



HELPING HEN

Empowering all kids to become social entrepreneurs

Dear Friends,

So many new partnerships this spring! We're spanning the globe from Boston Center for Youth & Families to BELL educators in NY and jumping all the way to Ethiopia with Tearfund. Our training model is making the experience of running a One Hen program less daunting and, in fact, easy!

Perhaps there is an aspect of your business that you'd like to share? A lesson in accounting or marketing that you'd like to impart. We have plenty of occasions to bring you into the classroom this spring. Join us!

Keep an eye out for an announcement of our website relaunch. It will be easier to navigate and provide a host of new free resources. Plus, we're excited to announce the Blackstone Foundation's support of this undertaking, along with the by kids for kids feature which we will roll out later in the year.

Please consider joining us for our 5th Anniversary Celebration in Boston on May 3rd. There is a lot to celebrate! Thank you for your ongoing support of our programs.

The One Hen Team

One Hen's 5th Anniversary Celebration May 3rd

Join us for an evening of discovery, connection and merriment to celebrate One Hen's success in cultivating a new generation of social entrepreneurs.

[Purchase Tickets Here](#)

We'll be celebrating at District Hall in Boston's Seaport District, the world's first freestanding public innovation center, a gathering place for entrepreneurs, artists, enterprising non-profits, and friends of One Hen.



The event's keynote speaker will be Cheryl Dorsey, President of Echoing Green, and a pioneer in the social entrepreneurship movement.

Reaching More Kids through Training



We are bringing our social entrepreneurship program to more kids in underserved communities by way of our train-the-trainer model. In January, community workers from Boston Center for Youth & Families received training, in February BELL educators in NYC received training, and in March SCORES educators in Boston received training. There will be a lot of One Hen programming coming up this spring and summer!





One Hen Expands its International Programming



The One Hen story started in Africa, and we are delighted to announce that we are now partnering with [Tearfund](#), a UK based relief and development agency, to pilot a comprehensive One Hen youth program in Ethiopia. Our evidence in Ethiopia suggests that when you inspire youth to become social entrepreneurs, they literally transform poverty in their communities. We are building a digital curriculum to help grow this approach.

New One Hen Community Partners!



We are also building new partnerships in the US, with [Mattahunt Community Center](#) in Mattapan, MA and in Chicago through [Miss Congeniality Girls](#), an organization that focuses on social and emotional learning to teach fundamental life skills.

50K from Blackstone to Create By Kids for Kids



Thanks to the generous donation of Blackstone Charitable Foundation,

JFK Sell Day a Success



Great products and pitches were seen and heard during JFK Elementary's sell day! All fourth graders at the Canton, MA school participated in the One Hen "Beads for Needs" project, which has raised \$400!

One Hen an Exhibitor at Jump\$tart Conference



Jump\$tart Coalition's national conference was a great opportunity to showcase One Hen educational materials. It was inspiring to be amongst so many educators committed to teaching financial literacy.

One Hen Highlighted at MassInno Nights

One Hen "pitched" the community at the December Mass Innovation Nights. Thanks to all of you that voted for One Hen to become one of the three presenters at the event!



Follow us on   for details on future events!

Spotlight on One Hen Educator, Barbara Carbone

Barbara is the ultimate One Hen ambassador! As an early adopter of One Hen Academy, she worked to expand the program with her fellow teachers to reach the entire 4th grade at John F. Kennedy Elementary School in Canton, MA!

One Hen will be developing the by Kids for Kids resource library on OneHen.org. Be on the lookout for this new addition to One Hen's soon-to-relaunch website!



Stay Connected:



What was your favorite part of teaching One Hen Academy?
One Hen Academy makes a difference for our students because they learn that the rest of the world is not like their home. They also learn that they can help make a difference. I love the thoughtfulness and reasons they bring to the discussion of what to do with the profit from our project.

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