



AT A GLANCE

Boys & Girls Clubs provide a safe, affordable place for kids and teens during critical out-of-school time. They offer life-changing programs and services to youth all across America and on U.S. military installations worldwide.

MISSION

To enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.

VISION

Provide a world-class Club Experience that assures success is within reach of every young person who enters our doors, with all members on track to graduate from high school with a plan for the future, demonstrating good character and citizenship, and living a healthy lifestyle.

CLUBS HELP KIDS LEAD HEALTHY LIFESTYLES AND AVOID RISKY BEHAVIORS.

Clubs play an important role in providing a safe space to exercise, compete in team sports and establish lifelong friendships. Teens who stay involved in a Club are more likely than their peers to have healthy habits, including being physically active and abstaining from risky behaviors like drinking alcohol, smoking and using marijuana.

*Regularly attending Club teens are less likely to use marijuana than their peers, with 88% of 12th graders reporting abstaining, compared to 72% nationally.**



*Based on a 2015 study by the Institute for Social Research and the School of Public Health at the University of Michigan.

CLUBS HELP TEENS GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL, PREPARED FOR A GREAT FUTURE.

Each year, 1 in 5 high school students fails to graduate on time. Ensuring that every Club member graduates from high school on time with a solid plan for their future is of the highest priority for BGCA. Boys & Girls Clubs offer homework help, tutoring, educational enrichment and college preparation programs designed to support young people's academic achievement.

*Regularly attending Club members ages 12 to 17 from low-income families outperform their peers academically, with 74% reporting getting As and Bs in school, compared to 67% nationally.**

CLUBS FOSTER GOOD CHARACTER AND CITIZENSHIP.

Throughout more than a century of existence, Boys & Girls Clubs have worked to foster young people's integrity and good character, their ability to make positive life choices, their belief that they can bring about positive change in their communities, and their compassion and willingness to serve others.

*Regularly attending Club teens are more likely than their peers to volunteer in their community at least once a month, with 66% of 12th graders reporting volunteering at least once a month, compared to 29% nationally.**

For more information visit our website at www.eldoradokids.org or call (870) 863-8753

* BGCA's 2015 National Youth Outcomes Initiative Outcomes Report

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BY THE NUMBERS 2018

6,322
Youth Served

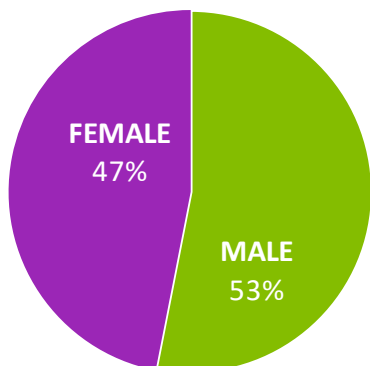
2,610 Registered Members

3,712 Youth Served Through Community Outreach

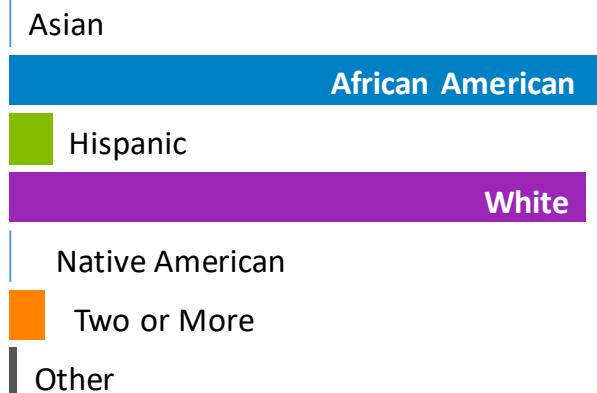
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GENDER



ETHNICITY



On a typical day,
296 Children
Participate in a
variety of programs
offered at the
Club.

781 Adult staff and volunteers

- 27 Adult professional staff
- 726 Volunteers
- 28 Board members



Because of the great support of local individuals and businesses, our after-school program is only \$10 a semester per child. Our low annual fee ensures that every child has access to our programs. No child is ever turned away due to the inability to pay.



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