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A letter from our **President & Executive Director**

Dear Partners and Community Members,

Thank you for taking the time to explore our annual report and for your continued support of our youth and programs! It is through your support that we are able to create meaningful, lasting change in the lives of our youth.

This year has been one of exciting growth and new opportunities for the Club. We are proud to share that the Whittier Area Literacy Council and the Community Connections Program, both household organizations with rich histories of serving the Whittier community, joined us as official Club programs in providing literacy tutoring, college and career readiness, and leadership development to teens. These programs have significantly expanded our impact, equipping more young people with the skills needed to thrive in school and beyond. Additionally, our sports programs expanded across multiple Whittier area school districts, reaching nearly 2,000 students through organized sports activities.

In addition to programs expansion, we made substantial facility upgrades this past year. At our Main Clubhouse, we installed an elevator and renovated community meeting rooms and restrooms, ensuring our spaces are more accessible and better equipped to meet the needs of the youth we serve. At our Pico Rivera site, we established a state-of-the-art fitness center, providing youth with a quality, safe, and accessible space to aid them on their health journey.

In all, along with these advancements and our staple programs of tutoring, mentoring, STEM, arts, and prosocial recreation, we served 4,535 students across 41 program sites located throughout Whittier, Norwalk, Pico Rivera, and Santa Fe Springs.

As we look to the future, we remain committed to adapting and innovating to address the changing needs of our community. Your trust and generosity have made our progress possible, and for that, we are deeply grateful. Together, we can continue helping youth build brighter futures.

Thank you for being an integral part of our journey.



Oscar Hernandez Executive Director



Carl Cheffers President

Alumni Spotlight

Jenice's Story

For one Whittier family, the decision to send their daughter to the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera was simple. Living nearby, with her grandparents, the Club offered a convenient, safe space where Jenice could be active, engage with other kids, and take advantage of the many programs. For Jenice, it wasn't just about activities—it was about belonging.

"I loved sports, but it wasn't just about that," she recalls. "I liked being there with kids my age, not just adults. It was my space, where I could feel free and safe."

Looking back, she credits BGCW with helping her build confidence and develop the skills that would shape her future. "The Club made me feel like there was a place for me, a space where I could grow," she says. "It gave me a sense of belonging that inspired me to become a teacher, working now with high school students."

Today, with 14 years of teaching experience, she's pursuing a bachelor's degree at CSULB while continuing her work in La Palma and Anaheim. And although she no longer resides in Whittier, she remains deeply connected to her roots. "Whittier is my hometown," she shares. "It's a tight-knit community, and when I had the chance to participate in the Boys & Girls Club's Youth Day Job Fair, I jumped at it. I wanted to give back."

Now, as she continues her career and education, she hopes to return to Whittier to teach at Rio Hondo College and give back to the community that shaped her. "I wish I could bring my daughter to the Club. It's a place that helped me become who I am, and I'd love for her to experience that same support."

For this former member, the Boys & Girls Club wasn't just an after-school program—it was a place that nurtured her growth and connected her to her community.

2005 because I was drawn to the organization's mission and potential.

Seeing the incredible growth we've achieved since then has been deeply rewarding. I am proud to be part of this journey as we continue to expand our impact.

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Carl Cheffers, BGCW Board President



A Family's Journey

The Moore family discovered the invaluable support of the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera. With its strong community ties and partnerships with local schools, the Club was a natural choice for the parents who were looking for a nurturing environment for their daughters. During COVID-19, the Club's utilization of online schooling helped preserve the girls' educational progress, allowing them to navigate the challenges of the pandemic with resilience.

Under the guidance of caring leaders, the daughters flourished, gaining essential social skills and forming meaningful friendships. The Club's programs, including a homework club with teen tutors, offered academic support, while extracurricular activities like Smart Girls and Choir sparked their enthusiasm for learning and self-expression.

The Boys & Girls Club provided crucial support for the parents, allowing them to pursue their careers in education without sacrificing their children's quality of life. The nurturing environment alleviated parental guilt, ensuring the girls thrived academically and socially.



The girls have performed in about 5 choir performances. They love the chance to get dressed up and perform for the community. They have been thrilled by these opportunities and it has really increased their self-esteem and ability to perform in front of an audience.

- Laurel Moore, Parent

Clubhouse Improvements

Main Clubhouse Renovation

A community cornerstone since 1972, the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera's Main Clubhouse is housed in a former City of Whittier fire station. Being over 50 years old, the facility required significant upgrades to meet current safety and accessibility standards, particularly the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements. To address these needs, the Club launched a comprehensive renovation project in the past year aimed at enhancing accessibility, safety, and equity.

Key improvements included installing a passenger elevator to improve access to all areas of the two-story Clubhouse and renovating the restrooms to be fully ADA-compliant. The restroom upgrades included installation of grab bars, widening doorways and partitions, and installing accessible toilets and sinks, to ensure ease of use for all members.

In addition to these critical accessibility upgrades, the Club undertook broader renovations to modernize the second floor of the Main Clubhouse, which had not been updated in nearly four decades. Four new community meeting rooms were created, featuring new works stations and collaborative meeting spaces, and flooring throughout the second floor was replaced to enhance safety and esthetics. These improvements reflect the Club's commitment to providing a safe, welcoming, and more functional environment for its rapidly growing membership and workforce.

Thank you very much to Congresswoman Linda Sanchez, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, City of Whittier, and the Ahmanson Foundation for their generous support of our renovation project.





6 It's amazing to witness the significant growth our club has achieved this past year. We're now over 400 employees strong! I am eager to see how our workforce embraces innovative approaches in our after-school programs, ensuring we continue to meet the needs of all children in our surrounding communities.

- Mark Chen, BGCW Board Member

I'm honored to stand behind The Boys & Girls Club, which is making a real difference in the lives of our young people. It's more than just a place for teens to spend time after school-it's a hub for growth, mentorship, and opportunity. These programs help keep our kids off the streets and engaged in activities that build character, leadership, and a sense of community. I'm proud to support an initiative that fosters not only academic success but personal development, giving our teens the skills and confidence they need to reach their full potential. Together, we're laying the foundation for a brighter, safer future for everyone.

- Alberto Carrillo, Chief of Police El Rancho Unified School District



Pico Rivera Club – Community Fitness Center

In the spring of 2024, in partnership with L.A. County 4th District Supervisor Janice Hahn and the El Rancho Unified School District, the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera officially opened its doors to the El Rancho Community Fitness Center. Aimed at combating youth obesity, related youth health risks, and to promote increased community wellbeing, the El Rancho Unified School District generously provided a 1,500+ square-foot space, which was transformed into a state-of-the-art fitness center through generous funding provided by Supervisor Hahn's office.

This fully equipped facility offers multiple commercial-level weight and cardio training machines, ensuring local teens have access to quality fitness resources. To help coach and mentor young people in their fitness journey, local Sheriff's officers and other trained volunteers facilitate fitness training sessions, offering their guidance and expertise.

These services and access to the fitness center are provided free of charge to all teens in the Pico Rivera community.





Community Connections Program

Welcoming Community Connections to the Club Family

The **Community Connections Program** provides undergraduate students with valuable real-world work experience through partnerships with local colleges and community organizations. This program offers students employment opportunities within key initiatives at the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera while serving the needs of the surrounding community.



Program Overview:

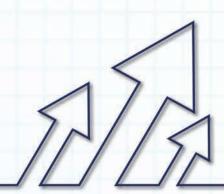
- Launch Date: July 17, 2023
- Collaborating Colleges: Rio Hondo College, Cal State Fullerton, Whittier College
- Target Population: Undergraduate students seeking hands-on, community-based work experience
- Number of Students: Funding through the BCM grant supports 26 college students yearround, with opportunities for rolling hires based on available positions



Key Initiatives and Student Placements:

- 1. CORE Program (High School Mentoring): College students serve as mentors, guiding high school students through academic and personal growth.
- Nuestra Voz (Parent Support Group): Students assist in teaching parents how to support their children's education, focusing on technology skills and academic support.
- Blooming Minds (Whittier City School District): College students support elementary and middle school students in developing key developmental skills and academic success.
- 4. Magic Realm (BGCW Main Clubhouse): A popular after-school program where students help facilitate learning and recreational activities for youth in the club.





We are thrilled to see the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier expanding its reach and impact in the community. Partnering with an organization that is making such a tangible difference aligns perfectly with our values, and we are excited to support their continued growth.

- Julia Emerson, Sr. Public Affairs Manager SoCal Gas Company

Community Service

Engaging Teens Through Community Service: The Playhouse Project

Through the newly established Community Connections Program (CCP), Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera teens participated in a hands-on day of skill-building and community service. In April 2024, thirty teens came together to build three colorful playhouses, each valued at \$2,000. In partnership with Habitat for Humanity and the Whittier Rotary Club, they learned basic construction skills, including painting, tool usage, and teamwork.

Led by CCP staff, the initiative fostered collaboration and personal growth. Whittier College fraternities and sororities, along with Rotary Club members, supported the project, while Habitat provided materials and tools. The teens designed each playhouse, choosing fun themes like Charlie Brown, Bluey, and a garden house. CCP also engaged Whittier College interns to document the project on social media.

Although initially apprehensive about using power tools, the teens grew more confident throughout the day and discovered a passion for hands-on work, with some even expressing an interest in trades. CCP's goal is to offer BGCW members opportunities to explore new skills, especially in areas where interest has declined in recent years.

The playhouses were donated to Habitat for Humanity, the Women and Children's Crisis Center in Whittier, and the BGCW clubhouse, showcasing the impact of community service and teamwork.



Lee Owens & Lifetime Achievement Awards

The Lee Owens Award was created to recognize a recipient from within Boys & Girls Clubs of Whittier | Pico Rivera's service area who exemplifies Lee's own spirit of giving. For more than 30 years, Lee was an avid champion for our Club's growth and development and a grand supporter who always stepped up when there was a need. But most of all he was a compassionate man who wanted to see our youth have a safe and fun place to call their own - place that was founded on respect for others, belief in talents, and the potential in us all.

Congratulations to Cheryl Estep for being our 2023-2024 Honoree



The Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera Lifetime Achievement Award is a recognition given to community leaders who have demonstrated exceptional commitment and service to our organization and who have dedicated many years to making a significant impact on our organization. The recipients are individuals who have consistently volunteered their time and efforts, while also contributing generously through donations to help further our mission.

Congratulations to Larry Clanton for being our 2023-2024 Lifetime Achievement Honoree



Athletics

Revitalizing Youth Sports: The (Re)Launch of the Mamba League



In January 2024, Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera welcomed a new athletic director who helped re-launch the Mamba League, marking a key step in our continued efforts to return to youth sports post-pandemic. The league included teams from districts such as Whittier, Little Lake, and South Whittier, with a special focus on increasing female participation. Members had the opportunity to participate in the 12-week program which featured six boys' teams and seven girls' teams, culminating in a championship tournament at the University of California's Galen Center where they competed with other Clubs from across Los Angeles County.

The Main Clubhouse boys' team and Ada Nelson School girls' team emerged victorious, highlighting the talent of our young athletes. The league's success reignited community spirit, with strong support from parents and coaches. Thanks to Nike, the program operates at no cost to participants, providing uniforms and gear. Practices are held twice a week, and games occur weekly, promoting teamwork and discipline.

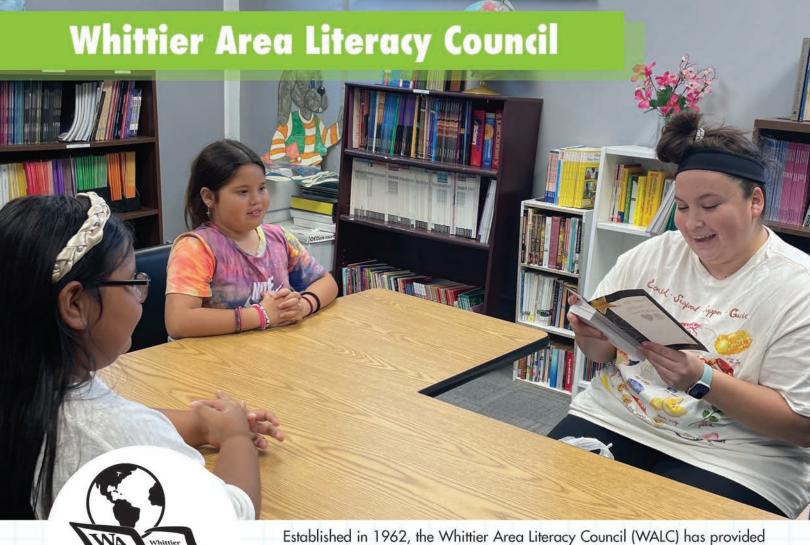
Looking forward, we aim to boost participation by starting promotions earlier and addressing transportation barriers for families, with hopes for more funding from Nike.

Every game, we had parents cheering from the sidelines, bringing goodie bags filled with snacks for the kids, and truly engaged in the games. The parents also expressed thanks to our coaches, which shows how this program has helped create amazing bonds between the staff and our families. It's a community effort, and it's incredible to see how everyone has come together to support our young athletes.

- Reno Lace, Athletic Director









cost-free yet quality literacy education to thousands of Whittier area residents over the years. The mission of WALC is to build a stronger, more literate community by connecting those who can help with those who need it most. To this end, youth and adults needing literacy assistance are matched with trained volunteers to receive individualized tutoring in reading and writing over a 12-month span.

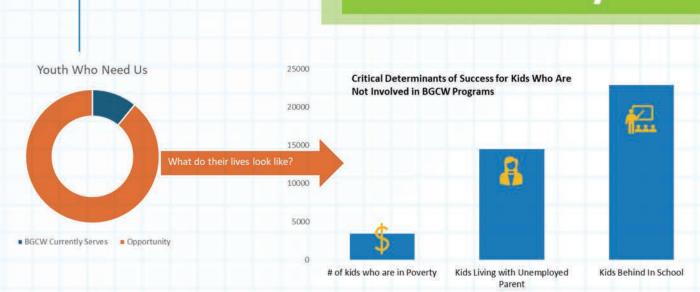
In the summer of 2023, WALC merged with the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier I Pico Rivera, becoming one of the Club's official programs.

We are honored to continue WALC's legacy of providing such vital services to the community.

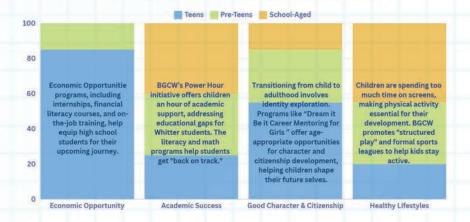
As the board secretary, I am incredibly proud of the remarkable growth BGCW has achieved this year. This progress is a testament to the dedication of our team and their unwavering commitment to our mission. Watching the organization evolve and expand our impact is truly inspiring, and I am excited about the next chapter of our journey.

 Jennifer Zamora. BGCW Board Member

Community Needs



Participation in BGCW Programs (by age group & program impact)



Great Futures Start Here



The Boys & Girls Club of Whittier is more than a safe place for kids; it's a cornerstone for developing the skills and values that will shape our next generation. Supporting this Club is a commitment to a better, more prosperous future for everyone in our community.

Mary Ann Pacheco,
 Whittier City Councilwoman
 Former Board Member
 Monthly Donor

of our longstanding partnership with the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier (BGCW). We applaud BGCW's commitment to supporting youth in reaching their full potential and are honored to support the Smart Chef nutrition program.

This partnership has spanned from Registered Dietitians engaging youth through creative classes to supporting staff with meal planning. PIH Health has also directed funding to support this vital initiative.

Together, we share a commitment to promoting lifelong healthy habits.

Vanessa Ivie,
 Marketing & Community
 Benefit Coordinator
 PIH Health

Financials & Impact

2023-2024 Financial Income

Individual Contributions	3%	\$ 332,097.85
Foundation/Grants	22%	\$ 2,284,386.05
Program Income	11%	\$ 1,148,396.39
Contracts/Government Funding	62%	\$ 6,568,371.09
Corporate Support	1%	\$ 99,160.00
In-Kind Contributions	1%	\$ 124,440.82
		\$ 10,556,852.20

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Los Nietos School

District is excited to continue our partnership with BGCW which has already made a meaningful impact for our families.

BGCW's dedication to education and student success aligns seamlessly with our mission, and together, we aim to create enduring opportunities that support and uplift the students we serve, extending far beyond the classroom.

James Hickey

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The Boys & Girls Club has truly been a blessing for my family. My children benefit immensely in various ways—mentally, emotionally, and socially.

They enjoy clear advantages like homework help, time with friends, and exposure to music, arts, and athletics. Just as important are the less visible benefits: the safety of the environment, engaging activities that keep them off screens, and the chance to interact with trusted adults.

This setting allows us to work and support our family, knowing they're cared for by wonderful staff. I've seen significant growth in their awareness, knowledge, and most importantly, their self-esteem. The positive changes brought by the club exceed any parent's hopes. The Boys & Girls Club has enriched our lives immeasurably, and we are incredibly grateful.

Jason Clardy,
 Parent of BGCW Members

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We wholeheartedly support the Boys & Girls Club because it equips our young people with the skills and confidence they need to thrive, ultimately fostering a stronger Whittier. The Whittier Police Department is proud to be part of this effort.

 Chief Aviv Bar, Whittier Police Department

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Supporting the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier and Pico Rivera is the soundest investment we have made for youth in the area. Their Leaders in Training program provides teens with a pathway for success in high school and the tools they will need to reach their goals once they graduate and beyond. We believe in their leadership and staff and knowledge as youth development professionals. Boys and Girls Club of Whittier and Pico Rivera have a proven vision for the future and it is evident in their exemplary alumni.

Allan Young, Managing Director
Pacific Youth Foundation

6 East Whittier City School District is proud to partner with BGCW. We see it as a meaningful investment in the future of our students and community. Their commitment to education and student success aligns perfectly with our mission, and together, we can provide opportunities that extend far beyond the classroom for the students we collectively serve.

 Dr. Marc Patterson, Superintendent East Whittier City School District

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What is the Heritage Club?

The Heritage Club is a group of dedicated supporters of the Boys & Girls Clubs who, like you, are committed to ensuring the future well-being of our youth. Members of the Heritage Club make a lasting impact by including the Boys & Girls Clubs in their estate plans, which may involve a will, charitable gift annuity, trust, or insurance policy.

How Can I Become a Member of the Heritage Club?

Becoming a member is simple! Please call us at 562-273-9361 or email development@bgcw.org. For more information, you may request that a planned giving representative contact you to discuss your unique estate planning options.

A Foundation for the Future

Your planned gift helps create a lasting legacy, ensuring that future generations will have the opportunity to lead successful and fulfilling lives in a safe, nurturing environment.

We invite you to join the Heritage Club by notifying the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier that you've included a gift to the club in your estate plan. In 2023-2024, Membership Grew to 4,535 Members, aged 5-18 41 Program Sites, Including 38 School Campuses

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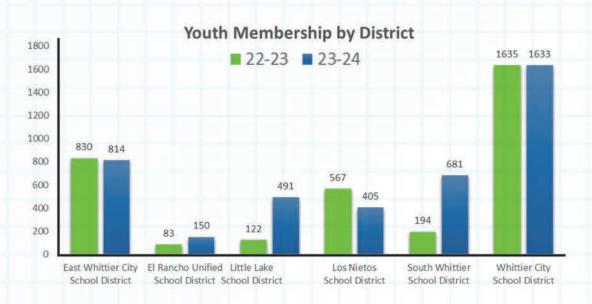
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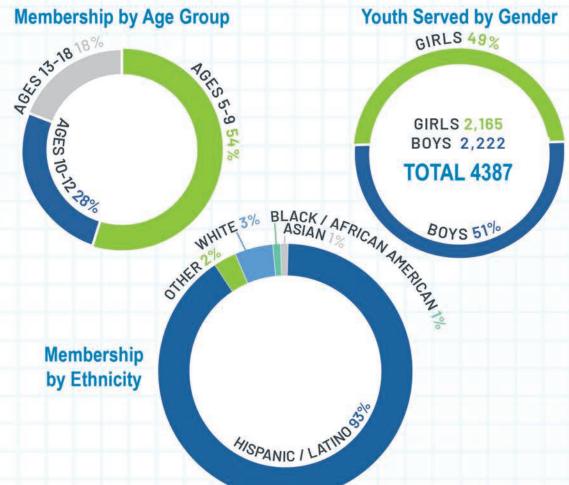
93% of Whittier Club students reported receiving C's or better and are on track to graduate from high school, compared to 82% of L.A. County's general student population

90% of Whittier Club students exercised five or more times a week, compared to 43% of the national youth population

71% of Whittier Club students consumed vegetables daily, compared to only 51% of the national youth population

91% of Whittier Club students reported feeling cared for by the adults at the Club









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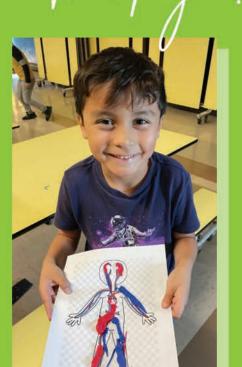
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The Boys & Girls Club of Whittier has been serving young people and families in Whittier and the surrounding communities since 1967.

MISSION

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

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 a healthy lifestyle.

PRIORITY OUTCOMES

Academic Success Good Character and Citizenship Healthy Lifestyles