

Boys & Girls Club of Ellettsville

Frequently Asked Questions

How does parent pick-up work at the Club?

Parent pick-up will happen at the back parking lot of Edgewood Intermediate School, at Door # 4. We ask you to come in to pick up your child, and bring a photo ID with you. We will not release your child to anyone not on the pick-up list, and we verify ID to make sure.

If my child attends a different school, how do they get to the Club?

This varies by school. As long as the school is listed below, there is a way for them to arrive at the Club without a specific drop-off from a parent.

Edgewood Primary School

Our staff will go to the Primary School around 3:00pm. All members there will be signed in and have a snack at EPS, and they will come over to the Club with staff by 3:45pm.

Edgewood Junior High School or High School

The school system provides a bus for transportation to our Club. Some members do choose to walk from the schools. The schools allow them to walk or take the bus, so make sure to talk with your child(ren) if you want them to take the bus instead of walk. They will arrive at the Club between 2:30pm and 2:45pm.

Seven Oaks Classical School

We take our mini bus to pick up from Seven Oaks. They will be picked up after school and arrive at the Club by 4:00pm.

Can I drop my child off at the Club, or do they have to attend directly from school?

You are welcome to drop your child off at the Club any time, as long we are open and they are picked up by 6:00pm. This is especially common during break camps, but you are welcome to drop them off during a school day as well. This is also how members who are either home-schooled or attend school in another district might participate in Club activities.

What is the Club's policy for weather cancellation?

For all breaks and closures, we go with the Richland Bean Blossom schools. The days we consider break camps or day camps will align with that school system, and our Club closure will as well.

This means that if RBB closes due to weather, we will close. If RBB stays open, we will stay open. If school shuts down due to weather in the middle of the day, we will be closed.

Is the Club open on days the school is not open? How does that work?

Most days when school is closed, we are open. Occasionally we will have staff trainings and may be closed. You should know well in advance if we are offering a camp day for a given day or week. Camp runs from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. and costs \$75. On all days we offer camp, we also offer drop-in time from 12 - 6 p.m., and it is free to all members.

For camps, you will sign up your child ahead of time. For drop-in, there is no need to sign up.

How often does the Club close? Will I know ahead of time if the Club will be closed?

It is our goal to stay open as much as possible for our members. We will have occasional closures for staff training. There is also a possibility we will close for EIS school events, or relocate to EPS for the day of programming. We are always closed for major holidays, such as Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, though we offer break camps during most school breaks on non-holiday days. We will release the days we're open or closed ahead of time in these circumstances.

We also have two major shutdowns during the year, both for staff on-boarding. The first is typically the final week of May, and the second the last two weeks of August.