

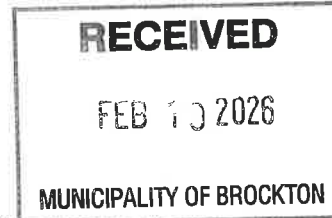


BRUCE GREY MENTORSHIP

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Ms. Trish Serratore
Chief Financial Officer
Municipality of Brockton



February 1, 2026

Dear Trish,

Greetings! We would like to submit a letter of request to the Municipality of Brockton for funding assistance in 2026 as we facilitate various positive mentoring opportunities for local children and youth.

Bruce Grey Mentorship has been mentoring children and youth in our community since 2017. We have seen over 40 kids enter our program and receive necessary and positive support during their growing years. Currently 28 of those are benefiting from weekly group programs with our mentors, being encouraged and supported in various ways.

Through our programs, young people are building confidence, strengthening their self esteem and learning life long social skills to help each find their potential. In our 3 weekly group programs, we have 30 young people from 7 to 17 spending time with our team of Mentors who encourage, support and just share life with them.

Research has proven that mentoring children and youth does make a significant impact on their life. The value of mentoring is significant for a community, helping guide young people away from negative behaviours and choices and providing them opportunities to learn positive ways to interact and respond to the community around them.

Bruce Grey Mentorship offers families in need a key support in the lives of their children at absolutely no cost. We primarily serve families where 1 or both biological parents are absent, or there is a demonstrated need for additional support for a child. Many of our young people are from low income families and would not be able to afford other programs or services.

It is important for kids to have great role models to help them navigate the turbulence of adolescence. Funding our program is a key way to help us make a positive difference in young people's lives. We hope this year you will consider one of our key sponsorship levels for 2026:

Presenting Partners \$10,000; Leading Partners \$3000; Partners \$1000; Supporters \$500

Thank you for your consideration, we truly appreciate it.

Sincerely,

Greg Dow, Executive Director

Mission:

To match children and youth, who will benefit, with mentors who will help them build confidence and self-esteem.