



BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
OF ASSABET VALLEY

Our Mission

The mission of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Assabet Valley is to promote the growth of young people in our community by empowering them to become productive, caring, responsible citizens.

2019

IMPACT REPORT



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.

Abby Hayes Youth of the Year

Abby Hayes is a 16 year old sophomore at Lincoln Sudbury High School. Abby began her Club service 2 years ago when she decided she wanted to volunteer and give back to her community. After volunteering for a full school year, Abby was given the opportunity to work as a summer counselor where she was also the Club's certified lifeguard. Abby prides herself on helping others lead a healthy lifestyle, specifically in our SMART Girls Empowerment group which she continues to run as a volunteer. Abby plans on pursuing an education in medicine and dreams of being a pediatric oncologist in the future.

Abby's Personal Quote:

"In my efforts to promote a healthy lifestyle, I plan to create an environment in which every young person feels safe to express their ideas to be heard. I plan to act as a light and affect those around me with compassion, honesty and responsibility in order to achieve the values of the Boys & Girls Club of Assabet Valley."



The Need in Assabet Valley

Every day kids in Massachusetts leave school with nowhere to go. They risk being unsupervised, unguided and unsafe.

Our Reach



1
Boys & Girls Site
in Maynard



654
Youth Served

= 404
Registered
Members

+ 250
Youth Served
Through Community
Outreach

95
Youth Average
Daily
Attendance

69
Youth Attend
more than
3x/week

Member Demographics

84%

Ages 11 and
Younger

16%

Teens

77%

Come from a
family of 4 or more

25%

Qualify for Free or
Reduced-Price
School Lunch

30%

Live in
Single-Parent
Households

Demonstrating Our Positive Impact

Numbers based on Boys & Girls Club of America 2018 National Outcomes Report



ACADEMIC SUCCESS

What We Do

We provide homework and tutoring programs that help kids develop good study habits.

Our Impact

Among teen-aged Club members, **93%** expect to graduate from high school and **76%** expect to complete some kind of post secondary education.

What We Do

We empower youth to become good leaders in the community with a passion for helping others.

Our Impact

52% of Club teen members volunteer in their community at least once per year, while **24%** volunteer in their community at least once per month.



GOOD CHARACTER AND CITIZENSHIP



HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

What We Do

Our programs help youth engage in positive behaviors that nurture their well-being. Our sports programs reduce stress, promote teamwork and keep members physically fit.

Our Impact

67% of Club members ages 9 and older report getting at least an hour of physical activity on five or more days per week.

Partner With Us!



With your generous support, The Boys & Girls Club of Assabet Valley 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 Rebecca Lynch, Executive Director, 978-461-2871. Visit www.bgcav.org to donate online.

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