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Welcome to our monthly eNewsletter! Thank you for staying connected to our Clubs.

Our Clubs are now safer than ever. Come see for yourself! We welcome pre-scheduled visits and Club tours. Contact [your local club](#) for more details. Looking for a membership application? Visit our website to join a Club for just \$5 a year!

It truly is a wonderful experience to make a difference in the lives of young people in Fresno County. Give today for your chance to be a part of the BGC Movement. Visit our [website](#) to learn more about our mission, values, and programs. Or visit [BGCA](#) to see how we're making a difference nationally.



Multi-Club Field Trip to iFly San Francisco

On April 6th, 29 teens went sky driving in a one-of-a-kind indoor skydiving experience at iFly. According to a teen from Selma, it was the “best experience ever” and staff were proud of how brave each member was. iFly is located in San Francisco, a city most of our members had never been to.

“I like field trips because we get to show members new places and experiences,” said Ron Zisler, Director of Operations and one of the trip coordinators.

Thanks to funding from County ARPA, 12 members from the Pinedale Club and 12 members from the Sanger Club went on this trip. Funding from the City of Selma allowed five members from the Selma Club to join in as well.

Fresno Heroes Fund Crucial Club Programs with \$38,500 Grant



"The children in our community are our future. That is why DA Lisa Smittcamp, Chief Paco Balderrama, Sheriff John Zanoni and Probation Chief Kirk Haynes collaboratively secured grant funding of \$38,500 for the Boys & Girls Clubs of Fresno County," said Fresno County District Attorney's Office.

On April 26th a check was presented at the West Fresno Club. This collaboration will make an direct and significant impact that stretches far beyond our Clubs by funding programs that focus on gang prevention & anti-drug education.

13th Annual Westside Fundraiser Luncheon

Dinner | Live Auction | Special Guest

Thursday, May 25th 2023
Harris Ranch Inn & Restaurant
Coalinga, CA 93210

Benefitting the Harris Farms &
Firebaugh Club

To reserve a seat or a table, contact
Sandra Dee Chaney at 559-266-3117

For over a decade, there has been an amazing group of farmers, producers and business leaders that have dedicated their time, talents and treasures to support the Clubs on the Westside. Read more about the genesis of this event [here](#).

Pictured: Gustavo Gonzalez, Harris Farms Unit Director & Blanca Garcia, Firebaugh Unit Director



Upcoming Events

TOMORROW!!



Cinderella Project

Come Join Us At Our First Free Makeover Prom

Events:

- Men's/Women's Wear
- Make-up Artist
- Hairstylist
- Barber

Saturday, April 29, 2023

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.



High School Students Attending Prom!
 Join us
 Harris Farms Boys & Girls Club
 36612 Central Ave, Huron, CA 93234
 (559) 763-6140



Instagram Post of the Month

The West Fresno Club had a rockin' good time this Easter when the band Near Avenue (@nearavenue) came by to give lessons and play some songs with the kids. They also made some faux bunny ears and had some Easter candy.



Follow @westfresnobgc for more!

WE ARE HIRING!

Whether you're passionate about hands-on learning, or just like working with your hands, we have a place for you! Find jobs available in after-school programming, facility maintenance, and more.

SEE OPEN JOBS

Full-time & Part-time positions available throughout Fresno County. Must be 21 + to apply.



WE ARE OPEN!

Contact a Club to get involved, learn more, and become a member!
Visit our website at www.bgcfresno.org or visit your nearest Club!

ZIMMERMAN | EAST FRESNO | WEST FRESNO | CLOVIS | PINEDALE
JUVENILE JUSTICE CAMPUS | SELMA | REEDLEY
SANGER | DEL REY | ORANGE COVE | MENDOTA | FIREBAUGH | HARRIS FARMS

CLUB SAFETY

Clubhouses are modified to support small group learning, temperature checks, parent registration, sanitary practices, and social distancing.

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