



CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE

May 2025

A Place to Belong: Brett's YMCA Story Comes Full Circle



Brett's YMCA journey began in 1970 on the football fields of the former Southeast Dallas Y. But even then, it was about more than sports — it was about character, connection, and community.

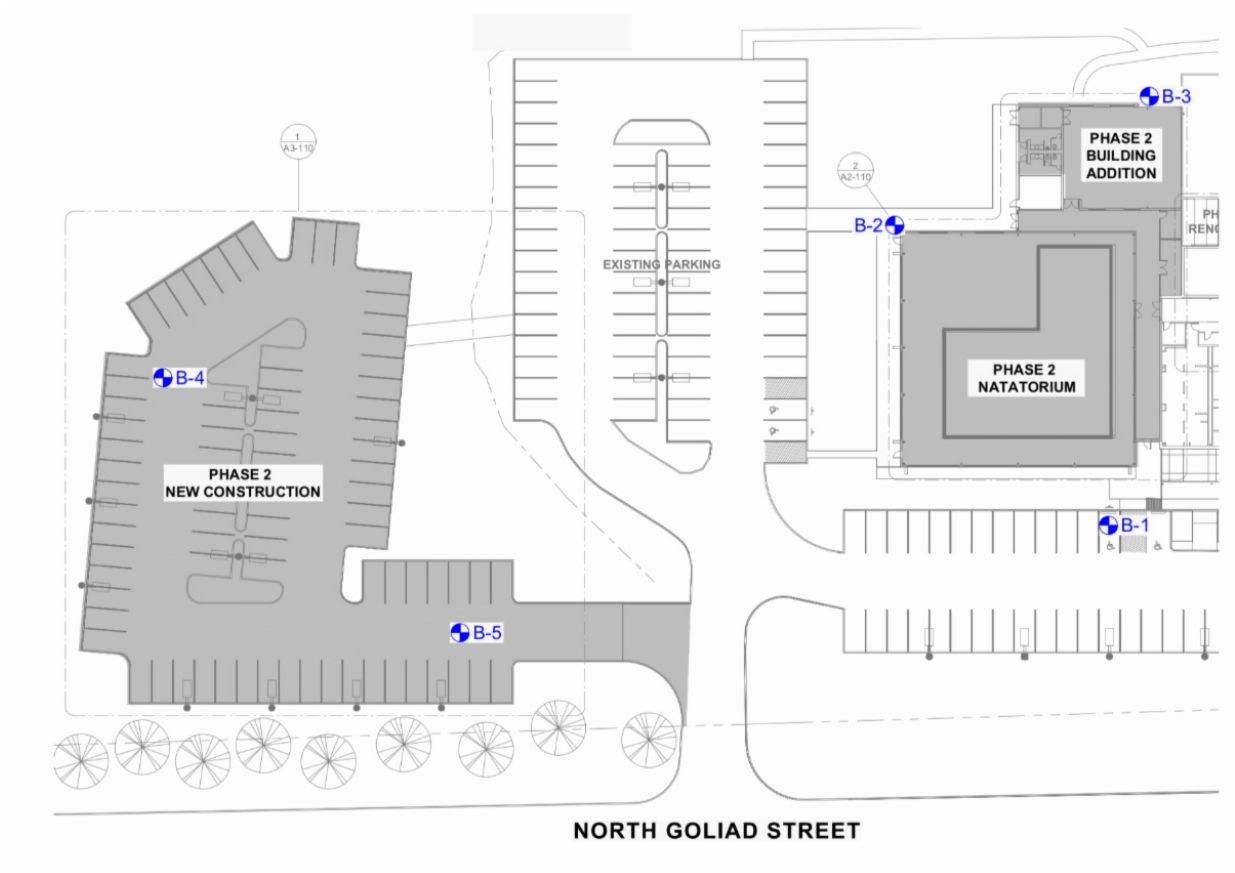
After moving to Rockwall in 1979, his family's Y story grew: from his father coaching teams, to his daughters' memories at YMCA Camp Grady Spruce, to his grandson Luke finding belonging through inclusive YMCA programs.

For over 25 years, Brett has served on the board of the J.E.R. Chilton YMCA at Rockwall, helping lead efforts like the current capital campaign to ensure the Y continues meeting the needs of every family.

"Whether it's coaching or launching a new capital campaign, it's about showing up and meeting the needs of our neighbors."

[**Read Brett's Full Story**](#)

A First Look: Expanded Parking Lot Plans Are Here!



We're thrilled to unveil the **plan for our expanded parking lot** — a first glimpse at what's ahead for the **J.E.R. Chilton Family YMCA at Rockwall**!

We will add on to our current parking lot by utilizing the land to the left of the building to create a new, connected area for additional parking. This expansion will make it easier for members and families to access the building— especially during our busiest times.

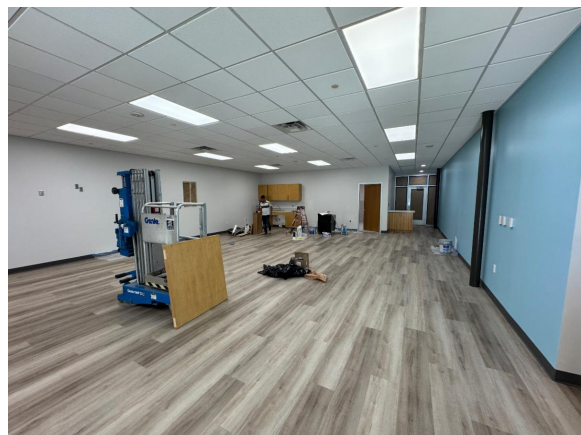
This is just the start of what's to come. Your support helps make projects like this possible — thank you for helping us build a stronger future, together.

Check out our Expanded Child Watch Area!

Before



After





As one of the first completed initiatives of our capital campaign, we're excited to share that our **Child Watch** area has officially **expanded!**

With more families joining our Y community every week, we saw the opportunity to grow this space — giving kids more room to play and explore, and making it even easier for parents to stay active while their children are cared for in a safe, welcoming environment.

Get Involved!

Save the Date: 50th Anniversary Celebration!

Mark your calendars! On **Saturday, October 11**, we'll celebrate **50 incredible years of the J.E.R. Chilton Family YMCA at Rockwall**. We're excited to honor our past, celebrate our journey, and look ahead to the future together.

More details to come — we can't wait to celebrate with you!

Connect with Us

Thank you for being a part of this exciting journey. Together, we are building more than a YMCA—we are strengthening our community! Stay tuned for updates on our renovation progress.

To learn more or to make a gift, please contact:

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