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## **TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS AND TECH LEADER JABIL COMPLETE “DAY OF SERVICE” COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT PROJECT**

*Bryan Glazer, Buccaneers Players and Staff and Jabil Staff Revive  
Boys & Girls Clubs of the Suncoast Pinellas Park*



An invaluable institution for children in the Pinellas Park neighborhood has been upgraded thanks to a community initiative led by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and tech leader Jabil.

Today, in a collaborative effort, Owner/Co-Chairman Bryan Glazer and more than 150 Buccaneers staff joined Jabil VP, Deputy General Counsel, Commercial **Kristine Oureilidis** and more than 150 Jabil staff, along with Buccaneers players and cheerleaders and United Way Suncoast staff to revive the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Suncoast Pinellas Park for the 2019 “**Day of Service**.”

Following weeks of planning, the massive contingent of volunteers spent the day renovating the local Club – an important resource for families throughout the Pinellas County neighborhood.

“Through our work with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers Foundation we are committed to uplifting our community, inspiring our youth and driving social change through programs and initiatives that make a real difference in our communities,” said **Bryan Glazer**, Buccaneers Owner/Co-Chairman. “We are thrilled to be out here with our partners from Jabil who have that same passion for creating pathways to opportunity for our youth. Our hope is that these enhancements will inspire the children here to excel both in the classroom and in life.”

The community day included refurbishing the center’s existing computer lab and designing an all-new Jabil Innovation Room, complete with a smart board, computers and workspaces to assist students with their schoolwork.

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“The brand-new Computer Lab and Innovation Lab powered by Jabil provides kids with the resources they need to build their academic development,” said **Beth Walters**, Jabil Senior Vice President, Culture, Community and Employee Engagement. “It will help facilitate STEM learning with new interactive technologies designed to excite the curiosity and creativity of the next generation.”

Additionally, the Buccaneers Teen Room features new electronics, games, furniture and murals while the Youth Education Center also received new furniture, educational games and a reading corner. Volunteers overhauled the gym with fresh paint, new décor and physical education equipment and also constructed a brand-new outdoor playground. At the completion of the service project, Buccaneers players, cheerleaders, and staff gathered together with Jabil staff and community leaders including Pinellas Park Mayor Sandra Bradbury to welcome local students to the renovated facility.

“I am continuously inspired by the positive impact Jabil and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers have throughout our community,” said **Freddy Williams**, President and CEO of the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Suncoast. “Due to their support, we are able to lead the way for a better tomorrow for thousands of kids and teens in Pinellas County.”

On hand for the celebration were Buccaneers players **Will Gholston, Michael Liedtke, Carl Nassib, Demone Harris, David Rivers, Ryan Smith** and **Bobo Wilson**. As part of the reveal, the players led a tour of the facility for the students before enjoying games and activities with the kids. The enhanced collaboration between the Buccaneers, Jabil, United Way Suncoast and Boys & Girls Clubs of the Suncoast symbolizes the organizations’ commitment to enriching the Tampa Bay community through impactful teamwork.

“The Bucs and Jabil staff volunteers did something truly special today for the children and families of Tampa Bay,” said **Suzanne McCormick**, President and CEO United Way Suncoast. “I’m proud of the partnership we share with them and grateful for the opportunity help organize this day of service.”

### **About the Tampa Bay Buccaneers**

Tampa Bay Buccaneers players, coaches, cheerleaders, legends, and staff play an active role in community improvement through a variety of youth health and education initiatives, family outreach, and military support. Innovative partnerships with local nonprofit organizations provide assistance to thousands of Central Florida residents each year. Glazer Family Foundation initiatives including the Glazer Family Foundation Vision Mobile and the Glazer Children’s Museum continue to enhance learning opportunities for Bay Area youths. To learn more about the organization’s commitment to making Tampa Bay better today and for generations to come, visit [Buccaneers.com/community](http://Buccaneers.com/community).

### **About Jabil**

Jabil (NYSE: JBL) is a product solutions company providing comprehensive design, manufacturing, supply chain and product management services. Operating from over 100 facilities in 29 countries, Jabil delivers innovative, integrated and tailored solutions to customers across a broad range of industries. For more information, visit [Jabil.com](http://Jabil.com).

### **About Boys & Girls Clubs of the Suncoast**

*Mission:* To provide high quality out of school time Club experiences proven to ensure our young people, especially those who need us most, are on track to graduate from high school with a plan for the future, demonstrate good character and citizenship, and live a healthy lifestyle.

*Vision:* A Pinellas County community where all youth have access to quality out of school time programs that enable them to become productive, caring and responsible citizens.

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Suncoast serves youth ages 5 to 18 by providing guidance-oriented character development programs conducted by trained youth development professionals. Boys & Girls Clubs of the Suncoast serves nearly 8,000 youth across Pinellas County. For more information call 727.524.2427 and visit online at [www.bgcsun.org](http://www.bgcsun.org).

### **About United Way Suncoast**

United Way Suncoast staff, volunteers and trusted community partners serve Hillsborough, Pinellas, Manatee, Sarasota and Desoto counties by developing, enhancing and implementing services and programs to help create a stronger, more vibrant community. United Way Suncoast is changing the community’s story by helping to break the cycle of generational poverty through educational programs that give children the skills to succeed and help adults achieve long-term financial stability, mobilize community volunteers, as well as provide support services to those who need it most. For more information, call 813.274.0900 (Tampa office), 941.748.1313 (manatee office)

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