

Look at all we do
with your help...



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- ◆ **Early Childhood Education** provides a safe, nurturing and educational environment for children from 3 months through pre-Kindergarten, providing them with the developmental skills they need to succeed in school.
- ◆ **ABC School Age Enrichment Program** serves as an after school and summer program for children ages 5 through 14. Programs like ABC are proven to reduce risky behavior such as drug abuse and violence in school-aged children.
- ◆ **Youth Empowerment Services Plus (YES Plus)** provides comprehensive services to youth between the ages of 5 and 18 across Berkshire County. The goal of this program is to reduce delinquency and youth violence while providing participants opportunities to develop their potential.
- ◆ **Camp Stevenson-Witawent** provides a memorable summer camp experience for up to 100 girls each summer on Onota Lake. The Camp also offers a Counselor-in-Training program for girls between the ages of 13 and 15.
- ◆ **Girls Incorporated of the Berkshires**, an affiliate of the national organization, is committed to inspiring all girls to be Strong, Smart, and Bold™. Through numerous programs, Girls Inc. helps girls confront subtle societal messages about their value and potential, and prepare them to lead successful, independent and fulfilling lives.
- ◆ **Aquatics** serves members of all ages and abilities, with Tiny Tots, group and private lessons, as well as therapeutic swim programs for injured and disabled individuals.

Girls Inc. of the Berkshires

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With generous support from community investors like you,

the Brigham Center is able to share success stories:

Denise is an 11-year-old girl entering the 6th grade. She started coming to the Brigham Center three years ago after being placed in a foster home. She was extremely depressed and unsettled from a tragic event that had occurred in her home life.

Over the past few years while enrolled in the ABC School Age Enrichment Program, Denise has made remarkable progress, gaining the confidence to trust the staff, share her feelings and make new friends at the center. She has recently been adopted by a wonderful family. Denise is now a role model and leader to younger children in the program!

Through all six of our agency programs (see back for full descriptions), the Brigham Center has continued to adapt and respond to the changing needs of our community, and most importantly, children like Denise who depend on the care and guidance that the center provides every day.



Your annual fund contribution will help us continue these vital community programs and to grow as an organization committed to empowering children and youth.

Please consider a gift at the \$50, \$100, \$250 or any level, and know that it will make a difference in the lives of children like Denise in your community.

With your help, together we can create more success stories for our children.

As the Brigham Center looks towards its future, we ask for your assistance to continue to improve the future success of our 3,000 plus members from across Berkshire County.

Kelly A. Marion
Chief Executive Officer
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