



Celebrate Hingham with Leadership Giving



Introducing Leadership Giving Circles

To honor our most generous donors, we introduce annual Leadership Giving Circles at the Hingham Historical Society. Please review the suite of donor benefits with each Giving Circle and consider building upon your previous generosity to the Hingham History Fund to help underwrite our future.

*When you join our Leadership Giving Circles, your annual membership in the Society and associated benefits are included, as well as additional compelling benefits such as special donor recognition events, experiences and discounts. As a member of our Leadership Giving Circles, you take pride in the knowledge that your support is central to our mission of collecting, preserving and promoting Hingham history, and vital to our ability to continue to **Celebrate Hingham** through dynamic programs, events and outreach.*

Thank you for your continued support.





Leadership Giving Circles

at the Hingham Historical Society begin at \$1,000 annually, and recognize your generosity with the highest level of Annual Membership benefits:

- **Free admission to our three museums: The Hingham Heritage Museum at Old Derby, Old Ordinary and the Benjamin Lincoln House**
- **Guest passes**
- **Members only events such as Gallery Talks**
- **Advanced ticket purchase on our most popular events including Tavern Night**
- **Discounted tickets to select events like our annual Lecture Series**
- **Hour with a genealogist**
- **Behind the scenes museum tour**
- **History of your neighborhood**
- **10% discount in the Museum Shop**
- **10% discount on a facility rental**

Plus as a Leadership Giving Circle Member, you enjoy the following exclusive donor benefits:



The Patron Circle (\$1,000–2,499)

History of Your House: Upon request, receive a house history featuring text and if available, historic images of your home and neighborhood.

Private Walking Tour of Downtown Hingham: Enjoy a one-hour private walking tour at a date and time of your choosing, led by senior staff who carry a photo book of historic images.

Donor Appreciation Event: All donors to the annual Hingham History Fund enjoy an invitation to our annual Donor Appreciation Event. Past events have included a lecture on Dining at the White House and a visit from “Louisa May Alcott.”

The Directors Circle (\$2500–4,999) All Patron Circle benefits plus:

Access to Reception Room during Historic House Tour: On the day of the Annual Historic House Tour, donors at the Director Circle enjoy access to a private reception room in the vicinity of one of the house tour properties. The private reception room will feature light refreshments, seating and depending on the time of day, coffee or wine and beer.

Leadership Reception: Donors at the Director Circle receive an invitation to an annual cocktail reception at one of our properties.

The Sarah Derby Circle (\$5000–9,999) All Director Circle benefits plus:

Annual Individual/Membership to Gift to Family or Friend: Enjoy an annual Individual Membership to gift to a family member or a friend.

The Governor Andrew Circle (\$10,000–24,999)

All Sarah Derby Circle benefits plus:

Leadership Luncheon: Donors in the Governor Andrew Circle receive an invitation to an annual luncheon at one of our properties.

The Founders Circle (\$25,000+)

All Governor Andrew Circle benefits plus:

Leadership Dinner: Experience one of our historic properties like never before with a catered dinner with the Executive Director and discuss the strategic direction of the Society.

Facility Rental: A complimentary one-time event rental of the Hingham Heritage Museum at Old Derby or the Old Ordinary Annex & Garden (a \$5,000 value).

Double Your Impact: Your employer may match your Leadership Gift. Visit hinghamhistorical.org/employer-match to see if your employer will match a portion or all of your gift.



All Donors to the Hingham Historical Society are recognized by donation level in our Annual Report of Giving. Thank you for including us in your plans.



1914 SOCIETY

Join the 1914 Society, the Hingham Historical Society's Planned Giving Program and automatically become a Leadership Giving Circle Member.

Planned giving is a way to make a charitable gift to the Hingham Historical Society through thoughtful estate planning. A planned gift, as part of an overall estate plan, takes a donor's needs as well as the needs of their loved ones into consideration while helping to support a cause or charity that is meaningful to them. Our Planned Giving Program, the 1914 Society, is named in honor of the year the Society was founded.

Notifying us of your planned gift now allows us to formally welcome you to the 1914 Society.

A donor who joins the 1914 Society can make a gift now through gifts of real estate or by making us the beneficiary of a policy.

A donor can make a gift **in their lifetime which pays them income** by donating a charitable gift annuity or establishing a trust. A donor can make a gift **later** through a bequest or by making us the beneficiary of a retirement plan or bank account.

1914 Society members receive an invitation to our annual 1914 Society luncheon at one of our properties.

Learn more about making a planned gift to the Society or becoming a Leadership Giving Circle member by completing the enclosed card, emailing our Development team at development@hinghamhistorical.org or by calling 781-749-7721 x7.