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The Beat



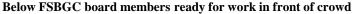
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Renovation Underway

On a brisk December 12, 2022, the groundbreaking ceremony took place at 11:00 a.m. for the new Jeffrey-Glidewell Club. million dollar construction project will provide a much-needed renovation to the facility. Jeffrey unit has been in its current location since 1978. The project will provide a state-of-the-art instructional and STEAM program rooms. It will also consist of 3,600 sq foot of new learning space, music, dance, innovation technology and administrative offices. Located behind the renovated building two Futsal courts will be added. Futsal is a smaller, sided soccer court that will be used for multi-purposes such as pickleball and basketball courts. The renovation will take approximately 13 months to complete. When reopened, the club will officially be named the Jeffrey-Glidewell unit after Jerry Glidewell, the former Executive Director who recently retired after 43 years of service to the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club. Under his direction, renovations have taken place at all four club facilities and Hunts Park.



Digging in! Pictured above from left to right: Bill Cooper, Sam Sicard, George McGill, Jerry Glidewell, Beth Presley, Lyn Caselman, Amy Mendenhall.







Beth Presley Announced As New CEO of FSBGC





The Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club welcomed new CEO Beth Presley on September 6, 2022. Prior to joining the FSBGC, Ms. Presley was the Director of Community Outreach and Education for the Arvest Opportunity Fund, a subsidiary of Arvest Bank. Presley holds a Bachelor of Science in Education from Missouri State University and a Master of Science in Kinesiology from the University of Illinois. Presley served as Assistant Athletic Director for the University of Arkansas – Fort Smith (UAFS). Before that she served as the Executive Director for The First Tee of Fort Smith, a nonprofit youth organization. Presley is very involved in the community in which she lives and works. She served on the board of the United Way Fort Smith Region and chaired the United Way APT Golf Classic for the past three years.

"I am honored to be joining the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Clubs team," Presley said. "This organization is well-established and well-loved and consists of an extremely talented team with a long history of dedicated donors and board members. My goal in leading this organization is to build upon its achievements while maintaining its high level of standards and to expand our impact on the youth in the Fort Smith community."

In Memory of ...

Memorial contributions to the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club are invested in the Club Endowment fund to generate perpetual support for the Club. The Endowment was established in 1940. Below are gifts received during the third and fourth quarter of 2022 (July, August, September, October, November and December).

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MR. CLARENCE HIGGINS
MR. JERRY KERWIN

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by Michelle Hope

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BOBBY NEEDHAM, SR. SCHOLARSHIP

MS. BARBARA CARTWRIGHT

MR. BOB NEWBOLD

MR. CLAY ROPER

by Marla & Hank Needham

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MR. JERRY GLIDEWELL

by Jim Atwell by Nancy Baker by Becky & Phillip Plunkett by Carole Rogers

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MR. SCOTT LANGHAM by Glenda & Dan Duncan

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MR. GEORGE MCGILL by Bill Martin

In Honor of

MR. PAUL MOSER **DAWN & DARRELL STOVALL**

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by Marla & Hank Neeham

Honorariums to the Fort Smith Boys and Girls Club received during the third and fourth quarter of 2022 (July, August, September, October, November and December) Below are gifts that were given in honor of the following

> **JANICE & ROBERT H. POWELL SCHOLARSHIP**

> > **BECKY & RICK GRIFFIN JAUNICE & RICHARD GRIFFIN**

> > > by Janice Powell

ROBERT A. YOUNG IV SCHOLARSHIP

SEAN & ERICA BAKER KARLA & JODY BYERS LADY JANE COHEN KATHY & ROD COLEMAN NANCY & NICK COX MR. & MRS. MIKE DUFF **AMY & BEAU FORE KRISTEN & RYAN GEHRIG CYNDI & JERRY GLIDEWELL LORI & BILL HINES TERRY & DAVID HUNTON** JENNIFER & JERRY JENKINS **PAT JENKINS VERONICA & JEFF JENKINS JERI & WALTON MAURRAS RENNE & KYLE PARKER JANICE POWELL NANCY & TOM ROBERTSON SHARA & ED SAUCIER ELINOR SMITH BONNIE & GORDON STOUT BRANDI & TERRY WEIDMAN** JAN WHITT **KATIE & RON DEE WRIGHT** MARY & ROBERT A. YOUNG III by Staci & Cole Goodman

HOLIDAY HONORS

by Alert Alarm System by Jerry Bridges by Fern & Jimmy Daniel by Lori & Justin Forsgren by Lucy & Steve Gist by Peggy & Jim Hadley by Chuck Holcombe by Jimmy D. Hall & Associates by Lovvorn Lumber by Amy & John Mendenhall

by Rodney "Buz" Naucke

by Betty & Roy Nixon

by David Nixon

by River Valley Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery

by Sam T. Sicard

by Connie & Rod Townley

by Stanhope Wilkinson

Jim Harwood Retires From FSBGC Board

Jim Harwood joined the Fort Smith Boys Club in 1948. He often caught the city bus down Sixth Street to the Club at 215 Wheeler Avenue. He played on teams at Lions Club Park at an early age and Hunts Park through American Legion baseball where his 1955 team coached by Ace Parker won the state championship. Harwood started for the Grizzly high school football team and then joined the Arkansas Tech University Wonder Boys baseball team as the leadoff hitter and starting centerfielder. At Tech, he met and married Linda Beth Gant and graduated with a degree in Accounting. Jim received his commission from the ROTC program and served on active duty with the U.S. Army for the next two years.

Making Fort Smith their home, the young couple raised two children, Kristen and Kyle. Jim was employed by the City National Bank. Linda taught English at Fort Smith Southside High School. Jim continued to support and be active with the FSBGC. In 1973, Jim joined the Board of Directors of the Club, served on numerous committees and as president of the Board.

Jim Harwood rose to the position of president of the City National Bank which became a part of the BancorpSouth system. Harwood was appointed by the state governor as an Arkansas Tech University Trustees. In 2000, he was induced into the FSBGC Hall of Fame.

In 2022, Harwood retired from the FSBGC Board of Directors after fifty years of service. Jim Harwood is a family man and represents with his heart, his passion, and his actions an amazing dedication to the well-being of our community, its youth, and our organization.



Above, From left to right, Joe Powers, Jim Harwood, Billy Higgins. Below Linda and Jim Harwood.



Dwight Curry and Marta Loyd Elected to FSBGC Board of Directors

Dwight Curry is a third-generation family hotel owner, following in the steps of his grandfather, Lloyd Hobbs. Mr. Hobbs was an avid supporter of First United Methodist Church of Fort Smith, as well as numerous organizations, including the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club and the Community Rescue Mission. Dwight's mother, Janice Powell, was also heavily involved in the Boys & Girls Club, serving on the board for several years, including time as its President.

From 1992 through 2001, Dwight served as Youth Minister at First United Methodist Church. Since returning to the family business, Dwight has owned hotels in Arkansas, Texas, Washington, D.C. and he also owned Movie Lounge. Currently, his summers are spent working with youth volunteering for the Future School of Fort Smith as head of the Summer Musical Camp. "I'm thrilled to be a part of these exciting times of transition and growth at the Boys & Girls Clubs. It's a true honor."





Dr. Marta Loyd, retired in April 2022 as executive director and CEO of the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute on Petit Jean Mountain, a position she held since 2014. Prior to joining the Institute, she served 12 years as vice chancellor for advancement at the University of Arkansas Fort Smith and as executive director of the UAFS Foundation. Recently, Marta accepted a new role as executive coach and chair of three executive peer advisory boards for Vistage Worldwide.

Marta, a Fort Smith native, now lives at Lake Ouachita with Greg, her husband of 40 years. They have three children and six grandchildren. "I worked as a front desk clerk at Evans Boys Club during the summer when I was 15 years old. I developed a heart for the mission, the kids, and the leaders who invested in them. It is a distinct honor to join the board for an organization I admire and in the community I love."

AT&T Foundation Powering the FSBGC Into the Future

The technology labs in The Fort Smith Boys and Girls Club's four locations (Units) play a vital role in providing broadband and computer access for the boys and girls in the Fort Smith community. In each unit, we have dedicated technology labs for the children to utilize during the after-school and summer programming. Many of our children have no or limited access to broadband access or computer technology in their homes, and this makes it very challenging to complete homework or digital learning. With the assistance of the AT&T Foundation, we would be able to provide a more robust, dedicated, digital educational program on a consistent daily basis in our units. In addition to the technology labs we have, The Boys & Girls Club of America (BGCA) provides web-based educational opportunities such as My Future (virtual vocational program), Power (homework assistance programming), and Summer Brain Gain (educational programming addresses summer learning loss). With assistance of the AT&T Foundation, we would be able to hire three part-time staff that would work with the children in the technology labs during the after-school and summer program in 2023, this would increase access for these children to have technology and educational programming. The biggest challenge besides the actual technology and internet costs is having funding to hire properly trained and educated staff to manage the digital educational programs in the units. This grant opportunity would ensure we have adequate, properly trained staff to supervise and assist the children with these great programs and help give children additional time and opportunities in the labs.







Pictured from Left to right, Beth Presley (FSBGC CEO), Ronnie Dedman (President ATT Arkansas), George McGill (Mayor of Fort Smith, Arkansas).



Pictured from Left to right, Joel Ferrier, Ty Matlock, Beth Presley, Terry Harris, Morgan Pierce

Orr Chevrolet Cadillac has been a sponsor and supporter of the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club since its opening. Along with sponsoring basketball for a little over 10 years, Orr Chevrolet Cadillac makes donations to the club periodically and contributes to a variety of our programs. On December 19, 2022 they made a donation of \$1,500. The Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club appreciates the gift and partnership we have with Orr Chevrolet Cadillac.

Cox Brings Innovation Lab to the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club Evans Unit

The Fort Smith Boys & Girls Clubs celebrated the launch of a new technology-filled Innovation Lab at its Evans unit, made possible by a \$20,000-grant from the James M. Cox Foundation. The Cox Innovation Lab was welcomed with a grand opening ceremony held by the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Clubs on November 17, 2022. The donation is part of a greater \$150,000 gift from The James M. Cox Foundation to create five new Cox Innovation Labs across the nation, develop STEAM programming and provide training for the Boys & Girls Club staff. The Innovation Labs are the cornerstone of the Boys & Girls Clubs of America Club Tech program, which provide students access to curriculum to advance their computer literacy skills. These Innovation Labs also help bridge the digital divide for children without access to a computer or internet connection at home.

"The Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club appreciates the continued support of Cox. The Cox Innovation Lab provides new and innovative technology and support to help bridge the digital divide that exists for many young people in Fort Smith," said Beth Presley, CEO of the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club. "It will give the children going to the Boys & Girls Club the freedom to explore their interest in STEAM while providing those without a computer or internet access a way to get connected and manage through distance learning. It includes laptop computers, furniture, 3D printer, eSport, Wi-Fi and internet services provided by Cox."

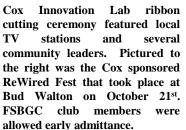














708 Cornhole Club Donation

Meeting on Wednesday nights at The Bakery District downtown, a group of friends began a club of Cornhole players. As the 708 Cornhole Club grew, they decided to have a "Night of Giving." On December 21, 2022 they chose the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club and the United Way to be recipients of that night. Pictured to the left are a few of the members of the 708 on the night of the event along with the pair of \$500 checks they presented to the organizations.



Money Talks With Arvest

On October 21, 2022 Arvest sent volunteers to all four of the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club units to talk about money management. The group defined what are necessities and what are luxuries. They provided boards with items and talked about how to budget the limited amount of money they had to purchase the items.









UAFS Athletics Lend Helping Hands

Members of multiple UAFS athletic teams showed up at Jeffrey to help in moving furniture, equipment, supplies and anything that was not bolted down in preparation for the Jeffrey renovation. The groups came in constant intervals and provided steady help in packing, lifting and transforming the unit into an empty building.

"It was a great surprise to have so many helping hands show up in our time of need," Jason Morland FSBGC Director of Operations said. "They were a tremendous help."

The FSBGC would like to thank UAFS for the help and encourage everyone to support our home town UAFS teams. Go Lions!

Volunteers of the Month

July	Gunner Destea Deondre Phillips	(Evans) (Goldtrap)
August	Shauntae Waldron Jason Lang Shemar Johnson Kya Cole	(Stephens) (Evans) (Goldtrap) (Stephens)
September	Shanice James Sheila Amos	(Evans) (Godtrap)
October	Darrian Robinson Rod Miller Sebastian Garcia	(Stephens) (Evans) (Goldtrap)
November	Al Perry Dylan Ridenour John Parkinson	(Stephens) (Evans) (Goldtrap)
December	Jalynn Easterwood Joshua Harmon McKale Scallions Stew Guy	(Stephens) (Evans) (Goldtrap) (Stephens)





Targeting Gaga Ball Pits

A group of volunteers from Target came to Evans to put together the first of our Gaga Ball pits on February 23. Gaga Ball is a game played inside of the octagon shaped playing field with a ball. Players hit the ball at each other with their hands and are eliminated if the ball strikes them on or below the knee. The objective is to be the last player standing on the playing field. The Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club will add a Gaga Ball Pit at each of the four clubs in the future.

Club Shots









Inside the Club Life

On this page you can find different shots over the past couple of months as our club members grow in a multitude of ways along with our staff. Below are three pictures of the Saver's Santa and his helpers that visited all three distributing clubs gifts for Christmas. On the right you can find a young lady holding a lure she painted from our friends at the Nature Center when they stopped by. Below her are club members who went ice skating at the First National Bank rink downtown. In the top right you can find the Kiwanis Club in the bleachers before they serve hotdogs to the kids during the winter break. Meanwhile, the FSBGC staff poses for a picture at our Christmas party at Gusano's.







Youth of the Month

July Sam Westfall (Evans) Langston Hooks (Goldtrap) **Boston Bishop** (Stephens) August **Adonis Ramos** (Evans) Landon McGrew (Goldtrap) MaCkenna Charity (Stephens) September Tayvian Cade (Evans) Tempest Middleton (Godtrap) Belle Tandazo (Stephens) October Ayden Jones (Evans) Jessa Fuller (Goldtrap) ShauntaVia Tucker (Stephens) November Eliana Velasquez (Evans) (Goldtrap) Tyler Jones

Juan Mendoza

Rain Arranaya

Genesis Garrett

Flint Hamby

December









(Stephens)

(Goldtrap)

(Stephens)

(Evans)

Helene Lewis Retires From the FSBGC



After more than 21 years with the club, Helene Lewis has decided to hang up her proverbial Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club hats. She wore so many for the FSBGC in her time that it probably took a while to find a hat rack big enough. Beginning in 2001, she was hired as Jerry Glidewell's office manager. Little did she know at the time, what that would entail.

"Jerry is constantly on the move and my job did too," Lewis stated. "I was the secretary, but I had to also write manuals, handle the human resources department, payroll, accounting, contracts, board of directors information, alumni, help with grants...I did everything an office needs...I even was the Secret Santa."

Before joining the clubs, Ms. Lewis attended high school in Huntsville, Arkansas. She enjoyed being a seamstress and made her own clothes. In 1975 she joined the United States Air Force as an accountant and left a sergeant in 1980. Ms. Lewis then headed to Westark (now UAFS) in Fort Smith where she went to school for program writing. She headed a one-person office at New Prospect Drilling for nine years before returning to program writing at Westark. After a couple of different accounting jobs, she returned to New Prospect Drilling for another seven years before joining the club and Mr. Glidewell.

"It has been an honor working for Jerry and the FSBGC. He was steadfast supporter of our community, the kids and his employees," Lewis said. "I think Ms. Presley will continue that work and do a wonderful job."





Helen Lewis is pictured above in a shot Jerry Glidewell took, showing some banter between the two about her "hats".

The picture below features Helen and her brothers on the bottom row, John Zander on the left of Helen and Paul Zander on her right. The administrative staff stands behind the siblings at her retirement party.

FSBGC Donations



T.J.'s Guitar and Music program held their annual TJ. "Peaches" Cunningham memorial at the Majestic on October 22, 2022. The event raised \$3,500 for the program. The program visits each of the clubs during the school year and gives children the opportunity to learn music at no cost to the students.



The United Federal Credit Union has been a constant supporter of the Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club. On November 8, 2022 they made another donation to the club in the amount of \$5,000. In the past they have sponsored the haunted house, our shuttle program and the Stand With U Mentoring program.



The Fort Smith Elks lodge 341 made a \$2,000 donation on November 16, 2022. The Elks Lodge 341 is the oldest lodge in the state of Arkansas. Each year the nonprofit organization has a Hoop Shoot for the community where the winners can participate in a national competition. The competition is for ages 8-13 boys and girls.







Jaylin Williams and Isaiah Joe making FSBGC history

As the NBA winds down the season and teams fight for playoff spots, two Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club former members are combining to make history. Rookie Jaylin Williams and third-year teammate Isaiah Joe have found their way into the OKC Thunder starting lineup together on multiple occasions, making this the first pair of former club members to do this in Fort Smith Boys & Girls Club history. Only five club members have ever made it to the NBA. Jim King, Ron Brewer and Jalil Okafor are the other three. Not only have Williams and Joe cracked the lineup but both are putting their stamp on the NBA. Joe was third in the NBA with a 44.9 three-point percentage on March 2, 2023 and led all OKC in scoring with 28 points against the Phoenix Suns on Feb. 24, doing the same with 24 points against the Sacramento Kings two days later. Williams is coming off a match up against the LA Lakers on March 1 where he had a game-high 12 rebounds and as of March 10 was first in the NBA with 27 charges drawn, something he also excelled at while a member of the Arkansas Razorback.

Tylor Perry Receives Player of the Year Honors





Wearing number 5 above, the former member of the FSBGC could be found burning up the nets at Evans during the summer or knocking down shots at Stephens during the fall.

North Texas senior Tylor Perry was named Conference USA Player of the Year. He led the "Mean Green" to outstanding 26-6 record and a second-place finish Conference USA regular season standings. Averaging 16.8 points per game, North Texas and **Tylor** Perry will be fighting for an NCAA playoff birth during the Conference **USA** tournament. Perry is a transfer from Coffeyville Community College in While Kansas. Coffeyville, Perry led the squad to a NJCAA national tournament title and was named MVP of the tournament.



Jaylin Williams wearing 6 on the left, Isaiah Joe wearing 11 on the right vs Utah Jazz on March 5, 2023. OKC won 129-119.



Former Hogs Isaiah Joe and Jaylin Williams watch the Razorbacks defeat Florida on Feb 18, 2023 at Bud Walton.



Tevin Brewer flips the script for Dukes

Former FSBGC club member Tevin Brewer is concluding his senior season with the Duquesne Dukes. The Dukes have marched to a 20-12 mark. Brewer transferred from Florida International for his final year. The transfer has helped turn around the Dukes' program which finished last season with a 6-24 mark and had lost 17 games straight coming into this season. Brewer will conclude his senior year averaging 10.3 points per game, 4.4 assists, 1 steal a game and a 79.8 free throw percentage for his entire collegiate career.

2022 FSBGC Flag Football Final Standings

Starter

First Security Bank 6 - 0 Forsgren 4 - 2 Optimist 2 - 4 Simmons Bank 0 - 6

Minor

	Overall	Conf
First Security Bank	6 - 0	4 - 0
Orr Chevrolet	4 - 2	3 - 1
Dobson Fiber	2 - 4	2 - 2
First National Bank	2 - 4	1 - 3
Alumni	1 - 5	0 - 4

Major

Carman Trucking 5 - 0 - 1 Alumni 3 - 2 - 1 Optimist 0 - 6







Going up for the grab! Flag football, Soccer and our Dance program take place at Hunts Park during the fall.





2022 FSBGC Soccer Final Standings

	<u>Starter</u>	
Eye Group	8 - 0	
Basic Bro's	6 - 2	
Dominguez Ins	5 - 3	
Midland	1 - 7	
Shoe Carnival	1 - 7	



Minor

Harbor House	7 - 0
Vizion	3 - 5
La Fiesta	3 - 3 - 2
Caddell & Reynolds	1 - 5 - 2
Morales	0 - 3 - 4



<u>Major</u>	
Extreme DJ	6 - 2
Vizion	4 - 4
Dr. Cole Goodman	2 - 6





$B_{rain} \& G_{ame} C_{enter}$



- A. A man pushes his car to a hotel and tells its owner that he is bankrupt. Why?
- B. Your dad tells you that he will pay you \$6.00 an hour for the 6 seconds that you take to wash your hands before dinner. How much did you make for washing your hands?
- C. Guess the next three letters in the series GTNTL.
- D. What has a mouth, but cannot eat; moves, but has no legs; and has a bank, but cannot put money in it?
- E. The number 8,549,176,320 is a unique number. What is so special about it?
- F. What is full of holes but can still hold water?

- 1) What city applied a fruity floral-scent spray called "Madeleine" to improve its subway smell?
 - a) New York
- b) Chicago

c) Paris

- d) Tokyo
- 2) Which one of these terms best describes a ialopy?
 - a) Sore Feet
- b) Luxury Yacht
- c) Dilapidated Car
- d) Tandem Bicycle
- 3) What date did the University of Arkansas join the SEC?
 - a) March 4, 1991
- b) October 10, 1992
- c) June 8, 1992
- d) July 1, 1991
- 4) What is the largest desert on Earth?
 - a) Antarctic Polar Desert b) Sahara Desert c) Arabian Desert
 - d) Gobi Desert
- 5) Which president had a sign on his desk that read, "The Buck Stops Here!"?
 - a) George Washington
- b) Harry S. Truman
- c) Dwight Eisenhower
- d) John F. Kennedy

Answers

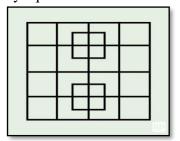
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B.

mee t

He is playing monopoly

How many squares are lined out in black?





Jeffrey Boys & Girls Club 4905 North "O" Street - 782-8126 (near Kimmons Middle School) Currently closed due to renovation



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Goldtrap Boys & Girls Club 8800 South Dallas - 452-5779 (near Chaffin Middle School)



Evans Boys & Girls Club 6015 Boys Club Lane - 646-9519 (near Beard Elementary) Current home of Admin Office



Stephens Boys & Girls Club 3101 North 6th Street - 782-6392 (near Trusty Elementary School)

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