



***Youth
Sponsorship
Program***



We are excited that you will be joining us at Minot AFB!

We have a terrific Youth Center with awesome programs and youth. We know you will have fun and make a lot of new friends while you are here. We have plenty to offer youth ages 6-18. Our program is affiliated with the Boys and Girls Clubs of America, 4-H, and the National Alliance for Youth Sports. In addition to our Youth Center, the base has a bowling alley, outdoor and indoor swimming pools, paintball, and many other recreational activities. On base we have two elementary schools and a middle school. The high school is located off base. For more information on the base and local area please refer to your sponsorship package.

Take time to check us out....www.5thforcesupport.com

We wish you and your family a safe and enjoyable trip to Minot AFB in Minot, North Dakota and look forward to meeting you! Please call us as soon as you arrive so that we can get you started in enjoying the fun the Youth Center has to offer. Our phone number is 723-2838 or you can email the Youth Center at 5SVS.YOUTH@us.af.mil

Sincerely,

Minot AFB Youth Programs Staff





Request to be a Youth Sponsor

Would you like to be a mentor to someone that is moving to Minot AFB? You will be their guide when it comes to the Youth Center and answer any questions they may have. If your answer is yes, then please take a few minutes to complete the information below and return it to **Mrs. Stephanie Hazen** at the Youth Center.

Name:	Age:	Grade:
Mailing Address:	Email Address:	
Home Phone	Cell Phone:	Parent's Work Phone:
When would you like to start?		

What do you like to do? Check next to any/all of the activities listed below that you like to do.

Arts and Crafts		Drama
Dance		Piano
Cooking		Write (poetry, stories, letters)
Skate – board or blade		Read
Computer (games, internet, etc.)		Hang out with friends and talk
Shopping		Movies
Water Sports		Team/School sports
Other:		

Why would you like to be a Youth Sponsor?

What is your favorite movie?

What questions do you have about the Youth Sponsorship Program?

I give my consent for my child's name and contact information for the purpose of participating in the Youth Sponsorship Program.

_____ **Parent signature**

_____ **Date**

Youth on the Move

A Handbook and Resource Guide for Military Youth

Created by and for the youth at

Davis-Monthan AFB



Preteen and Teen Programs

PRE-TEENS

KIDS NIGHT OUT: For youth ages 5-18 on select Fridays from 6:30pm-9:30pm. Member and Non-member cost is \$20.00 and includes a snack.

TORCH CLUB: This is a youth leadership development club for pre-teens. Members plan their own activities, special events, and monthly community service projects.

4-H: The “Northern Lights 4-H Club” participates in county events such as Achievement Day and Communication Arts.

LOCK-INS: Available on selected days throughout the year. Youth will stay the night and participate in activities and fun.

TEENS

KEYSTONE CLUB: This is a Boys & Girls Clubs of America teen leadership program where members elect their own officers, plan and organize activities, participate in various projects and initiatives throughout the year, and contribute to their community through monthly service projects. Air Force Teen Council (AFTC) is a network of teens working to resolve issues and voice concerns to the highest levels of AF leadership on behalf of teens globally or worldwide. By initiating change, Keystone members will improve quality of life for AF youth and teens.

Newcomers Orientation will be given to you on your first visit to our center. This is an excellent time to meet the staff and learn about all the program opportunities available to you through the Youth Center.

Minot AFB Youth Sports

<u>Sport</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Season Dates</u>
First Steps Soccer	3-4	Sept - Oct
Soccer Skills Challenge	7-10	Oct
Flag football	5-12	Sept - Nov
Cheerleading (football)	7-12	Sept -,Nov
First Steps Football	3-4	Oct- Nov
NFL Punt, Pass and Kick	8-15	Sept
Basketball	5-15	Jan - Mar
Cheerleading (basketball)	7-12	Jan -Mar
First Steps Basketball	3-4	Jan -Mar
NBA Skills Challenge	7-15	Nov
Baseball	5-15	Mar - June
First Steps T-Ball	3-4	Mar - June
MLB PHR	7-14	Apr
Youth/adult Triathlon	5 & above	May - (part of May fitness month)

Other Places to check out....

Rough Rider Lanes - 140 Peacekeeper Pl, 701-727-4715
Library – 156 Missile Ave, 701-723-3344
Rough Rider Golf Course – 1176 Golf Drive, 701-723-3164
Outdoor Recreation - 146 Missile Ave, 701-723-3648
Arts and Crafts Center - 583 Tanker Trail, 701-723-3640
Auto Hobby - 583 Tanker Trail, 701-723-2127
Outdoor Pool - 280 Missile Ave, 701-723-3648
Indoor Pool - 456 Tanker Trail, 701-723-3648

Schools On Base

North Plains Elementary School
101 C St. Minot AFB
701-727-3320

Dakota Elementary School
101 Eagle Way Minot AFB
701-727-3310

Memorial Middle School
1 Rocket Rd. Minot AFB
701-727-3300

School Liaison Officer – David Klassy 701-723-1447
david.klassy.1@us.af.mil

For more information contact the Education Center, located across from the Child Development Center. 701-723-2772

Websites

Youth Program; www.5thforcesupport.com
FSS Squadron; www.5thforcesupport.com
Boys & Girls Clubs of America; www.bgca.org
4-H; www.4-hmilitarypartnerships.org
Military Child Education Coalition;
www.militarychild.org

Things to Know

Tucson was founded in 1775 and has grown now to nearly one million. There is something for everyone to enjoy in this town and the climate allows you to enjoy outdoor activities year-round. Summers can get extremely warm but spring, fall and winter are fairly mild. Tucson is surrounded by five mountain ranges in the Sonoran Desert, is 100 miles south of the state capital (Phoenix), and 60 miles north of the U.S.-Mexico boarder, elevation is 2,389ft.

Driving – Must be 15 years and 7 months to obtain you driving permit. Driver's education is not a requirement for your license, however you must have had your permit a minimum of six months.

Jobs - Must be at least 16 years old for employment, some positions require 18. The Human Resource office is located in building 3200, phone number 228-2408. Jobs are also posted on the DM website nafjobs.

Volunteering – Youth Programs are always in need of volunteers for sports and programs to include numerous community service events.

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We are excited that you will be coming to Davis-Monthan AFB to live. Our youth sponsors are here to welcome you and help you make this your home. Newcomers Orientation will be given to you on your first visit to our center.

If you have internet access you can look us up on the following website, www.forcesupport.com and click on the Youth Center link. You can also email directly to our youth sponsors at DMYouthPrograms@yahoo.com

We have a terrific Youth Center with awesome programs. We know you will have fun, and make a lot of new friends while you are here. Davis-Monthan has plenty to offer all youth. Our program is affiliated with the Boys and Girls Club of America and the National 4-H, so the sky's the limit on what we can offer. In addition to our youth center, the base has a new state of the art skateboard park and swimming pool in walking distance of the Youth Center.

The weather in the Davis-Monthan area allows us to enjoy many activities year-round. Tucson is a great city and rapidly growing with good schools. Tucson offers the Rodeo for an entire week in February, water parks, horseback riding, museums, shopping malls, snow skiing, snowboarding, the Tucson Raceway Park, and so much more.

We wish you and your family a safe and enjoyable trip to Davis-Monthan, and look forward to meeting you. Please email us at DMYouthPrograms@yahoo.com and our youth POC's will reply to you and answer any questions you may have. Please fill out and return the sponsorship application at your convenience and return to DMYouthPrograms@yahoo.com or by mail to DM Youth Sponsorship Program, 5915 E. Quijota Blvd. Bldg. 6000, Davis Monthan AFB Tucson Arizona, 85707. The Youth Center phone number is (520) 228-8844, please call us when you arrive.

Sincerely,

Youth Programs



Youth Sponsorship Program Participant Survey

We want to ensure we have the best Youth Sponsorship Program possible. Please help us by answering the following questions.

Do you agree with the following statements?

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
The Youth Sponsorship Program helped me learn about our community.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The Youth Sponsorship Program helped me make new friends.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I had fun while I participated in the Youth Sponsorship Program.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

What did you like best about the Youth Sponsorship Program?

How did the Youth Sponsorship Program help you when you moved here?

What did you not like about the Youth Sponsorship Program?

What would you change about the Youth Sponsorship Program to make it better?

Would you like to get more involved in the Youth Sponsorship Program?

_____ Yes (Please contact me at: _____)

_____ No