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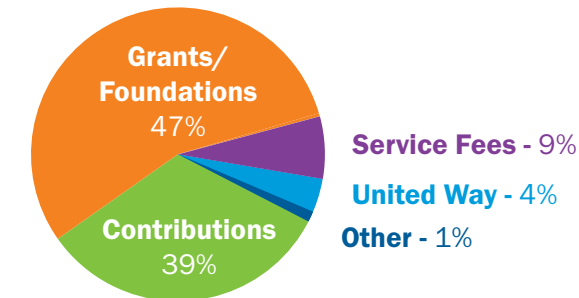
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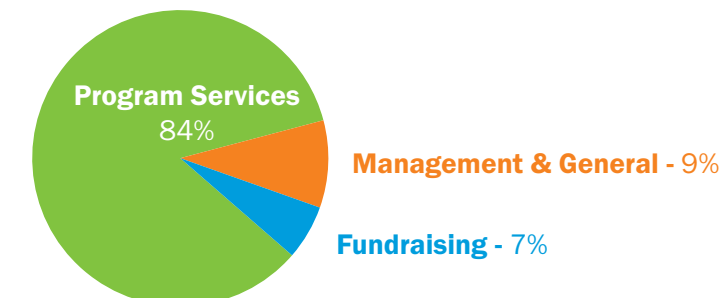
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## Revenue Breakdown



Revenue = \$5,326,887

## Expense Breakdown



Expenses = \$4,866,145

To view our full financials, visit [www.boysgirlsclubs.com](http://www.boysgirlsclubs.com).

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## Our Mission

Boys & Girls Clubs of Lanier inspires and enables all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.



## 2019 ANNUAL REPORT



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS  
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Boys & Girls Clubs of Lanier is grateful for the support of all our donors. Together we are opening doors of opportunity and changing lives. This list represents gifts given during the 2019 fiscal year (Jan. 1-Dec. 31, 2019).

\*Funding to increase summer learning opportunities for students



# Dear Friends



With the help of our supporters, community partners, staff, and volunteers, we continue to do whatever it takes to build great futures. In 2019 we maintained **15 Club sites across Hall and Forsyth Counties serving more than 7,000 youth** through after school programs, summer camps, sports leagues, and school day activities. We provided mentoring, tutoring and homework help; led programs teaching healthy habits and encouraging physical fitness; and offered a variety of enrichment activities from photography to keyboarding to culinary arts to equip our kids and teens with the tools they need to succeed.

We made much progress in 2019, and while we celebrate these successes, there is still more work to be done. We are here to ensure every youth who enters our doors leaves as a high school graduate with a plan for the future, and we are committed to doing whatever it takes to make that happen. Thank you for joining us. Your support helps thousands of kids chart their paths to a great future.

Sincerely,

Steven Mickens, Chief Executive Officer

# Program Highlights



Our programs help youth reach their full potential and become well-rounded individuals with a plan for the future. Here are a few examples of our more than **46 programs** encouraging academic success, good character and citizenship and healthy lifestyles.

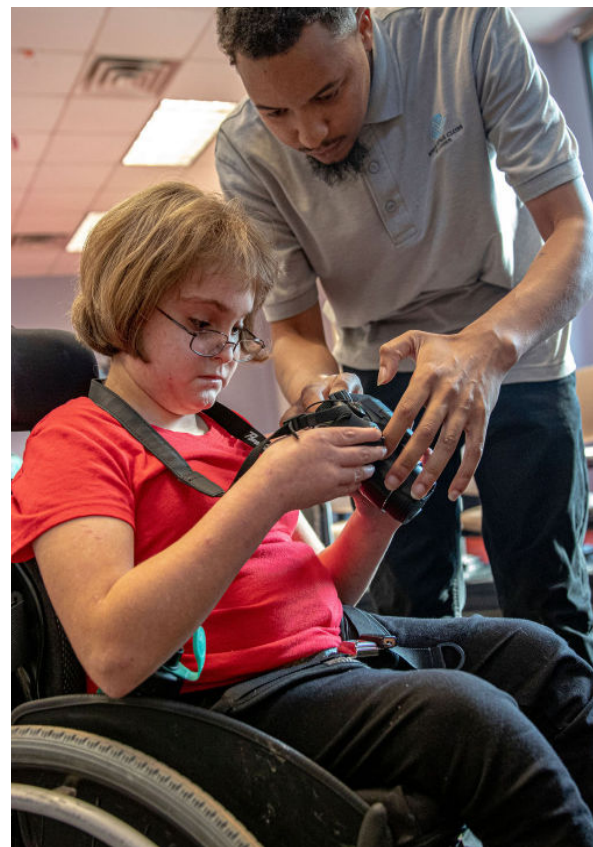
## ACADEMIC SUCCESS

**DIY STEM** uses hands on activities to introduce and promote interest in STEM. During the activities, members actively work through the steps of the scientific method and the engineering design process making connections between scientific principles and real-world applications! Members built bridges, made lightbulbs, and even built a robot!



## GOOD CHARACTER AND CITIZENSHIP

The **PeaceBuilders program** creates a safe, positive learning environment by improving relationships and encouraging peaceful conflict resolution. This program equips children with the tools they need to understand the difference between hurtful and helpful behavior and how to address those behaviors. It promotes unity and a sense of belonging!



## HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

**Club Fit** travels to each of our sites to promote physical fitness within our clubs. Each week, they bring fun, interactive games that teach our members the fundamentals of sports, team games, cooperation, and fitness. Our members build confidence and gain motivation to stay fit, all while practicing a variety of gross motor skills!



## ENRICHMENTS

**Photography** enrichment helps youth better understand all aspects of photography from the basics of camera operations to how to take their photos to the next level. Students are taught different lessons and examples throughout the course that help them progress in the direction of a successful career in photography and video production or that help them learn new skills and discover and appreciate a new form of creative self-expression.

# Our Events

## Be Great Gala | October 15

The **Phillip Sartain Helping Hands Award** was given posthumously to John Gram for his long-standing commitment to touching the lives of thousands of young people, colleagues, volunteers and BGCL employees. A board member since 1985, John chaired numerous committees, task forces, events and activities, and during his tenure helped expand our programs from serving 100 youth to more than 7,000 youth annually.

Steven Mickens, CEO, and board chair, Abb Hayes present the Phillip Sartain Helping Hands Award to John Gram's children, Christina Gram, David Gram, Mark Gram, and Stephen Gram (not pictured).



**Hargrove Engineers + Constructors** received the **Building Great Futures Partnership Award** for their commitment to young people in our community through leadership and service. The organization began supporting BGCL through the Rubber Duck Derby in 2013 and continues to instill community spirit and volunteerism in their teammates today. Their enthusiasm for the work we do is evidenced by the more than 7,500 rubber ducks adopted by their teammates as well as years of supporting our annual campaign.

Susan Eaton and Brian Rhoades from Hargrove Engineers + Constructors accepting the Building Great Futures Partnership Award from CEO, Steven Mickens and board chair, Abb Hayes.



The Annual Rubber Duck Derby was held on May 11 and raised

# \$176,776



The Annual Holiday Golf Tournament hosted on October 11 brought in

# \$53,261

# 2019 Highlights

15

Club locations in Hall and Forsyth Counties



410

volunteers

231

employees\*

\*55% tutors



19,000

hours of tutoring provided



50,000+

meals and snacks served

## 7,269 total youth reached

2,798 members

had a safe place to go when school was out

+

4,471 youth

reached through community outreach programs

- **94% of Club members** believe that at the Club, "There is an adult who believes that I will be a success"
- **100% of Teen members** expect to graduate high school
- **92% of Teen members** plan to pursue secondary education after graduating high school

- **86% of Club members** believe they can make a difference in their community
- **75% of Club members** report eating three or more fruits/vegetables per day
- **93% of Club members** want to help when they see someone in need