



**Boys & Girls Club
of Pembroke
2018**



Great futures start here.



A Message from our Board Chair and Executive Director

Our longstanding tradition of providing quality programming and services for children and youth remains unchanged since our start in 1966. We are proud of the achievements we've made over the years, and as the need grows, we have made great strides to expand our reach like never before.

This past year has been one of great activity, collaboration, challenge, and growth for the Boys and Girls Club of Pembroke.

This year's report highlights the important work provided by our Club and recognizes the many committed and generous supporters who are passionate about the well-being of the children, youth, and families in our community. Our mission is to provide safe, supportive places where children and youth can experience new opportunities, overcome barriers, build positive relationships, and develop confidence and skills for life was firmly embedded in the many ways that we delivered our programs and services.

We are very grateful for the leadership of our Board of Directors and the contributions of all our staff, volunteers, and community partners. You are a key factor in our tenure, and together, help build the potential in the children and youth we serve.

The longevity and growth of our Club can also be credited to the support we receive from ongoing funders like Renfrew County United Way, Jason Blaine Charitable Fund and the growing number of community funders. Without their support, we could not be doing the work that we are doing.

We continue to strategically plan how we can collaboratively meet the growing needs of youth in our community. After a long search for a new "Clubhouse", we are happy to say that our search has now ended. The administration will soon be moving into Wesley United Church and an expansion of new programs will be held at that location as well.

We are committed to nurturing the potential of our youth, and will continue our pledge to be responsible stewards of the contributions we receive. It is through vision, care, and partnership that our Club continues to follow our mission and enable all young people, especially those who need us the most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.

Rick Dickinson
Board Chair

Rhodina Turner
Executive Director



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A safe place to play
A group of concerned local citizens in Saint John, New Brunswick set up a "public playground movement" to provide a safe place for children to play, in particular boys from disadvantaged circumstances who had no place to go after school. Originally established as the "Every Day Club," it was later named The East End Boys Club of Saint John, the first Boys Club in Canada.

Today:
In communities nationwide

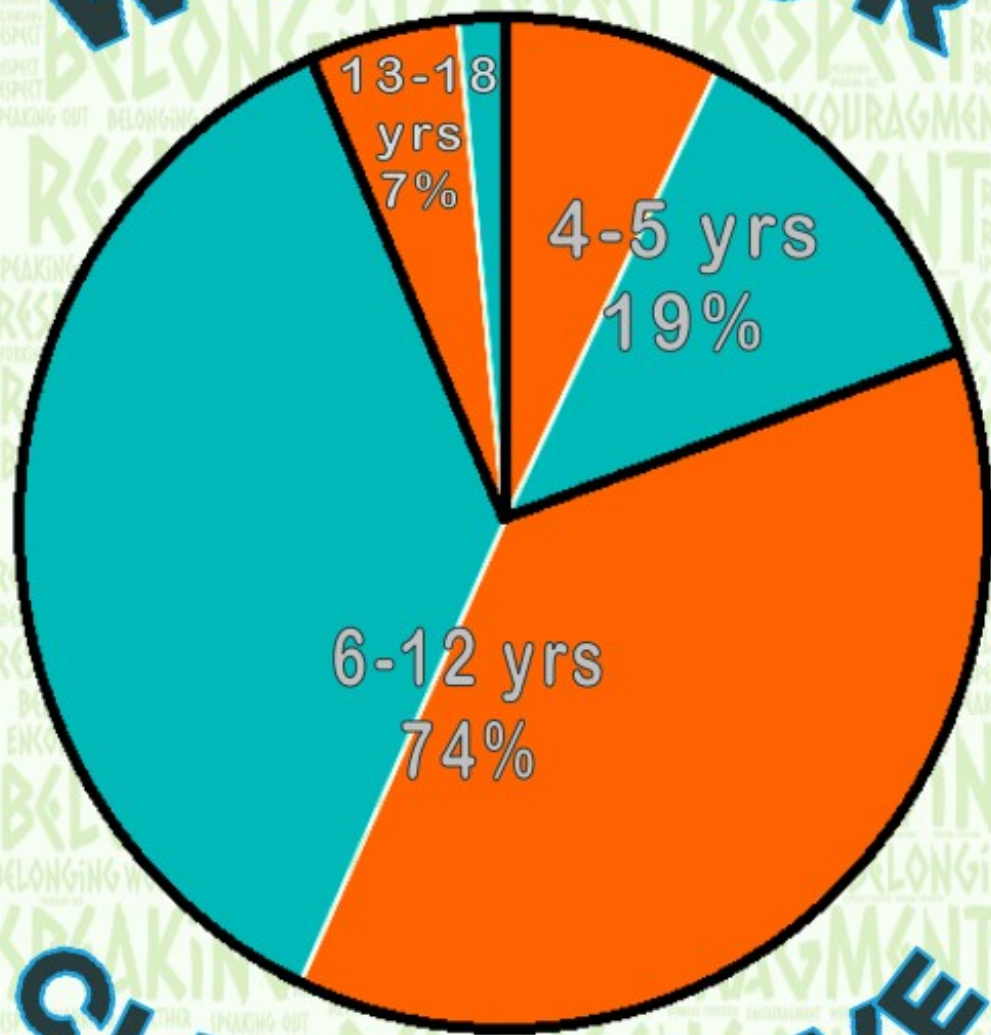
The need is still great for the vital educational, recreational, and skills development programs and services Boys and Girls Clubs offer in communities nationwide. In small and large cities, and rural and Indigenous communities, Boys and Girls Clubs continue to help young people overcome barriers, form positive relationships, and mature into responsible, caring adults.

Since 1966 the Boys and Girls Club of Pembroke has been a part of this umbrella serving various communities in the County of Renfrew.

WHAT OUR CLUBS DO
Boys & Girls Clubs

mentoring
breakfast CLUBS
healthy snacks + meals
scholarships
dance
crime prevention
financial literacy
mental health & wellness
arts & crafts
parenting education & support
digital literacy
youth shelters
community involvement
job readiness
outdoor ADVENTURES
MUSIC
child care
substance abuse prevention & counselling
photography
youth engagement
cooking gardening
physical fitness & sports
homework HELP

WHO OUR



CLUBS SERVE

BOYS & GIRLS



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS

MISSION

To provide a safe and supportive place where children and youth can experience new opportunities, overcome barriers, build positive relationships and develop confidence and skills for life.

VALUES

BELONGING
ENCOURAGEMENT
WORKING TOGETHER
SPEAKING OUT
RESPECT

VISION

All children and youth discover and achieve their dreams and grow up to be healthy, successful and active participants in society.

BY THE NUMBERS



262 Children Served

1772 Meals & Snacks Served



109 Volunteers Gave 1937 Hours

7 Service Locations



20 Staff Worked 9376 Hours

AFTERSCHOOL &
HOMEWORK HELP

COMMUNITY SUPPER
& RECREATION NIGHT

COOKING



WHEN
SCHOOL IS
OUT CLUBS ARE
IN



CAMPS

ARTS

MOVIE
NIGHT

ACCESS HOCKEY

BASKETBALL





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S P O N S O R S
& V O L U N T E E R S

**THANK
YOU**
FOR
**CREATING
OPPORTUNITIES
FOR OUR
YOUNG
PEOPLE**



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