

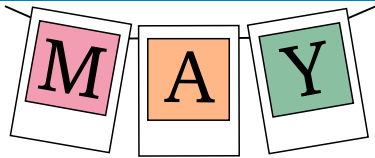
In The

BGCM Mix

May, 2023



BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
OF MANCHESTER



Important Club Info / Dates:

Friday, May 12 - 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

It Takes a Villiage Celebration

Members and their families are invited for a fun evening with those they love and admire. Members can bring their moms, Grandmothers, Aunts, Sisters, guardians, and even their Dads. We will have a delicious dinner and special activities in the Gym Activities include Karaoke fun, Bingo with a chance to win raffle baskets, a nail painting station, and more!

Sign Ups will be at the from desk starting Monday, May 8th

Wednesday, May 17

Meet the Leaders & Senior Night

Celebrating our Senior members ad our Keystone Leadership Group members!
See Zac for more information

Thursday, May 25

State Youth of the Year Competition

Please help us cheer on Zainab, our Club Youth of the Year as she represents BGCM in the state Youth of the Year Competition!

Monday, May 29th

Memorial Day

All BGCM Sites will be closed

Dear BGCM Families,

How do we only have two more months of the school year? This year continues to fly by, and we cannot wait for days to continue to get warmer and for the sun to shine longer.

We are wishing all of our families a very safe and happy Memorial Day. Our sincerest thanks goes out to all military members for the tremendous service they give to our country every day.

I hope everyone has a terrific month and we are looking forward to having our members continue to have fun in programming each day!

Sincerely,
Jennie Pappas
Director of Programs and Leadership

New Tween/Teen Hours

Grades 6 -12th grade have new Club hours. The Club will now be closing at 7pm for all members for the remainder of the school year through summer.

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Staff Updates:



Hi! I'm Ashley and I'm the new Performing Arts Director. I'm so excited to be bringing in new learning experiences and performing opportunities for the Club members here! My goal is to expose the kids to as many different performing arts genres and styles as possible and give them as many different opportunities I can provide. Stay on the lookout for more information on some new upcoming programs!



Hi, my name is Jesse Bousquet and I am the new Athletic Director at The Boy's and Girl's Club of Manchester. I come here with a degree in Coaching and Sports Administration with over 13 years' of experience in the field of coaching at the youth, high school, and college levels. I plan to bring a curriculum to the Boy's and Girl's Club that will provide an array of athletic opportunities such as soccer, volleyball, football, Dodgeball, hockey, handball, basketball, and other fun physical activities like cornhole, Kan jam, spike ball, and tag.



Hello, my name is Christopher Casella. I am the new Education Director and what I bring is passion and desire to see children excel in their schoolwork. As a former teacher, I am excited to bring my specific set of skills to help each kid achieve their goals in school. I have the ability to inspire kids to want better for themselves in their classes.

Tween & Teen Special Events

Guac-Off

Friday, May 5

Bring your cooking skills and be ready to impress us with your guacamole making! See Gill or Zac for more information.

Guardians of the Galaxy vol. 3 Field Trip

Tuesday, May 9

Get ready for a fun night seeing this highly anticipated super hero movie! See Gil or Zac for more details and permission slips.

Middle School Spring Fling

Friday, May 19

Celebrate Spring with your friends here at the Club! Time TBD. See Zac or Gil for more information.

New Program Alert!!

Join the Fresh kicks Friday Club to learn how to take care of those precious kicks! Keep your shoes looking fresh this spring by joining our new tween/teen Club. We meet every Friday starting May 12th. See Zac or Gill for more details.