



District Grant Report

Rotary Club: Coto de Caza/Rancho Santa Margarita del Sol

Project Title: Families Left Behind

☐ Progress Report ☒ Final Report

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries?
On Dec. 17, 2015, our club provided a Holiday ham and two \$50 gift certificates to 200 families of the most junior enlisted Marines and Navy personnel at Camp Pendleton, CA. We gave out the hams and certificates as each family was coming to the Armed Services YMCA to pick up their Toys for Tots for Christmas.

2. How many Rotarians participated in the project? All 23 of our members raised the necessary \$30,000 for this project.
8 Rotarians and 6 Interactors attended the distribution on Dec. 17.

3. What did they do? Please give at least two examples.
All club members donated or raised the \$30,000 needed for the entire project including the matching grant funds to purchase the 200 hams. Additionally, individual members purchased the hams, acquired the panel truck to transport, and get the gift cards we gave to each family. Eight Rotarians and six Interactors attended the day-long event and handed out the hams/gift cards as families came through in their cars.

4. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project? The 200 families (approximately 700 people) who received the hams and gift cards benefited most. However, each person who participated or donated towards this project (our 7th year) expressed deep emotion in being able to assist these families.

5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?
Families expressed deep gratification for making their holiday so meaningful and providing for their holiday dinner. With each ham, we also provided a holiday card with pictures from prior events and our club address and website. Before the end of the day, a couple of families posted their thank as well as receiving several thank you cards the following weeks.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?
The Armed Services YMCA at Camp Pendleton identified the families needing the most support and, after we sent them the \$10,000 check for \$50 gift cards, purchased them at the base commissary for us to distribute.

Financial Report – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!

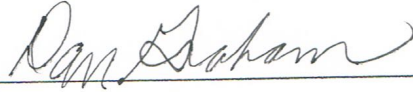
7. Income	Amount
1. District Grant funds approved by the District	\$1500
2. Club contribution	\$2396.87
Total Project Income	

8. Expenditures - please be specific and add lines as needed - receipts must be attached	
1. 200 hams	\$3896.87
2.	
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Total Project Expenditures	\$3896.87

9. By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all of the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures have been provided to the district. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights in the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant

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Certifying Signature



Date: February 16, 2016

Print name, Rotary title, and club

Dan Graham, President, Coto de Caza/Rancho Santa Margarita del Sol