



December 15, 2022

Dear Friend of BGCTC,

Boys & Girls Clubs of the Twin Cities (BGCTC) is pleased to announce our largest annual fundraiser, For the Kids!, will take place at The Depot Minneapolis on April 21, 2023. For the Kids! provides an opportunity for us to come together as a community to support our Club kids while raising additional funds that will ensure our ability to continue creating equitable opportunities for all young people. We hope you will join in supporting Boys & Girls Clubs of the Twin Cities by donating an auction item to this incredible event. Whether it's a week's stay at a time share, a round of golf, gift certificates to local restaurants, or Minnesota-made products, your donation will support BGCTC's K-12 youth development programming designed to help each of our Club members envision a future full of possibilities.

## THIS YEAR'S EVENT FEATURES:

- Live program
- Behind-the-scenes look into our Clubs from the eyes of our youth and staff
- Entertainment from our very own BGCTC youth
- Premier online auction experiences
- Live interactive afterparty featuring music and games

BGCTC's vision for achieving change over the next three years involves being a true catalyst for the elimination of racial inequities, and the realization of improved outcomes for the BIPOC youth and communities we serve. For BGCTC, we know this strategy needs to be different in each of our Club communities to best serve the unique demographic of youth, families, and community needs.

We hope you will partner with us to make **For the Kids!** a successful fundraising event. To donate, please mail items to the address listed below, or email Nardous Aynalem to schedule an item pick-up or drop-off. **We ask that all items be received by Friday, April 7, 2023, for inclusion in this year's event.** If you are sending a gift certificate, we ask that the expiration date be no earlier than November 21, 2023.

Thank you for your support of Boys & Girls Clubs of the Twin Cities!

Sincerely,

Nardous Aynalem

**Special Events Coordinator** 

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