

The Wish Fountain

By: Emma L.

The air was fresh and the sky was blue.
And all the plants were covered with dew.
Down the sidewalk I ran, to the Brewer Fountain was my plan.
Very tired I felt 'till I took a breath of that fresh morning air
I felt so revived, I thrived
I found a penny, a nice shiny penny so smooth and so metallic
It shone in the sunshine as I threw it in the air
It whoosed and fell with a splash in the fountain
Oh that fountain, it is beautiful as a mountain
The original was shown in the Paris World Fair
But they look very similar if you compare
Bronze and 22-feet tall
Not at all small
The sculptures!
Of Neptune and Amphitrite,
Acis and Galatea
They may be bare
but are beyond compare!
I made a wish on that one day
For all good things and no dismay
Then in the sunshine I ran off to play

The Boston Common Brewer Fountain

By: Kiki M.

The Brewer Fountain

A replica of one from **France**

Bestowed by Gardener Brewer

The water seems to **dance**

Located on the Common

For all eyes to **view**

We are gathered on this special day

To celebrate a holiday that is long **overdue!**

The Boston Common's Brewer fountain
By: Madison R.

Oh the Brewer Fountain
Like a mountain
May be a copy of one from France
But it makes people want to dance
Not at all small
Because it is so tall
It lightens everyone's spirit
The sculptures, gods and spirits
Acis and Amphitrite, Neptune and Galatea
So elegant and pretty,
Though it's not a pity
The water is flowing
And people are going
While the wind is swishing by
It is so beautiful it makes us want to cry

The Brewer Fountain

By: A.L.

Made by Juan Auguste Edouard Liénard
Celebrating water systems influx
Made beautifully with bronze and not scarred
A nice fountain looking very deluxe

Initially created in Paris
Sculpted for the eighteen fifty-five fair.
The fountain standing there looking clarus
All the other copies are very rare

There's four gods and goddesses on the base
Each of them representing the water
The fountain inside a beautiful place
Will always stand there and not be altered

The fountain is called the Brewer Fountain
Near the old trimount making a mountain

Brewer Fountain

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Represents the City of Boston. Th-

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Wer Fountain was seen in

Eighteen fifty-five, it was

tRansported to its current position in Nineteen seventeen, yet the

Fountain wasn't ren

Ovated, (even though it needed it)

Until 2009, and

This day, on June fourteenth, the m-

ayor will declare Th

is day, June 14, Brewer

Fountain**N** Day

By A. H.

The First Brewer Fountain Day

By Andrew L.

We are here to commemorate the reopening of the Brewer
Fountain

Our celebration could be seen from any mountain

We are here to honor the provenance of a historical monument

We mustn't sign any documents

The reason this is so important is because

This extraordinary piece of history still looks as it was

When it was first donated

By a merchant who took the original fountain and migrated

The original from France

If you get a chance, take a glance

If you stay

You should hear the mayor say,

“This will be the first Brewer Fountain Day!”

Beautiful Fountain

By Andy T.

Have you ever seen that wonderful fountain

So beautiful and majestic

It's made out of 15,000 pounds of bronze

It's name is Brewer Fountain

It stands at 22 feet

Such a beautiful fountain given by a man

His name was Gardner Brewer

It was made in 1855

Sadly, it stop functioning in 2003

But a major repair reopened it in 2009

It was rededicated on May 26, 2010

Made in Paris by an artist named

Michel Joseph Napoleon Lienard

What a marvelous fountain still standing in the Boston Common

The Brewer Fountain
Ava D

estaba caminando
en el parque cuando,
Vi una hermosa fuente
que el agua brotó de la
picos que eran hermosos
decorado con diseños. El agua
¡Parece fresco y bebible! El color de
la fuente era un hermoso bronce y color
dorado. El color de la fuente brilla en la luz.
Fue construido en 1855. La fuente de Brewer es muy famosa.

I was walking
in the park when,
I saw a beautiful fountain
that water gushed from the
peaks that were beautiful
decorated with designs. The water
It looks fresh and drinkable! The color of
the fountain was a beautiful bronze and colored
golden. The color of the source shines in the light.
It was built in 1855. The Brewer Fountain is very famous.

Brewer Fountain

by C.G

One of the most prominent tourist sights in Boston
standing tall near the state house
is the Brewer Fountain

The great figures at the base
were designed with such grace
standing 22 feet tall
spouting water like rainfall

The magnificent fountain was never to cease
the show of the water as it put people at ease

big, beautiful, and made out of bronze
gave the perfect effect on the hallowed icons

sculpted for the Paris World Fair
it had to be designed with such care

given to boston by old Mr. Brewer
made incredible by a hewer

Brewer Fountain By C.S.

The Brewer Fountain
Shining in the sun
The water is glistening
To bring lots of fun
People walk by
And don't know why
The fountain has a feel
Of mystery
But little do they know
It's full of history
While only few understand
Many learn
Because they want to know
The fountain is a legacy
Passed down from years
Many have learned
What it has to say
The Brewer Fountain
Is finally realized
For its strange design
And legacy
From past generations
Now we see
It's history
Of old New England's memory
As it floated by sea
To its rightful place
As old New England's legacy.

Brewer Fountain Poem

The Brewer Fountain is a beautiful sight to see
Whenever you visit Boston Common,
You'll see that the fountain brings people lots of glee
It's a good place for family and friends to learn,
About the Brewer Fountain and the great history alone
If you live near Boston Common, it is easy to discern
About 22 feet tall and 15,000 pounds,
Made of a beautiful bronze
And is rare to find in almost every town.
It is located near the Freedom Trail,
Where slaves escaped from their masters to be free.
Some had succeeded and some had failed,
But they will never give up to gain their freedom.

While gods and goddesses sit under the water,
They look as graceful as angels rising up to the sky
It's like the day is beginning to getting hotter and hotter
When the water comes out and onto the ground,
People sitting there watching the fountain
Hears the water, yet making no sound

-By D.M.

The Brewer Fountain

By Derek K.

The Brewer Fountain is a nice sight for a viewer

It's a gift from a man named Gardner Brewer.

It was 1800 when in Boston he was born

But In 1874, his life was then torn.

Years before he died, he sent a gift that's neat

It's now in Boston Common, where it's near Tremont Street

The Paris World's Fair was where it was first displayed

And now on this day, attention it should be paid

The Brewer Fountain

By Jack L.

Brewer was a prosperous individual
and a

Rich merchant who was

Eager to make his city proud

Which he loved to make it stand out

Everyone thought the fountain was a

Ridiculous and bizarre gift

From Paris World Fair 1855 where

Brewer bought a

Outstanding replica

Under the fountain and

Near the base

Their stood some

Architectural Figures

Incredibly designed

Near perfectly cast in bronze

The Brewer Fountain Poem

By Jolie N.

The Brewer Fountain
Is as great as a mountain
It was a gift
That came swift
The fountain was a copy
But was not made sloppy
The fountain was moved elsewhere
And in 2007 it had a repair
The fountain is in a popular
destination
It is on the Boston Commons'
Foundation
It is in an area called Park Street
And the Plaza is where people meet

Brewer's Fountain

by J. G.

The Brewer Fountain
sprays water into the sky
like a waterfall
made by a wise guy
who was born in 1800
and died on June 3rd
the fountain has gods and goddesses
like Neptune and more

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By Kevin Y.

A Poem Of
The Fountain

See a fountain
Everyone is sitting near
Water moving everywhere
Under the fountain,
Gods of water are here,
Sitting peacefully,
It is odd I'd say
I know this place
It is the Brewer Fountain I'd see!

Brewer's Gift by M. C

On the 3rd of June, in eighteen sixty-eight
Garden Brewer's fountain functioned with a fate
A copy in bronze, of the fountain that won the gold
In Paris where it stood so big and bold
Brewer's majestic fountain, a symbol of water
Of the new system people hoped wouldn't falter
On the base of the fountain Poseidon the god of the ocean sat with pride
His wife Amphitrite the queen of the sea was by his side
The spirit of Acis river was the next in line
By the Galatea the sea nymph who was looking so divine
Above the deities were young children who were looking so fine
The fountain was planted in Boston Common, near Brewer's Beacon Street Home
Where it spewed our water and stood strong like a dome
Then in 1917 when Brewer had long passed
The fountain was moved to Tremont St a land so beautiful and vast
It was the place where people enjoyed their days
Where children became friends and shouted and played
However after almost a century the fountain and its once beautiful land was about to
fade
The people of Boston heard its cry and came to its aid
A foundation helped to restore
So the fountain would be divine and beautiful once more
They made it made not just a fountain but a place to talk, a place to play
A place for people to smile and spend their days
They made so that in the dark of night
The fountain shall shine with light
No longer is it just a symbol of water but a symbol of grace
And now on the 150th anniversary of this fountain we will come together to celebrate
Garden Brewer's gift that we shall always embrace.

Brewer Fountain

By O.G.

The Brewer Fountain is it's name,
Built in 1850, in **Boston Common**,
Famous, beautiful, with lots of fame
At night it glows with gold and light,
Water spewing, from the fountain,
Big, tall, sturdy,
Like a mountain

The water from the spout comes by
Spewing, spraying passersby
Not a place for troublemakers
More so for the peacemakers
Made of marble and stone
No architect can make
A clone
Of this beautiful fountain,
The man of the mountain
Is even awed by this masterpiece
Nations will be shocked and
All go to peace
Nothing can defeat this artwork
Not war, not even a man
Going berserk
All the leaders bow down to
This piece of work
JFK, Washington,
And Ataturk
Not only mortals
But gods too
They are the immortals
Even **Shakespeare**
Can't use words to describe this
Piece of work
Even with teamwork
Brewer Fountain's water remains
Breaking, busting, the slave chains

Beautiful Fountain

By: R.Z.

New Brewer Fountain

A gift to the City of Boston

It is beautiful

A 22 foot bronze fountain

Fountain in Boston Common

Is a 15,000 pound fountain

Fountain near Park Street

The very pretty fountain was also 6.7 m

The fountain is also 6,800 kg

A beautiful fountain
By Selina C.

It's a gift to the city
By Gardner Brewer

A public art in the Boston Common
Created in Paris ,then casted in the U.S.

To celebrate the water system
With water gods and goddesses

It is a great piece of art

Located in Tremont St

Where people can walk by, and admire it

It's a beautiful fountain as you can see

So I hope you like it as much as me

Brewer Fountain

Beautiful design of water gods and spouting dolphins pouring out water slowly

Remembering since even though it was built a very long time ago, we still have the fountain here today on the Boston Common

Engraved with different water gods

Water flowing from the fountain as it acts like a little sprinkler

Enormous as the original weighed approximately 50,000 pounds

Replica of the real one that was displayed in the Paris World Fair of 1855

Famous because it was shown on the Paris World Fair and people now know it as it is in the Boston Common

Old as it first began to function on June 3, 1868

Unique as there are about only five Brewer Fountains in the world

Nineteen seventeen is the date when the Brewer Fountain was

moved to the Boston Common

Tall as it stands at 22 feet in the air

Accomplished as it's major repair began in 2009 and was reopened a year after in 2010

Intriguing as it has a beautiful work of art originally designed by French artist, Michel Joseph Napoleon Lienard

Nevertheless, the Brewer Fountain still remains a famous and enjoyable fountain in Boston

Shriya C.

Brewer Fountain

By Victor. L

By day it is a Fountain

Really **tall** like a **mountain**

Everyone admires that

Water is in a **format**

Efficient innovations must no longer remain a **mystery**

Rich in so much **history**

Forgiving **nature** with praise so munificent

O' so magnificent

Under the **sky**

No one can say why

That it shouldn't be **repaired**

A **wonderful** Fountain shared

In the *Boston Common*

Nature and **love** are made **together** so it is not forgotten

Brewer fountain

Kandia B. jr.

The most beautiful fountain

It is a fountain like no other

In the night time the fountain will blossom in the light

It is an artwork that is so beautiful

The Brewer Fountain is like a mountain

It is so big and tall and it is free to all

Brewer Fountain is the best fountain ever

The water is like crystals and it is so clear

It is an awesome fountain and when it rains

It is a main fountain in the commons

It has been there since 1855 and it is still there

The Brewer Fountain is unusual and amazing

The Brewer Fountain is so bountiful

A masterpiece, it is also a centerpiece

The gods and goddess on the fountain are nice artwork

It is amazing and jaw dropping, it is like no other

The Brewer Fountain
By S.C.

What a **awesome place to be**
Come join in the fun
Express emotions to see
It's **community**
Shows the world that we **are one**
Water bubbling
Different people sitting
Gods, myths stacking up
Gardener Brewer makes
A **wonderful** gift to take
To **congratulate**
The system of the water
As a **final** gift

Brewer Fountain

By Emily Y.

Boston Common is where it is
Represents the community well
Everyone praises its **wealth**
Water is crystal clear
Equally as good as the **culture** here
Remade and restored by **people**

Full of **history** from the past
Other tourists come to admire it
Underground its pipes had rot
Neptune and **Amphitrite** engraved in its stone
Twenty-two feet tall
A **jewel** of the Boston Common **shines** once more
It is admired by all
Now it stands before us **tall** and strong