



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
OF THE LOWER NAUGATUCK VALLEY

## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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### **BOYS & GIRLS CLUB RAFFLES HONDA CIVIC**

**Shelton, CT, June 11, 2007** – Thanks to the generosity of Curtiss-Ryan Honda, the Boys & Girls Club of the Lower Naugatuck Valley will be raffling off a new 2007 Honda Civic. The proceeds will go directly toward the construction of the new \$4 million Boys & Girls Club being built on Clifton Avenue in Ansonia.

“Only 400 tickets at \$100 each were printed,” said raffle co-chairman Ray Kostka, “so the odds are really good.”

The drawing will be held Wednesday night at 7pm at John J. Sullivan’s, 557 Wakelee Avenue, Ansonia. All ticket holders are invited to join us for the drawing; hors d’oeuvres and cocktails will be served one hour before the drawing.

Fellow co-chairman Chris Jones said “Sales have been really good this past week, but there are still a few left.”

Tickets can be purchased by calling Ann at the Boys & Girls Club at 203-924-7462 or at John J. Sullivan’s up until 7 pm on Wednesday, June 13, 2007.

The Boys & Girls Club of the Lower Naugatuck Valley provides, in a safe environment, programs that inspire, educate, guide, and enable all young people, especially those from disadvantaged circumstances, to realize their full potential as productive, responsible, and caring citizens. The Club has 3,130 active members, and attendance exceeds 520 children per day. Yet the demand continues. The Club has six buses picking up children at grammar schools throughout the Valley. The vans are full, and there are waiting lists for children who want and need a structured program each day after school or during the summer. The Ansonia Project was developed to meet this demand in the Valley. This new facility will serve another 2,000 children, to keep another 500 children per day off the streets.

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