

Schenectady City School District
Childcare Options for Families & Staff



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF SCHENECTADY

Adeline Wright Graham Boys & Girls Club

Days of Operation: Monday-Friday

Hours of Operation: 7:00am – 5:30pm (7:00am-11:30am is Early Care requiring a fee)

Early Care: 7:00am – 11:30am, \$75.00 per week (\$15 per day) membership fee included

School Age Members: 11:30am – 5:30pm, \$5.00 membership fee for the 2020-21 school year (100 youth – School Age, Kindergarten and older, 1:10 ratio)

Opening Date: Boys & Girls Club will be opening on September 21, 2020

- All youth must become a member of the Adeline Wright Graham Boys & Girls Club.
- Early Care children are permitted to stay all day if they choose.
- Parent must be present to drop their children off for Early Care.
- All children will have their temperature checked and asked a series of health questions before entering the facility. If a child has symptoms, parents will be notified immediately to pick them up.
- The Adeline Wright Graham program will adhere to social distancing best practices, including limiting group size to a maximum 1:10 ratio, ensuring adequate staffing to properly spread out students, securing program spaces that allow for all persons to be at least six-feet apart, and limiting unnecessary close contact through games and activities. Staff and members will be required to wear masks each day. Additional time will be given to ensure proper handwashing throughout the day, and hand sanitizer will be available in each room. All staff and members will be educated on proper hand-washing techniques. Programming will be in compliance with CDC recommendations.
- Members will participate and have use of gymnasium, computer labs, theater, game rooms and program rooms.
- The Boys & Girls Club will do its best to help young people attend any scheduled virtual lessons they may have with their school teacher. The Club will provide virtual learning space for those members who are required to participate.
- Members will be assigned a homeroom and will participate in scheduled activities throughout the day.

- Afternoon snack and dinner provided at 5:00pm for all members attending. Please note, the Club is not providing lunch.
- The Boys & Girls Club offers a range of programs in five core areas: Education and Career Development, Character & Leadership Development, Health & Life Skills, The Arts & Sports, Fitness & Recreation.

Important for Parents

The Boys & Girls Club is an Open Door program. Children and teens come and go as they please to and from the facility. This means it is the parents' responsibility to make sure that their child remains at the Club, and does not leave the premises when you expect him/her to be there. The Boys & Girls Club is not responsible for walking young people to bus stops.

Due to COVID-19, the Club is restricted to 100 young people in the facility. Therefore, it is important for parents to reserve space as soon as possible.

Registration

Please contact the Club at 518-374-4714 to reserve space in either, or both, Early Care (7am-11:30am) and/or regular program hours (11:30am-5:30pm). Once contacted, the Club will e-mail the Membership Application and if needed, the Early Care Registration form. Early Care payment will be due no later than Thursday the prior week.

***Please note that the Boys & Girls Club is in mandatory shutdown from August 31-September 9. Therefore, there will not be anyone available to take registrations on those dates. However, parents may leave a voicemail and they will be handled in the order the calls were received.

The Boys & Girls Club will be available to begin taking registrations on August 25 at 9am.



Due to the change in the school day schedule and to better serve our families' needs during the pandemic Girls Inc. is exploring the feasibility of providing our free after school programming for girls in grades Kindergarten through 12th, from 12:30-5:30pm, Monday-Friday at our Girls Inc. facility located on 962 Albany Street.

Proposed daily schedule:

Kindergarten-4th Grades Daily Schedule

12:30-1:00 Arrival/Lunch Time

1:00-2:40 Girls Inc. staff monitor and assist with virtual learning

2:40-3:30 Structured Free Time

3:30-3:45 Snack

3:45 Clean up

4:00-5:00 Girls Inc. Programming (visit our website for information on our programming)

5:00-5:30 Structured Free Time

5:30 Pick Up

5th Grade and Up

1:00-1:40 Arrival/Lunch Time

1:40-3:20 Girls Inc staff monitor and assist with virtual learning

3:20-3:45 Structured Free Time/Snack

3:45 Clean Up

4:00-5:00 Girls Inc Programming

5:00-5:30 Structured Free Time

5:30 Pick Up

Registration

Parents can register their girls electronically (see website link below) or in-person at our center. Registration will begin on Tuesday, September 1st. Parents/guardians need to fill out our membership packet which consists of three forms in order to complete registration.

Website: girlsincaptialregion.org

Contact for more information:

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Location:

Thelma P. Lally Early Learning Center
204 S Tenbrock St., Scotia, NY 12032

Slots available:

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Ages:

Kindergarten and up

To Register: visit www.cdymca.org OR [Early Learning Programs - Lally](#)