



BOSTON PIPINGS

news and notes for members of Boston Chapter AGO

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Yankees Lead Sox!

More New York City residents have registered for the national convention than have Bostonians. **Strike 1!**

Of course, NYC is huge, most BAGO members live outside Beantown, and the Yankees can always outbid the Red Sox. No swing at this pitch. **Ball 1.**

However, most BAGO members haven't yet registered or volunteered. **Strike 2!**



Paid registrations stand near the financial break-even point of 1500. We likely won't get more people from afar, as by now they'd have booked plane tickets and registration. So, additional registrants must be locals. **Foul Ball.**

Our chapter's unique capabilities have resulted from past convention profits: the Organ Library & Archives and the Special Projects Advisory Committee (SPAC) grants. Will the tradition continue? **Foul Ball.**

An astounding array of events will occur: concerts by world-class artists; playing and improvisation competitions; inspiring worship services; 140 workshops and scholarly paper presentations; 81 exhibitors; Family Day; Youth Day. **Base Hit!**

Enjoy serving guests by assisting with:

- Transportation (Help people into ADA vans, and get a free ride to your destination.)
- Bag stuffing (Visit with other busy bees.)
- Transportation (Where's the "T"?)
- Ushering (Where's the loo?)
- Transportation (Where's the Red Line?)
- Workshop hosting (Please welcome presenter Donald Duck.)
- Transportation (THIS is Hahvahd Squahe?)

Many tasks await your action. Our visitors need you. (Did I mention Transportation?)
Foul Ball.

One of my choir members eagerly signed up to usher two concerts. Base Hit! Your non-AGO friends might do the same, but you must first invite them. **Foul Ball.**

The convention's financial and logistical success now depends on YOU. The time draweth nigh. It's David Ortiz batting . . . two outs . . . bottom of the ninth . . . Sox trailing . . . What's next - the final out or a walk-off win? If YOU step up to the plate: **Home Run! We win!**

Even those Yankee fans will cheer.

- Dan McKinley, BAGO Dean

Register [here](#).

Volunteer [here](#).

Events offered are [here](#).

Support the Convention
[here](#).



On Thursday, June 26, the [Hook and Hastings workshop](#) at Holy Cross Cathedral is in need of a **screen** for the presentation. It would be delivered to the church that morning around 8:30 am and picked up after 12:00. Contact: [Elsa Geskus](#). Thank you.

LIVE MUSIC:

Click [here](#) to go to the calendar. The website calendar now contains 4 months of listings.