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Quarterly Insight into the Progress and Philanthropy of Kraft Sports + Entertainment

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM



COMMUNITY HEROES

The annual Patriots Premiere marks the unofficial start of another football season, bringing the team and community together to celebrate the hard work and positive impact of the Patriots Foundation over the previous year.

After the past 18 months, this year's event had added significance, with the recognition of over 70 frontline workers including nurses, teachers, volunteers and public safety members for all their exemplary work. Among the community heroes honored during this special night was Thomas Kenvin, Public Health Nurse for Foxborough Fire, and Foxborough Police Officer Tyler Sousa.

Kenvin and Sousa enjoyed a red-carpet experience at the Premiere, taking part in a reception, dinner and program under the lights on the Gillette Stadium field.

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Find Partners in Patriotism on Social Media

Find Partners in Patriotism on Twitter and Instagram by following @PIPFoxboro, and on Facebook by liking "Partners in Patriotism." These accounts are dedicated to news and information important to the Foxborough community and provides the

Kraft Group with another way to regularly engage with its neighbors.



A WINNING PARTNERSHIP

Fifty years ago, the Patriots played their first game in Foxborough, forging the foundation of a deep relationship between the team and the town that has strengthened over the years. Now, after a half century here in town and an unprecedented 2020, we kicked off the 19th season at Gillette Stadium, with the return of fans signifying great things to come for our organization and Foxborough.

As we collectively move forward, it feels like an opportunity time to reflect on the financial commitment the Kraft family has made to Foxborough. Since Gillette Stadium opened in 2002, there have been 13 new NFL stadiums built across the country. Of these 13 stadiums, 11 were built with significant contributions from taxpayer dollars. The average public cost per stadium is more than \$350 million, not to mention millions more dollars of public money for renovations. Gillette Stadium is proudly fully financed by the Kraft family, using \$0 in public funding and taxpayer dollars for initial construction or subsequent renovations. Additionally, with consistent eight-figure investments keeping Gillette Stadium on the cutting edge of venue and fan experience, Foxborough and Gillette remain a destination for the country's premier concerts and national and international sporting events.

In addition to the business these events

inevitably draw to Foxborough and the Rt. 1 corridor, the Town receives revenue from every ticketed event at the stadium. For the three fiscal years prior to COVID-19 (2017-19), Foxborough received more than \$8.35 million from all ticketed Gillette Stadium

events through the Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT) agreement between Foxborough and the Kraft Group. The PILOT is paid revenue the Town receives for leasing the land Gillette Stadium occupies to the Kraft Group and is based on each



ticket issued for all stadium events. For special events like concerts and Monster Jam, Foxborough receives \$2.96 per ticket sold. For Patriots and Revolution games, the Town receives \$1.71 per ticket sold. These amounts increase on alternating two and three year intervals based on the Consumer Price Index. The agreement also specifies a guaranteed amount of \$1.48 million paid to Foxborough in years where generated PILOT revenue does not hit that figure (like 2020). Since Gillette Stadium first opened in 2002, Foxborough has become even more of a draw for concerts and other special events, with a 111 percent increase in PILOT revenue, skyrocketing from an average of \$1.4 million per year from 2002-06 to more than \$3 million annually from 2015-19.

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PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

Pats Fans Make Long-Awaited Return to Gillette Stadium

The New England Patriots welcomed a full venue of fans back to Gillette Stadium for the first time since the 2019 postseason, when the Patriots took on the Washington Football Team in a preseason contest on Aug. 12. Exactly one month later, the regular season kicked off as the team took on Miami in the season opener on Sept. 12.

Since the last time we welcomed you to the familiar confines of Gillette Stadium, we've made several site modifications due to the COVID-19 pandemic and upgraded several fan areas to improve the guest experience. Tickets for all Gillette Stadium events are now completely mobile and the venue has gone cashless, with several new touchless features. Most exciting of all, the South End Zone concourse features

renovated concession and ProShop offerings and a new, expanded video display to engage and entertain.

The South End Zone concourse has been transformed into a walk-in food and beverage hub and a ProShop for every fan's team gear needs. The Commons concessions includes two walk-up beverage locations offering a full bar, and a third Marketplace Express has also been added to the space. The new ProShop is the only walk-in style retail location on the concourse, carrying exclusive team merchandise. Additionally, two concession offerings in the concourse now use Zippin technology, giving fans a checkout-free experience where they can zip in and out with their purchases.

Finally, fans looking up from their seats to watch

BY THE NUMBERS

RETURN OF FANS

BY THE NUMBERS

53
DAYS BETWEEN
AFC DIVISIONAL GAME
AND 2021 HOME OPENER

30,000
BUD LIGHT
WELCOME BACK CUPS

65,878

FANS
BACK AT
GILLETTE
STADIUM

WELCOME
BACK
RALLY
TOWELS

70% LARGER
NEW VIDEO BOARD
WITH 11,660 SQ. FEET
OF DIGITAL SPACE



7TH LARGEST VIDEO
DISPLAY IN THE NFL

a replay will enjoy a brand-new, 70-percent larger video display. This new offering features 11,660 square feet of digital space to engage and entertain fans, clocking in at 53 feet high by 220 feet wide. The video display ranks as the

seventh largest in professional football.

While there's been many improvements to Gillette Stadium, the most important one of all is the return of our hometown fans and we've been thrilled to welcome you back!

HEROES: FPD and FFD officers honored at Premiere

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The event featured a panel of Patriots players, speeches by Patriots Chairman and CEO Robert Kraft and Coach Bill Belichick, and a formal recognition of frontline workers, shining a light on the community champions and essential personnel that dedicated countless hours to helping others throughout the COVID-19 pandemic. Kraft personally thanked these heroes for their tireless and selfless work as they were recognized

and applauded by the hundreds of guests in attendance, including the 2021 Patriots team. During the pandemic, Kenvin and his team provided in-home testing, vaccinations and EMS/community response protocols for residents. After such a challenging time, Kenvin enjoyed the opportunity to have a relaxing night with his wife Nicole out of a uniform or scrubs.

"Like the Patriots, we all have a job and are expected to do it the best we can," Kenvin said.

"Many people worked so hard and endured challenges, and the recognition was thoughtful and heartfelt and appreciated. It was an honor that I will remember for the rest of my career."

Sousa brought along his wife Kristina to enjoy the red-carpet occasion. He described the entire night as special, from the reception, to being recognized for his work and enjoying dinner.

"One of my favorite parts was being introduced as a team, like the Patriots in all those Super

Bowls, with other individuals who worked throughout the pandemic," Sousa said. "I am honored and humbled to be recognized and thank everyone involved for taking the time to put on such a special event."



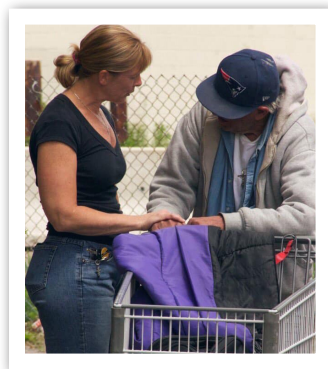
PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

Residents Honored for Community Impact

Every year since 1998, the Kraft family and New England Patriots have celebrated those who donate their time to help others, naming these selfless community members Myra Kraft Community MVPs. Deb and John Snow have lived in Foxborough for over 30 years and were two of this year's honorees, recognized for their work with their organization LYNN [Love Your Neighbor Now] Ministries.

The Snows created LYNN Ministries 11 years ago to help support to local families, providing food, clothing, footwear, sleeping bags, toiletries and more to individuals experiencing homelessness. Since its inception, the Snows and LYNN Ministries have helped countless individuals access affordable housing, medical appointments, rehabilitation services and more. Over the course of the COVID-19 pandemic, LYNN Ministries served over 14,000 meals to those in need and continue their incredible work daily. In addition to the donation of items and services, Deb, John and their volunteers form personal relationships with everyone they meet.

"Being selected for this award is an incredible honor for us and for the more than 200 volunteers who make this ministry possible," Deb said. "Myra had a high moral compass and the heart of a servant leader, as demonstrated by her commitment to philanthropic causes and local charitable organizations. Receiving this award helps LYNN Ministries to raise awareness for the struggles of the homeless, to restore dignity to individuals experiencing homelessness and hardship, and to meet their physical needs through essential provisions."



Over the 11 years of running LYNN Ministries, the Snows have only missed two days.

As part of the Patriots Foundation's ongoing Celebrate Volunteerism efforts, the Kraft family hosted a luncheon to honor these volunteers, including Deb and John. Patriots Chairman and CEO Robert Kraft, Patriots Foundation President Josh Kraft and Patriots and Pro Football Hall of Famer and Patriots Executive Director of Community Affairs Andre Tippett were on hand to congratulate the recipients.

Robert Kraft and the Patriots Foundation also donated \$10,000 to LYNN Ministries to help them continue their incredible work. This grant will allow LYNN to continue to provide essential items and services including clothing, housing and food, to those in need.

"It is a great honor to be a Foxborough resident and be recognized by our hometown Patriots," Deb said. "We have been blessed to attend church with players, to be a part of their local community and see them as star athletes, but also as regular people. The Kraft organization is iconic in their real desire to be part of the local community and to be invested in local New England organizations quietly doing things for the betterment of their communities. We are so proud to be recognized and honored by the Kraft organization in this way."

Deb and John were selected from over 250 applicants to be honored as Myra Kraft Community MVPs. Nominations open each spring to all nonprofit organizations in the New England region. For more information, visit Patriots.com/Community.



FACES OF FOXBOROUGH



JILL LANGTON

Jill Langton, operations manager at Patriot Place, hails from Toledo, Ohio but has found a new home in Foxborough. In her role, Langton helps keep Patriot Place running and looking at its best, supporting tenants on a daily basis and supporting onsite events for Patriot Place and Gillette Stadium.

"In my role I get to work with a lot of other departments, and everyone always works together to get the job done," Langton said. "I also love that there's so much activity and excitement around everything we do here. No two days are the same, and you get experience in many different areas."

Langton has lived in town for five years, identifying Foxborough as the perfect place to raise her family, nearby to family, friends and work. On a sunny, warm day,



you can find Langton and her family enjoying a local walk through the State Forest or by the Neponset Reservoir. She also loves going to eat at many of the great restaurants throughout town, including at Patriot Place. But

most of all, Langton loves the people that truly make Foxborough feel like home.

"I love the small-town community feel," Langton said. "We have wonderful neighbors and have always felt very welcome here."

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

PATRIOT PLACE NEWS

Patriot Place Launches DORA Program

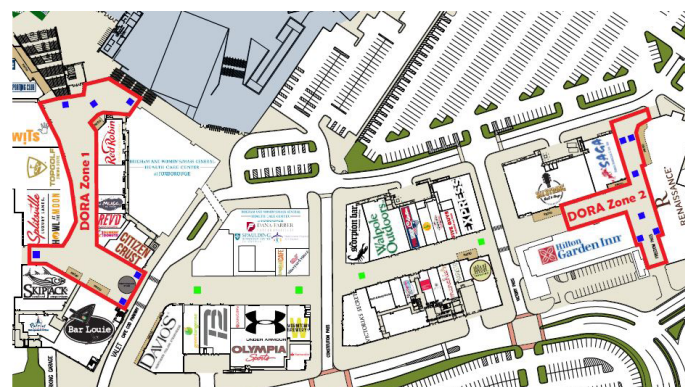
Patriot Place recently launched a brand-new service allowing guests to purchase takeout food and alcoholic beverages to be enjoyed on property in two designated zones. These Designated Outdoor Refreshment Areas (DORA) are located on either end of the Patriot Place North Marketplace, with one extending from outside Bar Louie and Skipjack's to the Grand Staircase, and the other fronted by the Renaissance Hotel and Hilton Garden Inn and ending at Six String Grill & Stage. The new service operates daily from 12 p.m. through 9:30 p.m.

With the start of this new offering, Patriot Place becomes the first retail and entertainment center in Massachusetts to feature DORA zones. Guests can now purchase takeout food and alcoholic beverages from licensed Patriot Place restaurants, hotels and entertainment venues that they can enjoy in the two DORA zones on property while watching a performance on the Patriot Place Stage, taking in the ambiance of Patriot Place, dining outside with family and friends and more.

"We are thrilled to officially launch our new Designated Outdoor Refreshment Areas at Patriot Place, making us the first retail and entertainment center in the state to offer this great service" said

Brian Earley, Vice President and General Manager of Patriot Place. "This new offering is the best of both worlds as it allows us to continue to serve our guests and enhance their experience while supporting our restaurants and other licensed venues. With the full support of local and public safety officials, these new DORA zones are a safe, family-friendly option for our guests to enjoy."

Under guidelines from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, takeout beverages need to be in a sealed container (either a can, bottle or cup with a cover) and purchased on the same bill as a food item. These new DORA zones are permitted under current Massachusetts guidelines that were recently extended through May 1, 2022. While consumption of these takeout items is designated in these two locations, all restaurants and licensed Patriot Place venues can sell food and beverages to be consumed in either DORA zone. Additionally, alcoholic beverages purchased for takeout cannot be consumed on the licensed venue's premises and must be consumed in the DORA zones. All licensed venues are required to post the Patriot Place DORA regulations at point of purchase and Patriot Place security and signage are in place to ensure guests follow these guidelines.



Walpole Outdoors Opens New HQ and Showroom at Patriot Place

Walpole Outdoors, a leader in premium outdoor residential products, recently opened its new national headquarters and retail showroom at Patriot Place.

The new space houses corporate offices and a state-of-the-art retail showroom, creating an environment of collaboration and integration across the company. Located in the North Marketplace next to the Patriots ProShop Collection, Walpole Outdoors offers guests everything they need to design and enhance their outdoor space, with premium fencing, pergolas, garden décor and more. Featuring a showroom and design consultants on site, this new location provides guests with the resources to upgrade their outdoor space. Walpole Outdoors is open daily from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m.

"We are thrilled to officially welcome Walpole Outdoors to the Patriot Place family," said Brian Earley, Vice President and General Manager of Patriot Place. "Walpole Outdoors is the region's premier destination for outdoor residential products and we are excited to work with them and their great team to provide our guests with everything they need to create their dream outdoor space."



Walpole Outdoors recently opened their new national headquarters and retail showroom at Patriot Place.

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

School's Out for the Summer: Foxborough Educators Enjoy VIP Day at Training Camp

Training camp is often referred to as "the first day of school" for the hundreds of players, coaches and support staff across the NFL. That analogy was taken to the next level as the Kraft family and Partners in Patriotism hosted teachers from Foxborough Public Schools at the first public training camp session on Wednesday, July 28.

Three teachers from each school were randomly selected from a pool of interested educators to enjoy a VIP day at camp complete with front-row seats to the action, complimentary food and beverages and gift bags to bring home as souvenirs. The 15 teachers each also invited a guest to take part in the festivities.

One of the guests of honor was Julie Clough, a seventh-grade social studies teacher at the Ahern Middle School since 2005. She

relished the opportunity to take in training camp for the first time alongside her 10-year-old son Michael.

"Michael's a huge Patriots fan and I really enjoyed watching the excitement on his face today when he saw different players coming out and practicing," Clough said. "We're lucky to have the connection with the Patriots and the people who live and work in Foxborough have a great sense of pride in the relationship with the team."

Melissa Zechello, a reading specialist at the Burrell School for the past 22 years, was also at training camp for the first time. Accompanied by her seven-year-old daughter Juliana, Zechello thoroughly enjoyed the experience, saying with a smile that the rest of her family would be "very jealous."

"It really has been a challenging year trying to teach remotely and in



Foxborough teachers enjoyed front-row seats to the training camp action.

person and making sure we help kids with what they need," Zechello said. "I really appreciate the Patriots having us and giving us a VIP experience so close to the action. To get this kind of treatment at my first time at training camp is awesome."

The teachers were invited as part of the Kraft family's continued efforts to recognize essential workers who did so much for our community during COVID-19. While Clough acknowledged the difficulties of the past 18 months, she also expressed gratitude for the recognition and hope for the future.

"This past year has been tough on everybody in certain ways," she said. "But to be here today at the first public training camp in two years and see people of all ages and from all walks of life rallying around their

hometown team is pretty awesome. It definitely hasn't been an easy couple of years but we're coming out of such a dark part of our history and there's a real sense of hope."

Kara Ryan, a seventh-grade math teacher at the Ahern Middle School, echoed Clough's sentiment.

"It was a tough year with a lot of ups and downs, but we also had a lot of really bright moments with the kids," Ryan said. "It's so nice that the Patriots took the time to reach out to teachers in Foxborough as a nod to us and thanking us for what we've been going through and for being there for the students."

As we move into the fall and the start of the school year and New England Patriots football season, we were honored to host these deserving educators at a training camp practice this summer!



Julie Clough and her son Michael took in a VIP day together at Training Camp.

PARTNERSHIP: Kraft Group continues commitment to Foxborough

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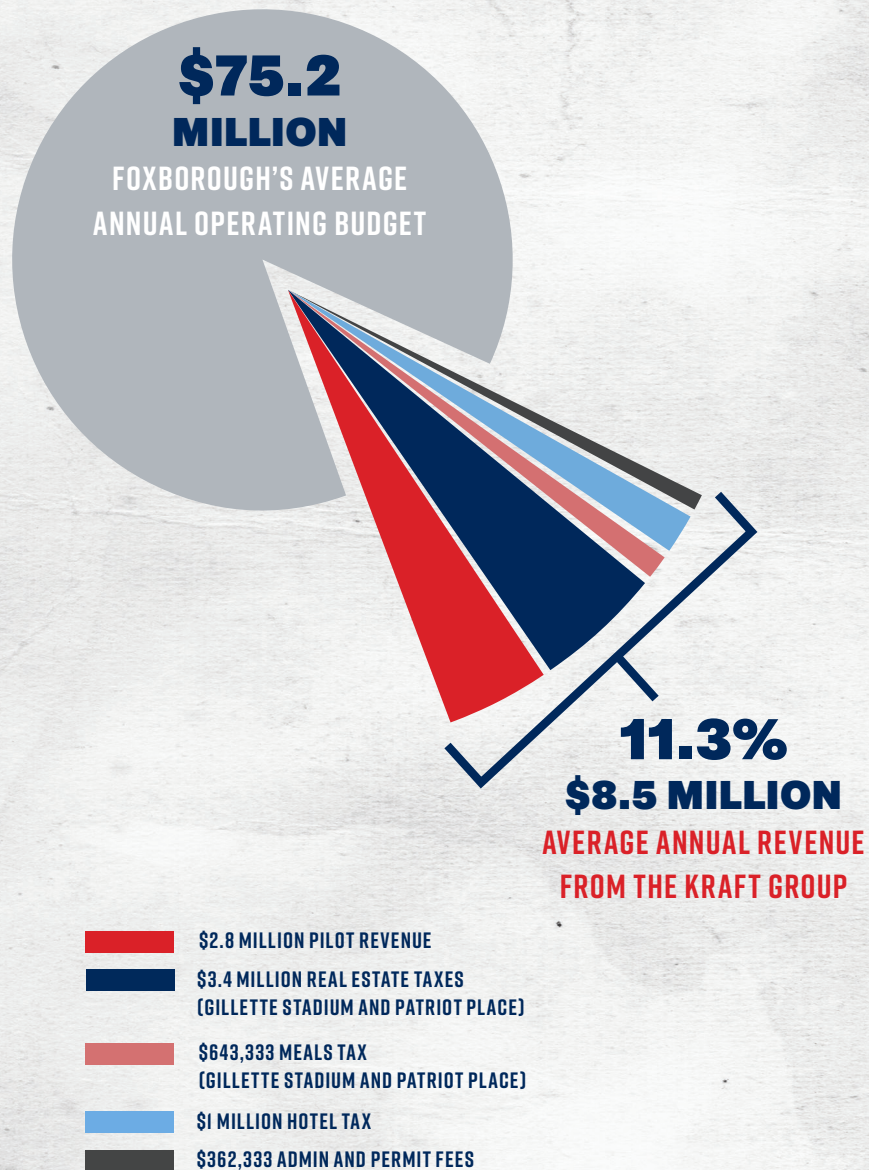
In addition to PILOT revenue, Foxborough received an annual average of \$5.2 million from 2017-19 from real estate, meals, hotel occupancy and parking taxes generated from Patriot Place, Gillette Stadium and the surrounding property. Additionally, the Town receives an annual average exceeding \$362,000 in administrative fees and permits. Beyond revenue payments to the Town, the Kraft Group employs over 100 residents as fulltime and parttime staff, with 80 residents employed in gameday roles.

The Kraft Group remains committed to being great business partners and even better neighbors through annual investments in the community. In 2014, the Kraft family founded the Partners in Patriotism Fund dedicated to philanthropic giving exclusively in Foxborough, and since then has donated more than \$700,000 to the Town. Among other initiatives, this funding has granted scholarships to 20 graduating seniors, helped countless individuals during personal hardship and supported various community initiatives. After a year that has impacted us all personally and professionally, we collectively look forward to economic recovery and growth in the months and years to come.

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IMPACT OF REVENUE FROM THE KRAFT GROUP 2017-19



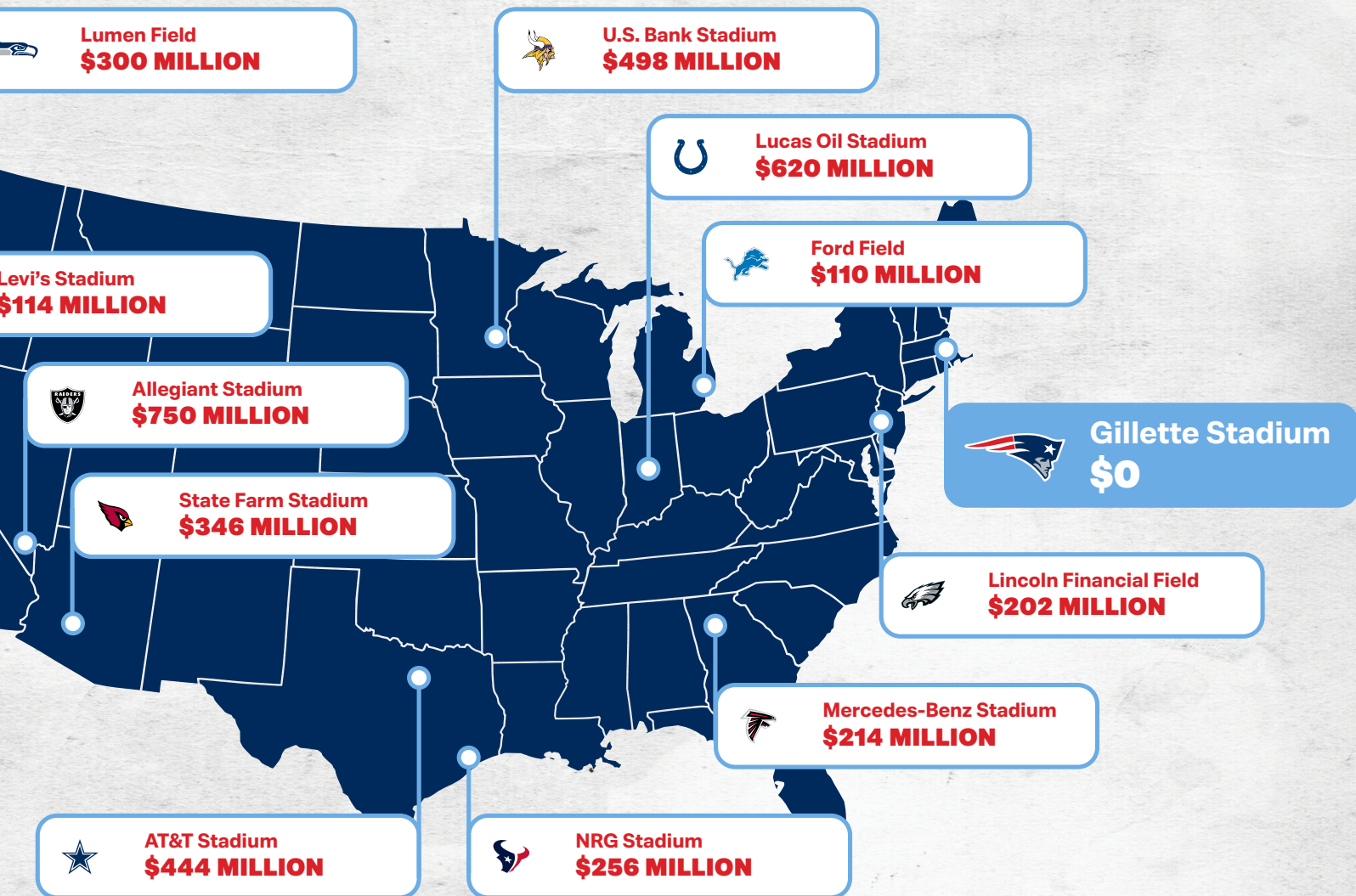
\$96.3 MILLION
APPROXIMATE TOTAL TOWN REVENUE FROM
GILLETTE STADIUM AND PATRIOT PLACE SINCE 2002



\$8.4 MILLION
TOTAL PILOT REVENUE FROM TICKET
STADIUM EVENTS FROM 2002-2019

THE COST OF DOING BUSINESS

PUBLIC FUNDING USED TO BUILD NFL STADIUMS



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TOTAL DONATED TO THE FOXBOROUGH COMMUNITY
THROUGH THE PIP FUND (FOUNDED IN 2014)

100+

RESIDENTS WORKING IN FULLTIME AND PARTTIME
ROLES FOR THE KRAFT GROUP

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM FUND

PIP Fund Lends Support to MRPAC, FHS Sports Teams

PIP FUND MATCHES COMMUNITY EFFORTS WITH \$6,500 GRANT TO MARILYN RODMAN PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Like countless times before, the Foxborough community worked together to support one of its own, raising \$6,500 in support of the Marilyn Rodman Performing Arts Center. The PIP Fund matched this community effort with a \$6,500 grant of its own. The \$13,000 raised by the community and PIP Fund covered the cost of a new fire curtain mechanism, getting the MRPAC back up to code and enabling them to reopen.

"Our theater operates on our mission to be a community resource for artistic experiences and opportunities for the region," said MRPAC Executive Director Catherine Miller. "The breadth of the PIP Fund's support makes Foxborough a stronger community and we are incredibly grateful for their continued support of the MRPAC to allow us to continue to fulfill that mission."

The Foxborough Fire Department installed the new curtain and the device that controls it over the summer, ensuring the building could reopen and guests



The PIP Fund granted the Marilyn Rodman Performing Arts Center \$6,500 to help cover the cost of a new fire curtain.

could enjoy performances safely for years to come.

"The MRPAC is a cornerstone of the Foxborough community and we are proud to continue to operate as a community organization, drawing in patrons, performers and friends of all ages from across the region," Miller said. "The theater's mission is to be a community resource for artistic experiences and opportunities. We are incredibly grateful for the PIP Fund's support over the years, allowing us to continue to fulfill our mission."

FOXBORO TOUCHDOWN CLUB RECEIVES GRANT FROM PIP FUND

In continued support of the Foxborough High School football team, the PIP Fund sponsored a \$160 full-page advertisement in the team's 2021 football program. The purchased ad supports the team and helps cover the cost of the creation of the team program. An annual tradition, this program will serve as a keepsake for players and their families in the years to come.

PIP FUND PURCHASES TEAM BACKPACKS FOR FHS BOYS SOCCER

The PIP Fund granted the Foxborough High School boys soccer team \$525 to cover the cost of team-branded backpacks for new players. With the addition of these backpacks, the whole team will now be equipped with branded backpacks, giving them a cohesive and unified look as they take the field each game. The players will use the backpacks to carry their gear throughout the 2021 season.



Request for Donation

Partners in Patriotism Fund

The Partners in Patriotism (PIP) Fund is a registered nonprofit organization committed to supporting Foxborough-based groups and organizations that make a positive, lasting impact in the Town of Foxborough. The PIP Fund assists groups, organizations, individuals and philanthropic projects that benefit or improve the quality of life in the Town of Foxborough. The PIP Fund Grants Committee meets monthly to review grant applications in the order they are received.

Our community grants are intended to support philanthropic, charitable and humanitarian efforts of Foxborough nonprofits, organizations, civic and community groups that directly benefit the Town of Foxborough. The Fund does not fulfill sponsorship requests or projects, programs and events that do not have a direct benefit to the Town of Foxborough.

A portion of our funds also serve as a means of financial assistance to Foxborough residents who experience an unexpected emergency or loss. These personal assistance grants are intended to provide recipients with permanent financial solutions following an unexpected loss or sudden emergency that has drastically impacted the applicant's financial situation.

Every line of this form must be completed accurately and your need for funding must be stated clearly in order to be considered for review. Please attach support documentation and additional typed pages to this application as needed. For more information, visit www.GilletteStadium.com/Partners-in-Patriotism

CONTACT INFORMATION

CONTACT NAME (REQUIRED): _____

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

AMOUNT OF REQUEST: _____ DATE FUNDING IS NEEDED (Be specific): _____

REQUEST INFORMATION

Please provide a detailed summary of your request, including the need for funding and a breakdown of estimated expenses. Please feel free to also attach supporting documents and additional pages to the application that will share your story and assist the Grants Committee in assessing your request.

If this request is approved, are you willing to share this news publicly via local media? Note, your response has no bearing on whether this application is approved.

Yes_____ No_____

By submitting this form to the Partners in Patriotism Fund, you acknowledge that the Fund may request to review and verify certain information, including financial information, with regards to your request.

Mailing address: Partners in Patriotism Fund, One Patriot Place, Foxborough MA 02035
 Or scan and email to: PIPFund@Patriots.com

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM



Foxborough Schools Welcomed to Gillette

Kraft Sports + Entertainment once again helped Foxborough Public Schools kick off the school year in style, hosting both the annual administrator retreat and the new teacher tour in mid-August.

Members of the school district's administration team gathered in a Gillette Stadium suite for the annual summer Administrative Retreat. At the retreat, administrators prepared for a new school year with professional learning and goal setting.

"Kicking off the 2021-22 school year at Gillette Stadium never felt sweeter," said Dr. Amy Berdos, superintendent for Foxborough Public Schools. "Our continued appreciation goes to the Kraft Group for hosting Foxborough Public School's Leadership Retreat and welcoming our newest teachers to town. Being in person was energizing and a terrific way for our leadership team to strategize with our own playbook and welcome our newest educators to the strong and supportive community of Foxborough."

On the very next day, the Kraft Sports + Entertainment team helped welcome new teachers to town, giving them a private tour of Gillette Stadium. The group got an exclusive look at the stadium, taking a tour of the press box, concourse, walking through the visitors' tunnel and culminating in taking photos on the game field.

Kayla Scott, an eighth-grade English teacher at the Ahern Middle School, pointed to the visit on the field as her favorite part and described the experience as a great way to be welcomed to town.

"How many people get to say that they've been on the field?" Scott said. "Being from the area, you hear a lot about what the Patriots organization does for the community and it's nice to experience that first-hand. Throughout the pandemic, they did so much and it's great to be a part of this community now and have an experience like this one."

Residents Return to In-Stadium Practice



The New England Patriots popular in-stadium practice made its much-anticipated return on Aug. 6, giving Foxborough residents and Season Ticket Members the exclusive opportunity to watch the team play under the Gillette Stadium lights for the first time since the 2019 season.

From start to finish, the in-stadium practice had a Foxborough flavor. 02035-based band Thirty 6 Red kicked off the festivities with a performance on the CarMax Bridge prior to the start of practice. Jim Politano, a Patriots Season Ticket Member, founded the band in 2007 and serves as the group's guitarist. Thirty 6 Red has performed for the Patriots, Gillette Stadium and Patriot Place many times over the past several years, but Politano pointed to this performance as a particularly special occasion.

"My family, friends and bandmates have had so many special moments inside the walls of Gillette Stadium and I could not put into words how special that evening was for all of us," Politano said. "From the band's perspective, music has been hit so hard by the pandemic that having opportunities like performing for the Patriots is priceless on the road to getting music back in full force."

Also in attendance that Friday evening was lifelong resident Jessica James, her husband and their three young daughters. James had brought her family to the in-stadium practice on one previous occasion and was thrilled to be back.

"Having a young family, we love how family-friendly this event is and really appreciate how above and beyond the Patriots go for Foxborough residents," James said. "We loved how close to the field we sat and the kids really enjoyed getting to meet Pat Patriot and the cheerleaders, and watching the players compete on the field."

From the residents in attendance to Thirty 6 Red starting the evening off right, the in-stadium practice was a special night marking the return of Patriots fans to Gillette Stadium.

"This year was emotional for us as I am sure it was for many of the fans there and just being able to see people smiling and having fun made our day," Politano said. "We've teamed up with the greatest franchise in all of sports many times and we are beyond grateful. Every time we walk away from one of these events, we all think the same thing: how lucky we are to have this team, organization and owner in our hometown."

PARTNERS IN PATRIOTISM

Recognizing Our Noteworthy Neighbors

Over the past 18 months, we've loved hearing the inspirational stories of so many members of our community supporting one another and have been honored to share their stories as Noteworthy Neighbors. Noteworthy Neighbors recognized during the past quarter* include:

- The volunteers who plant and care for the flower displays that beautify Foxborough's uptown;
- **Dave Bonfiglio**, who competes as a member of the New England Amputee Soccer team;
- **Alexa Correia**, a volunteer with the Marilyn Rodman Performing Arts Center, Foxboro Cable Access and Girl Scouts;
- The **Caracciolo family, Cahill family and Riley Sbardella**, who repaired the Foxboro Skatepark after it was vandalized;
- **Charlie Bridgham**, a 75-year resident who has positively impacted countless residents from teaching Sunday School and starting a Judo club;
- The **Burrell Elementary School students** who created 50



Spring-themed bags that they gifted to local seniors;

- **Lindsay Deneault**, who won the MRPAC's You're Never Fully Dressed Without a Smile Award as someone who makes the community better with energy and enthusiasm;



- **Catherine Miller**, who brings quality art experiences to the community as the executive director of the MRPAC;

- **AJ Dooley**, who has coached in town for 27 years and ran Clean Up Foxboro Day for nine years, mentoring and supporting residents;



- **Christina Metcalf**, who keeps residents informed and engaged as the town's Community Information Specialist;

- **Joette Halpern**, who has sewed over 150 dresses to help cancer patients;

- **Faleehah Dam and Alvin**

Pham, who collected 800 items for service members;

- **Kathy and Greg Spier**, who helped raise \$50,000 benefiting food security initiatives; and

- **Mark Ferencik**, who helps preserve Foxborough's history as the chairman of the town's historical commission.

If you would like to nominate a future #NoteworthyNeighbor, email us at FoxboroResidents@GilletteStadium.com, and check out @PIPFoxboro on Twitter and Partners in Patriotism on Facebook every Friday to see our latest honoree.

*As of Sept. 30, 2021

Our Town, Our Time: Pats Pitch In at Clean Up Foxboro Day



After COVID-19 forced the cancellation of the 2020 event and postponement of the 2021 date, Clean Up Foxboro Day returned on Saturday, Sept. 11. More than 300 volunteers dedicated time to pick up trash and help keep the town clean, gathering approximately four tons of litter off the streets.

Following these great efforts, volunteers returned to Schneider Grove to celebrate their hard work where they were greeted by Pat Patriot and the Patriots cheerleaders. Pat and the cheers signed autographs, took photos and pulled winners for the raffle, with

prizes including tickets to Kenny Chesney's 2022 concert at Gillette Stadium donated by Partners in Patriotism. Patriot Place was also a proud sponsor of the event.

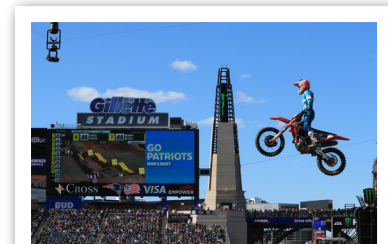
"It was great to see our community come together and give back to this great town," said AJ Dooley, event organizer and member of the Clean Up Foxboro Day committee. "Having Pat Patriot and the cheerleaders there was awesome because you have the best organization in sports backing you up! I appreciate what Mr. Kraft and the Patriots have done for town over the years, it's really special."

Supercross Returns to Gillette Stadium on Saturday, April 23

Supercross returns to Gillette Stadium for an action-packed day of excitement and racing on Saturday, April 23, 2022.

Round 15 of the 17-race schedule will take place in Foxborough, with the world's best racers competing for Supercross glory in the 450SX Class and 250SX Class. The FanFest will also return, featuring a variety of activities, photo opportunities and

more for fans to enjoy in the lead-up to the races. Tickets for this thrilling event are on sale now at [Ticketmaster.com](https://www.ticketmaster.com).



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RESIDENT PLAYBOOK

WIN A FESTIVE FAMILY VISIT TO MAGIC OF LIGHTS

Kraft Sports + Entertainment is giving one resident a festive holiday experience at Magic of Lights!

The winning resident and their family will enjoy Magic of Lights, taking in dazzling light displays built using the latest in LED technology and digital animations. The spectacular lights experience returns to Foxborough after a record-breaking first stint last holiday season, and will be on site from Nov. 19 through Dec. 24. The complete schedule and additional details, including ticketing information, are available at MagicOfLights.com/Foxborough.

PLEASE NOTE: The winning resident will receive one pass for a standard vehicle to attend the event on a mutually agreed upon date. Details on how to enter this exclusive resident offer can be found in the photo caption.

HOW TO WIN



To enter to win this Foxborough resident offer, please fill out the form located within the "Resident Playbook" section online at GilletteStadium.com/Partners-in-Patriotism. One winner will be chosen at random and notified via email. Deadline to enter contest is **November 29, 2021**. For rules and regulations, visit GilletteStadium.com/Partners-in-Patriotism.

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