



Goings Family

# GIVE FOR A BETTER US



## Youth Development

All kids deserve the opportunity to discover who they are and what they can achieve, under the guidance of caring adults who believe in their potential. We see every interaction with young people as an opportunity for learning and development—all grounded in the Y's core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility.



## Healthy Living

We help people and families build and maintain habits that improve their everyday lives. By helping kids, adults, families and seniors from all walks of life improve their health and well-being, we build a stronger community.



## Social Responsibility

With our doors open to all, we bring together people from all backgrounds, to support those in need. We take on the most urgent needs in our community and inspire a spirit of service in return. Our members, volunteers, supporters and staff demonstrate the power of what we can achieve by giving back together.

>>> Your donation goes directly  
to help families like the Goings.

Being part of the YMCA has given my family many different opportunities for growth.

The Y has not only helped strengthen the core principles of a healthy mind, body, and spirit but we have gained many new friends and truly feel part of an amazing family.

The Y has been a blessing to my family. As a single mother, there are often many obstacles, especially finances. When things have been tight, the generosity and selflessness of the Y made it possible for us to continue to participate in the programs we have grown to love!

Because of the positive impact the Y had on me as a child, it was important for my children to have their own Y experiences. We have enjoyed Yball, gymnastics, swimming, Kid's Club, group ex summer camps, and many other programs. The program we've utilized the most is Before and After school care.

I cannot imagine our life WITHOUT the Y. Not only has it become a second home for us, but also an extension of our family. Without the Y, my children would not have a fun and safe place they enjoy coming to after school. It brings me great comfort knowing that not only is my son receiving amazing care, he loves being at the Y!

-Holly

## Your Gift In Action

**Every dollar donated to the Jorgensen Family YMCA Annual Campaign has a lasting impact on our community. In 2020, 4,761 people participated at the Y because of financial assistance.**

**\$135**

Gets 1 child into a week of fun, friendship, and memories at summer day camp.

**\$175**

Keeps 1 kid safe and confident around water through a year of swim lessons.

**\$300**

Sponsors participation for half of a youth basketball team where kids learn teamwork and sportsmanship.

**\$525**

Helps an older adult stay connected with friends and become healthy at the Y.

**\$1,250**

Provides a teen with one year of structured afterschool activities, healthy snacks and homework help.

**\$2,500**

Inspires 1 class of 10 cancer survivors to gain strength and reclaim wellness through LiveStrong® at the Y.

## Through Your Generosity, Together We Will:

- Cultivate the character of tomorrow's leaders as they participate in youth and government programs that emphasize the importance of seeing different viewpoints.
- Give youth hope and older adults purpose through meaningful connections with their community.
- Provide opportunities for everyone to participate at the Y, regardless of their age, income or background.



# GIVE



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The YMCA of Greater Fort Wayne is a not-for-profit organization whose mission is to put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all.



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