



Silver & Black
GIVE BACK 

SPORTS IS OUR BUSINESS, COMMUNITY IS OUR PASSION

**SILVER & BLACK
GIVE BACK NEEDS
“ALL HANDS IN”
TO ENGAGE YOUNG
PEOPLE AND ENRICH
OUR COMMUNITY.**



***ALL HANDS IN* FOR A BETTER COMMUNITY**

On the court and on the ice, teamwork is the difference between victory and defeat. A team that puts *All Hands In* to show its commitment to doing its part for the greater good becomes something much bigger than the sum of the individual players.

The same is true when it comes to creating opportunities for youth in our community. It's a team effort that requires dedication and participation from everyone.

It's time to put *All Hands In* and join the cause behind Silver & Black Give Back.

ABOUT SILVER & BLACK GIVE BACK

Silver & Black Give Back is a 501(c)(3) public charity operated in conjunction with the teams of Spurs Sports & Entertainment (SS&E):

- San Antonio Spurs (NBA)
- San Antonio Rampage (AHL)
- San Antonio Silver Stars (WNBA)
- Austin Toros (NBA Development League)

Recognizing that wearing jerseys to represent our community is a great honor that brings with it great responsibility both on and off the court/ice, the teams of SS&E are committed to the mission of Silver & Black Give Back:

Through our unique resources and opportunities, we work to creatively engage young people to enrich their communities.

The ultimate goal of everything Silver & Black Give Back does is to help ensure that children grow up with a strong sense of community, service, philanthropy, teamwork and character. To accomplish this, Silver & Black Give Back supports youth sports and education based service programs throughout San Antonio and South Texas through two premier initiatives:

- Team Up Challenge, a service-based learning program
- Youth sports programs, such as the Spurs Youth League

While Silver & Black Give Back is fully committed to the mission, we can't do it alone. We need All Hands In to raise the necessary public contributions to support these great programs.



TEAM UP CHALLENGE

ALL HANDS IN FOR SERVICE LEARNING

Great athletes are recognized when they go above and beyond expectations. That's the idea behind Team Up Challenge, which recognizes students who improve our community through activities that are tied to classroom curriculum and address the needs of their own neighborhoods in one of five categories:

- Arts & Culture
- Education
- Environment
- Health & Wellness
- Uniformed Services

To recognize the students who truly embody the spirit of Team Up Challenge, Silver & Black Give Back provides funding and other resources like player, coach, and mascot support to students for their service. It's just one way for us to show our appreciation for knowing what it means to put All Hands In for the betterment of our community.



TEAM UP CHALLENGE DATA SINCE INCEPTION:

- FED OVER 6,000 CHILDREN
- VOLUNTEERED OVER 10,000 HOURS
- RESCUED OVER 85 ANIMALS
- \$320,000 IN GRANTS AWARDED
- PROGRAMS IN 24 DISTRICTS, PRIVATE AND CHARTER SCHOOLS

SPURS YOUTH LEAGUE

ALL HANDS IN TO KEEP YOUTH HEALTHY AND ENGAGED

Young people can learn a lot through sports - teamwork, discipline and character just to start. When Coach Popovich established the Spurs Drug-Free League now Spurs Youth League in 1989, he did so knowing that giving kids a fun and safe place to play will provide them with the many valuable life lessons learned through sports. Since then, the youth sports programs supported by Silver & Black Give Back have grown to include:

- Spurs Basketball Clinic
- Spurs and Silver Stars Basketball Camp
- Spurs Youth League
- Jr. Silver Dancers
- Jr. Rampage
- Jr. Silver Stars

These programs not only allow young people to develop their athletic skills, they also provide a foundation for a better future.



YOUTH LEAGUE DATA SINCE INCEPTION:

- STARTED IN 1989
- OVER 235,000 KIDS
- 2.5 MILLION DOLLARS INVESTED
- 20,000 COACHES TRAINED
- DRUG-FREE PLEDGE





WE NEED *ALL HANDS IN*

Silver & Black Give Back relies on public contributions to keep its programs thriving and making a difference in the community. We need *All Hands In* now to support our youth and provide an enriching and active future.

Please consider a gift today or a monthly contribution to Silver & Black Give Back.

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