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ARBOR DAY — In Harambee Park in Dorchester yesterday, (above left to right) Leasia Ward of Roxbury, Luis Sota of Jamaica Plain, and Mike Nonni of Arlington, all volunteers with Youth Build, planted a red maple, one of dozens planted in the park ahead of Arbor Day, which is celebrated today. Below at left, Jen Rowen of Allston, a volunteer with Boston Cares, dug a hole for a tree. At right, Penelope, a 10-week-old golden retriever, planted herself in a hole that her owner, Sherri Brokopp (holding shovel), was preparing for a tree. One thousand trees will have been planted in Boston by the end of this month in a collaborative effort by the city and the Urban Forest Coalition.

