



Big Brothers Big Sisters

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BOWL FOR KIDS' SAKE SET FOR ANDERSON IN AUGUST

Lace up your bowling shoes and get ready to make a difference in a child's life. Bowl For Kids' Sake Anderson is set for Saturday August 14, 2010 at Boulevard Lanes.

JUNE 2010

Register today at www.bbbsupstate.com

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Bowl for Kids' Sake is the perfect game for everyone. You play and the kids win! Whether you prefer bowling on a team or participating as a sponsor, you will find a way to help that is right up your alley. Simply sign up to play, collect money from friends and family, then bowl on the big day.

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Remember, it's not about bowling. It's about kids. It takes just six hours a month to make a difference in a child's life. Money raised at this event will get our children matched with a Big Brother or Big Sister now.

Corporate Sponsor Levels

- Strike! - \$2,500
- Knock'em Down! - \$1,000
- Score! - \$500
- Spare! - \$200
- Sponsor A Match - \$100

Contact Us:



Bowl for Kids' Sake

It doesn't matter how athletic you are. Bowling a strike will never feel so good because your efforts will help a child reach his or her full potential. For more information on Bowl for Kids' Sake call (864) 242-0676 or (864) 226-3438.

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3RD ANNUAL POKER RUN



BENEFITS
BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF THE UPSTATE
JUNE 26TH, 2010

Saturday

June 26, 2010

25 Garlington Road
Greenville

Registration: 10:00 a.m.

Last Bike Out: noon Last Bike In: 4:30 p.m.

Stops: Scatterbrains, The Hideout, & East Coast Ink.

More Information

Greg Williams, (864) 419-1858
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Ride ends at Twisted Spoke with prizes, live music by Rebel Son, and featuring DJ Jeff Harbin of Party Time Entertainment

*THIRD ANNUAL BIG GOLF CHALLENGE A HUGE SUCCESS!
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT*



BIG Golf Challenge Major Event Sponsors And BBBS Upstate CEO:

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BBBS Upstate/Clemson University Team Up To Design Marketing Materials

BBBS Upstate now has a more effective way to serve more children thanks to Philip Randall's advanced business writing class at Clemson University. As part of their class project, the students met with BBBS staff on several occasions to find out more about the needs and branding of BBBS. These students designed a comprehensive marketing packet that includes: brochures, letters, flyers and a video. These materials were put to use immediately and will help BBBS serve more children by recruiting volunteers, children and businesses.



BBBS Upstate Partnerships

BBBS matches spend six hours a month together having fun in the community. While spending time one-on-one is the most important thing they can do, it isn't always easy to find affordable activities. The following Upstate businesses currently allow our matches to use their services for outings. Their contributions allow our matches to grow stronger and help them stay together longer by giving them an opportunity to have fun at little or no cost. If you or anyone you know would like to provide a match activity for our Bigs and Littles, please call (864) 242-0676 or (864) 542-9328.

- Ballet Spartanburg**
- Camp Diversity**
- Camp Sertoma**
- Climbin' High**
- COLORS**
- Hyatt Regency ~ Chef Ben Hardaway**
- The Girl Scouts**
- The Imagine Center**
- The Purple Door Hair Salon**
- Virginia College ~ Cosmetology**
- YMCA Caine Halter Family Branch**

**Salon Day
~
The Purple
Door Hair
Salon**



**Candy Houses
~
Hyatt
Regency**



BIG BROTHER RECEIVES VOLUNTEER AWARD



Big Brother Adam Russ received the volunteer of the year award from The United Way of Anderson County for service to a child. Adam has been matched with his Little Brother, Carl, for one year. Carl was on hand during the award ceremony in April to support his buddy Adam. This is an annual award from The United Way of Anderson County. It is presented to those who work with children.

Congratulations Adam!



HIGH SCHOOL BIGS OF THE YEAR

BBBS Upstate takes a moment every year to thank our high school students who mentor in our site-based program. These high school students are from Eastside, Mauldin, and Riverside High Schools in Greenville County and Boiling Springs and Dorman High Schools, and Spartanburg Day School in Spartanburg County. They spend one hour a week at the child's elementary school playing games and doing homework. These high school Bigs of the year received a \$500 scholarship to a school of their choice. Thank you for all your hard work!

Mauldin High School junior Emily Olyarchuk is the high school Big Sister of the year in Greenville. Teacher say one day a week with Emily has made a lasting impression on her Little Sister's heart. Congratulations Emily!

Spartanburg Day School senior Anna Ike is the high school Big Sister of the year in Spartanburg County. Anna is always ready to help her Little Sister teachers say she has had a tremendous impact. Thank you Anna!

Little Brothers And Little Sisters Will Attend Summer Camp

More than a dozen Little Brothers and Sisters with BBBS are heading to camp this summer. Camp Diversity in North Carolina and Camp Sertoma in Clemson are sponsoring them.

Thirteen Little Brothers will attend Camp Diversity for one week. While they are there, they will take part in activities to improve self-esteem, self-confidence, self-respect, and self-reliance.

Two Little Sisters will attend Camp Sertoma for one week. The girls will learn independence and responsibility while enjoying campfires, nature hikes, archery, and sailing.

Thank you Camp Diversity and Camp Sertoma for providing these children a wonderful opportunity to reach their full potential!



BBBS STAFF SPOTLIGHT *Allison Caulk & Sarah Prosser*

Allison Caulk is a program specialist at BBBS Upstate and has been a Big Sister for five years. She joined the BBBS staff three years ago. Allison has played a key role in helping BBBS grow its program and serve more children. She has built strong relationships with parents and volunteers, helping build longer and stronger matches. She has also helped coordinate activities such as the Back To School Bash and summer camps for Little Brothers and Sisters. Allison is pursuing her Master's Degree and will be leaving BBBS in August. Thank you Allison for everything you have done and good luck!



Allison Caulk



Sarah Prosser

Sarah Prosser started working for BBBS Upstate nearly two years ago. Sarah is a program specialist and her hard work is directly responsible for helping more volunteers enroll in the program. In addition to interviewing mentors and children, Sarah also effectively manages a case load of matches. Sarah has exceptional organizational skills which have helped the program and activities stay on track. Whatever needs to be done, Sarah is the first one to step forward and make it happen. Sarah is pursuing her Bachelor's Degree and will be leaving BBBS in July. We will miss you Sarah. Thank you for everything and good luck!

OUR STAFF

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