



**Celebrating Our Black Leaders: Honoring Excellence at
the Boys & Girls Club of Worcester**

At the Boys & Girls Club of Worcester, our strength lies in the people who show up every day with passion, purpose, and an unwavering commitment to our youth. During Black History Month and beyond, we are proud to celebrate and honor the extraordinary contributions of our Black leaders—individuals whose leadership, lived experiences, and dedication help shape the future of our Club and the young people we serve.

Tatyianna Zicherman, our Operations Manager since 2022, brings unmatched energy and precision to everything she does. From overseeing our front desk operations and membership program to supporting our youth development team, Tatyianna truly embodies our “whatever it takes” philosophy. With a background in design and special event planning, she adds creativity and polish to many of our signature events, including our beloved holiday celebrations—ensuring each experience is meaningful and memorable for our members and their families.

For more than three years, Athletics Program Director **Quincy Ikeachumba** has been instrumental in revitalizing our sports programming. Under his leadership, competitive basketball has regained the pride and prominence of the Club’s historic Ionic Avenue legacy. Quincy is equally committed to creating inclusive, non-competitive opportunities that ensure all youth—regardless of skill level—can participate, have fun, and stay active. Known for his infectious enthusiasm, Quincy is often the heartbeat of our open houses, welcoming families as MC and creating an environment filled with energy, music, and joy.

Tiara Williams-Price’s journey is a powerful reflection of our mission in action. Once a teen member of the Club, she returned in 2024 as our Education Program Director after earning

her degree in Elementary Education and Moderate Disabilities. Today, she leads dynamic academic programming, including STEM, literacy, homework assistance, technology, and college preparation. Tiara also plays a critical role in strengthening our programs through data and evaluation, ensuring we are continually evolving to meet the needs of our youth.

As Fitness Program Director, **George Burnett III** is a steady and inspiring presence for both youth and staff. Often described as a “father figure” within our Club community, George is deeply committed to promoting healthy lifestyles and encouraging young people to incorporate physical activity into their daily routines. He also leads our Passport to Manhood program, mentoring young men as they build confidence and develop essential life skills in a safe, supportive, and culturally responsive environment.

Our leadership team is further strengthened by **Shauree Allotey**, Director of Operations, who oversees programming at our largest site, the Harrington Clubhouse. Shauree’s journey with the Club began nearly 20 years ago as our first-ever Dance Director, and her leadership has been instrumental ever since. Her creativity, inclusive approach, and ability to build strong teams continue to elevate our organization and the experiences we provide to our members.

Since 2019, **Precious Ansah-Opoku** has served as our Director of Individual and Family Services, bringing deep empathy and expertise to her work. With a Master of Social Work and a trauma-informed approach, Precious builds meaningful relationships with youth and families, ensuring they have access to the resources and support they need to thrive.

Josh Brown, a dedicated member of the Club family for 18 years, serves as Unit Director at our Great Brook Valley site. His work in gang prevention and teen engagement is both impactful and essential, helping to create safe spaces and positive pathways for young people. Josh also plays a key role in advancing our vision for Great Brook Valley, including expanding licensed child care and building a new state-of-the-art Clubhouse that will serve generations to come.

Tanaha Bailey, Director of our School Age Child Care Program, brings nearly five years of experience at the Club along with a strong background in Early Education and Care. Her warmth, positivity, and commitment to families are evident in everything she does, helping to create welcoming, nurturing environments where children can learn and grow.

Together, these leaders represent the heart of the Boys & Girls Club of Worcester. Their contributions not only strengthen our organization but also inspire the young people we

serve every day. We are deeply grateful for their leadership, their impact, and their commitment to ensuring every child who walks through our doors has the opportunity to succeed.

With gratitude,

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Liz Hamilton, CEO

CELEBRATING LEADERSHIP

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Tatyanna Zicherman George Burnett III Tiara Williams-Price Quincy Ikeachumba

CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY MONTH

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Honoring our many leaders whose commitment, passion, and dedication embody Black Excellence in all they do for our Club and the kids we serve.

20 YEARS AT HARRINGTON