



The Club for Boys is a place for boys between the ages of 6 and 17 to come hang out, make new friends, do homework, play sports, participate in a wide variety of activities, and receive love and encouragement.

Our staff members are all professionally trained in providing a safe, caring, and fun environment. The Club for Boys welcomes all faiths, cultures, and economic statuses.

Becoming A Member

Any boy between the ages of 6 and 17 can join the Club for just \$12 a year. There are no income guidelines. A membership year runs from June 1<sup>st</sup> through May 31<sup>st</sup>.

All boys are welcome to check out the program before joining. A one day free trial is available on Fridays.

Scholarships are available.

New Members Meeting

All new members and a parent/guardian are required to attend a new member's meeting. Once your application paperwork has been submitted, our office staff will schedule you for a next available meeting.

Program Hours of Operation

School Year Program  
Monday - Friday: 1:30 pm - 8:00 pm  
Summer/Day Hours Program  
Monday - Friday: 7:45 am - 5:00 pm

Office Hours

School Year  
Monday - Friday: 8:00 am - 8:00 pm  
Summer/Day Hours  
Monday - Friday: 7:45 am - 5:00 pm

Older Boys After Hours

School Year Program  
Fridays: 8:00 pm - 11:00 pm  
Day Hours Programming  
Fridays: 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Hours may vary and are subject to change. The Club for Boys will communicate if any major changes occur.

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320 N 4th Street, Rapid City, SD 57701  
(605)343-3500  
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## Programs and Activities

The Club offers many programs and activities for members to participate in, including:

- Arts and Crafts
- Athletics (2 Gyms and Outdoor Sport Court)
- Outdoor Activities and Cabin
- Homework Help and STEM Activities
- Nutrition Program and Learning Kitchen
- Social Skill Building and Recreational Activities
- Guidance and Advocacy

## Age Appropriate Play

- Ages 6 - 7: The Clubhouse
- Ages 8 - 9: The Cave
- Ages 10 - 12: The Hideout
- Ages 12 - 17: The Den

## Meals and Snacks

With the cost of membership, your child will receive nutritional meals and snacks. Meals comply with Child and Adult Nutrition Services guidelines.

- School Year Meals: Snack and Supper
- Summer/Day Hour Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, and Snack

## Transportation

The Club for Boys provides transportation from the following schools:

- East Middle School
- South Middle School
- North Middle School
- Rapid Valley Elementary
- Valley View Elementary
- Robbinsdale Elementary
- Horace Mann Elementary

Transportation form is included in membership application.

## Picking Up Your Member

For the safety of our members, we encourage parents to park in a parking spot and come inside the Club to pick up their children. The Club discourages children from being outside unless they are supervised by an adult.

Please call if you know that you will be late picking up your child at closing time. Children left 15 to 29 minutes past closing time will be suspended for 1 day from Club activities. If we are unable to reach a parent or guardian, law enforcement is contacted for those children left 30 minutes or more past closing time.

## Membership Cards

Membership cards are very important and it's a Club rule your child brings one every day. He will be provided with his first membership card. If your child loses his card he can purchase a new one.

## School Attendance

All members are expected to attend school every day. Your child will NOT be permitted to attend the Club if he did NOT go to school that day unless approved by the Program Director or Director of Individual Services.

## Field Trips

Field trips are available for all members on a first come first serve basis. Parents must fill out the permission slip and members must display good behavior. Trips have limited spots. Our staff try to take different members on each trip so everyone has the opportunity to go. Trips may be cancelled or changed due to weather and staffing.

## Sports Leagues

Competitive flag football and basketball sports leagues are included in the cost of membership. If your child would like to participate in either or both leagues, he will be placed on a team. He will have practices and games he must attend.

## Club Happenings

The Club strives to keep parents and boys informed. Hours, closings, and calendars are posted at the Club and online. We encourage parents to visit our website and Facebook page regularly to get the most up-to-date information.

Anyone can sign up for Club Happenings texts.  
Text: ALLMEMBERS to (844)559-0273 to subscribe.



## Expected Behavior

The Club for Boys expects all adults at our facility to set a positive example for our members. If any adult is acting in a way deemed inappropriate by staff, he or she will be asked to leave the premises on his or her own.

## Inappropriate Clothing

Staff may ask members to change clothing if they feel that it is offensive or inappropriate.

## Harassment

The Club for Boys has a harassment policy, which is continually monitored. This policy addresses harassment of employees by the public. Our staff is available to assist in helping you meet your needs. However, if you use obscene language, threatening or offensive behavior, or are intoxicated, we will ask that you leave the building on your own.

## Intoxicated Individuals

If a staff member at The Club for Boys thinks that any parent or other adult at the Club has been drinking, Club staff will help that individual find a ride home. If a person who staff believes to have been drinking insists on driving, it is the Club's policy to contact the police department with the individual's make, model, and license plate number.

## Real Cost of Membership

We expect all boys to follow the Club's guidelines of being a safe and fun place to be. If your child chooses to not follow the Club rules there will be consequences and those will be determined by the Director of Individual Services.