#### MID-YEAR REPORT FOR OUTCOME PROGRESS

#### Reporting for: July 1 – November 30 of the current year!

Agency Name: Boys & Girls Clubs of Story County

#### **Program Name: Ames Club**

Brief Description of Program:

# 1. <u>Program/ Service Outcome (Change/ Benefit to Clients/ Community) – please refer back to the</u> <u>corresponding ABF 5(O) and provide an update on program/ service outcome from July 1 to</u> <u>date</u>:

The Ames Boys & Girls Club has seen numerous program model shifts since July 1. After being closed from March through June due to the pandemic, we launch a modified summer club. We were open 4 days a week for 8 hours a day from July 6 through August 14<sup>th</sup>. For three of those weeks, we also offered Club in the Park program, 2 hours a day at different parks in Ames providing a snack and engaging programming for youth. When school began in a hybrid model, we launched our Day Club program offering a place for children to complete their online instruction under the guidance and supervision of caring adult staff, receive a hot healthy meal, and engage in fun, stimulating youth activities once their instruction was complete. We continued the Day Club programming when youth entered into the virtual school model, which required even more staff engagement as each child had a different online schedule, virtual meetings, and small group digital lessons. We are currently prepared to offer Day Club through out the school year if needed.

# 2. <u>Measurement Used (How Often, Tools Used) – please refer back to the corresponding ABF 5(O)</u> and provide an update on measurement used from July 1 to date:

Our primary measures are average daily attendance, and our annual youth survey conducted in March every year. We did not complete the survey this spring as we were closed due to the pandemic, so we do not have measures to report in this category. The detail of our average daily attendance is listed in question #3 below.

# 3. <u>Measurement Update (Please provide update on measurement data collected based on the</u> <u>ABF 5(O) from July 1 to date</u>):

This summer we averaged 15 youth per day, and this school year we are averaging 20 youth per day with 34 being our high day so far. We have limited our participation to 50% capacity, or 60 youth at any given time. However, due to staffing, we only have enough staff to serve 36 youth for the Day Club program, or 60 youth in the afterschool program.

4. Outcomes Achieved (Result to Clients/ Community) – please refer back to the corresponding ABF 5(O) and provide an update on the outcomes achieved from July 1 to date: Our greatest success is that we have been able to be open, are able to help children academically, while addressing their social emotional needs, combating food insecurity and ensuring a safe, healthy environment. We've had to adjust our expectations of large numbers of attendance, and instead celebrate that we are reaching many children in need and be a safe haven.

# 5. <u>Barriers Encountered (please refer back to the corresponding ABF 5(O) and provide an update</u> <u>on the barriers encountered from July 1 to date</u>):

a constantly changing academic landscape which impacts our daily participation rates and program delivery models; massive road construction immediately outside our building which impacted access for families; staff vacancies; significant shifts in requirements from our national partner BGCA; onboarding 3 new board members; and a pandemic.

6. <u>Clients Served (please refer back to the corresponding ABF 5 Service Statistics and provide an</u> update on number of clients served from July 1 to date):

We have a total of over 100 youth registered since July 6<sup>th</sup>. However, there were some who attended in the summer only, others who come only after school, some who have been consistently coming since July. As mentioned above, our summer average was 15 youth per day, and our school average is 20.

# 7. <u>Have you had to turn any clients away that desire to participate in this program? If so, why? If so, how many? If so, when?</u>

When the schools shifted to 100% virtual programming, there was an increased demand for Day Club. Due to staffing limitations we could only have upto 36 youth per day, and had to turn away at least 12 individuals.

# 8. <u>Comments</u>:

| Staff Use Only:                                      |     |    |
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| Change/ Benefits demonstrated for client/ community? | Yes | No |
| Quantifiable Outcome Measures?                       | Yes | No |
| Outcomes Reported?                                   | Yes | No |
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Agency Name: Boys & Girls Clubs of Story County

#### Program Name: Nevada Boys & Girls Club

Brief Description of Program:

# 1. <u>Program/ Service Outcome (Change/ Benefit to Clients/ Community) – please refer back to the</u> <u>corresponding ABF 5(O) and provide an update on program/ service outcome from July 1 to</u> <u>date</u>:

Providing after school programming for  $4^{th} - 8^{th}$  grade youth.

# 2. <u>Measurement Used (How Often, Tools Used) – please refer back to the corresponding ABF 5(O)</u> and provide an update on measurement used from July 1 to date:

See Ames Club #2.

# 3. <u>Measurement Update (Please provide update on measurement data collected based on the</u> <u>ABF 5(O) from July 1 to date</u>):

We are averaging 7 youth per day in Nevada since the start of the school year, with over 20 youth registered.

### 4. <u>Outcomes Achieved (Result to Clients/ Community) – please refer back to the corresponding</u> <u>ABF 5(O) and provide an update on the outcomes achieved from July 1 to date</u>:

The Nevada program closed in March for the pandemic and relaunched on the first day of school, on August 24<sup>th</sup>. We have remained in our traditional after school model since that time. We will beginning serving 3<sup>rd</sup> graders in January due to requests from current and interested families.

# 5. <u>Barriers Encountered (please refer back to the corresponding ABF 5(O) and provide an update</u> on the barriers encountered from July 1 to date):

The pandemic halted our summer plans to be open all day every day. And due to the hard stop, we are needed to rebuild. Our program director is now full time with extra time going to recruiting and marketing in our Nevada community.

# 6. <u>Clients Served (please refer back to the corresponding ABF 5 Service Statistics and provide an</u> <u>update on number of clients served from July 1 to date</u>):

See # 3.

- 7. Have you had to turn any clients away that desire to participate in this program? If so, why? If so, how many? If so, when?
  n/a
- 8. <u>Comments</u>:

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|--|-----|----|
| Change/ Benefits demonstrated for client/ community? | Yes | No |
| Quantifiable Outcome Measures?                       | Yes | No |
| Outcomes Reported?                                   | Yes | No |
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