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Boys & Girls Club members holding winter clothing drive for homeless youth

REDLANDS – Middle school-age members of Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Redlands-Riverside are collecting coats and other winter clothes for homeless youth through Dec. 18.

The clothing drive is a youth advocacy project organized in partnership with Amazon. Youth learn about advocacy and do an activity to address social justice or civic engagement.

Members of the community can drop off coats, hats, gloves and other winter apparel in juniors sizes to the Hansberger Clubhouse, 1251 Clay St., Redlands, and the Redlands Community Center, 111 W. Lugonia Ave. Club staff will determine where to donate the items.

The youth organizing the drive are in the Club’s Torch Club, a community service and leadership program for middle schoolers. The drive is meant to “illustrate youth voice while igniting positive change in communities during this time of great need,” according to Boys & Girls Clubs of America.

About Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Redlands-Riverside
Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Redlands-Riverside has served the Inland Empire since 1967, and has sites in the communities of Corona, Moreno Valley, Redlands, Rialto, Riverside, San Bernardino and Victorville. Our mission is to enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens. For more information, visit www.BeGreatIE.org