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

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

The Need in the Greater Austin Area
More than 105,000 economically disadvantaged youth in the Austin area lack access to free or affordable out-of-school-time programming and activities. They risk being unsupervised, unguided and unsafe.1

Our Reach
2,487+ Average youth served daily.
35 Clubs and in Travis and Bastrop Counties.
174 Adult Staff
750+ Volunteers
12,744 Youth Impacted = 8,234 Registered Members + 3,510 Other Youth Engaged Through Community Impact2

Member Demographics
64% Ages 5 to 12
36% Teens
90% Minority Races or Ethnicities
85% Quality for Free or Reduced-Price School Lunch
31% Live in Single-Parent Households3

Abraham C.
Youth of the Year
Selected as the 2019 Youth of the Year award winner and ambassador for BGCAA is Abraham C. A Club member now for 4 years, located at the BGCAA MLK location—East Austin College Prep, Abraham demonstrated outstanding leadership and drive to succeed that made him stand out against this year’s pool of extremely strong candidates. Determined to overcome obstacles, including vision impairment and personal circumstances that would likely deter others, Abraham hopes to demonstrate through personal accountability how each person can be successful no matter what challenges they are presented.
Demonstrating How Investments Make an Impact

**ACADEMIC SUCCESS**

**What We Do**
We believe every child should graduate high school on time, college or career-ready with the skills needed to succeed in today’s globally competitive workforce. Clubs partner with youth, parents, schools and other community stakeholders to implement three approaches:
- academic enrichment and school engagement
- targeted dropout prevention
- intensive intervention and case management

**STEM Programming**
BGC “Double A” STEM Academy is our new science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) program that launched in August 2017. Designed to build proficiencies in the engineering design process, increase aptitudes in computer science literacy and teach 21st century skills to economically disadvantaged youth, ages 6-18, Double A STEM Academy encourages Club members to learn and use important workforce skills.

The skills include collecting and analyzing data, conducting investigations, critical thinking, creativity, computational thinking and using evidence to create arguments. Club members’ STEM education supplements school day instruction and aligns and incorporates Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills for Technology Applications.

**HEALTHY LIFESTYLES**

**What We Do**
Our leadership and volunteer service programs empower youth to become good leaders and citizens with a passion for helping others.

**GOOD CHARACTER AND CITIZENSHIP**

**What We Do**
We believe healthy minds need the support of healthy bodies. A future generation of active citizens begins by building healthy habits in our kids. Club programs develop daily fitness habits, offer nutrition education programs, encourage a positive use of leisure time, strengthen social and interpersonal skills, and help youth members understand the importance of healthy relationships. They also reduce stress and foster a general appreciation for the environment.

**How You Can Help**
With your generous support, Boys & Girls Clubs of the Austin Area 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 Renee Hanson Malone, Chief Development Officer, 512-444-7199 ext. 21 or renee.hanson@bgcaustin.org

**Our Impact**
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1. BGCAA 2015 Market Penetration Report, sum of AISD, AISD Charter Schools and DVISD.
2. BGCAA 2018 Annual Report
3. January - August 2018

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