

Big Brothers Big Sisters Program Board Report January 2026 Recap



Participants:

- # of Community Based Matches - 48
- # of School Based Matches in Central Square - 45

Program Highlights:

- Saturday January 10 – BBBS Painting with a Twist
 - 12 noon - 2:00 pm @ Sumner Head Start
 - Lead by SPD Officer Nikki Hendrix
 - Shared the importance of art as a mental health reset.
 - Lunch provided
 - Attendance –
 - Littles ~ 18
 - Bigs - 14
 - Little's Parents ~ 2
 - BBBS staff/volunteers - 4
- Collaboration with Syracuse University – Littles to Leaders
 - Updating the options for the 2:1 “Day with an SU Student.”
 - Planning activities that a Little and Big can have with a SU student.
 - Lawyer Up, Bookmarks and Browse, Boxing with Balance, Mini Crime Lab and Mystery Reading, Nature Walk & Journaling, Strum and Learn.
 - Information to go out to Bigs and Littles in early February

Upcoming Events:

- February 9 - Advisory Council Meeting
- February 28 – BBBS Movie Night