



Rotary Club of Sebastopol Sunrise COMMUNITY AND INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

How do we give back?

The Rotary Club of Sebastopol Sunrise is part of Rotary International, the largest business service organization in the world. Since our charter in 1997, our special fundraising events, Guys Can Cook Too and Cajun Zydeco Festival, have supported our community grants program with over \$ 300,000 in donations.

2013 COMMUNITY GRANT RECIPIENTS: (\$15-\$20,000 AWARDED ANNUALLY)

Analy HS Project Graduation: Support for the fun, alcohol and drug free celebration for graduating seniors

Analy HS Project Make Class: Purchase attachments for laser cutter and engraver

Ceres Community Project: Construction of a shade structure in the organic garden

Forestville Academy: Purchase of on-demand water heater for art students (grades 4-8)

Gold Ridge Firefighters: Purchase 30 pairs of fire protection gloves

Laguna De Santa Rosa Foundation: Purchase 12 ft. stepladder

River to Coast Children's Services: Support for reader program for low income families

Sebastopol Community Cultural Center: Support for replacing flooring in main building

Sebastopol Entrepreneurs Project: Support purchase of office equipment

Sebastopol FFA: Purchase materials for repair to fencing and water troughs at school farm

Teens Work: Support program that teaches job readiness and provides skill-based workshops

West County Special Education Consortium: Provide equipment (iPad, stove, apple TV) for grades K-12

Western Sonoma Youth Soccer: Purchase set of portable goals at Ragle Ranch

Youth at Work in our Parks: Support for three youth crews to work in county parks for summer

Sebastopol Area Senior Center: Support education for senior projects

SEBASTOPOL SUNRISE ROTARY CONTRIBUTES TO COMMUNITY AND INTERNATIONAL SERVICE PROJECTS IN MANY WAYS THAT MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN WEST SONOMA COUNTY AND INTERNATIONALLY

COMMUNITY SERVICE (\$15-20,000 ANNUALLY)

Student of the month program for Laguna High School and annual \$1,000 scholarship fund

Support two Rotary Interact clubs (El Molino & Laguna High School) and two student Rotary Youth Leadership Awards

Provide support and equipment to begin Brookhaven Project Make class as elective class and enhance the sciences

Spring Fling (provide meals to over 75 seniors at Sebastopol Area Senior Center)

Provide Christmas presents to children, families and adults in need (20+ families)

Provide Christmas Holiday dinner, warm clothing and presents to over 500+ people in West Sonoma County

Service projects with emphasis on hunger, health, and educational needs including Back Pack Food project at Parkside School

Weekly lunch program for homeless adults

Senior Disaster Preparedness project with Sebastopol Area Senior Center

INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS (\$5-10,000 ANNUALLY)

Zimbabwe telemedicine project for hospital

Thailand: perinatal education and nutrition

Nicaragua School garden project with Global Student Embassy

Mexico: at least five projects a year including clean water, school lunch program, and playground for special needs kids

Ecuador: microcredit program

Philippines hurricane disaster relief

Nigeria ship donated blood bank equipment

Haiti telemedicine project for hospital in St. Marc

Support Rotary International End Polio NOW campaign