



2019 COMMUNITY IMPACT REPORT

What is the Washington State Association?

The Association is a collaboration of 19 independent member organizations located in Washington. The Association drives collective impact for all Clubs in Washington. The Association exists to deepen the impact and mission of Boys & Girls Clubs in communities across Washington through communication, resource development and collaboration. Altogether we serve over 74,328 Club members in 140 Club sites across 21 counties. Clubs serve an additional 50,454 youth through community outreach programs. The Association has three strategic priorities: High Impact Programs, Mobilization of Stakeholders, and Sustainable Funding.

Mission

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



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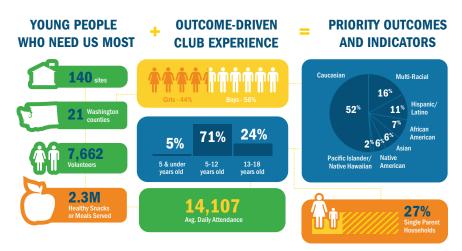
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PROGRAMS

Boys & Girls Clubs are open after school and during the summer to provide children and teens with a safe place to go where they can connect with caring adults. Professional staff and volunteers use a combination of locally developed programs and those developed and tested nationally by Boys & Girls Clubs of America in the following Program Impact Areas: Academic Success, Character & Citizenship, and Healthy Lifestyles.

FORMULA FOR IMPACT



ECONOMIC IMPACT STUDY RESULTS!

For every \$1 SPENT Washington Clubs generate \$12.30 OF POSITIVE ECONOMIC IMPACTS in their local community.

Eisenberg, D., Hutton, D.W. 2015. Estimating the return on investment for Boys & Girls Clubs. Report from the Institute for Social Research and School of Public Health. University of Michigan. Ann Arbor. MI.

Academic Success



86%

of Alumni say the Club helped them graduate from high school

Good Character & Citizenship



91%

of Alumni say the Club helped them develop a sense of responsibility to give back to the community

Healthy Lifestyles



96%

of Alumni say they participated in recreation and exercise at the Club

Boys&Girls& Safe Places& Mentorship& Graduation



Whatever It Takes to Build Great Futures.

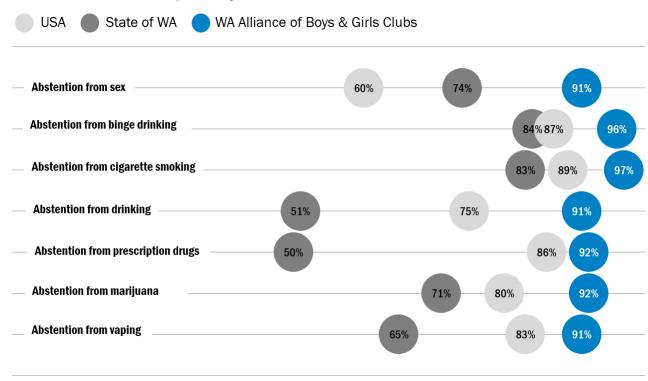


Boys & Girls Clubs of Washington State has received state funds through the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction of Washington State since 2015 to implement the Academic Innovation and Mentoring (AIM) Program to provide students in high poverty communities with academic mentoring. In 2019, 462 students at eight Boys & Girls Clubs across the state participated in AIM, with 74% of students demonstrating improvement in English Language Arts and 67% demonstrating improvement in Math by the end of the school year.

Each local Club partners closely with their school district, ensuring collaboration between Club staff, teachers, counselors and administrators.

BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS PREVENTION PROGRAMS PRODUCE RESULTS

Risk avoidance behaviors reported by teens:



Sources: 2018 WA Healthy Youth Survey, grades 8 and 10; National 2018 Youth Risk Behavior Survey, ages 13-15.



Teaching Club youth to make healthy lifestyles choices in diet, exercise and personal growth is a priority at the Boys & Girls Club.

Programs include:

S.M.A.R.T Moves. Using a team approach, Club members interact with staff, mentors and community leaders as they learn how to resist substance and alcohol abuse as well as premature sexual activity

Passport to Manhood & S.M.A.R.T Girls Club boys and girls participate in small group mentoring designed to encourage healthy attitudes and lifestyles, enabling early adolescents to develop their potential

Triple Play A comprehensive health and wellness program strives to improve the overall health of Club members ages 6-18 by increasing daily physical activity, teaching good nutrition and encouraging healthy relationships.

Athletics Club youth's participation in organized sports builds skills and healthy lifestyles, and encourages teamwork and positive sportsmanship.

Mental and Emotional Well-Being Clubs are focused on fostering an environment were our kids and teens feel supported in the face of increasing social pressure and instability.

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Instruction



7th Annual Keystone Summit.

The annual Washington State Keystone Summit is an opportunity for over 200 teens between the ages of 14-18 to come together to discuss critical topics and issues impacting youth today. The Summit develops and empowers teen leaders from throughout Washington State to bring positive change to their communities. Teens and Club staff participate in breakout sessions discussing topics identified and curated by local Club teens including youth suicide prevention, mental health, LGBTQ inclusion, political advocacy, networking and interview preparation, Youth of the Year, and community outreach. Over the course of the Summit, teens hear from powerful motivational speakers, engage in meaningful dialogue and discussion with their peers, participate in community service, and build relationships with fellow Boys & Girls Club leaders.



Addison Holland

2019 Youth of the Year. Boys & Girls Clubs of the Olympic Peninsula, Port Angeles, WA.

In 2019, Addison was a junior at Port Angeles High School. Addie has been a member of the Port Angeles Club for 12 years! On any given day you can find her at her Club working with younger members or in her community serving others. After graduation, Addison plans to continue her education at Western Washington University while studying social sciences.

Christian Ashford

2019 Military Youth of the Year. Boys & Girls Clubs affiliated Youth Center at Joint Base Lewis McChord.

In 2019, Christian was a junior at Steilacoom High School and a member of the Hillside Teen Center at JBLM. He was named WA State Military Youth of the Year in March 2019, and then earned the title of Pacific Region Military Youth of the Year in California two months later. Christian is passionate about promoting and encouraging cultural diversity in his school and community. Christian serves as the President of his school's Cultural Diversity Club, which he helped establish. After high school he plans to attend Virginia Tech to study engineering and serve as an officer in the U.S. Air Force.



CLUB SNAP SHOTS

Club Name	Members	2019 Sites	Year Founded	Website
Boys & Girls Clubs of Bellevue	6,720	15	1952	www.bgcbellevue.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Benton and Franklin Counties	4,478	17	1992	www.greatclubs.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Chehalis	297	1	2017	www.bgcchehalis.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of the Columbia Basin	1,670	7	1997	www.bngclub.org
Boys & Girls Clubs at Fairchild Air Force Base	334	2	2002	www.fairchild.af.mil
Boys & Girls Clubs at JBLM	1,181	1	1998	http://www.lewis-mcchord.army.mil/
Boys & Girls Clubs of King County	9,902	23	1943	www.positiveplace.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of the Lewis Clark Valley	3,233	1	1987	www.poweroftheclub.org
*Boys & Girls Clubs of the Long Beach Peninsula	417	1	2008	Club closed in late 2019
Boys & Girls Clubs at Naval Air Station Whidbey	452	1	1998	http://cnic.navy.mil/regions/cnrnw/ installations/nas_whidbey_island.html

^{*}Club closed in late 2019. These are 2018 membership numbers.

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Boys & Girls Clubs at Naval Base Kitsap	490	3	1999	http://cnic.navy.mil/regions/cnrnw/ installations/navbase_kitsap.html
Boys & Girls Clubs of the Olympic Peninsula	1,248	2	1987	www.bgc-op.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Skagit County	1,728	6	1995	www.skagitclubs.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Snohomish County	29,017	32	1946	www.bgcsc.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of South Puget Sound	4,131	9	1940	www.bgcsps.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Southwest Washington	2,465	6	2000	www.mybgc.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Spokane	1,575	2	2001	www.bgcspokane.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Thurston County	2,481	6	2001	www.bgctc.org
Boys & Girls Clubs of Whatcom County	2,509	4	1946	www.whatcomclubs.org
Total Clubs	74,328	140		





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