



# 2018 Accomplishments & Initiatives

*Enduring Legacy, Compelling Stories, Transformative Moments*

- ❁ Hosted a grand collaborative commemoration of the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Paul Revere's death with a wreath laying at the Granary Burying Ground and the ringing of many Revere bells. Revere's legacy was honored by the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, the Paul Revere Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Sons of the American Revolution, the USS *Constitution*, the City of Boston, our colleagues, and the general public.
- ❁ Featured in an episode on Chronicle entitled *Boston Underground* that shared the archaeological excavations connected with our plans to make the Hichborn House courtyard fully accessible.
- ❁ Honored with a Massachusetts Historical Commission Preservation Award for the restoration and rehabilitation of Lathrop Place and our efforts to make the site and Revere House fully accessible.
- ❁ Offered visitors the opportunity to enjoy enrichment programs on numerous topics including a presentation on 17<sup>th</sup>-century clothing with the Partnership of Historic Bostons and a talk on Revere's connections to 18<sup>th</sup>-century medicine with the House Museum Alliance of Downtown Boston.





## THE PAUL REVERE MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

- ✿ Awarded a significant three-year grant to support our free and reduced-cost school programs for Boston Public Schools and area Title One schools by Julia and Mark Casady and the One Step Forward Education Foundation.
- ✿ Worked closely with the City of Boston on the redesign and reconstruction of the sidewalks and streets in North Square, which makes it fully accessible while retaining several much-loved elements of the existing square – large cobble pavers, brick sidewalks, and nautical chain fabricated in the Charlestown Navy Yard. We have also been consulting with A+J Art+Design on their public art installation for North Square.
- ✿ Several small capital projects were completed:
  - Made cosmetic and conservation improvements to the bell shelter to ensure the care of our Revere bell with a portion of the funds from a generous bequest from the Estates of Edward and Evelyn Stickney.
  - Replaced the 30-year old HVAC system in the Hichborn House to improve energy efficiency.
  - Completed Revere House interior painting and staining in best chamber, hall and stairway.



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