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## ~NEFBiH~ NEWSLETTER



NEFBIH~ CONNECTING OUR COMMUNITY WITH STORIES, UPDATES, AND EVENTS.

## Dear friends

### We celebrated International Women's Day



We had a beautiful evening gathered with many dear friends, to celebrate Dan Žena—a special day honoring women, friendship, and community. The room was filled with laughter, good food, heartfelt conversations, and lots of positive energy

This year, we also used this meaningful occasion to kick off our fundraiser in support of Vive Zene and Medica Zenica, two organizations doing amazing work for women's health and empowerment. We're proud to share that we raised a little over \$3800 that evening alone!

As fundraising efforts continues online, and we welcome anyone willing to contribute to the cause. Every little bit helps, and together we can make a real difference.

Thank you to everyone who came, donated, and celebrated with us. Your kindness and support mean the world.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUMMARY

#### Walk for hunger

Sunday, May 4, 2025 8:30 AM Meet in front of the State House (kick off at 9 AM) Boston Common, 139 Tremont St, Boston, MA 02111

Folklor trip to Utica KUD Festival in Utica, NY in June 2025



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### NEFBIH LANGUAGE SCHOOL PRESENTS

#### NEFBIH'S LANGUAGE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT IS OPEN NOW!



Preserving Our Bosnian Language & Heritage

At NEFBiH, we recognize the importance of preserving Bosnian language skills as a fundamental part of our Bosnian-American identity. Committed to this belief, our Leadership Team is proud to continue our Language School into its 13th year, expanding educational and cultural experiences for both children and adults.

Our School's Main Goals:

- ✓ Develop students' language skills based on their age and proficiency
- Foster an awareness of Bosnian culture and multi-ethnic identity
- ✓ Strengthen connections with Bosnia and Herzegovina
- First class begins: Saturday, February 1st
- Classes held via ZOOM every Saturday, except on 02/22, 04/26, and 05/24 (Holiday weekends).
- © Children's Classes: 10:30 AM 12:00 PM
- Adult Classes: 4:00 PM 6:00 PM

For more information, feel free to contact our team!



## What's New?

#### Folklor Group Shines on Stage and Sets Sights on National Festival

Our vibrant Folklor group, consisting of 14 talented girls under the dedicated guidance of Teacher Selma, has had a memorable start to 2025! This winter and spring, the group gave two heartwarming performances: first at the Women's Day Celebration in Danvers, MA in February, and most recently at the Bosniak Society Eid Celebration in Revere, MA this April. Both events were full of energy, joy, and strong community support.

We're thrilled to share that our group has been invited to perform at the national KUD Festival in Utica, NY in June 2025. This is a wonderful honor, and we are excited to represent Boston alongside other folklor groups from across the United States. Preparations are already underway, and we're looking forward to showcasing our culture, spirit, and teamwork on a national stage.

The Folklor group will take a summer break and reconvene in early September for the 2025/2026 school year. We're also excited to welcome new students at that time—so if you or someone you know is interested in joining, we'd love to have you!





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BATHED IN IT FOR COZINESS AND WARMTH,

PAYING NOTHING IN RENT... I'VE BEEN

INCAPABLE, SO FAR, OF MAKING MYSELF

AT HOME IN ME."

UNSPEAKABLE HOME

By: Ismet Proic



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