

From the CEO

September highlighted our Club's impact, from graduates launching careers to partners supporting members this school year. Next, we're helping young people make their voices heard.



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On October 24, our Youth Leadership & Policy Forum will bring youth together to discuss issues affecting their lives and develop policy recommendations for elected officials and community leaders. Please spread the word and encourage young people who would benefit to register [here](#).

Our [Career Pathway](#) graduates showed what's possible with hands-on training and support at the [Mariano Rivera Foundation Save 653 Invitational](#), from pursuing careers in public safety to putting culinary skills to work at the event. Their involvement highlighted the many ways Club members are building their futures.

[New York Life Foundation](#) employees assembled and donated 800 Power Hour Bags containing academic supplies and items supporting focus and emotional well-being. [Volunteer New York!](#)'s 9/11 Day of Service volunteers at [Iona University](#) also prepared 200 snack bags for Club youth.

Thank you to our families, staff, partners and supporters for helping our young people succeed!

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Career Pathway Graduates Share Their Success at Mariano Rivera Golf Outing



Boys & Girls Club of New Rochelle [workforce development](#) participants shared their successes at the [Mariano Rivera Foundation Save 653 Invitational](#), highlighting how the Club helps young adults turn career goals into employment opportunities.

David B. spoke about his journey from the Club's [Police Career Pathway Program](#) to becoming a New Rochelle police officer, demonstrating how professional preparation and mentorship can

lead to meaningful employment.

Other graduates spoke with guests during cocktail hour and dinner about their experiences.

[Culinary participants](#) helped prepare and serve the meal and Club youth served more than 200 golfers, including Mariano Rivera, who stopped for a snack break on the course. Among the culinary participants was Jahmel H., who

earned his ServSafe certification and received a job offer at Alvin & Friends.

Supported by the [Mariano Rivera Foundation](#), the Club's Career Pathway programs connect young adults with practical training, professional relationships and career guidance.

The outing showcased the results of that partnership and how investment in the Club helps participants build their futures.



Make Your Voice Heard: Register for the Youth Leadership & Policy Forum

Young people across Westchester County have ideas for improving their communities. Boys & Girls Club of New Rochelle's Youth Leadership & Policy Forum will give them an opportunity to have their voices heard by elected officials, including Congressman George Latimer, New York State Senators Shelley Mayer and Nathalia Fernandez and other elected officials. Participants will turn their ideas into policy recommendations for elected officials and community leaders to consider for potential action.

On Saturday, October 24, participants will tackle issues shaping their lives, including mental health, education, artificial intelligence, career opportunities and community safety. It's a chance to speak up, hear different perspectives and help develop solutions alongside leaders who have the power to act and can give their recommendations immediate consideration.

The forum will take place from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Remington

Clubhouse, 1 Remington Place in New Rochelle. Save the date and [click here to register](#).



New York Life Foundation Supports Club Members with 800 Power Hour Bags

[New York Life Foundation](#) employees assembled and donated 800 Power Hour Bags to Boys & Girls Club of New Rochelle, providing members with academic supplies and age-appropriate social-emotional learning and fidget items to support focus, self-regulation and stress management.

The bags were distributed to members participating in



Power Hour, Boys & Girls Clubs of America's [academic support program](#), which helps young people complete homework, strengthen academic skills, develop positive study habits and build confidence in school.

We thank New York Life Foundation and its employees for providing supplies members can use throughout the year while supporting their academic success and emotional well-being.

\$50,000 Taco Bell Foundation Grant Supports Members' Next Steps

Boys & Girls Club of New Rochelle received \$50,000 from the [Taco Bell Foundation](#) to support its [Diplomas 2 Degrees](#) College & Career Readiness Program.

The funding will provide college visits and trips, guest speakers, Free Application for Federal Student Aid workshops, dedicated staff support and additional



resources to help members explore their options and prepare for life after high school.

The Taco Bell Foundation also recently welcomed Club members to Long Island, where they shared their Club experiences and goals for the future.

We thank the Taco Bell Foundation for investing in our members' potential and helping them take their next steps toward college and careers.

Community Volunteers Support Club Youth Through 9/11 Day of Service



Boys & Girls Club of New Rochelle received 200 snack bags prepared by volunteers at [Iona University](#) as part of [Volunteer New York!'s 9/11 Day of Service](#).

Volunteers decorated and packed each bag with juice, chips and granola bars for Club youth. Their contribution provided refreshments for

members and supported the Club's ongoing efforts to meet young people's everyday needs alongside its educational and enrichment programs.

The service event brought community members together to support local organizations while commemorating the 25th anniversary of September 11. For



the Club, the project demonstrated how volunteer service and community partnerships provide practical resources that directly benefit members.

We thank Volunteer New York!, Iona University and the volunteers who dedicated their time to this project for their support of New Rochelle youth.

PepsiCo Helps Club Members Get Ready for School



The last day of summer camp included a boost for the school year ahead as [PepsiCo](#) provided more than 300 backpacks to youth at our Remington and Mascaro clubhouses.

Members also received school supplies, snacks and water and enjoyed a demonstration of how soda is made, adding a fun learning experience to the day.

Additional supplies were donated for use at the Club and to share with families when they need to replenish school essentials.

Thank you to PepsiCo for helping our members head back to school prepared and supporting our families beyond the start of the school year!