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# 2024: THE CLUB EXPERIENCE



## Our Mission

To enable all young people, especially those who need us the most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.

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## The Club Experience

Boys & Girls Club of La Plata County fills 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.

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## The Need in Our Community

Every day in America, more than 11 million kids leave school with nowhere to go. They risk being unsupervised, unguided and unsafe.

## Club Member Spotlight

**Paisleigh**



“IT MEANS A LOT THAT CLUB STAFF ARE PROVIDING A SAFE SPACE FOR TEENS TO FIND AND SHARE THEIR VOICES. WHEN ADULTS LISTEN TO AND COLLABORATE WITH TEENS, THEY SHOWCASE THE POTENTIAL FOR MEANINGFUL IMPACT IN THEIR COMMUNITIES.”

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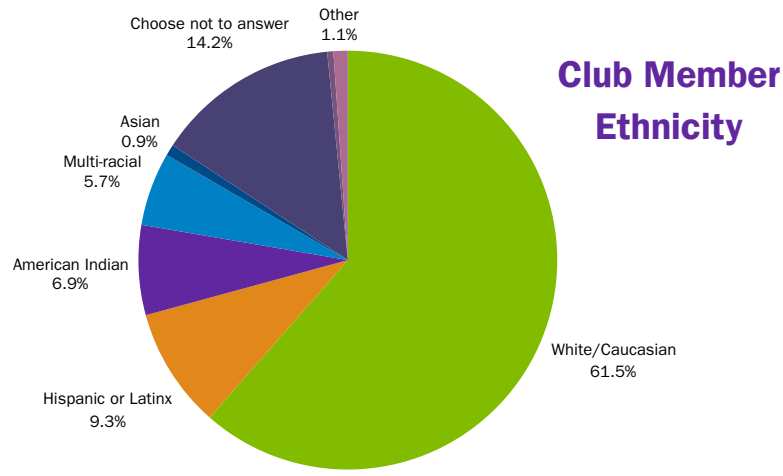
**2025 BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF COLORADO YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBER**

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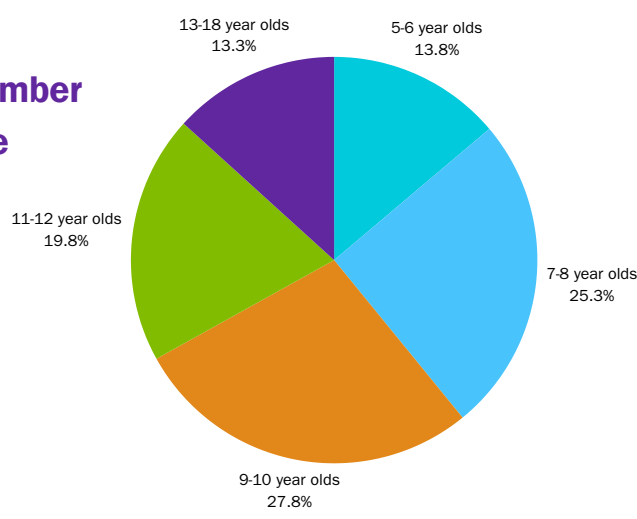


**Our Members**

Club members come from a variety of home situations and backgrounds. Youth who need the Club may need us for different reasons. Whether their parents are working, they are looking for a place that is safe and consistent or are seeking new opportunities and experiences, the Club strives to provide all youth that walk through our doors with high-quality, comprehensive, accessible out-of-school time programs, activities and experiences.



**Club Member Age**



**Average Daily Attendance**



**Our Reach in 2024**

7

**Boys & Girls Club sites in La Plata County serving youth from 17 local schools in 2 school districts as well as youth from homeschool networks**

41

**Adult Staff and Volunteers**

1,225

**Hours of Youth Development Programming**

588

**Youth Served through Community Outreach**

1,269

**Registered Members**

1,857

**Youth Served**

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Our Financial Snapshot

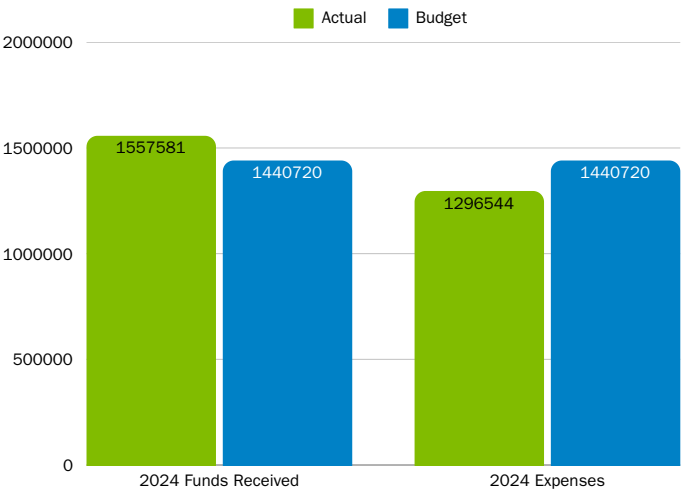
**Growth Fund**

\$1,309,679

\$906,036  
229 Days

Operational Reserve

2024 Revenue & Expense vs. Budget



Club Highlights

Community exploration, service projects, Summer learning loss prevention, afterschool science and engineering experiences, music exploration, guitar lessons, social emotional learning and character development curriculums are just some of the opportunities and experiences Club youth have access to while at the Boys & Girls Club.



## What do Boys & Girls Clubs Do?

# HIGH QUALITY, COMPREHENSIVE & ACCESSIBLE OUT-OF-SCHOOL-TIME PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES & EXPERIENCES

## What does that mean? Definitions:

**HIGH QUALITY:** Intentional, delivers value and meets the needs & desires of Club members and Staff, creates lasting impact

**COMPREHENSIVE:** An experience that happens within or outside of the Club, that recognizes all aspects of a child or teen's development including social, emotional, academic development as well as mental & physical health.

**ACCESSIBLE:** Membership is kept free and financial assistance is provided for registration fees to ensure access by all youth in La Plata County

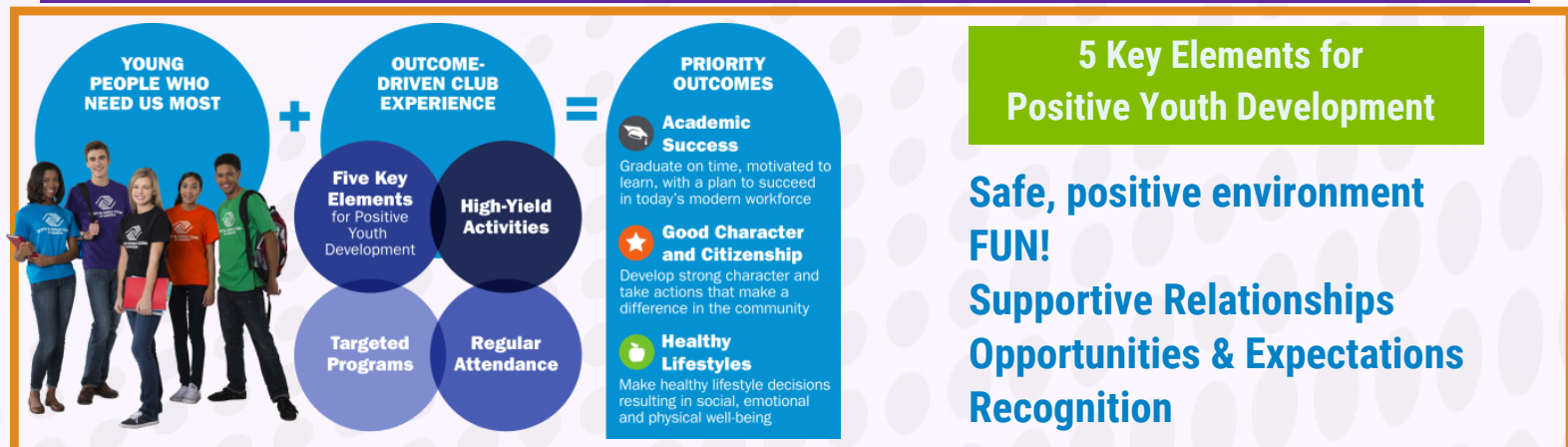
**OUT-OF-SCHOOL-TIME:** After school, during the Summer and on school breaks

**PROGRAMS:** A sequence of activities targeted to achieve a set goal. Is planned, implemented, measured and evaluated.

**ACTIVITIES:** High yield individual games or projects. Engaging and intentional, in support of programs

**EXPERIENCES:** How does a Club member feel at the Club? How would they relate this to others? Are they listened to, appreciated, challenged, and celebrated?

## How do we get there? An Outcome Driven Club Experience



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