

Klein Hersh Makes a Difference through Support of Big Brothers Big Sisters

In a show of its continued support for the Big Brothers Big Sisters Independence Region, Klein Hersh recently sponsored the 3rd Annual Sixers Watch Party at the Conshohocken Brewing Company on October 28, 2019. The event brought together people from around the Greater Philadelphia area who were interested in contributing to the success of the Big Brothers Big Sisters program.



Over \$6000 was raised at the event, which will help support the efforts of Big Brothers Big Sisters in improving the lives of thousands of local youths. Serving Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia Counties in PA and Burlington, Camden and Gloucester Counties in NJ, Big Brothers Big Sisters Independence Region assists nearly 3,700 children annually, enriching their lives socially and academically through the help of dedicated volunteers, such as Klein Hersh client partner Dan Strauss.

Dan has been a Big Brother for seven years to Nasir, 19, of the Strawberry Mansion section of Philadelphia. During their time together, Dan has helped Nasir enjoy the things he loves such as sports, attending Eagles, Phillies and 76ers games together, while also sharing the new perspectives and experiences that have helped Nasir blossom into a well-rounded young adult. Just last spring, Nasir graduated from Imhotep Institute Charter High School and now has goals to continue his education in trade school.

“I love being a Big Brother,” says Dan. “My time with Nasir has been so rewarding, watching him grow and become more confident as a person. I consider him part of my family.”

Dan’s dedication to helping local youths like Nasir extends to his role as an advisory board member of Big Brothers Big Sisters in Montgomery County. As a member of the board, Dan aims to build broader awareness of the benefits of Big Brothers Big Sisters, while expanding the number of young professionals who serve as “Bigs.” He credits Klein Hersh for its continued support of his efforts.

“The team at Klein Hersh has been very supportive of my commitment to Big Brothers Big Sisters,” says Dan. “They have given me the support and flexibility to spend time with Nasir and fill my commitment as a board member, while also lending the financial assistance that makes fund raising efforts like the Sixers Watch Party so successful. In just the last two years sponsoring this event, we’ve been able to gain three new volunteers who are currently serving as a Big to local youths. Just a little bit of support goes a long way in helping change lives in a positive way.”