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BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
BOARD OF DIRECTORS/ EXECUTIVES TO RECEIVE AWARD

Shelton, CT, October 27, 2015– Boys & Girls Clubs of America’s National Headquarters based in Atlanta, Georgia will honor the Boys & Girls Club of the Lower Naugatuck Valley for achieving the Silver Level of the League of EAGLES Award Program. This award is a key element of the national organization’s Leading Edge: 2020 Board Transformation Strategy. The award recognizes local affiliate organizations for achieving 90% or more of the Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) which defines the strength of the organization's board of directors in meeting and exceeding a set of standards which provide an outcome based assessment of the board’s responsibilities and impact on for the organization. This awards program measures six key elements of a “strong board of directors” which include 75% of individual board members achieving the following:

- **Engagement.** Engaged and attend board meetings
- **Ask.** Ask others face-to-face for funding
- **Give.** Give back by making a personal financial gift
- **Lead.** Lead the organization to achieving strategic initiatives
- **Evaluate.** Evaluate their individual board performance based on a personal plan
- **Serve.** Serving actively on committees or task forces of the organization

Reaching this milestone is a significant accomplishment of which only 10% or less of the 1,000 member organizations of the 160 year old national youth development organization met in 2014 and is a testimony of the dedication and commitment of the organization's board and executive leadership to serving the youth of your community at the highest level. Shaye Roscoe, Executive Director will receive the award during the Northeast Leadership Conference to be held in Princeton, NJ on October 29, 2015.

For more information about the League of Eagles award, log on to http://bgcaboards.org/impact/board-recognition-awards/.
For more information about the Boys & Girls Club of the Lower Naugatuck Valley please visit our website, [www.BGC-LNV.org](http://www.BGC-LNV.org)

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