



Monday, May 19, 2008

Dear Friends,

Heartfelt thanks from the Children's Room staff for so generously supporting our programs.

We would like to share with you some very special programs your funding enabled us to offer this past spring. *Music Together* educator Teresa Coelho approached us last fall and offered to conduct a free demonstration class for our patrons. As you can see from the photo, her program was well received and enjoyed by the participants (children and parents alike), so much so that I spoke with Teresa about her possibly returning in the spring on a more regular fee-basis. Your support allowed us to provide three *Music Together* programs on the first Saturday of March, April and May. Attendance for each program was 50+, made up of babies, toddlers, parents and even older siblings ~ a true 'family' program. But the real excitement came with the audiences' increased interaction with Teresa and each other as they participated in music, song and dance.

Oftentimes these types of programs are available to families who only have the time and financial ability to provide such opportunities for their children. It brings us so much pleasure to know that your support allows us to offer this type of programming to our patrons.

Sincerely,

The Staff of the Children's Room  
at the Peabody Institute Library