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Resorts World Casino New York City Commits to Helping Boys & Girls Club of Metro Queens Empower Kids with a \$10,000 Year-End Donation

SOUTH RICHMOND HILL, NY —Resorts World Casino New York City gave the Boys & Girls Club of Metro Queens (BGCMQ) a \$10,000 jump start to their holiday fundraising campaign. The donation was announced during BGCMQ’s family Thanksgiving Dinner on Tuesday, November 26th. The generous contribution pushes them halfway towards reaching their goal of raising \$20,000 by the end of the year.

“Resorts World Casino New York City continues to show their commitment to empowering kids in the Queens community. We are the only youth development program in the area that guides children through a pipeline that nurtures their health, creativity, academic and leadership skills from PreK into adulthood. We are extremely grateful to have Resorts World Casino New York City as partners in our work and we hope their generosity inspires others to support our mission of providing quality youth programs this holiday season.” said Executive Director David Kupecky.

Boys & Girls Club of Metro Queens will kick-off their holiday campaign one week before Giving Tuesday. Created in 2012 as a counter to Black Friday and Cyber Monday, Giving Tuesday has grown into a global movement and is now the biggest day of giving and philanthropy for organization across the world.

For over 60 years, Boys & Girls Club of Metro Queens has inspired and enabled all young people to reach their full potential as productive, caring and responsible citizens. BGCMQ provides quality afterschool programs that enhance the educational, emotional, social, and physical development of youth. Members seek refuge in the Club and benefit from its safe, stable and positive environment, supportive staff, and engaging, constructive activities. The Club serves youth between the ages of 5 and 18 annually, averaging over 950 children per day, from Richmond Hill, South Richmond Hill, Ozone Park, South Ozone Park, Woodhaven, Jamaica, Howard Beach, Kew Gardens, and parts of Brooklyn.

Donations towards their holiday campaign can be made at www.metroqueens.org/donate, by calling Vanessa Carter at 718-441-6050 x 207, or by mail at Boys & Girls Club of Metro Queens, 110-04 Atlantic Ave., South Richmond Hill, NY 11419.

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