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OUR HISTORY

In 2022, the Boys & Girls Club which initially started out as the Chief City Area Boys Club in the early 1970's led by Mr. Murray Wallace, Principal at Washington School who saw a need for a youth organization where kids could go after school to participate in activities will celebrate 50 years of service. The first Chief City Area Boys Club began by a group of concerned and dedicated citizens opened a youth facility on Plum Street.

The Club moved to Main St. behind what was then the City Hall and is currently a parking lot behind the Old City Hall Shoppes, Route 66 Museum, and the Livingston County War Museum. In 1978 the Club moved to Ladd St. which previously was the Ladd St. School. The Humiston Youth Center was opened in 1986 at its current location of 1303 E. Indiana Avenue which housed the Boys Club. In 1990, following the national organization's lead, the name changed to the Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County.

In January of 2018, Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County merged with Boys & Girls Club of Prairie Central in Fairbury. Boys & Girls Club of Prairie Central has been operating in Fairbury since 1985. We have three other locations located in Chatsworth, Forrest and Chenoa. We offer sport programs to all members 4 years old through 6th grade. We currently offer soccer, basketball, t-ball, baseball, softball and volleyball. We also offer teens a positive place to go two nights a week.

The Club operates with a responsible, caring and professional staff and a governing Board of Directors. The board of directors is made of 11 people and we are always looking for volunteers to join us on our crusade to keep the Boys and Girls Club of Prairie Central moving forward. We operate on a tight budget with the help of generous local sponsors, the Community Fund, membership and sport fees, Office of Juvenile Justice Department Grant and the TeenReach Grant. Every day, the organization serves over 200 youth a day. The organization has a long history of serving youth is known as one of the long-standing pillars of the community.

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Our Locations



Pontiac



Fairbury



Forrest



Chenoa



Chatsworth

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WHO WE ARE....



Our Mission

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

Our Vision

To 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.



Our Commitment to Inclusion

Boys & Girls Clubs of America supports all youth and teens--of every race, ethnicity, gender, gender expression, sexual orientation, ability, socio-economic status, and religion--in reaching their full potential.

A LOOK BACK AT 2020...

5,359 Total Youth Served



Average Daily Attendance: 172

29,548 Meals Served
34,198 Snacks Served

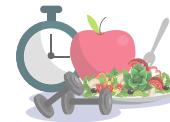
3 Priority Outcomes:

Academic Success



Character & Citizenship

Healthy Lifestyles



Our Clubs & Programs:

4 Sites

Pontiac

Fairbury

Chatsworth

Chenoa



Our Clubs & Programs:

\$30 Membership Fee



30 Staff Members



What is Youth of the Year?

For more than 70 years, the Youth of the Year program has honored and celebrated the nation's most inspiring teens and their incredible journeys.

Each year local teens apply and compete to represent local youth, serving as an ambassador for Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County.

Great Futures Breakfast Sponsorship Opportunities

Great Futures Sponsor	Whatever It Takes Sponsor	Change Agent Sponsor	MVP Sponsor	Ambassador Sponsor
\$5,100	\$2,550	\$1,680	\$650	\$300
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> --Supports year-long programming for 2 youth --Table for 8 --Co. Banner at event --Visual Branding --Recognition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> --Supports year-long programming for 1 youth --Table for 6 --Visual Branding --Recognition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> --Feeds 1 youth for the year --Table for 4 --Visual Branding --Recognition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> --Supports 10 memberships and 10 sports registrations --Table for 3 --Visual Branding --Recognition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> --Supports 10 memberships --Table for 2 --Recognition



Xavier Watson was our 2020 Youth of the Year recipient! Xavier first joined the Club in 2013. During Xavier's tenure at the Club, he has been an active participant in our teen program, a dedicated Junior Staff member and a positive role model for our younger Club members. Xavier's positivity and personality is contagious to be around. While at the Club, Xavier enjoys playing basketball and outside of the Club he enjoys playing video games and hanging out with his friends and family. We are excited to see what is in store for Xavier's future! We know he will do great things!

SPECIAL EVENTS

TASTE OF LIVINGSTON COUNTY



Our annual tasting event raises funds for critical programming that occurs on a daily basis at the Clubs. It includes a live auction, silent auction, program and tastings from local food and beverage vendors!



SPECIAL EVENTS

Screaming Eagle Cabernet Sponsor

\$1,000

- 4 admission tickets
- Logo on banner at event
- Visual Branding
- Recognition

Rose Room Sponsor

\$750

- 2 admission tickets
- Logo on banner at event
- Visual Branding
- Recognition

Sapporo's Space Barley Sponsor

\$500

- 1 admission ticket
- Logo on banner at event
- Visual Branding
- Recognition

Wine Glass Charm Sponsor

\$200

- Logo on banner at event
- Visual Branding
- Recognition

MIGHTY VERMILLION DUCK RACE

The Mighty Vermillion Duck Race is a time-honored event that brings supporters from all over the state! The Duck Race supports programming and operations of our organization!

Sponsorship Levels

Mallard Package (\$2,000)

- 50 ducks, advertising and 5 T-shirts
- Provides 50 memberships

Pintail Package (\$1,000)

- 35 ducks, advertising and 4 T-shirts
- Supports STEAM, tutoring and Teen programs

Webfoot Package (\$500)

- 25 ducks and 3 T-shirts
- Provides after-school snacks for 150 youth

VIP Duck (\$350)

- 12 ducks and 2 T-shirts
- Provides program fees for 10 youth

Quacker Backer (\$200)

- 5 ducks and 1 T-shirt
- Provides memberships for 5 youth



Endowment Funds

What is an endowment?

Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County's endowment funds are permanent charitable funds from which the Club draws income every year. The Club's endowment funds provide operation flexibility and stability, allowing the Club to focus on emerging needs!

Partners in philanthropy?

Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County partners with the Prairie Lands Foundation to administer its endowment funds. Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County benefits from the Foundation's pooled investment management capabilities and donors can be assured their gifts will permanently support the efforts of ALL Club sites.

About the Foundation...

The Prairie Lands Foundation is a charitable organization established in 1972. The Foundation strives to address and anticipate community needs by providing leadership and coordination through grant-making and fund development.



How you can make a difference...



You can help ensure the longevity of our organization and sustain our important work with our community's youth by investing any amount to one of the Club's established endowments or by starting a new endowment with a gift to the Club. Gift's of \$100,000 or more allow you to establish a new endowment and give you exclusive naming rights for the endowment.

Endowments



What area speaks to you?

Currently, the Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County has two established endowment funds in which donors are able to invest funds. The donor is able to pick which area they would like to invest in.

1

Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County Operating Fund

Supports operations and capital expenditures for the Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County.

2

Boys & Girls Club of Prairie Central Operating Fund

Supports operations and capital expenditures for the Boys & Girls Club of Prairie Central.



Possible Endowments. What is your dream for the Club?

These proposed endowments are only possible ideas. An endowment fund can be created by you that provides for whatever you are passionate about at the Club. The possibilities are infinite.

***Your Name Here* BGCOLC Technology Endowment**

Covers the cost of replacing technology in the Club as it becomes worn out or obsolete.

***Your Name Here* BGCOLC Building & Maintenance Endowment**

Provides support for the necessary purchase or replacement of equipment and maintaining an existing facility to provide a safe, attractive, well-functioning building and program area.

***Your Name Here* BGCOLC Special Program Initiative**

Provides support for Board and staff directed program initiatives to address unique or critical needs of the community as they develop.

***Your Name Here* BGCOLC Staff & Professional Development Endowment**

Provides support for training, professional development and recognition for the development and retention of BGCOLC staff.

***Your Name Here* BGCOLC Secondary Education Endowment**

Provides for extra educational support beyond what is available at school to youth in a college or trade school, where necessary in classes in which they are struggling.

Program Sponsorships

Athletic Program

Platinum Club \$1,200+

- 6+ team sponsorships
- Business name & logo on all shirts for all teams
- Color banner with business name that will hang at ball fields and facilities
- Recognition on website & Facebook
- All announcements sent to parents/schools and community
- Thank you in newspaper w/ logo

Premium Club \$800-\$1,199

- 4-5 team sponsorships
- Business name & logo on all 4-5 teams of your choice
- Recognition on website & Facebook
- All announcements sent to parents/schools and community
- Thank you in the newspaper w/ logo

Gold Club \$600-\$799

- 3 team sponsorships
- Business name and logo on all the shirts for your teams
- Recognition on website & Facebook
- Thank you in newspaper w/ logo

Silver Club \$400-\$599

- 2 team sponsorships
- Logo on all the shirts of your teams
- Thank you in the newspaper w/ logo

1 Team \$200

- 1 team sponsorship
- Logo on all the shirts of your team

Back-A-Kid \$65

- Pays for a child's registration and membership for one sport



Wi-Fighterz Robotics Team

Steel Level \$10,000

- Business name & logo on all shirts for the team
- Color Banner with business name & Logo that will hang at all competitions and facilities
- Logo will be on the Robot
- Recognition Website & Facebook
- Thank you in newspaper w/ logo
- Announcement and Thank you on Radio
- Recognition at the High Schools

Bronze Level \$5,000

- Business Name & Logo on the shirts for the team
- Color Banner with business name & Logo that will hang at all competitions and facilities
- Recognition on website & Facebook
- Thank you in the newspaper w/ logo

Aluminum Level \$2,500

- Business Name on the shirts for the team
- Color Banner with business name & Logo that will hang at all competitions and facilities
- Recognition on website & Facebook

PVC Level \$1000

- Business Name & Logo on the shirts for the team
- Color Banner with business name & Logo that will hang at all competitions and facilities

Other \$ _____

- Business name on banner



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Mentoring Program

If you are interested in providing one-on-one support or mentoring in small group settings, our mentoring program is the best fit for you! As a mentor, you would be matched with a youth(s) and commit to meet with them at the Club at least 4 times a month. During your mentoring sessions, you will work with youth in developing goals for youth and assist in helping them achieve those goals. If interested, complete a volunteer form background check and contact the Club at 1-815-842-3089.





Sports Program

Every year, Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County hosts a variety of sports leagues and every year the Club looks for dedicated coaches to mentor youth and teach them the fundamentals of the sports the youth participate in. If you are interested in having fun and becoming a coach, complete the volunteer form above, background check and contact Athletic Director, James Bohm at athletics@bgclivingston.org or 1-815-842-3089.

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OPPORTUNITIES

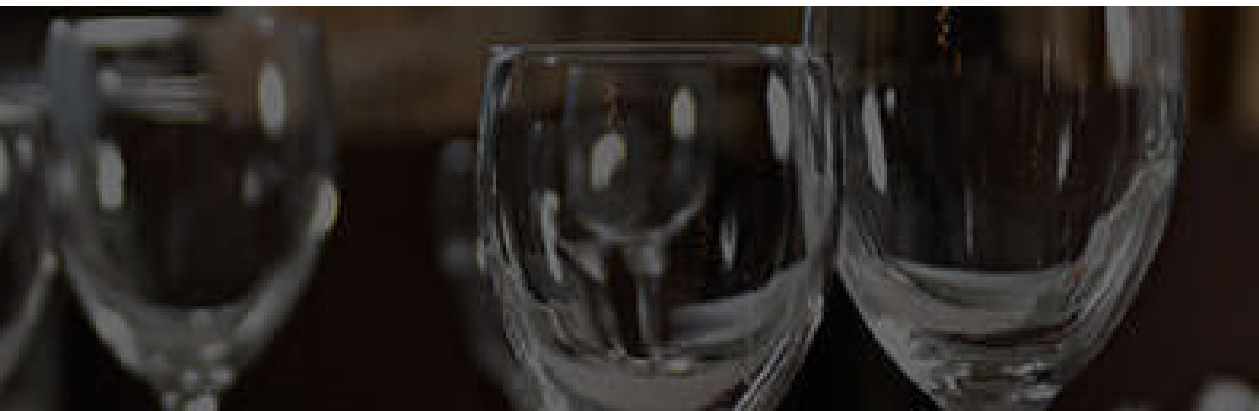
Special Events

Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County hosts a variety of special events throughout the year that help support the operations of the organization. Event volunteers help in a variety of ways (ie. committee members, registration, set-up/tear down, etc.) to ensure the success of each event.

Fundraising Events

- Great Futures Breakfast (Pontiac & Fairbury)
- Mighty Vermillion Duck Race
- Taste of Livingston County

VOLUNTEER
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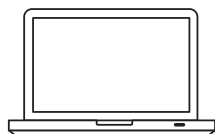
VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Group/Corporate Volunteers

We also welcome businesses and other organizations seeking project-based volunteer opportunities. Short-term opportunities also are available. So, if you are unable to make a long-term commitment, you can still get involved. Contact the Club if interested at 1-815-842-3089.

Support Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County

Ways to give...



**Visit
bgcolc.org/donate**



**Send a gift via
debit/card card.
Information below.**



**Send a gift via check.
Information below.**

Credit Card Payments (one time or recurring)

Please charge \$___ per month to:

OR charge a one-time gift of \$___ to my:

VISA **MASTERCARD** **DISCOVER** **AMERICAN EXPRESS**

Monthly Charge Date: _____ Card Number: _____

Exp. Date: _____

Security Code: _____

5th

20th

Gift By Check

I have enclosed my gift of \$___ payable to Boys & Girls Club of Livingston County

Personal information (Complete for both credit card or check)

Name:

Billing Address:

Phone:

email:

18 Please mail to: Boys & Girls Club---PO Box 311 Pontiac, IL 61764



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