted for Allens Lane Theater (/stories/hitchcocks-onlycomedy-adapted-for-allens-lane-theater,31917)

Alfred Hitchcock was known as "the master of suspense," but "The Trouble with Harry" is quite different.



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#### Eddie Glaude Jr. to discuss new book (/stories/eddieglaude-jr-to-discuss-new-book,31916)

Princeton professor and MSNBC commentator Eddie Glaude Jr. will discuss his new book on April 22 at Greene Street Friends.



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