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## **Denver Bronco Eric Decker to Visit Mi Casa’s Youth Summer Camp** *As part of the Popchips national philanthropic “game changers” program*

**June 22, (DENVER):**

**Who:** **Eric Decker** – Denver Broncos wide receiver  
**Popchips:** the all-natural popped snack company  
**Mi Casa Resource Center:** nonprofit organization serving 500 youth per year

**What:** **Popchips game changers program:**  
This summer, fifteen professional athletes are giving back to their local communities simultaneously as part of the **popchips game changers program**. sports stars – including **Eric Decker** – asked their fans, “How can I give back to our community?” Fans in Denver submitted local charities and causes for Eric to support and throughout the month of June, Eric and all other athletes involved in the program will be hosting local cause events across the U.S. in order to give back to their fans who have made them the sports heroes they are today.

On Monday, June 25, from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., Eric Decker will host a special charity event at Mi Casa’s summer camp (at Cheltenham Elementary School) in order to give back to Mi Casa, the charity that was chosen by the local Denver community and by Eric Decker himself.

Mi Casa offers high-quality afterschool and summer programs for low-income youth focused on academic success, leadership development, technology learning and career exploration to prepare youth for success in school and in life. Mi Casa serves 500 youth every year at Lake Middle School in northwest Denver.

“Though Mi Casa’s youth programs take place at a school that is just blocks away from Mile High stadium, few of the children Mi Casa serves will ever have an opportunity to

attend a game there,” says Christine Marquez-Hudson, Mi Casa’s CEO/executive director. “Eric’s visit to mi casa is a unique opportunity to meet a role model and learn from his success. I’m sure few of these kids will ever forget this experience.”

At the event, Eric will talk to the kids about the importance of making good decisions and the consequences of their actions. And of course, as the broncos’ star receiver, Eric will catch passes thrown by the kids. And last but not least, Eric will wrap up his visit to mi casa with a lesson from the kids on the competitive game of foursquare, allowing him to develop mad new skills on the blacktop!

**When:** Monday, June 25, 9-10 a.m.

**Where:** Mi Casa Resource Center Summer Camp – Cheltenham Elementary School, 1580 Julian Street Denver, CO 80204

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**Mi Casa Resource Center** is among the oldest and largest Latino-serving organizations in Denver. Mi Casa offers afterschool and summer youth development programs that serve over 500 low-income children annually. mi casa’s programs are focused on academic success, leadership development, technology learning and career exploration to prepare youth for success in school and in life. Find out more at [www.micasaresourcecenter.org](http://www.micasaresourcecenter.org), become a fan on [facebook](#) or follow us on [twitter](#).

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