## AT A GLANCE

Boys \& Girls Clubs provide a safe, affordable place for kids and teens during critical out-ofschool 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.

## ACADEMIC SUCCESS

By 2024, science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) jobs will increase almost 9\%, with non-STEM jobs expected to grow just 6\%. At this time, many students, particularly those of color and girls, lack the interest or skills to fill these jobs. Twelfth-grade Club girls, however, are three times as likely to express interest in pursuing a STEM career than their same-aged peers nationally.*

## 1,871

school-based Clubs


BGCA-affiliated
Youth Centers on U.S. military installations worldwide

## 1,057

Clubs in rural areas

312
Clubs in public housing

187
Clubs on Native lands, making Boys \& Girls Clubs the largest youth development provider to Native communities

## GOOD CHARACTER AND CITIZENSHIP

Youth who regularly serve their community are more likely to achieve greater positive outcomes throughout their lives. 70\% of Club 12th graders report volunteering at least monthly, compared to $38 \%$ of their peers nationally.*

## HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

While many schools don't offer students adequate physical education and recess time, Boys \& Girls Clubs provide youth with fun, creative ways to get moving. Nearly half (47\%) of Club girls in 9th grade exercise daily, compared to $42 \%$ of 9 th grade girls nationally; 66\% of Club boys in 9th grade are physically active every day versus $58 \%$ of their peers nationally.*

## BY THE NUMBERS 2018

# 4.73 million youth served 

Represents an increase of 430,000 over previous year

### 1.98 million registered members, including 588,000 teens

### 2.75 million youth served through community outreach

## ABOUT OUR MEMBERS

GENDER



On a typical day,
460,000
children and teens enter the doors of a Boys \& Girls Club

558,000 adults staff and volunterers
_ 67,000 adult professional staff

- 467,000 volunteers

24,000 board members

## BOYS \& GIRLS CLUBS OF AMERICA IS HIGHLY RESPECTED

In late 2017, Consumer Reports named Boys \& Girls Clubs of America one of the "Best Charities for Your Donations." BGCA was also recognized by the Chronicle of Philanthropy as "the nation's \#1 youth-serving organization" for the 23rd consecutive year.

