

ANNUAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP

FOR AS LOW AS

\$10



PROVIDES A CLUB MEMBER WITH

- 1 A safe place to go after school
- 2 Positive relationships with trained adult mentors
- 3 A clear path to a college education or post-secondary opportunities

HOW YOUR DONATION SUPPORTS OUR MEMBERS:

- \$5,000 DONATION = Support for 500 kids
- \$2,500 DONATION = Support for 250 kids
- \$1,000 DONATION = Support for 100 kids
- \$500 DONATION = Support for 50 kids
- \$250 DONATION = Support for 25 kids
- \$100 DONATION = Support for 10 kids

Club-Based Programs

Our club-based programs focus on character and leadership development of our younger members. We offer a variety of program options including STEM, academic support, sports, health and wellness, creative arts and mindfulness activities.

School-Based Programs

School-based programs focus on supporting our teen members. In partnership with area school districts, we provide our members with the resources and experience needed for bright academic futures. Our program serves over 1,300 young adults, helping them to complete AP courses, graduate on time, and successfully begin their post-secondary college careers.

Other ways to get involved:

- Volunteer
- Mentor
- Fundraise

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our Dane County youth

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OF DANE COUNTY

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HELP OPEN DOORS TO GREAT FUTURES



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TIA'S STORY

My name is Tia Pointer, and my life has been forever changed because I attended of the Boys & Girls Club of Dane County- this is my story.

As a child growing up in poverty and raised by a single mother, I often times lacked the necessary resources to succeed in school. The Boys & Girls Club changed that, and because of the amazing program leaders, tutors, and opportunities I received, I was able to understand and reach my full potential.

As I grew up and continued my educational journey, I have always wanted to give back to the club as a way to service others. I was hired as an Administrative Assistant for the AVID/TOPS Program, which is a position within the Boys & Girls Club. I have been able to help high school students realize the importance of secondary education. Part of my job is to plan college visits for the students so they receive exposure to higher education opportunities and guest speakers so they are motivated to take on the journey. I have been in this position for two years and I can honestly say inspiring young people to realize their full potential never gets old.

Now enrolled at Madison College and in its Liberal Arts program, a 2 year transfer program, I am pursuing an education in Business Marketing and Real Estate. In the summer of 2017, I was able to participate in an internship opportunity provided by the club as a member of their Special Events team. This opportunity has allowed me an inside look as to what a potential career with the degree I am seeking would be like and has also taught me valuable skills such as advocating for myself, prioritizing deadlines, time management, and public speaking. I am extremely grateful for the opportunity and I will never forget the amazing people I met along the way who are still in my life today.

My journey with the Boys & Girls Club of Dane County began over 10 years ago and continues to grow daily. My family understands the value the club provides to children and we continue to support the club in any efforts we can. Not only was I able to participate in club programming, my nieces and nephews are now enrolled in club programming as well. The Boys & Girls Club helps them just as it did me; academically and socially. I know because of the club, they will be productive and responsible members of society.

Whether you give your time, talent or treasure, thank you for choosing to support the Boy & Girls Club of Dane County so more children can have the same opportunities as I did.

Tia



KYLE

The Boys and Girls Club is good for me. I like the gym and really love playing scatter ball. I have a lot of friends here and I get to come to The Club with one of my best friends. I also like the art room. It's great because I get to work on painting kits. Mr. Adrian is my favorite staff because he will always stop to say hi to me. Miss Kat and Mr. Steve are really nice too.



MICHEL

Boys & Girls Club and the AVID/TOPS program was able to get me an internship at Ryan Brothers Ambulance this summer. I got to ride in the ambulance with patients and sometimes help as well as shadow billing and dispatch. The whole process was worth the new knowledge I acquired throughout the internship. The time I spent at Ryan Brothers Ambulance made me realize how important all the other jobs, aside from direct patient care, are to health care. Having real interactions with patients helped to affirm my pursuit of a career in nursing. In the next couple of years, I hope to stay connected with Ryan Brothers Ambulance and possibly get another internship in college.

100% of AVID/TOPS participants graduated and had **at least one college letter of acceptance**



BGCDC provided over **165,000 nutritious snacks and home-cooked meals** to our youth and community last year

FOOD INSECURITY affects **100%** of households below the federal poverty level in Dane County

88% of BGCDC members qualify for free or reduced lunch

BGCDC served over **7,500** Dane County youth in 2017

90% of our members are youth of color

51% come from single-parent households

74% live at or below the federal poverty level



BECAUSE OF YOU...

Boys & Girls Club of Dane County will inspire and empower all young people, especially those who need us the most, to reach their full potential as productive, responsible, and caring adults.



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- \$500 \$250 \$100
- Other \$ _____

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(Make checks payable to BGCDC)

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