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Community partners: Getting kids in the game

Scholarship spotlight



Last year, Cecilia received an Off the Sideline scholarship to play on a soccer team for the first time. She immediately took to the sport, and as a sixth grader currently plays on the HB Lee Middle School team. For her birthday this year, staff at community partner [Volunteers of America](#) gifted her with her very first soccer ball. Way to go, Cecilia!





COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

We're pleased to announce our new community partner, Hacienda Community Development Corporation. Hacienda CDC is a Latino Community Development Corporation that strengthens families by providing affordable housing, homeownership support, economic advancement and educational opportunities.

This year, we've granted more than 30 scholarships to youth who benefitted by participation in team sports through our community partnerships. Welcome Hacienda!



Meet our team: Board member Carol Lindstrom

Carol has more than 30 years of branding and marketing expertise with non-profits, Fortune 500 companies, and organizations everywhere between the two. As a mother with first-hand experience with a child on a team, she strives to build awareness of Off the Sideline and the many benefits of sports mentors. [Learn more about Carol and the rest of the Off the Sideline team.](#)

Consider us for end-of-year giving

We're proud of the work we've accomplished in 2016 and our plans for 2017 are even bigger! Please consider including Off the Sideline in your end-of-year giving plans.

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