



Boys & Girls Club College Club visits Open House at UMASS: pictured (L to R) Steven Greig, Michaela Collins, Paul DiMaggio, Ashley Dare, Ashley Reed

Boys & Girls Club Teen Center News

On Saturday, October 15th the Club visited U-MASS Boston Open House. Teen Education Director Paul DiMaggio brought members of the College Club to the information session, followed by a tour of the campus. The teens were very impressed with the campus that is located on beautiful Boston Harbor. Course selections highlighted were European History, Women Studies, Hispanic Influence and Chemistry. The teens found out there these were just a few of the many studies offered at UMass. They also found out how convenient it is to get there by public transportation. Members had a great time and look forward to their next College visit.

Career Club members participated in a Career Night this past Monday, November 15th. Advisory Board Members and Young Alums organized the event

with input from the teens, on what careers they would like to learn more about. Members from EMT, Boston Police, Armed Services, Carpenters Union, NSTAR, Boston Public Schools, and Neighborhood Health Centers were some of the careers that were highlighted. The teens very much enjoyed this event and presenters felt that the kids were very receptive and enthusiastic. So much so, that when the pizza arrived at the "scheduled" end of the evening they teens were not ready to eat as they had more questions for the guests! That shows what a success it was. Many thanks to all involved!!!

The Club will of course be closed on Thanksgiving Day, as well as the following day (Friday, November 26th). We wish all our members and their families a **HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!!**