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Raising a glass

Kathie Cornelius, left, of East Taunton, pictured with Courtney Genovese, center, of South Boston and Kimberly Derr, right, of East Bridgewater, toasted The Greater Boston Food Bank on May 6 at The Yawkey Distribution Center for the Food Bank's annual Food Banquet. The event, which attracted 450 guests, raised more than \$777,000 for the Food Bank's continuing efforts to meet hunger demands in eastern Massachusetts, surpassing the night's \$750,000 goal. The night included a live auction with Sports Illustrated's Peter King, New England Patriot Matt Light and Billy Costa and Jenny Johnson of TV Diner. Auction items included a Nantucket weekend featuring a stay at Union Street Inn and dinner at American Seasons, an Ultimate Tailgating Party at Gillette Stadium and a Red Sox experience at Hotel Commonwealth's new luxury Baseball Suite.

