BROCKTON, MA (September 9, 2019) – On Tuesday, September 10, Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro South will welcome members back through their doors to begin their after school programs for the 2019-2020 academic year.

At the Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro South, education is the cornerstone of all after school programs. Club members engage in fun and enriching programs and receive support to help improve their academic performance, creativity, and critical thinking and problem solving skills. Each afternoon, members can be found working on their school assignments and participating in a variety of educational games and activities. The Clubs also provide daily homework help and tutoring for all members.

On Saturday, September 7, the Brockton and Taunton Clubhouses each hosted a “Back 2 School Bash” to welcome new and returning members and their families into their facilities and provide the opportunity to meet the staff, tour the Clubhouses, and learn
more about the benefits of educational after school programming at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro South.

Along with their structured choice programs offered each day after school, the Clubs also offer a wide variety of specialty enrichment programs for members to dive deeper into their interest areas. These 8-week enrichment sessions offer something for every child, from cooking classes to pottery instruction to learning to fly drones. The first session of specialty enrichment programs begins on Tuesday, September 10. At the heart of each program is a commitment to instilling a life-long love of learning in each and every member.

In addition to contributions from individual donors, this commitment is sustained by the support of many generous corporate and family foundations who provide grant funding to fuel the mission of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro South which impacts more than 450 youth each day.

For the 2019-2020 school year, top funders of the Clubs’ core educational enrichment programs include: HarborOne Charitable Foundation, Sheehan Family Foundation, Wells Fargo, The Auriga Foundation, Harold Brooks Foundation, NiSource Charitable Foundation (Columbia Gas of Massachusetts), Bank of America Charitable Foundation, United Way of Greater Plymouth County, and United Way of Massachusetts Bay.

“When you look at everything families face these days, often there are kids that need mentoring, food or just a place to be appreciated,” said Briana Curran, Vice President of Communications & Community Relations, New England for Well Fargo. “The Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro South delivers that each and every day for their Club members and Wells Fargo is excited to support their work, especially during this period of growth for the organization.”

With the support of their steadfast funders and community members, this school year promises to bring even more opportunities for success for the Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro South and their members.

ABOUT THE BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF METRO SOUTH
The Boys & Girls Club of Metro South (BGCMS) was formed in 2019 through the merger of the Boys & Girls Club of Brockton (founded in 1990) and the Boys & Girls Club of Taunton (founded in 1902) and serves more than 2,500 boys & girls ages 4-18 each year. The Clubs’ nationally recognized out-of-school-time enrichment programs help kids establish positive relationships with peers and adult mentors, succeed in school, lead healthy lifestyles, develop good character and leadership skills, and so much more. Visit www.bgcmetrosouth.org to learn why “GREAT FUTURES START HERE!”