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Glen Ellyn  
Children's  
Resource  
Center



Annual  
Report





I love a good story, don't you? ✨



Glen Ellyn Children's Resource Center unlocks the joy of life-long learning. Whether it's helping children with their reading, improving their math or developing better social skills, all are critical components to shaping their successful life's story.

In this report, you will find GECRC's story filled with a wonderful cast of characters, the most important being the amazing children we serve. This year we served a record 196 children in our after-school and summer programming. Our dedicated staff, board, donors and volunteers – all of you were a vital part of our story, investing your gifts of time, talents and financial resources to make this possible.

"Glen Ellyn Children's Resource Center unlocks the joy of life-long learning."

This year held little drama but was packed with a lot of emotional investment in our children as we worked to give them the tools to succeed today and in the future. Please spend a few minutes perusing the pages of GECRC's story to see the incredible number of people and organizations who helped make this year such a successful one. Each and every one of you played an integral part.

I will spoil the ending by telling you upfront that it has been an incredibly exciting finish; helping more children than ever is our highlight! Completing our very successful first year of expanded services at Churchill Elementary is one of our new chapters.

✨ Thank you all for your support. We are extremely grateful! - Joyce Hothan, Executive Director ✨

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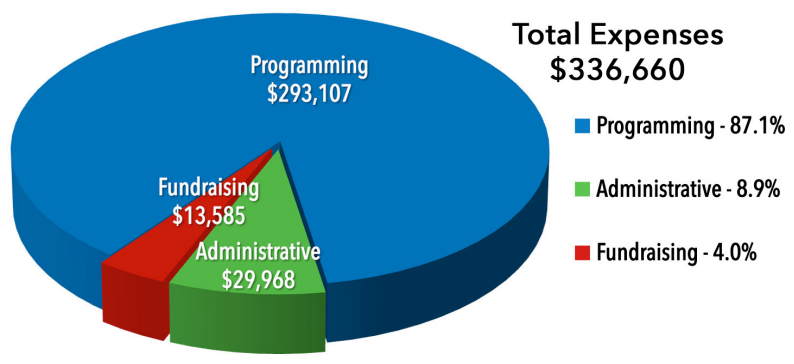
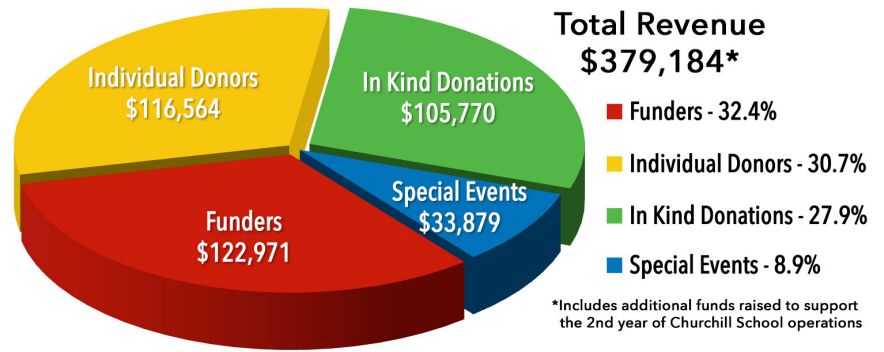
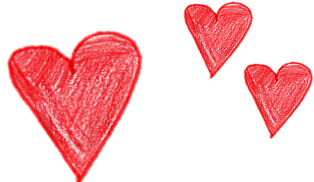
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## 100%

of Churchill GECRC students gained one or more reading levels, including 86% who gained 3+ reading levels.



## 90%

of GECRC students showed improvement in math.

## 97%

of our students gained one or more reading levels.



## 51%

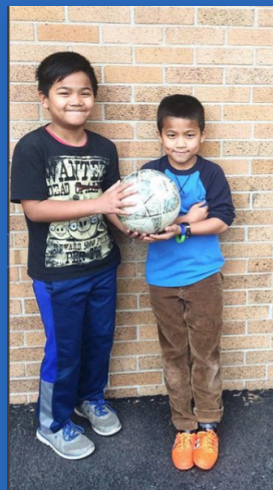
Volunteer support grew from 254 to 383 individuals.



"Thank you for all of your hard work and efforts keeping this program as strong as it is. . . We could not be the school we are without you!"  
- Glen Ellyn School District 41 Teacher.

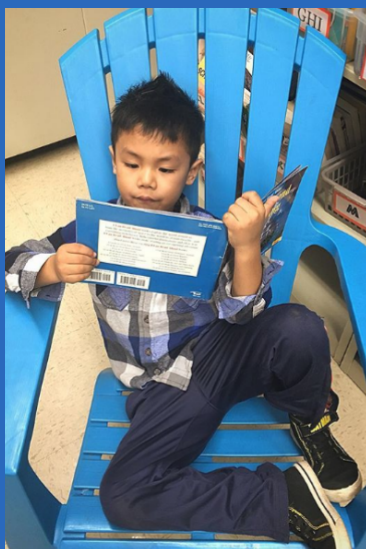
## 20%

We grew from 159 to 196 students, including 50 students at Churchill Elementary, our new third learning site.



## 95%

of GECRC students are English-language learners.



## 100%

of GECRC's students come from low-income families.



THANK YOU