



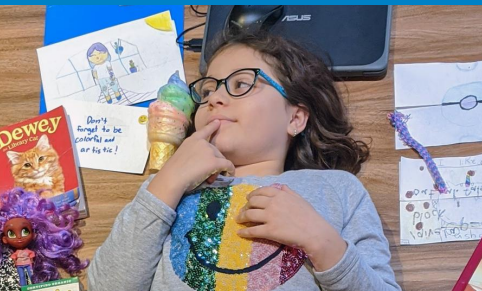
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The virtual Boys & Girls Club has given my daughter a place to be social with other kids, learn skills and have fun. I am very grateful.  
- Nikki G., Club Parent

"The lunches at the Boys & Girls Clubs are my favorite. Everything is always so delicious and I especially like the bars that they put in the grab and go bags right now. I look forward to them every day!"  
- Salome G., 3rd Grade

"I loved going on the field because I could race my friends and be free!"  
- Anthony J., Xth Grade

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# BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF MONTEREY COUNTY 2020 SUMMER PROGRAM IMPACT REPORT

Thank you for supporting healthy meals, daily onsite and online programs, and fun learning activities for thousands of children this summer. Thanks to generous donors, sponsors, and partners, our Summer Programs & Outreach efforts provided resources and support for **over 2,000** Monterey County youth and families.

Since 1968, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Monterey County has worked to inspire and empower the youth of Monterey County to realize their full potential to become responsible, healthy, productive and successful citizens. It is our goal that every child we serve performs at grade level, graduates from high school, completes post-secondary education or training, and earns a livable wage as a productive, healthy member of their community.

**Thank you for investing in our youth!**

## SUMMER BY THE NUMBERS

### OVER 2,000

MONTEREY COUNTY YOUTH AND FAMILIES WERE PROVIDED RESOURCES AND SUPPORT IN SUMMER 2020

### 28,862

NUTRITIOUS MEALS AND SNACKS WERE SERVED

### 41,580 POUNDS

OF FRESH PRODUCE DISTRIBUTED THROUGH 15 DISTRIBUTION SITES IN SEASIDE, MARINA, SALINAS, GONZALES & SOLEDAD

### 612 OUTREACH KITS

WERE PROVIDED TO YOUTH THROUGH DISTRIBUTION SITES ACROSS MONTEREY COUNTY

### 800 YOUTH

PARTICIPATED IN THE CLUB'S NEW VIRTUAL PROGRAM PLATFORM, VIRTUALLY BGCMC

### 69 YOUTH

PARTICIPATED IN IN-CLUBHOUSE SUMMER PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES WHILE STRICTLY ADHERING TO CDC GUIDELINES

### 52 MEMBERS

RECEIVED READING SUPPORT THROUGH READ NATURALLY

### 14 TEENS & ALUMNI

HELD A PAID INTERNSHIP THROUGH THE CLUB OR WITH A PARTNERING ORGANIZATION



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## VIRTUALLY BGCMC

To meet the needs of kids and teens, Boys & Girls Clubs of Monterey County created an online club experience for youth in the community. The online program, called Virtually BGCMC, provides access to live programming with Clubhouse Staff, and on-demand activities to keep youth engaged, supported, and having fun on their own time.

Over **800 youth** participated in virtual programming through Virtually BGCMC, which hosted over 40 live-streaming and on-demand classes per week



Staff Member Jonathan Lupisan created and ran a program called "Kids Comic Workshop" for Virtual Members to participate in. One week, local comic book writer and artist, Alex Schumacher, came and spoke to the Members about what it means to be a comic book artist and what some of his favorite comics are. Members enjoyed a lively Q&A session with him hosted by our staff.

*Artwork created by Virtual Club Member Arlo P. during comic book workshop*

## IN-CLUBHOUSE SUMMER ACADEMY



Although different from any other, the Summer Academy remained a wonderful opportunity to serve Monterey County. Youth participated in hourly programs and activities like: Read Naturally, Mindfulness, Coding, Art, and DIY Projects. Members increased their reading levels and ate healthy meals all while maintaining social distancing requirements.

3rd, 4th, and 5th grade Members were a little nervous at the beginning of our Summer Academy. At the end of summer the whole group was talkative and found ways to play while being socially distant.

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