

2024
YOUTHUNITED
IMPACT REPORT

CREATING COMMUNITY BELONGING

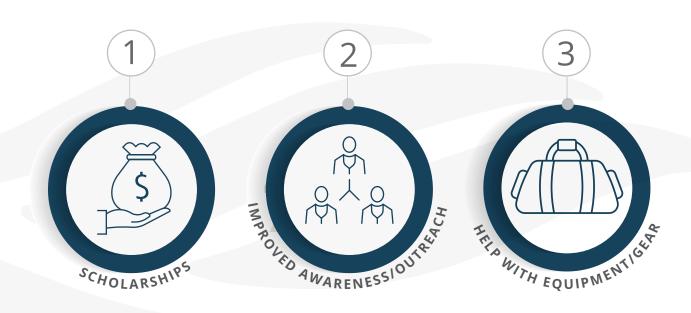


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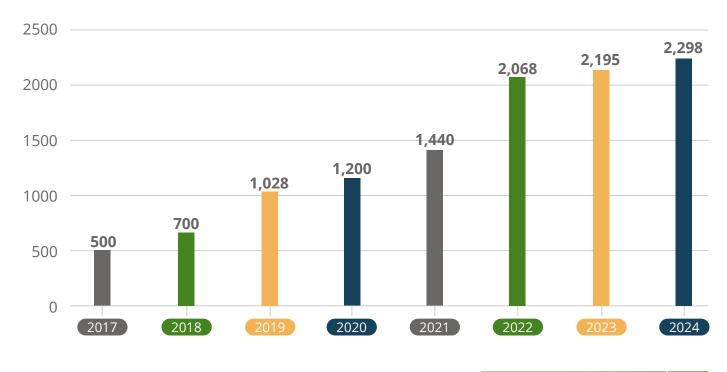
Park City Community Foundation's
Youth United program offers
school-age children and teens in Park
City and Summit County access to sports,
recreation, clubs, camps, and extracurricular
activities. The Community Foundation has
dedicated staff who operate Youth United
by convening partners, promoting programs,
translating materials, and hosting community
outreach events.

The goal of Youth United is to foster a sense of belonging among local youth and strengthen connections between community members. With Youth United, there are no limits to the many opportunities in our area to play, learn, make friends, and feel they belong. Youth United is for Latina/o/x kids, BIPOC kids, and kids of any background who are navigating financial constraints. In addition to extracurriculars, the participants' families are also connected to important community resources, like healthcare, legal support, housing resources, and more.

### TOP 3 FACTORS THAT CONTRIBUTED TO INCREASED YOUTH UNITED PARTICIPATION IN 2024

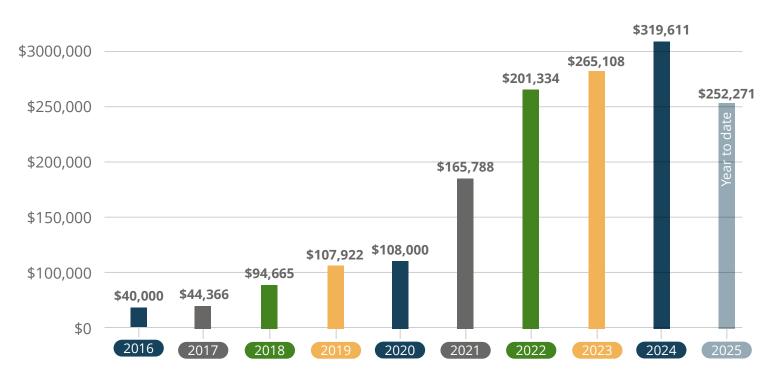


### YOUTH UNITED REGISTRATIONS BY YEAR



Over \$1.6 M granted out since inception!

### YOUTH UNITED GRANTS DISTRIBUTED BY YEAR



### 2024 YOUTH UNITED ACTIVITIES **BAND & MUSIC PERCUSSION BASKETBALL** SAILING (boys & girls) **CHEERLEADING SOCCER** (boys & girls) **CROSS COUNTRY** SOFTBALL **SPEECH & DEBATE** DANCE **FOOTBALL SWIMMING TENNIS ICE HOCKEY** (boys & girls) **LACROSSE TRACK & FIELD** (boys) **VOLLEYBALL MODEL UN** (boys & girls) **MOUNTAIN BIKING** WRESTLING

# 2024 YOUTH UNITED GRANTEES/PARTNER

## The partners below received \$319,611 from Youth United in 2024 to help provide scholarships to youth.

- Ballet West
- Basin Recreation
- Egyptian Theatre
- Figure Skating Club of Park City
- Game On! Sports 4 Girls Northern Utah
  - Girls on the Run Utah
  - Jump Stop Academy
    - Kimball Art Center
      - Little Bellas
  - Park City High School\*
    - Park City Ice Arena
      - Park City Jiu Jitsu
  - Park City MARC & Recreation
    - Park City Passing League
    - Park City Ski & Snowboard
      - Park City Soccer Club
  - Park City Speedskating Club
    - RISE Boxing
    - SOS Outreach
  - Stretch-n-Grow of Utah, Inc.
  - Summit Community Gardens and EATS
    - Summit Dance Project
      - The Tenacity Project •
    - Utah Olympic Legacy Foundation
      - YMCA of Northern Utah •
    - Yoga & Mindfulness with Randi Jo
      - Youth Sports Alliance

\*Youth United supported 24 different high school sports, clubs, and teams in 2024 (see list to the left).





- 155 surveys completed by participants and their parents -

94%

of parents reported that the activity made their child **feel more confident.** 

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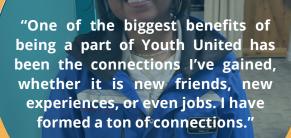
of parents reported that their child's **overall happiness increased** due to participation.

96%

of high school students **made new friends** while participating in a sport or club.

86%

of high school students felt a greater sense of belonging in the community after participating in a sport or club.



- Emily, program participant

"We have a tremendous amount of gratitude for Youth United that is truly working to close the gap when it comes to access to youth programming for underrepresented students in our community."

- Erin Reynolds, SOS Outreach Mentor Program Coordinator

"Even though it can be difficult, learning to ski was one of the best experiences I have had during my 17 years of living in Utah. When you go down the mountain, you feel free. When you go up the mountain, you feel like you're flying."

- Mom of Youth United student Our community partners are not only creating access and opportunities for youth but also helping entire families build a sense of connection and belonging.

Last winter, one of Youth United's long-term grant recipients, SOS Outreach, hosted a Learn to Ski Day for parents. For all of them, it was their first time alpine skiing.

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