

Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko

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Club Information

Great Futures Start Here
The Boys & Girls Club is open to youth ages KDGN – 18 yrs. old. It is our vision to provide a world-class Club experience that assures success is within reach of every young person who enters our doors, with all members on track to graduate from high school with a plan for the future, demonstrating good character and citizenship, and living a healthy lifestyle.

Contact
782 Country Club Drive, Elko, Nevada. (775) 738-2759.

Membership
Youth ages KDGN-18 years old may become members of the Club. Membership is \$50 per year per child. Scholarships are available for families needing financial support. One membership card is issued annually upon registration and is required for admittance into the Boys & Girls Club and to ride the bus. Lost cards will be replaced at a cost of \$3.00 per card.

After School Program
The Boys & Girls Club after school program operates during the school year. The cost of this program is included in the membership fee and is only available to members.
Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri: 2:30 – 7:00 PM
Wednesday: 1:45 – 7:00 PM

School-Out Days
The Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko is open during school-out days.
Time: 7:30 AM – 6:00 PM.

School Early-Outs
The Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko is open during school early-out days from early out time to 6:00 PM.

Transportation
Transportation is provided by the Elko County School District from Southside Elementary, Northside Elementary, Grammar #2 Elementary, Mountain View Elementary, and Adobe Middle School to the Club. Membership cards are required to ride the bus. Transportation fee is \$50 per child for the school year.

Summer Camp
The Boys & Girls Club summer program is only available to members. A \$50 summer camp fee is charged per child.
Day/Time: Monday - Friday from 7:30 AM – 6:00 PM.

Closings
August 22-26, 2016 Renovations
September 5, 2016 Labor Day
October 28, 2016 Nevada Day
November 24-25, 2016 Thanksgiving
December 24-25, 2016 Christmas
Dec. 31, 2016 – Jan. 1, 2017 New Years
May 29, 2017 Memorial Day
July 4, 2017 Independence Day

Program Format

Kindergarten – 4th Grade
Youth in kindergarten through 4th grade are broken into groups according to grade and rotate throughout our service areas highlighted on the following page every 45 minutes. Art Club and the Power Hour Homework program is also available as alternative electives.

5th – 6th Grade
Youth in 5th – 6th grade have the option of participating in regular rotation areas or being in the Tween Center.

13 Years & Above
Thirteen years old and above members have the option of participating in electives or being in the Teen Center. The Teen Program is broken into levels to give young adults the opportunity to expand their experience and development.

Level 1: Boys & Girls Club Teen Member - The Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko offers a Teen Center for youth ages 13 years and above. Teens have the option of participating in electives or being in the Teen Center. The Teen Center is open during regular Club hours. Membership fees are waived for teen members.

Level 2: Teen Volunteer - Teen members are given the opportunity to volunteer at the Boys & Girls Club and in the community to help individuals live with character and civic responsibility. Teens must be a member for a minimum of one month and volunteer a minimum of 10 hours to qualify for Junior Staff. All individuals interested in volunteering must attend a one-time orientation meeting held every Monday at 4:00 PM.

Level 3: Junior Staff Member - The Junior Staff program assists Club members ages 13 to 18 to develop the leadership skills needed for success. This program makes an investment in the development of Club members’ interpersonal skills, work ethic and sense of community responsibility. All individuals interested in joining Junior Staff must attend a one-time orientation meeting held every Monday at 4:00 PM.



Rentals & Parties

Birthday Parties & Rentals
Celebrate your birthday or have a party at the Club. Contract and full payment are required to make your reservation. Parties are available on the weekends (food not included). Call (775) 738-2759 for more information.

Rentals Include: Gymnasium with three inflatables, multi-purpose room, eight round tables with eight seats for 64 individuals, up to six 8’ rectangular tables, up to 20 fold-up chairs, refrigerator, and rental attendant. Parties also have 30 minutes of set-up time before scheduled party.

1 - 40 Guests
Two Hour Party: \$185
Additional Hours: \$75
Kitchen Addition: \$50 per event
Alcohol Fee: \$50 per event
Additional Table & Chairs: \$75
Three Additional Inflatables:\$200
Day Fee (13 Hours): \$900, Includes all of Above
41 – 70 Guests
Two Hour Party: \$250
Additional Hours: \$100
Kitchen Addition: \$50 per event
Alcohol Fee: \$50 per event
Additional Table & Chairs: \$75
Three Additional Inflatables:\$200
Day Fee (13 Hours): \$900, Includes all of Above
71 – 100 Guests
Two Hour Party: \$300
Additional Hours: \$125
Kitchen Addition: \$50 per event
Alcohol Fee: \$50 per event
Additional Table & Chairs: \$75
Three Additional Inflatables:\$200
Day Fee (13 Hours): \$950, Includes all of Above
101 – 200 Guests
Two Hour Party: \$350
Additional Hours: \$150
Kitchen Addition: \$50 per event
Alcohol Fee: \$50 per event
Additional Table & Chairs: \$75
Three Additional Inflatables:\$200
Day Fee (13 Hours): \$950, Includes all of Above

Non-profit groups receive a 15% discount on rentals. IRS determination letter required.

Fundraising Events

The 19th Annual Winemaker’s Dinner
The 19th Annual Winemaker's Dinner will be at the Red Lion Inn & Casino on May 5, 2017. The Winemaker's Dinner was the initial fundraiser and the means of establishing the Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko. Now in its 19th year, it continues providing operating funds for the Club.

5th Annual Boys & Girls Club Golf Tournament
We would like to invite you to participate in the Boys & Girls Club Golf Tournament to be held at the Ruby View Golf Course. This tournament supports our Annual Support Campaign so that more youth can experience the positive effects of the Boys & Girls Clubs programs and activities.

Date: August 27, 2016

Time: 8:00 AM

Fee: \$240 per team
(Green fees and cart not included)

2nd Annual Al Bernarda Cioppino Feed & Auction
The Al Bernarda Cioppino Feed & Auction will be held November 12, 2016 from 6:00 – 11:00 PM. The event includes cioppino feed, auction, music and dancing. 100% of proceeds raised go towards youth scholarships to make sure that every child receives Boys & Girls Club services regardless of ability to pay.

Date: November 12, 2016 from 6:00 – 11:00 PM

Fee: \$65 per person \$550 VIP Table for eight

Annual Support Campaign
The Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko counts on the generosity of our community to sustain the daily operations of the Club and ensure that all children benefit from the Club Experience regardless of ability to pay. It costs \$1,200 per child, annually to provide these needed services.

We are asking our friends, supporters and neighbors to make a contribution to the “It Just Takes One” Campaign and ***make a real difference in the life of a child.*** Contact Rusty Bahr at (775) 738-2759 if you would like to donate.

Youth Sports

Youth Basketball League



The Boys & Girls Club is part of the Junior NBA program. Youth will learn basketball skills, team play, and have fun in this developmental basketball league. This league will consist of six scheduled games and weekly practices. Youth receive a team t-shirt.

Date:	January 9 – March 25, 2017
Divisions:	5 yrs. – KDGN Boys 5 yrs. – KDGN Girls 1 st – 2 nd Grade Boys 1 st – 2 nd Grade Girls 3 rd – 4 th Grade Girls 3 rd – 4 th Grade Boys
Evaluations:	5 yrs. – KDGN Boys – January 9 at 5:45 PM 5 yrs. – KDGN Girls – January 9 at 6:30 PM 3 rd – 4 th Grade Boys – January 9 at 7:30 PM 1 st – 2 nd Grade Boys – January 10 at 5:45 PM 1 st – 2 nd Grade Girls – January 10 at 6:30 PM 3 rd – 4 th Grade Girls – January 10 at 7:30 PM
Practice:	Weekday evenings
Games:	Weekday Evenings & Saturdays
Fee:	Member \$40.00 Non-Member \$45.00
Deadline:	Register deadline is January 6. \$10 late fee.
Packets:	Parent packets will be available at the front desk on January 12, 2016 at 4:00 PM. Packets include schedules, rosters, and information.

Elks National Hoop Shoot Free Throw Program

The Hoop Shoot is a free throw contest for youth ages 8 to 13. Winning contestants advance through district, state, regional, and national competitions.

Date: January 7, 2017



Youth Sports

Youth Basketball Clinic

This free clinic is presented by the Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko. Participants will learn shooting, passing, ball handling, and basketball fundamentals.

January 11:	5 Years – Kindergarten: 5:30 – 6:30 PM 1 st - 2 nd Grade Boys: 6:30 – 7:30 PM
January 12:	1 st - 2 nd Grade Girls: 5:30 – 6:30 PM 3 rd - 4 th Grade Girls: 6:30 – 7:30 PM 3 rd - 4 th Grade Boys: 6:30 – 7:30 PM
Fee:	\$12.00

Youth Volleyball League

Youth ages 3rd grade through 4th grade can learn volleyball skills, team play, character, and have fun in this developmental volleyball league. This league will consist of six scheduled games, volleyball camp, and weekly practices. All youth receive a team t-shirt.

Dates:	October 11 – December 17, 2016
Divisions:	3 rd – 4 th Grade Girls
Evaluations:	October 11 at 6:00 PM
Day/Time:	Practice: Weekday evenings
Games:	Weekday evenings & Saturdays
Fee:	Member \$40.00 Non-Member \$45.00
Deadline:	Register deadline is October 10. \$10 late fee.
Packets:	Parent packets will be available at the front desk on October 13 at 6:00 PM. Packets include schedules, rosters, and league information.

Youth Volleyball Clinic

This clinic will focus on teaching the fundamentals of underhand & overhand serving, passing, setting, and game play.

Date:	October 13, 2016 from 5:45 – 7:00 PM
Grade:	3 rd – 4 th Grade
Fee:	\$10.00
Deadline:	Register deadline is October 10. \$5 late fee

Service Areas

Service Area Rotations

Rotations begin every day after-school to 6:00 PM. Rotations are 45 minutes long. Four to five rotations are provided daily. Youth will have the opportunity to experience every rotation.

- Rotation 1: STEM Center:** This area focuses on science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. The center is complete with 35 computers.
- Rotation 2: Technology Center:** The center includes touch screen computers, photography, music, and video and video games geared to initiate creative thinking.
- Rotation 3: Art Center:** The Club offers a playground complete with swing sets, basketball court and tetherball.
- Rotation 4: Playground:** The art program enhances creativity and encourages personal expression. Members will also have the opportunity to display their art at our annual art show.
- Rotation 5: Game Room:** This area develops a positive use of leisure time. Game area offers a multitude of fun game tables.
- Rotation 6: Life Skills Room:** Develop youth’s capacity to engage in positive behaviors that mold self-sufficient adults.
- Rotation 7: Movie Room:** Motivational movies are shown to give students a fun and inspirational experience.
- Rotation 8: Physical Education (Gym):** The Club hosts a double gymnasium and offers a comprehensive PE program.
- Rotation 9: Adventure:** Members will participate in life-time sports, fitness, dance, inflatables, and fun.
- Rotation 10: Video:** This area offers a full line of video games and gaming to give members a fun place to develop.
- Power Hour:** Homework assistance and educational advancement mentoring is available every day through our Power Hour program. Power Hour is available to all members.



Electives

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Electives are offered to members in 5th grade and above to give individuals alternate activity choices. Refer to the monthly newsletter for days and times.

- Leadership Clubs:** Helping youth become responsible, caring citizens and acquire the skills for becoming our future leaders. Clubs meet weekly.
- Torch Club (11 – 13 Yrs. Old)
Keystone Club (14 – 18 Yrs. Old)
- Robotics:** Use your engineering skills to design and construct robots with Lego Mindstorm Robotics Kits. Robotics is available to 13 years old and above members.
- Cooking:** Learn the fundamentals of cooking in our state-of-the-art teaching kitchen. Cooking is available to members in 5th grade and above.
- Photography:** Learn basic photography principles and design photography projects. Photography is available to members in 5th grade and above.
- Sports:** A variety of sport activities will be offered during this elective time. Sports electives are available to members in 5th grade and above.
- Career Development:** Members will learn about careers, college preparation, ACT preparation, and academic strategies. Career Development is available to 13 years old and above members.
- Art Club:** Create advanced art projects and participate in our annual art shows. Art Club is available for 2nd grade and above members.
- Life Skills:** Develop youth’s capacity to engage in positive behaviors that mold self-sufficient adults. Life Skills is available to 13 years old and above members.
- Power Hour:** Homework assistance and educational advancement mentoring is available every day through our Power Hour program. Power Hour is available to all members.
- Youth of Year:** Youth of the Year Program recognizes the youth’s outstanding contributions to their family, school, community and Boys & Girls Club, as well as overcoming personal challenges and obstacles. Local youth compete annually for the Youth of the Year title of Elko, State of Nevada, Pacific Region, and National Boys & Girls Club.

Discipline Policy

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Youth must respect the rights and feelings of others and avoid disruptive behavior or actions that interfere with program activities. Hitting, bullying, extreme aggression, sexual misconduct, unsanitary behavior, theft, vandalism, racism, tobacco use, drug/alcohol use, vaper use, weapons, and running-away from the Club are not tolerated.

Step 1: Youth violating the discipline policies will be given a verbal warning by the staff after each incident. After one verbal warning a 5-minute, in-room, time-out will be issued.

Step 2: After one in-room time-out, individuals will be sent to the front desk for a time-out for the rest of that rotation time period.

Step 3: After second front desk time-out in a day’s period, individuals will be sent to the front desk for a time-out for the rest of that rotation time period. Parents will be notified, a written warning will be issued.

Step 4: On the second write-up during a semester, the parent will be notified to pick their child up immediately and the child will be suspended for the remainder of that day and one additional day.

Step 5: Once the child returns from his/her first suspension, if another write-up occurs within that same semester, the child will be suspended for one week.

Step 6: Once the child returns from his/her second suspension, if another write-up occurs within that same semester, the child will be suspended for one month.

Step 7: Once the child returns from his/her third suspension, if another write-up occurs within that same semester, the child will be terminated from the Club for the remainder of that semester.

Immediate One-Day Suspension

Hitting, bullying, extreme aggression, sexual misconduct, theft, vandalism, racism, tobacco use, drug/alcohol use, vaper use, weapons, and running-away from the Club are not tolerated. **Step 4** will be enforced immediately on all of these infractions.

Suspension for Severe Violation

Any violation outlined above that is considered severe will receive suspension for the remainder of that current semester. The management team will research incident details and make a group decision on the severity of the act and the suspension length. Youth that receive this level of discipline must seek and show proof of professional counseling to return to the Club. Youth will be placed on a one-year probation on their return. A child will be unable to return to the Club if they receive a violation of a similar nature during their probation period.

Policies

Building Tours

For the safety of the children, we do not conduct building tours during program times. Individual tours may be scheduled by contacting the Club at (775) 738-2759.

Breakfast & Lunch

Children must bring their own sack lunch and breakfast during all school-out days and summer. Microwavable and refrigerated food is not allowed.

Dress Code

All participants are asked to wear shoes with socks every day. Shirts must cover the entire torso with sleeve straps being at least 3-adult fingers wide and must fit tight under arm-pits. Shorts must be longer than the youth fingertips when arms are fully extended by their side. Please do not let your child bring valuables to the Club.

Pick-Up Policy

All children must be picked up on or before scheduled closing time with no exceptions. A \$1.00 late fee will be charged for every five minutes past scheduled closing time. The official Boys & Girls Club clock will be used to determine time. Parents will be notified on this violation and a written warning will be issued. Suspensions will follow after the first infraction of this policy.

Checking In & Out of Club

All participants are required to check-in and out of the Club every time they come and go for any reason. Parents are required to come into the Club when dropping-off and picking-up.

Refund Policy

The Boys & Girls Club has a no refund policy for memberships and program fees. Adjustments may be made for credit toward other programs due to special circumstances.

Outstanding Balances

Any person with an outstanding balance is not allowed to participate in any Boys & Girls Club programs until the balance is paid. A \$12 fee will be assessed for checks and drafts returned.

Vandalizing and/or Stealing

Children that vandalize, steel, or break Club property will be expected to replace or pay for the items before returning to the Club.

Potty Trained

The Boys & Girls Club has a policy that all children must be potty trained to attend the club.

Programs

Art/Digital Art & Photography Show

The public is invited to view artwork created by Club members at our Art & Photography Show. As a participant in the National Fine Arts Exhibit program, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko may submit members’ artwork in four age divisions and 11 categories, including watercolor, digital photography, pastel, oil, acrylic and collage. Selected artwork will be screened at the regional level and a limited number will be sent to BGCA’s Atlanta headquarters for judging at the national level.

Date: November 2016, Duncan Little Creek Gallery

Teen Adventure Trip

A teen trip is scheduled in August every summer to reward teens that have excelled at the Boys & Girls Club. The teen trip includes activities such as; the beach, amusement parks, and other attractions.

Wednesday, August 10

Depart Elko at 9:00 AM
Shopping & IMAX Theatre in Salt Lake

Thursday, August 11

Lagoon Amusement Park

Friday, August 12

Hogle Zoo
Boondocks Amusement
Top Point Winner gets to Choose Night Activity

Saturday, August 13

Depart Salt Lake City at 9:00 AM
Arrive in Elko at 12:00 PM

Youth of Year Competition

Being named Youth of the Year is the highest honor a Boys & Girls Club member can receive. As BGCA’s premier youth recognition program, the Youth of the Year Program recognizes the youth’s outstanding contributions to their family, school, community and Boys & Girls Club, as well as overcoming personal challenges and obstacles. Local youth compete annually for the Elko, State of Nevada, Pacific Region, and National Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. Winners receive major college scholarships and have the opportunity to meet with the President of the United States in the White House.

Club Prelims: November 1, 2016 at 5:30 PM at the Club

Club Finals: November 12, 2016 at 6:00 PM at the Club

State: February 2017 in Reno

Events

4th of July Freedom Festival

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Elko is teaming up with the Spring Creek Association to offer a community party on the 4th of July. This large family event will be located at the Spring Creek Marina and includes live music, food vendors, chili cook-off, run/walk, sporting events, crafts, 4thof July events, fireworks, and the Boys & Girls Club Adventure Zone. The Adventure Zone includes eight inflatable attractions, pedal car track, and carnival games. This event promises to be the largest family event in Elko County.

Age: Open to entire community

Date: July 4, 2017

Location: Spring Creek Marina

Time: 5:00 PM - Dusk

Fee: \$1.00 per ticket or \$10.00 Unlimited Ride Pass

Pumpkin Festival

The Boys & Girls Club and Everything Elko have teamed up to offer the largest Halloween event in Northern Nevada. The event is held in Lamoille Park and includes pumpkin patch, live music, food vendors, craft booths, Halloween attractions, hay ride, and the Boys & Girls Club Halloween Adventure Zone. The Halloween Adventure Zone includes inflatables, pedal car track, carnival games, Halloween jousting, ball pit, and haunted maze.

Age: Open to entire community

Date: October 22-23, 2016

Location: Lamoille Grove

Time: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Zone: \$1.00 per ticket or \$10.00 Unlimited Ride Pass
Haunted Maze: \$3.00

