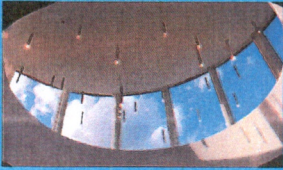


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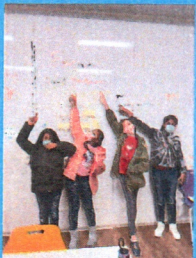
Beautiful lighting in  
the drum of our new  
building



Academic Success  
through volunteer  
tutors!



Healthy Lifestyles  
Teen chefs cooking up  
some fun!



Strong Character and  
Leadership  
S.M.A.R.T. Moves!

Town Leaders  
PO Box 174  
Irvington, VA 22480

Dear Town Leaders of Irvington,

**Thank you for your generous support of The Boys & Girls Club of the Northern Neck. With your help, the Club served 462 of our community's kids and their families, five from Irvington, in 2022.**

As you know, BGCNN has been a positive place for thousands of young people, providing hope and opportunity through programs that promote academic success, healthy lifestyles, and build strong character and leadership skills for over 15 years.

Currently we serve 10 members who reside in Irvington. The real cost of programs and services per child is over \$2,000 per year, or \$20,000 invested in Irvington's youth! We diligently pursue individual, corporate, and other grant funding to keep costs low for Club families. The cost per family is still just \$15 per child per semester or \$45 per year for after-school programs. During the summer there is an activity fee of \$25 per week for camp and that includes full day programs, weekly field trips, two meals and one snack per day.

The cost of operations continues to rise and this year our budget will top 2 million dollars, largely due to our commitment to pay competitive wages and recruit and retain youth development professionals who are committed to our mission to inspire and enable Club kids to reach their full potential as productive, caring responsible citizens.

Today we are seeking your continued support. **We are asking you to consider a grant of \$1500 to help underwrite the real cost associated with providing programs and scholarships for young people in our community who need our help.**

In 2022, you helped us serve 462 Club members, a 28% growth over 2021. This year we will serve over 500 young people and their families. **We cannot further our mission without support from generous community partners and leaders like you. Thank you for your consideration.**

If you have not been to the new site on Main Street in Kilmarnock, please consider letting us host your next meeting and give you a tour.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Phillip Mumford".

Phillip Mumford  
Executive Director

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jill Sears".

Jill Sears  
Marketing and Development Director