

In The

BGCGM Mix



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF GREATER MANCHESTER

May 2026

Hello BGCGM Families,

As we welcome the warmer weather, we kindly ask for your support in ensuring that all members come to the Club dressed appropriately for active play and outdoor activities.

Comfortable clothing and proper footwear help keep everyone safe and ready to enjoy the spring season!

We are also excited to share that we welcomed four new team members in April: **Elizabeth, Annie, Laura, and Cat**. Please join us in giving them a warm BGCGM welcome when you see them in the Club or at Jewett!

A reminder that our program hours have shifted, and all age groups now close at 7:00pm each day.

Looking ahead to June, please note a few important dates:

- **Tuesday, June 10:** All BGCGM sites will close early at 5pm for our annual Awards Night.
- **Monday, June 16:** This will be our last day of programming, even though the last day of school is June 17.

Thank you for being part of the BGCGM community!

IMPORTANT CLUB INFO & DATES

Thursday, May 7

IT TAKES A VILLAGE FAMILY DINNER

4:30-6pm | *Union Street Clubhouse*
Families are encouraged to join us for a taco bar dinner. All sites are welcome to join. Families can sign-up at the Clubhouse Front Desk and Kids Club Front Desk, or with your Site Director.

Wednesday, May 20

CIT/PARENT INFO SESSION

5:30pm | *Union Street Clubhouse*
CIT acceptance letters are being distributed. If your child was selected to participate in the CIT program, it is important for them and you to attend this info session to learn about expectations and program details.

SUMMER PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Registration is available online at bgcgm.org/summer-programs or in person at the Clubhouse.

Food Pantry

Fridays, 4-6pm in the front lobby

STATE YOUTH OF THE YEAR COMPETITION

Be sure to cheer on Deng as he represents BGCGM at the State Youth of the Year competition on May 14!

ELIZABETH



JEWETT STREET
SITE DIRECTOR

ANNIE



KIDS CLUB
DIRECTOR

Welcome
TO



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LAURA



STEAM
AREA SUPERVISOR

CAT



RECEPTIONIST

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CLUB & SITE HAPPENINGS

Monday | 2nd Period

Life Skills Group

Junior members will learn things like proper brushing/flossing, how to read a clock, how to write an address, memorizing important numbers, how to use silverware properly, table etiquette, manners, etc. See Kayla for more information.

Tuesday & Thursday | 2nd Period

Lego Creations

Juniors can join Kayla to

Wednesday

Spelling Bee Wednesday

Junior members can participate and demonstrate their amazing spelling skills. See Kayla for more info.

May 8

STEAM at HGF

Our amazing STEAM Director, Keith, will be at HGF showing and sharing amazing STEM activities with HGF members.

May 8

Mother-figure Projects

Junior members will celebrate mother figures by making them bouquets out of pipe cleaners, card stock, or both!

May 13 | 4:00pm

Community Meeting

Members will gather in the gym to celebrate the March members of the month. HGF and Jewett members will have their own celebration at their sites.

May 22

HGF Clean-Up

HGF members will help keep their Site clean by doing a HGF Club clean-up around the school and playground. See Nikki for more info.

May 26

Paper Airplane Day

Juniors and Staff will create, decorate, and test their paper airplane-making abilities with a distance contest! Members will participate in creating, building, and designing their own paper airplanes during 1st period, then put them to the test on the court during 2nd period in a distance competition! Prizes and treats for best decorated, most complex, furthest distance, and shortest distance. See Kayla for more info.

TWEEN & TEEN SPECIAL EVENTS

Wednesday | 4pm

Youth for Unity

In this program, members will learn to understand our society's diversity; recognize bias and unfairness; and take personal leadership in confronting bias.

May 8 | 5-7pm

Backyard Night

Join the Tween/Teen staff on the field for backyard games including cornhole and water pong, and enjoy delicious popsicles.

May 15 | 5:30-7pm

Wildin' Out - Club Edition

JMembers will participate in comedy challenges. Challenges will consist of freestyle rap, "Try Not to Laugh Challenge," and improv jokes.

May 29 | 6-8pm

Boys Night

Join Gil and other Tween/Teen staff for football and soccer on the field, and hot dogs and chips for dinner.

2026-2027 School Year Program

Financial Assistance Applications
are available at the Clubhouse,
each site, and online at
bgcgm.org/union-street-clubhouse
Please note this application must be
turned in via email or in person.

School Year 2026/2027
registration will be available
on Monday, June 1.

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PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

Tuesday & Thursday | 2nd period (Juniors)

Daily | 5:30pm (Tweens & Teens)

Planet Fitness Gym

Juniors, Tweens, and Teens, join Max in the Planet Fitness Gym and get your workout on! Please attend during your scheduled periods above.

Wednesday | 2nd period

Basketball Skills & Drills

All age groups are welcome to join the gym staff to learn basketball skills and drills. See Max for more info.

May 12

National Limerick Day

The Learning Center will be teaching members how to write limericks and host a limerick competition.

May 14 | 2nd - 3rd period

Soccer Jamboree

The Gym will be hosting a Soccer Jamboree on the field. Juniors and Tweens will be playing World Cup, lightning, pickup soccer, and penalty shootouts for prizes.

May 14

National Decency Day

In the Learning Center, we will write and decorate notes and posters about kindness and being a good friend. Members will be able to spread these messages throughout the Club.

May 20

Geocaching

The STEAM Lab will be taking members around the block to hunt for and place new Geocaches near the Union Street Clubhouse. See Keith for more info.

May 20

Slime Day

Members can enjoy their favorite activity all day in the STEAM Lab by creating their own slime.

May 26

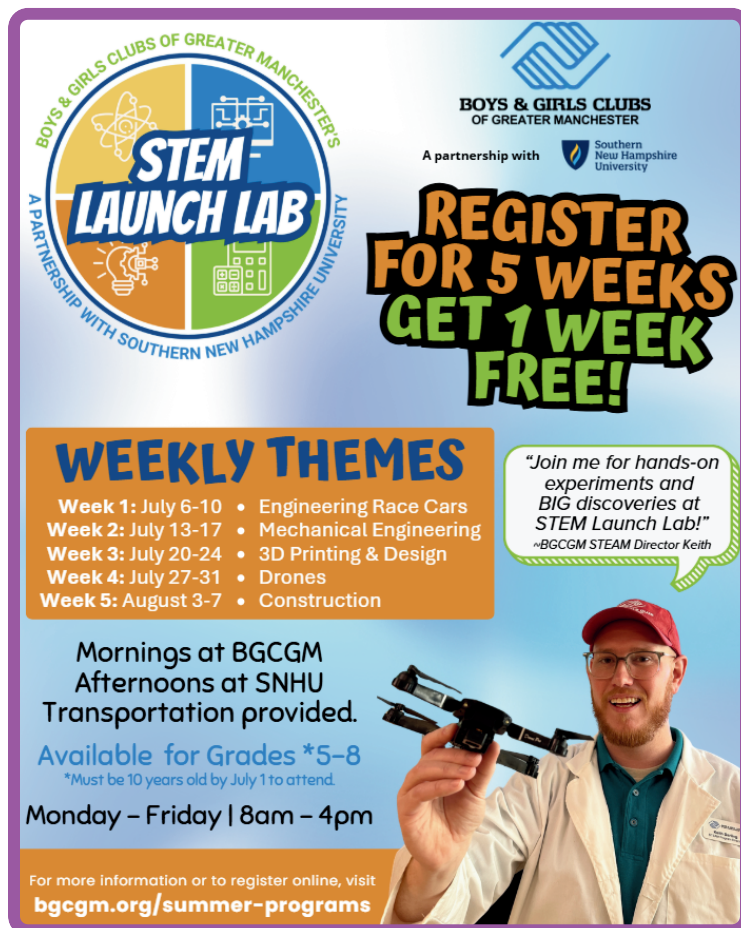
National Paper Airplane Day

Members will make, decorate, and compete with paper airplanes in the Learning Center. Participants will compare date from their plane with each others. See Julia for more info.

May 29

National 529 Day & National Paperclip Day

Come discuss what goes into a day in the life of a college student and how to prepare for it (money, travel, choosing a major, etc.). At the same time, we'll take paperclips and see how many is needed to make the longest chain we can, all the while counting and keeping track of the data with models.

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A PARTNERSHIP WITH SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE UNIVERSITY

STEM LAUNCH LAB

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A partnership with Southern New Hampshire University

REGISTER FOR 5 WEEKS GET 1 WEEK FREE!

WEEKLY THEMES

- Week 1: July 6-10 • Engineering Race Cars
- Week 2: July 13-17 • Mechanical Engineering
- Week 3: July 20-24 • 3D Printing & Design
- Week 4: July 27-31 • Drones
- Week 5: August 3-7 • Construction


"Join me for hands-on experiments and BIG discoveries at STEM Launch Lab!"
~BGCGM STEAM Director Keith

Mornings at BGCGM
Afternoons at SNHU
Transportation provided.

Available for Grades *5-8
*Must be 10 years old by July 1 to attend.

Monday - Friday | 8am - 4pm

For more information or to register online, visit bgcgm.org/summer-programs





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2026

SUMMER PROGRAM

Register TODAY for our Summer Program



\$325/WEEK

A partnership with



5 weeks beginning
July 6, 2026



Grades *5-8
8am - 4pm

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Participants will split their days between the Union Street Clubhouse and SNHU's campus, giving them a unique blend of Club-based learning and real-world university experiences. Each week focuses on a different STEM theme, led by SNHU staff members working in the field, including engineering, aeronautics, robotics, coding, design thinking, and hands-on innovation.

Included in your weekly fee is a commemorative t-shirt (one for the entire summer), transportation to and from SNHU, activity materials, and certificates of completion at the end of each week.

\$225/WEEK

10 weeks beginning
June 22, 2026

KIDZ KAMP
Grades *K-1

6:30am - 6pm

*Must be 4 years and 9 months old
by June 22 to attend.

CAMP FOSTER

Grades 2-7

6:30am - 6pm

TWEEN & TEEN FULL DAY

NEW! Grades 6-12

8am - 4pm



**For more info or to register, scan the QR Code or visit,
BCCGM.ORG/SUMMER-PROGRAMS**