

Club Impact

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Metropolitan Phoenix focuses on providing quality, life-enhancing programs to our community's youth living in some of the most challenging circumstances. The Club provides youth:

- A safe, positive environment
- Fun, family atmosphere
- Supportive relationships with peers and adults
- Opportunities and high expectations
- Positive recognition



The majority of alumni report a **positive impact on each aspect of their lives:**



57% of alumni said the Club saved their life

91% of alumni are **satisfied** with their adult life



86%

Ability to work with others

85%

Sense of belonging

69%

Emotional life

Critical Role

Experience shows that Boys & Girls Clubs play a **pivotal role in the lives of young people:**



15,000 youth will use drugs in the U.S. for the first time today

32,800 hours of peer pressure resistance training annually

85%

of alumni credit the Club **with teaching them right from wrong**

4,100

youth receive **prevention programming**

1,900

children receive **care and services** through our Dental Clinic

40 out of 50

Arizona ranks among the **worst states for the well-being of children**

"I wouldn't have dinner if I didn't eat at the Club,"

- Michael, age 8



Opportunities for Success



33% of Arizona youth will **drop out of school**

90% of Club alumni **graduate high school**

Education & Life Skills programs provide:

- Homework assistance
- Tutoring
- Skill-building
- Technology access
- College access programs

"The Club" Teen Centers provide a full range of targeted programs for teens

$$a+b=c^2$$

A national Harris survey polled three generations of Club alumni, **revealing dramatic and uplifting results:**

60%

said the Club was the **only safe place** to go in their neighborhood after-school

90%

said the Club was one of the **best things** available to them in their community.

67%

said the Club was where they **learned to say "no"** to drugs and alcohol



Lifelong Impact

Our mission: the Boys & Girls Clubs of Metropolitan Phoenix enables all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.

Generations of young people are inspired to a level of civic engagement that multiply efforts within--and outside--Club walls.



Juvenile crime more than **doubles during 3-7 p.m.**

Clubs are open **until 8 p.m.** to ensure kids have a safe place to be

92%

of alumni say that **helping others is a priority** in their lives

75%

of alumni say that they are **actively involved** in their communities



Our Programs

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Metropolitan Phoenix delivers nationally recognized programs that address today's most pressing youth issues, teaching young people the skills they need to succeed in life.



Education & Career:

99,000 hours of homework assistance
90% of alumni graduate high school nationally



Health & Life Skills:

149,444+ hot meals served
32,800+ hours of peer pressure resistance training



Character & Leadership:

76,800 hours of volunteer service
800 hours of specialized leadership training



The Arts:

1,600 kids in special arts programs
Photography, music, digital arts, drama, dance, crafts, mixed media, and more



Sports, Fitness & Recreation:

26,000 hours of physical activity
Lifelong leadership and teamwork skills

... and so much more

Your Investment

Your investment funds the life-changing programs and services at our Clubs. The Boys & Girls Clubs of Metropolitan Phoenix truly changes lives!



Fundraising, Management & General
*Fiscal Year 2007/08

Who We Serve

Positive programs, services and outreach activities in Phoenix and the West Valley impact the lives of more than 35,500 youth annually through 12 Clubhouse facilities, eight "The Club" Teen Centers, and a full-service children's dental clinic.

Ages

8% Age 5-6
66% Age 7-13
22% Age 14-17
4% Age 18

Ethnicity

42% Hispanic
25% African American
20% Caucasian
13% Other

Gender

43% Female
57% Male



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