

2023-24 ANNUAL IMPACT REPORT

463
YOUTHS SERVED
29% increase
from
2022-23

13,678
VOLUNTEER
HOURS
9% increase from
2022-23

Recipient of the 2023
**GROWTH AWARD
FROM BBBSA**
awarded to affiliates
that demonstrate
growth in total
children served from
one year to the next.

90%
OF LITTLES improved/
maintained their
social skills

\$10,000
IN SCHOLARSHIPS
awarded to 5
recipients

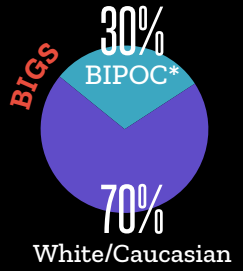
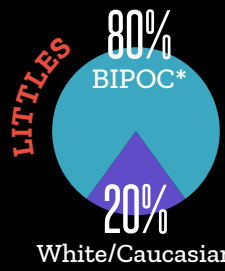
95%
OF LITTLES improved/
maintained family
connectedness

**AVERAGE MATCH
LENGTH:
42 MONTHS**

100% OF LITTLES:

- feel safe with their Big
- said their relationship with their Big is very important to them
- said that their Big is someone they can speak with when something is bothering them

RACE/ETHNICITY



52
EVENTS

hosted by BBBSLV for
Bigs and Littles to engage
with one another and
other matches.

**2023-24
INCOME:
\$773,341**

Big Brothers Big Sisters is its own self-sustaining agency and is 100% self-funded. The money donated/received stays right here in the Valley.



*Black, Indigenous, and People of Color

MENTORSHIP & DONORSHIP: KEY INGREDIENTS TO BRIGHTER FUTURES

In the recipe for success, both volunteers and donors are key ingredients for **Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Lehigh Valley** (BBBSLV). It is through the financial support of our donors that our volunteers can consistently show up for the youth in the Lehigh Valley. For nearly a decade, Big Brother Scott has been the "secret ingredient" in the life of a young man navigating the challenges of growing up. And he has not just shown up for his Little Brother Joseph, he has shown up as a donor for BBBSLV.

Joseph and Scott both remember their first meeting – on Joseph's front stoop - and reflect on how that first meeting blossomed into a lifelong connection—one that has shaped not only Joseph's journey but also enriched the life of his mom Karen.



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about their story



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for a message
from our CEO,
Susan Bartels



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