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GOOD NEWS for...

TL TEENS The proof is in the numbers: Last year, four Tenderloin Clubhouse members were college-bound after taking advantage of programs at the neighborhood's Boys & Girls Club of San Francisco site. This year, the number jumped — spectacularly — to 17. Six will be going to City College, four to S.F. State, two to Skyline College, and one each to Holy Names University, UC Riverside, San Jose State, UCLA and San Diego State. The club, said Brittany Johnson, Boys & Girls Club marketing and PR manager, makes the youth “future ready, helping them develop the values, skills, attitudes, character and behavior that enable them to succeed.” Among the club's offerings are programs that help them apply to college and look for a job, public speaking and leadership skills. Membership, \$10 a year, is open to 6 to 18 years old. Call 445-5481 or visit www.kidsclub.org.