



Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cape Cod & the Islands

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Stats

Total number of employees: 8
 Annual Revenues: \$1,100,000
 Year Established: 1974

Mission

The mission of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cape Cod & the Islands is to partner with under-resourced families to provide their children with transformational, one-to-one professionally-supported relationships with caring adult mentors, so that their children will thrive.

Geographic Area

Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket, Wareham & Plymouth

Leadership Team

JR Mell, Regional Director
Christa Danilowicz, Director of Fundraising Events

Funding



2024 Goals

- Match 140 NEW youth with a mentor, while impacting over 400 children in a high-quality mentoring friendship.
- Enter phase two of our strategic plan, Commitment: 1000, which seeks to impact the lives of 1,000 children in our region by 2028.
- Launch new program models to serve youth in more remote regions of our geography.
- Expand and diversify our Leadership Council to better represent, and empower, the communities we serve.
- Further solidify our programs return to the island of Nantucket.

Giving Opportunities Available

Golf for Kids, Monday, May 13 – Cummaquid Golf Club, Yarmouth Port
 Blooming Bids for Kids, Friday, June 14 – The Field Gallery, West Tisbury (Martha's Vineyard)
 The Big 3 Fishing Tournament, Friday, July 12 – Wychmere Beach Club, Harwich Port
 MV BIG Golf for Kids, Sunday, October 6 – Mink Meadows Golf Club, Vineyard Haven (Martha's Vineyard)

Big Brothers Big Sisters is dedicated to building safe and inclusive communities through long-lasting mentoring relationships. Your contribution today is an investment in a future where every young person can thrive, and together, we can shape a limitless world of possibilities. Last year, our agency made 97 new matches and supported over 300 youth, and with your contribution, we can continue to expand our services and make a greater impact. To learn more about how you can make an impact, contact JR Mell or visit www.capebigs.org

Volunteer Opportunities

Become a Big! With a waitlist that sometimes reaches over 100 children, the need for volunteer mentors, especially male mentors, is present.

Join a Committee! Our fundraising committees are looking for individuals who are passionate about raising funds to further our mission.

Join our Leadership! Throughout a service territory, we are seeking leaders to join our board to help further our mission.

Leadership Council

Joe Beasley, Cape Cod 5
Corey Frederickson, Barnstable PD
E.J. Jaxtimmer*, E.J. Jaxtimmer Builder, Inc.
Terry Jaxtimmer*, E.J. Jaxtimmer Builder, Inc
Scott Kwarta, The Cooperative Bank of Cape Cod
Patti Leighton, ret. MV Savings
Bruce McNamee, Edgartown PD
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