



# Join the Climbing Conservation Movement



Protect America's Climbing

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Access Fund is the national advocacy organization that leads and inspires the climbing community toward sustainable access and conservation of the climbing environment. We represent more than 8 million climbers nationwide in our work to protect and conserve the land, fight for sustainable access, and build a community of inspired advocates. And by supporting a powerful grassroots network of over 140 local climbing organizations across the country, we're able to put boots on the ground to protect climbing areas.

## OUR WORK

- Protect and Conserve the Land
- Fight for Sustainable Access
- Build a Community of Climbing Advocates

## MEMBER GYMS MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Gym owners and managers know that community is a key part of their success. Climbing gyms are where we connect with fellow climbers, refine our technique, and deepen our love for the sport. As a leader in the indoor climbing community, you are in the perfect position to define what it means to be a responsible outdoor climber.

Access Fund Member Gyms help prepare the next generation to climb responsibly in the outdoors. By joining the movement, you plug in to national climbing advocacy, innovative indoor-to-outdoor education programs, local stewardship opportunities, and programmatic efforts that support sustainable climbing access.

The future of climbing access depends on all of us, working together. Join today at [accessfund.org/memborgym](https://accessfund.org/memborgym) or contact [development@accessfund.org](mailto:development@accessfund.org).





## MEMBER GYM BENEFITS

	Contributing \$100 or Access Fund/CWA Membership	Bronze \$500	Silver \$1,000	Gold \$2,500	Platinum \$5,000	Platinum Plus \$10,000+
First opportunity to partner on new projects and regional campaigns						✓
Customized social media posts to benefit Access Fund and Member Gym					✓	✓
Recognition in Access Fund's <i>Vertical Times</i> publication				✓	✓	✓
Recognition in Access Fund's Annual Report				✓	✓	✓
First opportunity to host a collaborative event with Access Fund ambassadors, volunteers, and/or staff			✓	✓	✓	✓
Complimentary Access Fund membership and t-shirts		2	5	10	10	20
Recognition on Access Fund Member Gym web page	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Exclusive Access Fund Member Gym signage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Access to digital educational materials	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



## MORE WAYS TO MAKE AN IMPACT

There are so many ways that your gym can help influence the climbing conservation movement and rally your community.

- ✓ \$1 for Access (round up or donate a dollar at point of sale)
- ✓ Host a fundraiser or special event benefiting Access Fund
  - Sell day passes with a portion of sales going to Access Fund
  - Movie night where part of the ticket sales go to Access Fund
- ✓ Sell Access Fund swag in your gear shop
- ✓ And so much more! Reach out, and let's talk about other ways we can partner up.

“As climbers, we at Touchstone know the magic of the outdoors even though we specialize in indoor climbing. That’s why we’re proud to be an Access Fund Member Gym. They inspire the community to step up and ensure that magic remains as climbing grows in popularity and climbing areas see an influx of traffic. We’re thankful for how proactive our greater community is in educating and engaging on issues that have an impact on not just California, but the wide world of dedicated rock climbers.”

- RYAN MOON, PROGRAMS DIRECTOR,  
TOUCHSTONE CLIMBING