



**NEWTOWN
CONNECTION**
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*Imagination shared creates collaboration
Collaboration creates community
Community inspires social change*

- Terry Tempest Williams



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF SARASOTA AND DESOTO COUNTIES

Since 1970, the **Boys & Girls Clubs of Sarasota and DeSoto Counties (BGCSDC)** have played an integral role in the Sarasota and DeSoto County communities. It was obvious to us at Newtown Connection early in our inception that the BGCSDC would be a key strategic partner, as their vision mirrored our own.

The Boys & Girls Clubs has a vision to provide a world-class experience that **assures success is within reach of every young person** who walks through their doors, with all members on track to **graduate from high school** with a plan for the future, demonstrating **good character and citizenship**, and living a **healthy lifestyle**.

The BGCSDC provides access to **over 1,000 kids locally**, including the Newtown area of Sarasota, who will benefit from our program. Over time, these children will become the next generation of leaders not only in the Newtown community, but also in the greater Sarasota and DeSoto areas and beyond.

We are proud to have the **Boys & Girls Clubs of Sarasota and Desoto Counties** as one of our founding partners at Newtown Connection.

For more information, please visit the BGCSDC website at www.bgcsdc.org or visit them on Instagram at www.instagram.com/bgcsarasota/. You can also learn more about Newtown Connection and reach out to us at the links below.

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