



Impact Report 2024



Mission:

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

Vision:

To end generational poverty in Lowell.

Dear friends,

Welcome to our 125th year of providing a safe space, caring adults, access to the skills, opportunities and experiences necessary for a great future and helping to end generational poverty. Our 9,000 square foot Teen Center is nearing completion and with that, combined with the recently completed kitchen and Community Center & Cafe, the future is bright and full of opportunities for our kids. The new, two story Teen Center with career & college workspaces, a makerspace, dance studio, music clubhouse and more will all be completed this summer. Thank you to so many who made that possible through donations, sharing our story and opening doors.

Club alum Patrick Tighe, with input from our youth and other stakeholders, intentionally designed these new spaces to give even more kids and teens the access, connections, resources and experiences needed to have a great future. This is a continuation of the good work that has been done in Clubs for generations. Joe recently saw Nana Frimpong, our 2012 Youth of the Year, in Washington, DC. Nana recently became a doctor and is starting his internship as a urologist. Please know that these are the kinds of things that your continued support and partnership are helping make happen.

We can't wait to have you see the new spaces and opportunities for the kids and teens in the new building. Please reach out to come to an event or for a tour.

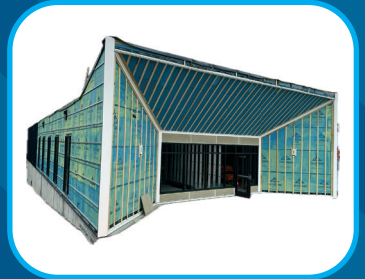
Club Love,



John Schwab
Chair, Board of Directors



Joe Hungler
Executive Director



Full list of programs

Volunteer Spotlight:



Board member and volunteer Emily Byrne was recently celebrated as a Local Champion at the 2025 Golden Gloves!



Want to Volunteer?
Scan to learn more!

2024 Program Partners

Appalachian Mountain Club	Professionals Network	Lowell Public Schools	ScottBrown Architects
Aramark	CYD Fellowship	Lowell Water Festival	Seacoast Wellness Center
Athena Health	D'Addario	LPS Hispanic Student Success Task Force	Setra Systems
BAE Systems	Department of Children and Families	Mark Wahlberg Foundation	Silicon Synapse Lab at Northeastern University
Berklee College of Music	Dignity Matters	Mass Alliance	Society of Black Engineers
Blue Cross Blue Shield MA	Digital Federal Credit Union	MassHire	Starbucks Chelmsford
Brooks Automation	Drumatix	McCauliffe Center at Framingham State University	Suffolk Construction
Brush Art Gallery	Eastern Bank	Merrimack Valley Federal Credit Union	Synergy Basketball
Building Impact	Education Comes First	Merrimack Valley Food Bank	TD Bank
Cafua Management Company	EMS Pridestar	Middlesex Community College	Terance Mann
Candor Realty	Engineering 2	Mill City Grows	Complete Player Foundation
Catie's Closet	Empower	Mill City Medical Group	The Nature Connection
Cambodian Mutual Assistance Assoc.	Enterprise Bank	MIT Lincoln Labs	Thermo Fisher Scientific
Cambridge Savings Bank	Esperance of Wellness	Mitre Corporation	Transfiguration Greek Orthodox Church
Center of Hope and Healing	Fred C. Church	Mosaic Lowell	Triton Systems
CE Floyd	FreshStart Food Gardens	Winterfest	Tsongas Center
Coalition for A Better Acre	Greater Lowell YMCA	Music & Youth	Tufts Medicine Lowell
Compass	Greater Lowell Technical High school	NAAM (New American Association of Massachusetts)	General Hospital
ConnectScience	Hope and Comfort	On the Move	UKG
Cornerstone	Izotope	UMass Lowell	UMass Lowell
Sustainability	Jeanne D'Arc Credit Union	91.5 UWML Radio	United Way
Chinatti Realty	Khmer New Year	National Grid	US Army
Choral Arts New England	Leading Edge	Nobis Engineering	US Navy
City of Lowell	Lenovo	Points of Light	UTEC
CTI Foster	Liberty Mutual	Pollard Memorial Library	Upland Software
Grandparents	Lowell Fire Department	Project Learn	UPS
CTI YouthBuild	Lowell Five	Rann's Kitchen	Valley Collaborative
Collins Aerospace	Lowell Folk Festival	Rockwell Automation	Verizon
Comcast Young	Lowell Humane Society		Virtex
	Lowell Police Department		Workers Credit Union
	Lowell PRIDE		Youth Astro Net

Thank you to all of our AMAZING STAFF!

Executive Leadership Team

Joe Hungler - Executive Director (15 years)
JuanCarlos Rivera - Deputy Executive Director (12 years)
Caroline Howard - Director of Finance & HR(10 years)
Marci DeCarli - Director of Philanthropy (1st year)

Senior Leadership Team

Jessica Sutherland-Ryan - Assistant Director of Finance and HR (6 years)
Sarah Chandonnet - Resource Development Director (4 years)
Shirley Pimentel - Youth Development Director (4 years)

Managers

Na Lam - Membership Manager (13 years)
Julius Sekayi - Music Clubhouse Manager (13 years)
Sally Thayer - Nutrition Manager (13 years)
Jenna Kapp - Pathways Manager (5 years)
Christopher Maloney - Academic Success Manager (5 years)
Christine Choate - Grants Project Manager (3 years)
Mai Nguyen - Executive Project Manager (3 years)
John Pitman - Facilities Manager (2 years)
Justien Martin - Corporate and Volunteer Manager (1st year)

Coordinators

Ajadus Rosa - Athletics and Recreation Coordinator (4 years)
Craig Hildreth - Music Clubhouse Coordinator (3 years)
Anadee Orrell - Professional Development Coordinator (1st year)

Part Time Staff and Contracted Employees

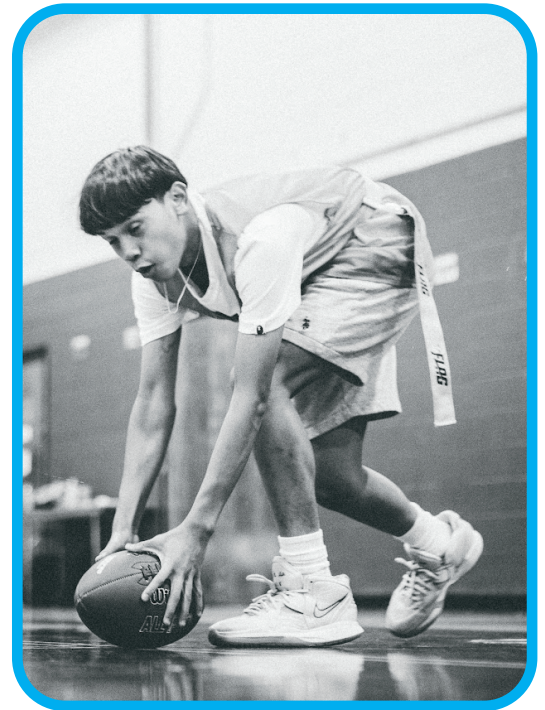
Deidre Beupre - Grant Writer (23 years)
Tony Lobao Jr. - Facilities Lead (8 years)
Anthony Evans - Nutrition Assistant (4 years)
Keyon Evans - Games Room Lead (4 years)
Aaliyah Colon - STEM Lead (3 years)
Monica Palumbo - AR Specialist (3 years)
Kemigisa Adyeri - Relief Staff (3 years)
Jonathon Hernandez - Relief Staff (3 years)
Diana Flores - Relief Staff (2 years)
Rangelis Burgos - Lora-College and Career Center Lead (2 years)
Tyra Jenkins - Tech Lab Lead (2 years)
Sophie Pegba Ndjan - Membership Assistant (2 years)
Amuna Abdow - Development Associate, Database (2 years)
Laura Bullock - Development Associate, Social Media & Special Events (2 years)
Lansana Kaimachiande - Athletics and Recreation Assistant (1st year)
Marlena Garcia - Makerspace Lead (1st year)
Aleanny Concepcion - College and Career Center Lead (1st year)
Michael De La Cruz - Athletics and Recreation Lead (1st year)



A Sincere *"Thank You"* to all Our WONDERFUL DONORS!

Total 2024 Donors: 899
Individual Donors: 635
Corporate/Business Donors: 264
Total New Donors: 242

Capital Donations\$4,928,410
Corporate Donations\$21,077
Government Grants\$1,235,880
In-Kind Donations\$36,243
Indirect Donations.....\$119,285
Individual, Small Biz, Family Fnd.....\$194,172
Restricted Individual Donations.....\$10,700
Non-Government Grants.....\$330,925
Planned Giving Donations\$48,875
Special Event Donations.....\$499,947



2024 Snapshot

Members Served: 379

**Teenage Members
Served : 364**

**Total Registered
Members: 743**

**Average Attendance
During School Year: 241
Average Weekly
Summer Attendance: 162**

**Meals
Served:
30,259**

**Volunteers
552**

2024 Governance

Board of Directors

Emily Byrne
Brian Chapman
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What Club Members Say

When Club Members were surveyed:

77% of respondents reported that they feel they are a part of a safe, positive environment

79% reported that they feel they are making connections with the adults who work there

76% reported that they felt they had access to numerous opportunities at the Club

88% expressed they avoid risky behavior such as drinking, smoking or fighting

83% of respondents have plans to enter junior college, a 4-year college program or a trade school



Donations Made In Memory of:

Maureen A. Barter
Baker Family Foundation
Bob, Fred, Maria, and Andrew Christopoulos
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Stephen Koumantzelis
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Carolyn Lavery Campbell
John Shaw



Donations Made In Honor of:

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Leo and Noelle Creegan
Peter Allison
Susan Allison
Ray and Nancy Doolan
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Judy O'Hare
Gary Hunt

Alice Pollinger
Clifford Westland
Deidre Purple
Wendy and Dave Perry
John Shaw
MGH Institute of Health Professions
Tim Sweeney
Dan and Lisa Schimmel
Pat and Pam Theodoros
Katie Theodoros

Youth of the Year Celebration



We are thrilled to introduce the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell's 2025 Youth of the Year, Jayden Stella!

Jayden is a senior at Lowell High School. He is working part-time as a youth leader for the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell in the membership department for almost 3 years and has also been a part of the mock trial team at school. For fun, he loves watching movies, playing video games, going to

the gym, and making art. In the fall he will attend Middlesex Community College as a member of their fire protection and safety technology program.

We would also like to congratulate our extraordinary finalists, Napoleon Daniels, Hadassa Pelissier and Kevin Tuon who exemplify the qualities of leadership, service, dedication to living a healthy lifestyle, and academic excellence we look for in a Youth of the Year.

Thank you to our esteemed judges: Cesar Arboleda, Ineabelle Dominguez, Robin Jones and Tara Hong.



Meet the Finalists

Napoleon Daniels, Hadassa Pelissier, Jayden Stella, and Kevin Tuon



Winner Jayden Stella with Youth Development Director Shirley Pimentel



Holiday Auction 2024

We had a wonderful time at the 27th Annual Holiday Auction on December 5th, 2024! It was our **most successful Auction ever**, with \$445,000 raised in support of our everyday operations! As always, the proceeds from this event directly go toward funding services dedicated to **ending generational poverty in Lowell**.

Missed the fun last year? Join us for this year's Holiday Auction on **Thursday, December 4th, 2025!**

*Purchase tickets and/or sponsorships
for the Holiday Auction here!* →



Impact in Action:

Club member Xavien spoke to the Lowell School Committee, emphasizing the importance of teaching social workers about warning signs of child trafficking.



Join Us in Celebrating 125 Years!

2025 marks a very special year for the Club. It is the Club's 125th Anniversary! Join us in celebrating all year long with special events, memorabilia, and a look back at the history of the organization from February of 1900, through today. We look forward to reconnecting with former Club members, staff and volunteers who have been part of the Club's history, to showcase the amazing young people of Greater Lowell and staff currently building great futures for themselves and the Boys & Girls Club.



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Events

"The Boys and Girls Club of Greater Lowell became more than just a place to go after school. It became our second home."

*- Hadassa Pelissier,
2024 Holiday Auction Speaker and Youth of the Year 2025 Candidate*



125th Anniversary



Honor the past



Celebrate the present



Look towards the future

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Statement of Financial Activities

Fiscal Year ending December 31, 2024

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Operating Revenue

Public Support

Contributions-Individual & Corporate	\$1,124,137
Planned Giving	\$48,875
In-Kind Contributions	\$36,243
Grants.....	\$1,447,305
BGCA & United Way	\$119,285
Net Assets Released From Restriction	\$223,663
Total Public Support	\$2,999,508
Program Fees and Earned Revenue Membership Fees	\$33,300

Total Earned Revenue \$33,300

Total Operating Revenue..... \$3,032,808

Expenses

Program Services

Academic Success.....	\$701,425
Life & Workforce Readiness	\$597,510
Health & Wellbeing.....	\$1,039,148
Character & Leadership	259,787
Total Program Services	\$2,597,870

Support Services

Management & General.....	\$445,345
Development	\$267,210
Comprehensive Campaign	\$400,815

Total Support Services \$1,113,370

Increase in Net Assets with Donor Restrictions \$4,590,674

Increase in Net Assets \$3,912,242

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

Cash	\$269,865
Accounts Receivable	\$4,070,273
Prepaid Expenses.....	\$21,496
Investments	\$2,025,616
Property & Equipment	\$10,562,201
Total Assets.....	\$16,949,451

Current Liabilities

Accounts Payable	\$447,438
Accrued Expenses.....	\$45,000
Notes Payable	\$200,000
Mortgage Payable	\$88,460

Total Current Liabilities \$780,898

Net Assets

Net Assets Unrestricted.....	\$10,328,689
Net Assets Restricted	\$5,839,864

Total Net Assets \$16,168,553

Total Liabilities & Net Assets \$16,949,451

* Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell, Inc. undergoes an upon request and subsequent to audit completion.



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