



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

WOOD RIVER COMMUNITY YMCA

2019 Annual Report

Power Scholars fishing field trip

**Together
we're
stronger**



Every day, the Wood River Community YMCA gives our community the support it needs to learn, grow and thrive. From after-school care to cancer support, everything we do helps strengthen our community and the people who live in it.

But we can't do it alone.

Thanks to you, the Y continues to make our community a better place. We give parents a safe place for their children, we provide new hope for people who are struggling to get healthy, and we offer a sense of community to older adults who need to connect with others.

Dear Friends,

You may be used to holding our annual report in hand and I hope you'll understand if this year you're reading it onscreen. As one of the greenest Y's in the country and in light of recent events, it's all part of our resource management plan.

This pandemic has re-spun reality for everyone and we want to assure you that as 2020 unfolds, the Y will continue to innovate and adapt so we can better serve our Wood River community's evolving needs.

Let's talk about 2019, truly a banner year. Our programs were bursting at the seams with excited and engaged participants; from the kids in our Power Scholars Academy and Make-A-Splash programs to the seniors in our Time to Move program.

In 2019, we continued our focus on Chronic Disease programs for those suffering from Parkinson's, cancer, arthritis and youth obesity. Our after-school program provided a safe, nurturing place for Wood River's children and, in doing so, helped our community's parents hold down jobs and provide for their families.

We couldn't have done this without you. Thank you!

Going forward, we know that online learning left many of our community's kids behind in the areas of literacy and math skills. Despite the steps we took in our homeschool program, there will be catch-up to do. There are families in need and community members who have lost jobs. The challenge ahead is significant and our goal is to leave no one behind. It calls on all of us to be more and do more. We're on it and happy you're on our team.

With thanks,



Jason Shearer, CEO



Mike Schlatter, Board Chair

OUR AREAS OF FOCUS

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

All kids deserve the opportunity to discover who they are and what they can achieve, under the guidance of adults who care about them and believe in their potential. We see every interaction with young people as an opportunity for learning and development.

HEALTHY LIVING

Health and well-being are all about balance. That's why we help individuals and families build and maintain healthy habits for spirit, mind and body in their everyday lives. By helping people of all ages and all backgrounds improve their health and well-being, we build a stronger community.

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

With our doors open to all, we work every day to connect people from all backgrounds and support those who need us most. We take on the most urgent needs in our community and inspire a spirit of service in return. Our members, volunteers and staff demonstrate the power of what we can achieve by giving back together.

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS



Women's Climbing Night



Father Daughter Dance



Time to Move, senior circuit training

- Power Scholars Academy
- After School Kids' Club
- Summer Day Camp
- Schools Out Day Camp
- Healthy Families Partnership
- Bonni's Garden Education
- Bonni's Garden Bees & Trout
- Bonni's Garden Harvest
- Make-a-Splash Water Safety
- Youth Swimming Lessons
- Parent/Child Swimming
- Swordfish Swim Team
- Super Sitters
- Child Watch
- Football League
- Cheerleading
- Football Camp
- Winter & Spring Break Climbing Camps
- Climbing Club
- Devo Climbing Team
- Summer Outdoor Climbing Camp
- Iron Teen
- Birthday Parties
- Father/Daughter Dance
- Strong Kids Campaign
- American Red Cross Blood Drives
- Healthy Kids' Day
- Y Classic Fundraiser
- Christmas Giving Tree & Gift Crates
- Sun Valley Half Marathon
- Y Free Day
- LiveStrong
- Enhanced Fitness
- Delay the Disease
- Time to Move
- Masters Swim
- Kayaking
- Wellness Challenge
- Women's Climbing Night
- Private Climbing Instruction
- Member Wellness Orientation
- Membership
- Member Group Exercise-Over 800 classes per year

Many of these programs are free and financial assistance is available for all Y programs, including membership. No one is turned away based on an inability to pay!



350

Make-A-Splash Participants 

Make-a-Splash is your Y's FREE program that teaches every Blaine County second grader to be water safe.



70

Power Scholars 

The Y's Power Scholars Academy is a FREE Summer academic enrichment program designed to combat summer learning loss.



6664

Members

People of all ages, income levels, abilities, and backgrounds come together through the Y.

199

Employees

Whether working as teachers, care providers, coaches, or lifeguards, Y staff care for people.



70

Chronic Disease Participants

LiveStrong, Enhanced Fitness, Multiple Sclerosis Group, Diabetes Prevention Program, Delay the Disease and Healthy Families Partnership deliver positive quantified results.



272

Day Campers

Camp provides parents a safe, healthy environment for their children to stay engaged while parents are working and school is out.



232

After School Participants 

Kids Club succeeds by providing homework help, STEAM activities, recreation, and building healthy relationships with peers at every Blaine County elementary school.

6941

Mountain Riders

Thanks to a generous grant, the Y pays for our FREE Mountain Rides transportation, reducing fuel consumption and keeping cars off the road.



50

Football & Cheer

An enjoyable place to play football for children 6 to 12 years of age, while teaching the basic fundamentals of the game, teamwork, good sportsmanship and discipline.



3185

Volunteer hours

Committed community volunteers pitched in their personal time to drive the mission in 2019.



Sport Court Makes a Comeback

Volunteers spent hours turning the former CrossFit studio back into the Indoor Sport Court, which is used by members and youth programs.

WE DRIVE COMMUNITY IMPACT WITH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, PROGRAM SUBSIDIES, AND LIFE-CHANGING PROGRAMS

Financial assistance for programs like After School Kids Club and Day Camp, in addition to subsidy for programs such as Power Scholars and Make-A-Splash, allow working parents to be secure, knowing their child is safe, learning, and growing. As a cause-driven organization, your Y is committed to empowering people with the resources and support they need to live healthy, fulfilled, connected, and secure lives. Through the generosity of our volunteers and donors, we are able to ensure that everyone in our community has the opportunity to participate in the Y's incredible programs.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND PROGRAM SUBSIDY IMPACT

Youth & Adult
Community Health

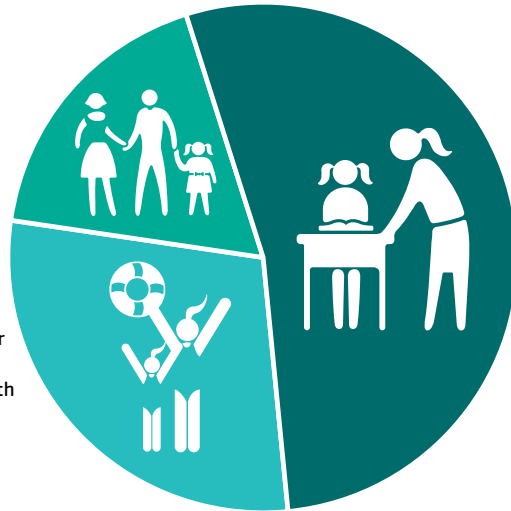
\$183,873

Youth Obesity, Chronic Disease,
Youth and Family Scholarships,
Senior and Adult Scholarships

Youth & Adult Aquatics

\$264,458

Make-A-Splash/2nd Grade Water
Safety, Kayaking, Water Polo,
Master Swim, Parent/Child & Youth
Swim Lessons, Swim Team,
Recreation, and more



\$930,211

Financial Assistance, Free Programs,
and Program Subsidy

Youth Development

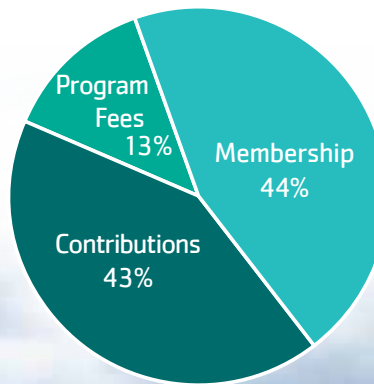
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Education/Literacy, Mentoring,
After School Care, Summer Camp,
Sports, Bonni's Garden,
Rock Climbing, and more

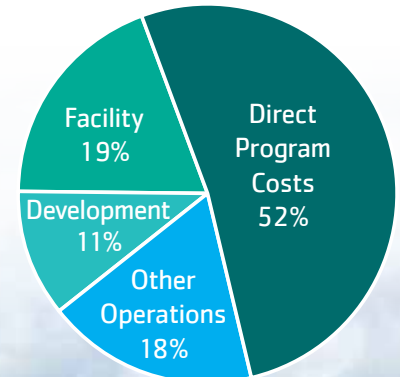
STRONG FINANCIALS DRIVE FUTURE GROWTH

The Wood River Community YMCA is a non-profit organization. The Y is governed by an independent volunteer Board of Directors.

Revenue



Expenses



The names below represent the people that decided to make a difference by donating to the Wood River Community YMCA in 2019. They made our community stronger in a multitude of ways and, for that, they deserve a moment in the spotlight.

\$50,000+

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Nancy Eccles and Homer M. Hayward
Family Foundation
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\$20,000 - \$49,999

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Ruth Lieder



Ruth became one of the first members of the Y on November 5, 2007, the day the Wood River Community YMCA opened its doors – she never missed a month of her membership. I guess you could say she was our #1 member, something she would be proud of. She was also #1 going down the 130 foot-long slide into the pool – she donned a classic swim suit from the 1950s as she made that plunge followed by dozens of excited children.

Ruth was a member of the Y's Board of Directors during pivotal times in the Y's local history. She helped guide the organization through a multi-million dollar capital campaign, helped design the then-to-be-built Y facility, provided input into our first programs, and stuck a shovel in the dirt on ground-breaking day.

Generosity was important for Ruth. She personally supported the Y during the capital campaign, and subsequently through annual campaigns and special events, never missing a year. Not long ago, she informed the Y that she had placed the Wood River Community YMCA in her estate plans, adding her name to the Y's "Legacy Club" list – for that, we are eternally grateful to Ruth. She left us far too soon and we miss her dearly.

LEGACY CLUB

The YMCA Legacy Club recognizes and honors individuals and families who believe in the mission of the Y and desire to preserve our good work for future generations by including the Y in their estate plans. Members of the Legacy Club are recognized throughout the year for their generous contributions to support the future efforts of the Wood River Community YMCA.

If you have included the Wood River Community YMCA in your plans, please inform us so we can recognize you as a member of the Legacy Club.

If you are interested in learning more, please contact Mike Wolter at 208-928-6702 or for more information.

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In Memory of Toni Breck

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