



**GRENVILLE BAKER
BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**

2026-2027

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Dear Friends and Families,

Welcome to a new school year at Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club!

We are honored that you have chosen our Club to be part of your child's journey. Every day, our team is committed to providing a safe, welcoming, and engaging environment where young people can learn, grow, build friendships, and discover new passions.

Everything we do is guided by three key priorities:

Preparing for Great Futures: We help young people build confidence, leadership skills, and character through meaningful experiences that prepare them for success in school, careers, and life.

Inspiring Curiosity and Learning: Through academic support, STEM, the arts, and enrichment programs, we encourage creativity, critical thinking, and a lifelong love of learning.

Supporting Healthy Minds and Bodies: From athletics and recreation to nutrition and social-emotional learning, we help members develop healthy habits that support their overall well-being.

At Grenville Baker, children and teens are encouraged to explore their interests, make lasting friendships, and create memories that will stay with them for years to come.

Thank you to our dedicated staff, volunteers, families, donors, and community partners whose support makes our mission possible. Together, we are helping more than 1,400 young people build Great Futures every year.

Thank you for being part of the Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club family. We look forward to an exciting year filled with learning, growth, and opportunity.

With gratitude,
Melissa Rhodes
Executive Director

About Us

WE PROVIDE....

A SAFE, POSITIVE, AND INCLUSIVE ENVIRONMENT IN WHICH TO LEARN AND GROW

All young people are welcomed and accepted at Grenville Baker. Our youth development professionals model behaviors that help youth feel physically and emotionally safe, and create positive experiences that engage everyone, and our youth demonstrate respect and fairness.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH TO LEAD, SHARE IDEAS, AND BE HEARD AND RECOGNIZED

We believe in the importance of youth voice. We empower young people to actively shape and own their Club Experience.

OPPORTUNITIES TO DEVELOP POSITIVE, MEANINGFUL, AND HEALTHY CONNECTIONS WITH PEERS, STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

Young people form crucial connections at Grenville Baker. When members feel connected to peers and caring and supportive adults, it helps them develop socially, learn to be responsible, show respect for self and others, be fair-minded, and express care and concern for others.

EXPERIENCES THAT FOSTER HOPE, A SENSE OF BELONGING, AND A SENSE OF PURPOSE

The high-quality Club Experience can unlock young people's potential, not only by sparking hope, but also by instilling in them a sense that they are part of a community, with a sense of purpose for their lives.

HIGH-QUALITY PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES THAT BUILD UPON YOUNG PEOPLE'S STRENGTHS, ALLOWING THEM TO EXPLORE NEW EXPERIENCES

Through our programs, young people build upon their strengths when introduced to new experiences. Through these experiences, and with the guidance of caring adults, youth learn to get along with others and build many skills, along with developing the character virtues of responsibility and citizenship.



THE 2026 ANNUAL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP IS \$100

(Expires 12 months from date of activation)

All youth must possess an active general membership to participate in any programs at our Clubhouse.

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Program Leadership



Stephanie Urio
Director of Programs and Professional Development

Stephanie is a graduate from the College of the Holy Cross where she double majored in history and political science. After college, she worked as a Site Director for the Hempstead Boys & Girls Club before joining Greenville Baker where she worked with teens for twelve years. She was promoted to Director of Programs and Professional Development in July 2024.



Will Cohn
Director of Sports & Fitness

Will holds a bachelor's degree in History & Spanish from Ohio Wesleyan University. His career includes working at the Huntington YMCA as a Camp Counselor, and the Brookville Center for Children's Services as a Teaching Assistant. Will started at the Club in 2013. Will also is a volunteer firefighter with the Huntington Fire Department.



Michelle Gallucci
Senior Director of Youth Programs

Michelle holds a bachelor's degree in Sports Management from Farmingdale State College. She started her career as a physical education and health teacher in Baldwin. She started at the Club in 2018 as the Assistant Athletic Director. In 2019, Michelle became part of the program team as a K-5 Program Director. In April 2023, Michelle was promoted to Senior Director of Youth Programs.



Maria Arana
Director of Youth Programs

Maria holds a bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education from Inca Garcilaso de la Vega University. Maria began her career as a preschool and elementary school teacher in Lima, Peru. In 2014, Maria started volunteering at the Club when her children were young members. In 2018, she officially joined the team as a part-time staff member and was promoted to the Director of Youth Programs in April 2023.



Stephanie Canales
Senior Director of Teen Programs

Stephanie holds a bachelor's degree in Visual Communications Design from the University of Hartford. Stephanie is a Club alumna, served as Keystone President, and was the 2016 Youth of the Year. After working in many departments at the Club over the years, she was brought on as a full time staff in March 2023 and was promoted to Senior Director of Teen Programs in July 2024.



Giancarlo Servedio
Director of Tween Programs

Giancarlo holds a Master's Degree (M.B.A) in Marketing Management and a Bachelor's Degree in Business Management from St. John's University. Giancarlo's career includes working as an Athletic Manager for Fast Athletics, and a College Professor for SUNY Old Westbury. After working as a Sports and Fitness Coordinator at the Club, he was promoted to be the Director of Tween Programs in July 2024.

Our Mission: To inspire and enable
all young people to realize their potential as productive, responsible and
caring citizens and community leaders of tomorrow.

Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization serving youth in grades kindergarten through 12th grade. The Club provides a safe place for youth to go after school and in the summer. The Club is a place where members can have fun and participate in a variety of programs designed to help them reach their full potential. A staff of trained professionals delivers programming in Education & Career Development, Health & Life Skills, Character & Leadership Development, The Arts and Sports, Fitness & Recreation. We could not achieve these goals without your help. Please consider donating to help us keep serving the youth of our community.

Afterschool Elementary Enrichment Program Grades K-5th

FEE: \$575/school year (September 8, 2026-June 27, 2027) *Sibling Discount offered.*

Includes all school full days and school half-days/early dismissals. **(does not include singular non school days/holidays, Vacation Week Camps during School Winter/Spring Breaks)* Includes daily transportation from school (LVCSD Schools only) to Club, low staff-to-youth ratio, a healthy snack, homework help, structured program schedule, enrichment programs including art, science, literacy, sports, cooking, and much more. **Hours are Monday – Friday 3:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.** If you have a elementary student interested in the **K-5 program, please register online at www.GBBGC.org.** For questions about our K-5th program, please contact Michelle Gallucci, Senior Director of Youth Programs, ext. 221 or Maria Arana, Director of Youth Programs, ext. 220.

Power Hour: Each afternoon the Club focuses on this homework help and tutoring program, providing members with space, time and assistance to complete their assignments. Power Hour helps members be more successful in school and encourages them to become self-directed learners. A child's participation is tracked for recognition through our incentive program.

Khan Academy: The program gives opportunities to our members to continually apply their math skills using Khan Academy. Khan Academy offers practice exercises, instructional videos, and a personalized learning dashboard that empowers learners to study at their own pace. Youth will receive points for completion of activities and see their names rise on the Leaderboard.

SMART Moves: A mental health promotion program that helps young people build the social-emotional skills to make healthy decisions and avoid risky behaviors with sessions that cover effective communication, self- management, developing positive relationships and refusal skills.

Kids In The Kitchen: This program will provide a cooking or baking experience allowing young chefs to express their creativity. They will discover new skills within each lesson focusing on nutrition and health.

Kids In Nature: Members can sign up for monthly nature hikes to local preserves and parks to learn more about the environment and navigate different trails. Previous hikes include Shu Swamp, Garvies Point and Coffin Woods.

STEM: Based on the idea of educating members in four specific disciplines: science, technology, engineering and mathematics in an interdisciplinary and applied approach, kids will develop their problem-solving skills as well as collaborative work skills. They will learn coding, and participate in hands-on experiments.

Library Club: The program is designed to help improve reading, writing, and vocabulary skills. Members will also visit the Locust Valley Library once a week to read with library volunteers.

Arts: Our Arts programming encourages creative expression in a relaxed setting. Kids will explore a variety of art formats including visual art, graphic design, theatre, music and vocal performance, and a Club favorite, arts & crafts.

Daily Challenge: A dynamic wellness program that is designed to help youth create opportunities to take charge of their personal health and wellness through fitness activities, challenges and games.



To help us ensure that ALL children have access to high quality programs, please visit www.gbbgc.org and consider making a tax deductible donation today.

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Tween/Teen Program Grades 6-12

The Club strives to support members' pursuit of a high school diploma with a plan for their future. Our Tween and Teen Programs offer leadership and community service experiences through Torch Club and Keystone Club, financial literacy education through Money Matters, and secondary education exploration and support through College Prep. In addition, programs such as Healthy Habits, Art, SMART Girls, and Passport to Manhood provide our members with skill-building opportunities for a healthy lifestyle. To participate as a middle school or high school member, a general membership (\$100) is required. Transportation from Locust Valley Middle/High Schools and Finley Middle School and Glen Cove High School is provided (separate registration required). Tween/Teen program hours are Monday-Friday 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. If you have a middle school or high school student interested in membership, please register online at www.GBBGC.org. For questions about our tween program (middle school), please contact Giancarlo Servedio, Director of Tween Programs at 516-676-1460 ext. 231. For questions about our teen program (high school), please contact Stephanie Canales, Senior Director of Teen Programs at 516-676-1460 ext. 235.

POWER HOUR: Each afternoon after school the Club focuses on this homework help and tutoring program, providing members with space, time and assistance to complete their assignments. Everyday, Any Time

CITY CLUB: Members of City Club will have the opportunity to explore the many wonders of New York City. With monthly trips into the City, this program allows our members to discover all the sights and sounds of the greatest city in the world. Please contact the Teen Director regarding the Trip Schedule.

COLLEGE PREP: Teens visit local colleges as well as attend college tours. Participants also receive assistance with college applications, financial aid forms, scholarship applications, and admissions interviews. Members also receive preparation about what to expect once they are in college. Please contact the Teen Director for an individual plan.

HEALTHY HABITS: Members learn the importance of healthy lifestyles and good nutrition while gaining hands-on experience preparing and cooking a variety of foods. Mondays at 4pm

KEYSTONE CLUB: A teen leadership program where students work on community service and leadership projects. Teens from age 14-18 elect officers, choose their own service projects, and attend the Keystone National Conference. Wednesdays at 6pm.

LIFE AND WORKFORCE READINESS: The Club helps young people build creativity, communication, collaboration, and decision-making skills while exploring career opportunities and preparing for future success. Please contact the Teen Director to create an individual plan.

MONEY MATTERS: A financial literacy program that teaches members about saving, budgeting and creating your own business. Through guest speakers, field trips and interactive computer lessons, members prepare for the financial challenges of college and beyond. Wednesdays at 4:30pm (January to April)

PASSPORT TO MANHOOD: Members discuss the many issues middle school-age boys are facing today. The program encourages healthy attitudes and lifestyles that will enable our boys to develop to their full potential. Thursdays at 5PM

SMART GIRLS: Members discuss the many issues middle school-age girls are facing today. The program encourages healthy attitudes and lifestyles that will enable our girls to develop to their full potential. Tuesdays at 4pm

TORCH CLUB: A leadership and service club for Tweens grade 6-8. Members elect officers and work together to plan events, fundraisers and activities for the Tween members. Thursdays at 4pm

Sports and Fitness Programs

WE ARE EXCITED TO OFFER A VARIETY OF SPORTS AND FITNESS PROGRAMS throughout the school year. All of our programs focus on sportsmanship, cooperation, and teamwork, while learning the skills and techniques of the sport and building the habits around living an active and healthy lifestyle. **All programs and registrations will be available at www.gbbgc.org. For questions about our sports and fitness program contact Will Cohn at 516-676-1460 ext. 224.**



REGISTRATION TO OPEN MONDAY SEPTEMBER 28.
INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM FOR GRADES K-2
LEAGUE PLAY FOR GRADES 2-8
LEAGUE WORKOUTS: NOV 16
CHAMPIONSHIP SATURDAY MARCH 13
BASKETBALL AWARDS MARCH 18

DANCE Saturdays K - 1st Grades Ballet: 10:00 a.m. - 10:40 a.m. 2nd - 4th Grades Hip Hop: 11:00 a.m. - 11:40 a.m. 2 - 5th Grades Lyrical: 11:50 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Cost: \$100.00 Program will run September 12 - November 7 No Class October 10	GYMNASTICS Saturdays 4th-6th Grades 9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. K-1st Grades 10:50 a.m. - 11:50 a.m. 1st-2nd Grades 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. 2nd-3rd Grades 1:05 p.m. - 2:05 p.m. Cost: \$200.00 Program will run September 12 - November 7 No Class October 10	Muay Thai Kickboxing Mondays K - 3rd Grades 4:45 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. Cost: \$125.00 4th - 6th Grades 5:20 p.m. - 5:50 p.m. Cost: \$50.00 Program will run September 14 - November 16 No Class September 21 and October 12
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Registration
and information at
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Volleyball Thursdays 3rd - 5th Grades 4:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. 6th - 8th Grades 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Program will run September 17 - November 5 Cost: \$100.00	Yoga Fridays K - 2nd Grades 4:00 p.m. - 4:40 p.m. 3rd - 5th Grades 4:45 p.m. - 5:25 p.m. Program will run September 11 - November 13 No Class September 18 and October 30 Cost: \$50.00	Golf Tuesdays K-6th Grades 4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. K-6th Grades 5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. Program will run September 15 - November 10 No Class November 3 Cost: \$100.00	Flag Football Tuesdays 3rd - 6th Grades 4:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. Cost: \$100.00 Program will run September 15 - November 10 No Class November 3
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FALL SPORTS PROGRAMS

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Club Calendar 2026/2027*

Holiday Closures

- Columbus Day - October 12, 2026
- Thanksgiving Break - November 26-27, 2026
- Winter Holiday Break - December 24, 2026-January 3, 2027
- Martin Luther King Jr. Day - January 18, 2027
- Presidents' Day - February 15, 2027

- Memorial Day - May 31, 2027
- Juneteenth - June 18, 2027

ADDITIONAL DAYS CLUB IS CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING

- November 11, 2026 • February 19, 2027
- March 25-26, 2027

SCHOOL'S OUT BUT WE ARE IN...

We are open on specific days from 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. (*Additional days may be added based on the LVCSD calendar)
K-5 Afterschool Elementary Enrichment Participants: \$20/day. All other active members (Kindergarten - 5th Grade): \$40/day
Registration Required.

- September 21, 2026 • November 3 and 25, 2026 • December 11, 2026 • March 19, 29 - 30, 2027 • May 28, 2027

Vacation Camp

All active members in grades K-5 may register for Vacation Camp. The Daily Rate is \$30/day. Hours are 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Field trips offered at an additional registration and fee.

- Winter Break Camp February 16-18, 2027

- Spring Break Camp April 22-30, 2027

**Subject to change.*

Club & Social Events

New K-8 Parent Orientation - September 1, 2026
Opening Day - September 8, 2026
Day For Kids - September 18, 2026
Alumni & Friends Golf Outing - October 5, 2026
Hispanic Heritage Dinner - October 16, 2026
Halloween Party - October 30, 2026
Leader's Circle Reception - November 4, 2026
Thanksgiving Dinner - November 24, 2026
Club Holiday Party - December 18, 2026

Club Art Competition - January 15, 2027
Pickleball Tournament - January 29, 2027
3on3 Tournament - March 5, 2027
Basketball Awards Ceremony - March 18, 2027
Pancake Breakfast - March 20, 2027
Job Fair - April 7, 2027
Gala - June 4, 2027
Banquet of Champions - June 9, 2027

Volunteer Opportunities!

We offer a range of volunteer engagement opportunities from mentoring and tutoring our elementary children to coaching in our basketball program. All volunteers undergo a background check, and participate in required safety training prior to working with our members.

If you are interested in a volunteer position, please call Michelle at 516-676-1460 ext. 221 or go to the **Get Involved** tab on our website and fill out the interest form.

Day for Kids
Welcome Back

CIRCUS

Friday, September 18
Time: 4:30pm-7:00pm
Cost: Members - Free, Parents and Community Members - \$5
ALL AGES WELCOME!
Inflatables, Sport Games, Music, Crafts Carnival Style Games, Ice Cream, Cotton Candy, Popcorn and much more!
Building Tours: 5pm, 5:30pm, 6pm, 6:30pm
Leaving from front desk

Enter our raffle to win GBBGC items and a FREE membership!

Sponsorship opportunities available.

This is not a drop off event for non members.

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Getting into College Just Got Easier

Applying for college can be a stressful time for teens and their parents, but at Greenville Baker Boys & Girls Club we are committed to supporting them through the entire process.

High school Club members can hear from guest speakers about the application process and attend workshops to help them figure out their "best fit school". Starting sophomore year, members are also eligible to attend college visits. These could be nearby campuses or more extensive visits during school breaks. Seniors receive help with filling out all financial aid forms and the common application as well as applying for scholarships.

If you are interested in this program for your teen, please call our front desk at 516-676-1460 or email stephanie.canales@gbbgc.org.

Having A

PARTY • CONFERENCE • REUNION

Our Club has a variety of space available to patrons year round. Space is always contingent on availability, member activities and events.

For more information, contact:
Marc Bilbrey at 516-676-1460 ext. 218 or email at mbilbrey@gbbgc.org

Save THE Date

OCTOBER 5, 2026

Alumni & Friends
GOLF and **MAHJONG**



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Summer Camp

Where campers make friends and have an unforgettable summer camp experience.

DAY CAMP/SPORTS CAMP

CORPORATE PARTNERSHIP

Helping our young people learn and grow.

Our corporate partners make a lasting difference for our Club members. We look forward to discussing how your company, customers, clients and employees can help bring about great futures for all children.

Please tara.butler-sahai@gbbgc.org or call 516-759-5437 ext. 214 for more information.

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it out for a day?
COME IN and ASK for a
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(Middle school and high school only.)

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