



## PROCLAMATION

### **In Support of Boys & Girls Club Week in Broward County Schools**

- WHEREAS,** the young people of School Board of Broward County, Florida are tomorrow's leaders; and
- WHEREAS,** many such young people need professional youth services to help them reach their full potential; and
- WHEREAS,** the Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County has been serving the community since 1965, and
- WHEREAS,** there are 12 Boys & Girls Clubs in the District:  
in Davie, Deerfield Beach, Pompano Beach, West Park, Hollywood, North Lauderdale, Fort Lauderdale and Lauderhill – providing services to an average of 12,500 young people, ages 6-18, annually; and
- WHEREAS,** Boys & Girls Clubs are places where great futures start. They are at the forefront of efforts in teen programming, academic, character development and healthy lifestyles; and
- WHEREAS,** Boys & Girls Club organizations in our state help ensure that our young people keep off the streets, offering them a safe and supportive place to go and providing them with quality programs; and
- WHEREAS,** Boys & Girls Clubs of Broward County will celebrate National Boys & Girls Club Week, 2017 along with some 4,000 Clubs and more than two million young people nationwide.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** be it resolved that the School Board of Broward County, Florida, hereby proclaim April 9 through April 13 as Boys & Girls Club Week in Broward County Schools, and call on all citizens to join with me in recognizing and commending the Boys & Girls Club organizations in our state for providing comprehensive, effective services to the young people in our communities.

Given at Fort Lauderdale, Florida this 20<sup>th</sup> Day of March, 2018.

**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Nora Rupert, Chair

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Robert W. Runcie, Superintendent of Schools