



2020 ANNUAL REPORT



Letter from the

BOARD PRESIDENT & CEO

Dear Friends.

2020 could have been the year that we closed our doors forever at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Huntington Valley. Nearly half the nonprofits in this country had to shut down their major operations during the pandemic. But, with the help of supporters like you who joined the fight to keep our doors open, your local Boys & Girls **Club is still standing.** Your support gives all of us at the Boys & Girls Club the strength, courage, and hope to believe that things will get better.

With hope, we can tell staff that our goal is to stay strong, stay steady, and accept that each day will bring us closer to the end of this journey. And it's been a long journey. Our staff are tired from long days, weeks, and months that each bring new challenges. But, because of supporters like you, we're still here, helping the kids and families in our community who need it most.

In fact, your local Boys & Girls Club here in Huntington Beach and Fountain Valley is the ONLY one between Long Beach and the Mexican border that NEVER CLOSED. When other Clubs shut down, we extended our hours and made new partnerships so we could reach essential worker families.

On that scary day in March when schools closed and our community shut down, we knew it was more important than ever to give every child a safe place to spend their days while their moms and dads put their lives on the line to keep our community safe and working hard toward recovery.

We made it through 2020, running full day programs not just at our preschools, but also at our school age Clubs every single weekday, because kids went to school online or only part-time in their schools' hybrid models. That change doubled the Club's hours of operation at our school age branches from 5½ hours a day to 11 **hours a day!** We're really proud that we were able to keep our promise to our community's kids and parents that the Boys & Girls Club will always be the place that they can count on. Not only that, we were able to do

it while keeping kids healthy at our seven Club sites. We're proud to tell you that there was no COVID-19 transmission at our Clubs in 2020!

Without you, it wouldn't have been possible to help kids SURVIVE AND THRIVE in the midst of this pandemic. We couldn't be more grateful that time after time, generous people like you have stepped up to help the Boys & Girls Club do Whatever It Takes for our community's most vulnerable members - our kids.

From food and mask giveaways to socially distanced in-person programming to online programming and so much more, you made it possible for the Club to go above and beyond for the families in this community. Thank you!

Knowing all the challenges that we have made it through together in 2020, as we look forward into 2021, we ask you to join us and all of the amazing staff at the Club and help us with hope. Together, we can hope and continue to turn our hopes into the actions that make great things possible in our community. Hope for love. Hope for kindness. Hope for understanding. Hope for our community's families to go back to work. Hope for struggling businesses to grow strong again. Hope for our children. And most of all, hope for a happier tomorrow.

We are a Boys & Girls Club family and you are a very special part of that. Thank you for the hope that your support brought to us in 2020 and the hope you bring to the future of this organization.

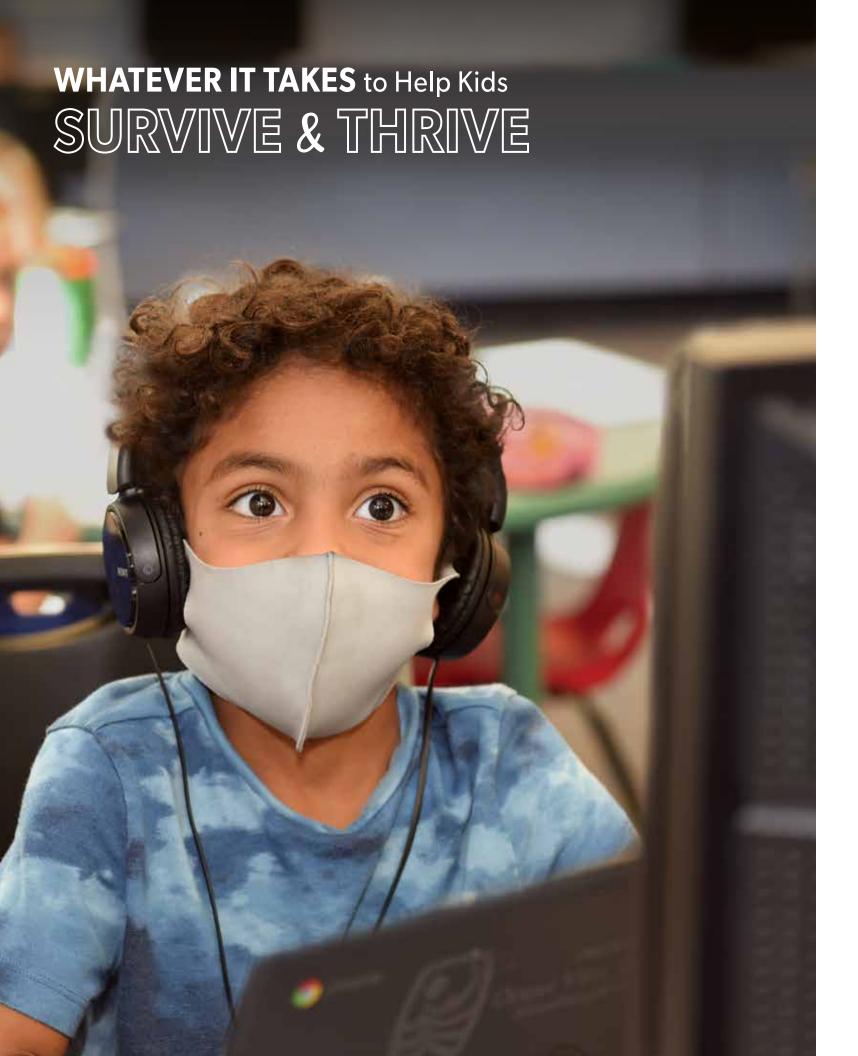
Sincerely,

Robert Handy

President, Board of Directors

Anya Hosse Tanya Hoxsie

Chief Executive Officer



SAFETY, STABILITY, AND SUPPORT

For School Age Youth

Being a school age kid wasn't easy in 2020. Routines and knowing what to expect of your world help us all feel safe and secure, but especially kids. As you know, 2020 was anything but routine. From March 13 when the schools shut down, kids were in new territory. They switched from regular in-person school to online-only to hybrid and back to online again and again. These kinds of changes aren't easy. It can begin to feel like you don't know what to count on. Throughout 2020, the Boys & Girls Club proved itself to be the place that kids could always count on.

When schools closed, the Boys & Girls Club stayed open. Schools closed down on a Friday and the Club began a full day program for kids of essential workers the following Monday, with no gap in services. The Club's staff jumped right in to giving kids the safest possible environment for the 11 hours each day that our school age centers operated.

At all our school age branches, kids could access their online learning, have fun doing activities like crafts, STEM, and fitness challenges. That regular routine gave kids a sense of normalcy that was notably lacking in their lives. And, the Club helped kids feel connected to friends and caring staff, which was so important when most people were feeling the strain of loneliness and isolation.

For the many children staying at home throughout the spring, the Club created online content, too. With daily activities live on Zoom and a series of Boys & Girls Club On Demand videos, kids at home got to do cooking

classes, art projects, science projects, fitness classes like yoga and aerobics, Zoom hangouts with friends, and lots more.

As we moved into summer the Club stayed open, every day from 7am – 6pm. Enrollment grew as more and more parents were able to go back to work. The days were long, but the work was worthwhile. That's because the Club could see that we were helping kids survive and thrive in the middle of the pandemic. The Club had given kids stability and a place to count on, but also a place to have fun just being kids in the middle of this long crisis.

As the new school year began, the Club transformed its four school age centers into learning centers. Each day, hundreds of children logged on to their classes on Zoom. The Club's staff took on new roles, like tech support and tutoring. And like always, they continued to be the caring adults that help kids when they need it most. They provided comfort when online learning or loneliness felt too hard. They helped kids build friendships even through the challenge of social distancing. They were kids' biggest cheerleaders when they needed encouragement. They helped kids make the best of this very challenging time.

Helping this community's school age kids survive and thrive during the COVID-19 pandemic hasn't been easy. The Club can only do it because people like you continue to make our community's children one of your top priorities. Thank you!

PRESCHOOLS PROVIDE STABILITY

for All Essential Worker Families

At the start of the pandemic, the Club reached out to the people that would need childcare the most during this crisis – hospitals. The Club developed partnerships with Hoag Hospital and Orange Coast Memorial Medical Center to provide childcare for their employees' children. Those partnerships provided stability for the Club by helping keep our preschools open for all essential worker families and provided stability for parents who are healthcare workers who needed childcare they could count on.

A mom from the Club's Robert Mayer Child Development Preschool says, "My husband and I are both ER nurses, and we've got a one year old and a four year old, who both attend the Boys & Girls Club's Robert Mayer Preschool. I will never forget working in the ER, watching the closures of the schools in surrounding counties, just waiting for the call from the Boys & Girls Club that they were closing their doors due to COVID-19. To my surprise, it NEVER happened. I personally called every day, worrying about what my husband and I would do with our children if everyone were home not working, while we remain on the front lines working overtime. Every time I called, I was consistently reassured in a sweet, loving, and supporting way, that the Boys & Girls Club would

remain open. I don't know what my family would do without the Boys & Girls Club."

While staying open for essential worker families, the Club's staff learned new screening protocols and implemented even stricter cleaning regimens than they'd had before. Most challenging of all, the Club had to help toddlers learn to social distance. It was hard for kids and staff, but they both became experts!

As businesses began to reopen, the need for childcare in the County became critical as most childcare centers had closed and remained closed. Initially, the Club was operating at 40% capacity due to COVID-19 social distancing guidelines. With ingenuity and careful planning, the Club found ways to increase capacity by adding dividers to classrooms. This allowed the Club to keep small groups of children in separate spaces so that by the end of the year, enrollment had grown back up to nearly 200 children ages 0-6 each week.

Through diligence, creativity, and working together with families, the Club kept kids safe throughout the entire year with no COVID-19 transmission at either of the preschools. And, our youngest members got the loving, nurturing, and educational care that families always know they can count on at the Boys & Girls Club.







INSPIRING POSITIVITY

at ClubHouse Academy

How do you put on a play when you can't be in the same room as your castmates and director? Can you teach dance technique through a computer screen or on your TV? The ClubHouse Academy's teachers and students worked together to find the answers to these challenging questions and many more throughout the pandemic.

When the governor's orders forced the closure of all in-person classes, the ClubHouse Academy went digital, with 25-50 classes each week offered online including dance, theatre, yoga, karate, and more. Whenever possible, the Club offered small, socially distanced in-person classes and kept the online option open throughout the entire year so that families always had access to the performing arts and fitness programs at ClubHouse Academy.

Among the Club's biggest challenges and successes with this format were ClubHouse Theatre productions. Small groups of kids practiced together on Zoom to learn their lines and get a general idea of the stage direction. Then, the Club brought the small groups together for a socially distanced performance in the

Club's gymnasium. Instead of performing on a small stage for an in-person audience full of family and friends, kids performed for the camera and each family received a recording of their child's performance. It was challenging, but fun, and kept the kids connected and having fun during this very difficult time.

Having the opportunity to be part of ClubHouse Academy's classes in whatever way possible made a big difference to Club members. A dance student named Elena comments, "Working with my dance teacher Allison Horner has been one of the best parts of my year. Her consistently positive attitude during classes was infectious and one of the main reasons why I pushed myself, even dancing from home. No matter the challenges, Allison refused to give up, and now more than ever, she has unconsciously taught me the power of a positive attitude. It really struck something deep within me and it made me want to emulate that."

In a year as infamous as 2020 for negativity, the Club is proud to have found a way to inspire kids with positivity!



HELPING OUR COMMUNITY'S MOST VULNERABLE YOUTH

at the Oak View Branch

The pandemic has been especially hard on our community's lowest income members, like the families in Huntington Beach's Oak View neighborhood. In that part of the community, where more than 90% of children are living in poverty, the Club operates a center for school age youth, completely free of charge.

At the beginning of the pandemic, when schools closed down, so did City buildings in Huntington Beach, like the one that the Club uses for the Oak View Branch. The Club's staff were worried about the kids. Most don't have internet access or computers, which meant little or no access to online learning. Plus, the kids in Oak View count on school and the Club to make sure they get enough to eat each day.

So, the Club's team quickly made a plan to safely bus children from the Oak View neighborhood to the Haynes Family Huntington Beach Branch. Working closely with Oak View Elementary and the Ocean View School District, the Club was able to contact the families that were most in need of extra support during this difficult time and start bringing the kids to the Club each weekday. Soon kids were learning, getting meals and snacks, taking home weekly bags of food for their entire family and having fun at the Haynes Family Huntington Beach Branch.

The Oak View Branch was re-opened as soon as possible and the kids got to go back to their home Club. Like our other school age branches, the entire facility was transformed into a learning center for the 2020-2021 school year. The Club made sure that every child had reliable internet access and the latest technology so they could keep up with online learning. And, with a meal for every child every day, no child ever goes hungry at the Boys & Girls Club.

FEEDING KIDS & FAMILIES

Lockdowns, layoffs, and furloughs took a big toll on families in our community in 2020. With limited work hours come limited incomes and it can be hard for families to keep cupboards and refrigerators stocked with food. Together with our community partners and supporters like you, the Club was able to make sure that Club kids, their families, and the whole community had access to healthy and nutritious food.

Thanks to partnerships with Second Harvest Food Bank, Surf City Rotary Club of Huntington Beach, Grocery Outlet, and Caterina's Club, the Club was able to offer kids a meal each day we were open, as well as snacks, cooking classes where kids got to eat their delicious creations, and even bags full of groceries for families to take home.

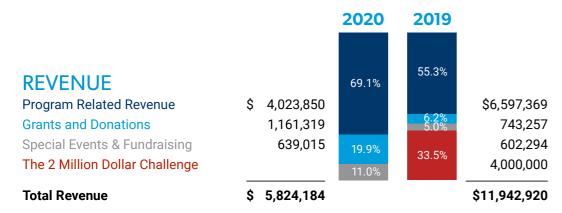
On top of making sure kids at the Club got enough to eat every day, the Club held multiple food giveaway events for the whole community. With help from the USDA, Farmers to Families and World Wide Produce, the Club gave away boxes of groceries with fresh milk, dairy products, fruits, and vegetables to hundreds of families. And, through a partnership with Waste Not OC, the Club handed out meals for whole families. During these drive-through food giveaway events Club staff and community volunteers loaded 2,500+ cars with groceries and meals benefiting thousands of families throughout Huntington Beach and Fountain Valley.





ACCOUNTING

WHERE OUR FUNDING COMES FROM



HOW WE USE OUR RESOURCES

2019 2020 **EXPENSE** 55.1% Program Services to Youth \$ 5,280,051 \$6,571,108 81.6% 715,507 **Management & General Operating** 777,234 6.5% 3.2% 1.7% 387,209 387,751 Capital Improvements & Repairs Special Events & Fundraising 86,402 201,561 11.1% 33.5% *The 2 Million Dollar Challenge 4,000,000 6.0% 1.3% **Total Expense** \$6,469,169 \$11,937,654

Numbers above do not include the Cares Act PPP loan or the SBA COVID Relief Loan totaling \$1,307,300.

*Revenue raised from the 2 Million Dollar Challenge Campaign in 2019 was directed to reduce new construction debt at the Kingston Technology Family Campus.

Unaudited and without depreciation.

\$460,067

Dedicated to scholarships in 2020 so low-income youth could benefit from the Boys & Girls Club

\$738,591 2021 Projected Operating Deficit



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for Changing Lives in 2020

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THE FIGHT FOR THE CLUB'S LIFE

The Secret Weapon is YOU

The Club had high hopes for 2020. In fact, 2020 was going to be "our year." The Club community had just done the impossible and raised \$4,000,000 in just 4 months at the end of 2019 in order to pay down the Club's mortgage. Without the big mortgage payment every month, the organization was ready to start investing in the infrastructure projects that had been put on hold for too long already. There were big plans! Fixing leaky roofs, resurfacing cracked parking lots, and upgrading HVAC systems were at the top of the list. The Club was poised to stop holding things together with bubble gum, shoe strings, and dreams.

Then, COVID-19 came along and changed everything. Instead of making 2020 the best year ever, 2020 became the year that the Club had to fight every single day for survival.

When national organizations like Boys & Girls Clubs of America were encouraging their affiliates to shut down to save money, or offer online-only programming, our organization did the harder thing and stayed open. In fact, this organization was the ONLY Boys & Girls Club between Long Beach and the Mexican border to stay open.

Staying open meant making hard decisions every single day in order to fight for the survival of this important 50+ year old community institution. All of the Club's peer institutions closed down and guidance from the government was slow to roll out and changing every day. So, the organization had to quickly develop its own safety protocols and procedures. Drawing on both longstanding and new partnerships with healthcare providers, first responders, and more, the Club became a local leader in COVID-19 safety for children. We developed the models that other Boys & Girls Clubs and youth agencies would follow when they eventually re-opened.

Along the way, there were many sleepless nights and a lot of tears. At the lowest point of the year, the Club had

to lay off 60% of its staff, just to help the organization survive one more month. Club CEO Tanya Hoxsie says, "When we had to make the hard decision to lay off most of our staff, that was the worst week of my career. We aren't a big box store with people on staff who come and go. We're a family of people who work here because we care about the kids and the Club. Not because we're making big dollars. 20 of the staff we had to lay off were Club kids that had grown up with us as members. Then, as young adults, they came back to the Club to work with us. We had to send them home and say, 'We hope we can bring you back soon.' It broke my heart. We got a \$1.1 million grant from the CARES Act Paycheck Protection Program that was like a miracle for us. We were able to start bringing staff back, and those Club alumni were some of the first people we brought back. They could have stayed home, making more money on unemployment than they do at the Club. But the Boys & Girls Club is where their heart is. So they chose to come back, working through a pandemic with all the risks that front-line workers take on. They do it for the kids. They want to make a difference for the next generation, just like the Club did

Even after receiving the PPP grant, the Club still struggled, facing a funding gap of \$100,000-\$150,000 each month. The community rallied to help keep this organization going through the worst economic crisis that the Club has ever faced. Thanks to you, the Club survived 2020!

CEO Tanya Hoxsie says, "The fight for the Club's life isn't over yet. Looking ahead to 2021, we're projecting a nearly \$750,000 operating budget deficit. But, I've seen how much love this community has for the Boys & Girls Club and the kids we serve. With this amazing community behind us, I'm filled with hope."





THE CLUB'S 1ST EVER VIRTUAL GALA RAISES \$500,000

Thanks to You

Each year, the Club counts on the "Great Futures Start Here" Annual Benefit Dinner and Auction for critical funding needs. Funds raised at the event make it possible for the organization to provide scholarships for low-income Club members and free programs like our Oak View Branch for extremely low-income youth. This year, even keeping our doors open became a critical funding need. However, COVID-19 made it impossible for the Club to bring together 600+ community members in a hotel ballroom for this event as we have always done in the past. In true 2020 fashion, the Club took the event online!

On Saturday, October 3, 2020, Boys & Girls Clubs of Huntington Valley hosted its first ever VIRTUAL "Great Futures Start Here" Annual Benefit Dinner & Auction. Instead of joining us in a ballroom, guests logged on from their living rooms! The Club's staff personally delivered more than 400 meals to watch parties all around the community. More than 50 small watch parties throughout Orange County and individuals all over Southern California and beyond logged in to watch

as the Club live streamed the event with performances by the kids, remarks from Champion of Youth honoree David Sun, and more. As they watched online, "guests" bid in the silent and live auctions from their phones.

The Club's silent auction was a big part of the new experience, too. It started with drive through gift giving parties throughout the year to collect silent auction items. Then, instead of creating gift baskets for display in a ballroom, each item got its own photo shoot and got boxed up for drive through pick up after the event. From boxed up dinners to boxed up auction items, the Club took the idea of a "Party in a Box" to a whole new level!

But more important than all the logistical changes that made this virtual event possible was one thing that never changed. This community's commitment to the kids. The Club is so grateful that hundreds of donors like you logged on to make this event a huge success, raising \$500,000 for the Club and the kids, at a time when they needed you more than ever.

Gift-Giving
Parties to Gather
Auction Items









Pre-Event Preparation

400+ Meals
Were Boxed by
the Hyatt and
Delivered by
Staff the Night
of the Event









Live Stream of
Presentations,
Auctions,
Performances,
and Watch Parties







Drive-Thru Item Pickup

CLUB LEADERSHIP

2020 Board of Directors

Boys & Girls Clubs of Huntington Valley is proud to have an engaged Board of Directors full of caring and dedicated leaders who volunteer their time to make a difference to the kids who need it most. This special group of men and women includes our community's elected officials, educators, law enforcement, business leaders, as well as parents and grandparents of Club members. The Club is grateful for their vision, leadership, and willingness to do whatever it takes for our community's kids.

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Remembering long time board members **Al Guidotti** and **John Collins** who passed away this year.

Their legacy of helping children at the Club will last forever.

Professional Leadership Team

Approximately 180 trained individuals comprise the professional staff at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Huntington Valley. Listed below is our Administrative Leadership Team. Not included are our Program Directors, Preschool Teachers, Youth Development Professionals, Office Managers and Assistants, Bus Drivers, League Coordinators, Sports Referees, Special Projects Staff, Contracted Performing and Fine Arts Instructors, and Facility Related Support Staff.

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Alejandra Morales, Unit Director Pacific Life Foundation Branch

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Sharanjit Dhaliwal, Site Director Robert Mayer Child Development Preschool

CLUB LOCATIONS



1. KINGSTON BRANCH, FOUNTAIN VALLEY 16582 Brookhurst St. • Fountain Valley 714-531-2582



2. HAYNES FAMILY HB BRANCH 2309 Delaware St. • Huntington Beach 714-374-2600



3. OAK VIEW BRANCH 17261 Oak Lane • Huntington Beach 714-842-5185 ext. 211

KINGSTON TECHNOLOGY FAMILY CAMPUS

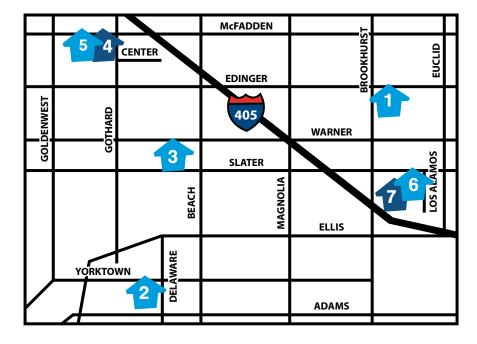


4. PACIFIC LIFE FOUNDATION BRANCH HARRY & JAYNNE BOAND GYMNASIUM 15645 Gothard St. • Huntington Beach 714-899-5900



5. ROBERT MAYER
CHILD DEVELOPMENT PRESCHOOL
15744 Goldenwest St. • Huntington Beach
714-891-4714

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6. LEARNING CENTER
CHILD DEVELOPMENT PRESCHOOL
17565 Los Alamos St. • Fountain Valley
714-593-1524



7. CLUBHOUSE ACADEMY
17569 Los Alamos Street • Fountain Valley
714-593-0753

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