



Juan is an eighth-grader at Francisco Middle School. He believes he is lucky to be a student there. Why? "Bike Club!" He says in a heartbeat. In bike class, Juan learned to build a bike from scratch. In January, after completing his project, he earned the bike he built. Juan's teachers also love the program; for motivational appeal. Last fall, Juan's grades fell. His teachers tried everything to engage him but nothing worked. When they decided to take away his opportunity to participate in Bike Club. That was all it took for Juan. His grades promptly went back up and have stayed that way since.



The Y is the unparalleled cause for strengthening community because we are the community. We believe that lasting personal and social change can only come about when we all work together to invest in our kids, our health, and our neighbors. Every day, we work side by side with neighbors in our community to make sure that everyone, regardless of age, income, or background, has the opportunity to learn, grow, and thrive.

When you give to the Y, you strengthen our community and move us all forward. As the leading nonprofit for youth development, healthy living, and social responsibility, the Y uses your gift to make a meaningful, enduring impact right in your own neighborhood.

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YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

We believe that all kids deserve the opportunity to discover who they are and what they can achieve. Every day youth from Marin County to the Santa Cruz Mountains are cultivating the values, skills and relationships that lead to positive behaviors, better health and educational achievement. Y activities give our children the opportunity to become confident kids today and healthier, happier grown-ups tomorrow.



HEALTHY LIVING

Improving our community's health and well-being is a priority for the Y. Through offerings that range from basketball, to group bike rides and hikes, to rehabilitation classes, the Y encourages good health and fosters connections through fitness, sports, fun and shared interests. As a result, youth, adults and families are receiving the support and guidance needed to achieve greater health in spirit, mind and body.

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

At the Y, strengthening community is our cause. For nearly 160 years, the YMCA of San Francisco has been listening and responding to our communities' most critical needs. Whether developing skills or emotional well-being, welcoming and connecting diverse populations, or advocating for healthier communities, the Y fosters the care and respect all people need and deserve. Together we can build stronger, more inclusive communities, provide support for families and promote positive change overall.

SUPPORT THE Y STRENGTHEN YOUR COMMUNITY



The Y uses your gift to make a meaningful, enduring impact right in your own neighborhood.

- \$2,500** ensures 150 public school students will gain a greater appreciation for the Presidio's history and natural resources through our 4th Grade Field Trip program.
- \$1,000** introduces 10 children to water safety through 8 weeks of swim lessons.
- \$500** gives a member a year's financial assistance so she can workout at the YMCA regularly while recovering from an injury.
- \$250** allows one youth to be active and healthy through our biweekly YBike Afterschool program.

Any contribution in any amount will enrich lives and improve our neighborhoods. Your gift is greatly appreciated.