

ADVANCING THE COMMON GOOD

Focusing on the Building Blocks of a Good Life Education: Helping Children and Youth Achieve Their Potential



FACT: *In 2008, there was a 19% increase in the number of Boys & Girls Club of Janesville members using the Power Hour Homework Help program. And 52% of Power Hour participants regularly complete and turn in homework assignments.*

Quincy was having a hard time at school. His grades were poor and he had a lot of problems making friends. They picked on him and he would act out because of this. Quincy was starving for positive attention and a connection with other children.

Then he started attending the Boys and Girls Club of Janesville, and they helped him through their Power Hour Homework Help program. They also encouraged him to talk with staff whenever he was having a bad day. They helped him think of ways he could turn his bad day into a good day and encouraged him to participate in programs he enjoys in order to make friends.

How United Way of North Rock County Helps

United Way of North Rock County partners with Boys & Girls Club of Janesville to emphasize academic success for children of all ages.

Now, Quincy is doing much better in school and is excited about the better grades he's earning. His self-esteem has increased and he has made many friends at the Club.

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