



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
OF DOOR COUNTY

## Short Month, Long On News Executive Director Julie Davis Sets 2017 Financial Plan



Over the past three years, the Club has been mission-driven to meet the needs of youth in the school districts we serve. We've moved at lightning speed to provide the necessary physical space, the staff for academic success and emotional support, and the kitchen for expanded meal service. Why the need to move so purposefully? Because we are serving 21% more members than we did last year.

These past 36 months have seen progress that makes us proud, and positions Boys & Girls Club to create great futures for our community's young people in a way not yet seen in Door County. Our budget grew exponentially as well, to accomplish the high goals we set, with expenses and revenue keeping equal pace.

Now, as 2017 begins, we're ready to move from a story of *growth* to one of *impact*. Our Learning Center is launched with a masterful array of 8-week programs. We are laying the foundation for the next strategic step - building a reserve fund. Last year, we created a Resource Development Committee, and participated in a year-long training through Boys & Girls Club of America. We have a BGCA resource consultant to assist me and our board to explore funding opportunities for operations, identify new grant sources, and broaden our donor base. This is the year that we are building our reserve with a goal of having a six-month operation budget on hand.

[2016 Annual Report](#)

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Eggs, Awards, and Excitement!

Please join us for the:



## 2017 Boys & Girls Club of Door County

### Stewardship Breakfast

The Celebration takes place on Thursday, February 9

at Stone Harbor Resort, Sturgeon Bay

Registration and Breakfast begins at 7:00am

Program at 7:30; Concludes at 8:30

Please R.S.V.P to Nancy Fisher

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### IRA ROLLOVER, Thrivent Choice Dollars and Gifts of Stock

- The IRA Charitable rollover: if you are 70-1/2 or older, you may roll over up to \$100,000 from your IRA to the Boys & Girls Club. Your gift will count against your required minimum distribution for the year. Income and taxes will be reduced this year. Your gift will not be subject to the 50% limitation on charitable gifts. The IRA rollover may be used at any point during the year. Please contact your IRA administrator or financial advisor for specific information to give a gift to the Boys & Girls Club.
- Thrivent Financial Choice Dollars: Are you a Thrivent member? You have until March 31 to designate your Choice Dollars. Boys & Girls Club of Door County is an approved non-profit to receive these designated funds.
- Gifts of Stock: Brian Hartl at Baylake Investment Services 920-743-5551, ext. 1066, provided this information  
Name of account: The Boys & Girls Club of Door County  
Acct. number 3110-4005  
DTC number 0075

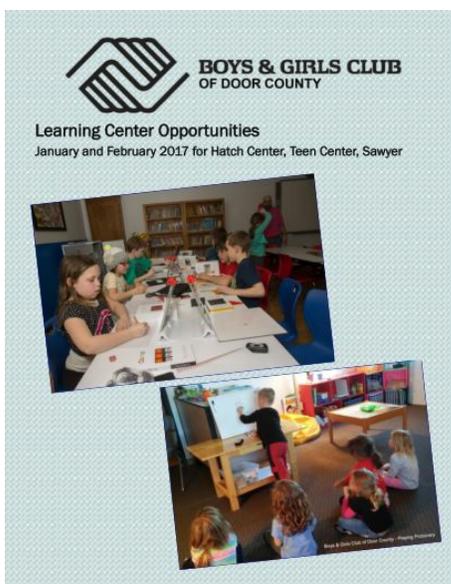
### BGDC Members On the Radio This Fall - Thanks, Jim Olson & WBDK!

Monday Evening  
Quarterbacking? Twelve  
members of the week from  
Boys & Girls Club were  
invited to chat with WBDK

Sports Editor Nick Freimuth and two Green Bay Packer players. It was very special for the kids and families!



Club member JILLIAN shares her opinion with Nick Freimuth (center) and two Packers.



## New in 2017 Learning Center Guide and Social/Emotional Support Plans

The road to Great Futures has never been more clearly defined than in the Learning Center Guide, introduced on January 2, laying out the next 8 week schedule. Together, members and parents could select from an impressive array of educational, art, music, recreation, and food classes, tailored to different grade levels, offered at both sites. The STEAM Lab, working on the NASA After-School Learning Module, was very popular. [Learning Center Guide](#)

And blazing a trail for Boys & Girls Clubs across the state, the Door County club has introduced Social and Emotional Support Services. BGDC staff, working with parents/guardians, will provide opportunities for the personal growth of a child in social interactions, decision-making, and academic support. [SEL Brochure](#)

## Save These Dates!

Thursday, February 9: Stewardship Breakfast. To register, please contact [Nancy Fisher](#)

Early March: Summer Camp registration opens

Thursday, March 9: World's Fair Open House. Community invited to tour and enjoy member projects.

Monday, March 27 through Friday, March 31: Hatch Center open 7:30am-5:30pm for Sturgeon Bay and Sevastopol Spring Break

Saturday, April 8: "Hunting the Wily Egg". For all families, silliness, prizes, and pictures with the Easter Bunny await. Hours

for each age group will be posted on our Facebook page and the April newsletter.

Tuesday, June 6: 8th Annual Celebrity Golf Outing at Horseshoe Bay Golf Club. Foursomes may register now. For more information: [Mark Knapp Email](#)

Thursday, August 24: Evening of Wine and Cheese at Horseshoe Bay Golf Club.



Thank You for Supporting All of Us at Boys & Girls Club!