

TEEN TREE SUMMIT 2024



Our 2nd Teen Tree Summit was held on Saturday, June 15 at the Arnold Arboretum's Weld Hill Building. It was a wonderful and beautiful event!

The event was planned by our Teen Urban Tree Corps participants under the guidance of Joshua Reed and Jamila dePieza Kern, our education team.

The Summit celebrated youth working for environmental justice groups in the Greater Boston area:

- Breath of Life Dorchester (BOLD)
- Roxbury Environmental Empowerment Project (REEP)
- Green Cambridge's Canopy Crew
- Boston Latin School's Youth Climate Action Network

The event began with a poetry workshop that addressed climate anxiety, led by Priya Dixit, Marketing and Communications Fellow at Mass Audubon. Afterwards, there were multiple youth-led hands-on workshops.

Thank you to all of the community partners who came out and made the event so successful!



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