



Donor Advised Funds

Recommend a Grant from Your Donor Advised Fund to benefit Boys & Girls Clubs of the Tennessee Valley ("BGCTNV"). While BGCTNV does not sponsor a donor advised fund ("DAF"), it is a qualified nonprofit to receive grants from DAFs. Recommending your DAF provider make a grant to BGCTNV for the benefit of your preferred designation at Boys & Girls Clubs!

How it works

Recommending your grant is an easy three-step process.

1. Sign into Your DAF Account and Locate Your DAF Provider's Grant-Recommendation Form

Most grant recommendation forms are housed behind a password-protected area of a DAF provider's website. There you'll likely have the option to print a grant recommendation form or complete a similar online form. (The latter is particularly useful for more time-sensitive grant recommendations.)

2. Complete Key Information in Your Form

Your DAF grant should be directed to:

Boys & Girls Clubs of the Tennessee Valley

967 Irwin Street

Knoxville, TN 37917

Federal Tax ID: 62-0475743

Contact name: Bridget Jones (bjones@bgctnv.org)

Note your grant's intended purpose on your form, including, if applicable, the benefitting fund name. (A grant's purpose is normally noted in its own section that is sometimes listed as "Grant Details," "Grant Purpose" or "Recommended Purpose.")

Mark whether you would like your grant's donor to be listed as the name of the DAF account's owner(s) or the name of the DAF account itself. (This is important so BGCTNV can identify, credit, and acknowledge your gift appropriately.)

3. Submit Your Completed Recommendation Form

Either mail your printed form to your DAF provider or hit "send"/"submit" on your completed online form.

Other important notes

- The IRS prohibits DAFs from making distributions that provide "more than incidental benefit" to a donor, like distributions toward a pre-existing pledge with BGCTNV or distributions that give increased athletics status (including improved seating).
- You cannot mix DAFs with the IRA Charitable Rollover – you must direct your IRA Charitable Rollover gift directly to a qualified charity (like BGCTNV), not a DAF, to receive the Rollover's benefits.
- You can designate – via your DAF's beneficiary form – BGCTNV for the benefit of the Clubs as the beneficiary of your remaining DAF funds following your passing. We can provide you with the appropriate beneficiary designation language if you'd like to create this kind of gift.

Boys & Girls Clubs of the Tennessee Valley advises all supporters to consult with their financial, legal, and tax advisers during their philanthropic planning. Once you've had these discussions, please reach out to Bridget Jones via bjones@bgctnv.org with any further questions.