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BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF THE VALLEY SUMMER PROGRAMS PROVIDES POSITIVE OUTLET FOR VALLEY YOUTH & HELP STEM SUMMER LEARNING LOSS

Annual day camp provides fun with a purpose at an affordable price

PHOENIX— (May 1, 2024) – When the school year ends, summer fun begins at the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Valley (BGCAZ) for thousands of children. BGCAZ is beginning registration at 17 Valley Clubs for affordable and engaging educational Summer Day Programs on June 1. Spots are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Summer Day Programs are available five days per week from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. and families can sign up by week. In keeping with the BGCAZ priority outcomes for youth, summer rotations include programming around Academic Success, Healthy Lifestyles, Good Character & Leadership, and Career/Workforce Readiness Summer Programs.

The Clubs have added Academic Enrichment daily to stem summer learning loss and our staff members are focused on the social/emotional welfare of our members

Daily programs include:

- Arts
- · Sports and recreation
- Education enrichment, including STEM programs
- Technology access and skill building
- Social recreation
- Daily nutritious breakfast and lunch, at no additional cost

With the help of the USDA Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), each Club offers a nutritious breakfast and lunch with no additional fee.

Meals will be provided at the sites and times as follows:

Name/Address of Site: Jerry Colangelo Branch, 1755 N. 24th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85009 Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 7:30 – 9:00 am, (L) 11:00am – 1:00 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/31/2024

Name/Address of Site: Arizona Diamondbacks Branch, 548 W. Southern Ave., Phoenix AZ 85041

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 8:00am – 9:30 am, (L) 11:30am – 1:00 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/31/2024

Name/Address of Site: Warner & Shirley Gabel Branch, 1330 N. 15th St., Phoenix, AZ 85006 Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 8:00am – 9:30 am, (L) 11:00am – 1:00 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/26/2024

Name/Address of Site: I.G. Homes Branch, 1601 W. Sherman St., Phoenix, AZ 85007 Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 8:00 am - 9:30 am, (L) 11:00pm - 1:00 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/26/2024

Name/Address of Site: Littleton Club at Underdown Learning Center, 1642 S. 107th Ave., Bldg. A.,

Avondale, AZ 85323

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): (B) 8:00 – 9:30 am, (L) 11:30am – 1:30 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/24/2024

Name/Address of Site: Bob & Renee Parsons Branch, 4309 E. Belleview St., Phoenix, AZ 85008

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 8:00 – 10:00 am, (L) 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/31/2024

Name/Address of Site: Jerry & Helen Wisotsky/Peoria Branch, 11820 N. 81st Ave, Peoria, AZ 85380

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 8:00 – 9:30 am, (L) 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 8/2/2024

Name/Address of Site: Ed Robson Family Branch, 15815 N. 29th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85032 Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): (B) 8:00 – 10:00 am, (L) 11:30 am – 1:30 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/31/2024

Name/Address of Site: Harry & Sandy Rosenzweig Branch, 2242 W. Missouri Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85015

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): (B) 8:00 – 9:30 am, (L) 11:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/31/2024

Name/Address of Site: Louis & Elizabeth Sands Branch, 4730 W. Grovers Ave., Glendale, AZ 85308

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 8:00 – 9:30 am, (L) 11:30am – 1:30 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/17/2024 – 7/26/2024

Name/Address of Site: Spencer D. & Mary Jane Stewart Branch, 6629 W. Clarendon Ave., Phoenix, AZ

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): (B) 8:30 – 10:00 am, (L) 11:30am – 1:30 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/31/2024

Name/Address of Site: Swift Kids Branch, 6420 W. Maryland Ave., Glendale, AZ 85301 Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): (B) 8:00 – 9:30 am, (L) 11:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/31/2024

Name/Address of Site: Thunderbirds Guadalupe Branch 9225 S. Avemida Del Yaqui, Guadalupe , Az 85301

Serving Times: Breakfast (B)/Lunch (L): B) 8:00 – 9:30 am, (L) 11:00am – 1:00 pm

Meal Service Dates: 05/28/2024 – 7/19/2024

For additional information, please contact your nearest Club or visit <u>www.bgcaz.org</u> for more information.

Acceptance and participation requirements for the Program and all activities are the same for all regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability, and there will be no discrimination in the course of meal service.

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