



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF SOUTHEAST LOUISIANA

New Orleans

Our Mission

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

2020

IMPACT REPORT



“*Being a Club member has helped me overcome a lot of challenges in my life.*”

Joshua
Youth of the Year

Joshua has been a faithful Club member to our Slidell Unit of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Southeast Louisiana for the past 7 years and is currently a Junior at Salmen High School where he holds a 4.4 GPA. He states that being a member of the Club has helped him overcome a lot of challenges in his life and has made him into the person that he is today. We're thankful and fortunate to know him

The Club Experience

Boys & Girls Clubs fill the gap between school and home. We provide welcoming, positive environments in which kids and teens have fun, participate in life-changing programs, and build supportive relationships with peers and caring adults.



The Need in Our State

Every day 147,333 kids in Louisiana leave school with nowhere to go.¹ They risk being unsupervised, unguided and unsafe.

Our Reach



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Boys & Girls Club Site in Orleans Parish



825 = **194** Registered Members + **631** Youth Served Through Community Outreach
Youth Served

Member Demographics

85%

Ages 12 and Younger

15%

Teens

93%

Minority Races or Ethnicities

96%

Qualify for Free or Reduced-Price School Lunch

90%

Live in Single-Parent Households



Demonstrating Our Positive Impact



ACADEMIC SUCCESS

The Need

28% of young people in New Orleans fail to graduate from high school on time.²

What We Do

Our educational programs help ensure kids will be successful in school, keep them learning throughout the summer months, and prepare them to be globally competitive graduates.

Our Impact

Among our teen-aged Club members, **99%** expect to graduate from high school, and **90%** expect to complete some kind of post-secondary education.

The Need

31% of high-school youth in New Orleans were involved in a physical fight in the past year.³

What We Do

Our leadership and volunteer service programs empower youth to make good decisions and refrain from altercations. Club members report that they are better equipped to resolve conflict.

Our Impact

61% of Club teen members volunteer in their community at least once per year, while **30%** volunteer in their community at least once per month.



GOOD CHARACTER AND CITIZENSHIP



HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

The Need

34% of young people ages 10-17 in New Orleans are overweight or obese.⁴

What We Do

Our programs help youth engage in positive behaviors that nurture their well-being. Club members learn how to manage stress, demonstrate good teamwork, eat right, and keep physically fit.

Our Impact

61% of Club members ages 9 and older report getting at least an hour of physical activity on five or more days per week.

How You Can Help



With your generous support, Boys & Girls Clubs of Southeast Louisiana will create opportunities to help more kids and teens achieve great futures. To make a donation or to learn about other ways you can help, contact **Joseph Cirilo, Director of Development, New Orleans NFL YET Club, 504.577.2241.**

GREAT FUTURES START HERE.



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¹ America After 3PM, Afterschool Alliance, <http://afterschoolalliance.org/AA3PM/>

² <https://www.louisianabelieves.com/>

³ <https://datacenter.kidscount.org/>

⁴ <https://datacenter.kidscount.org/>