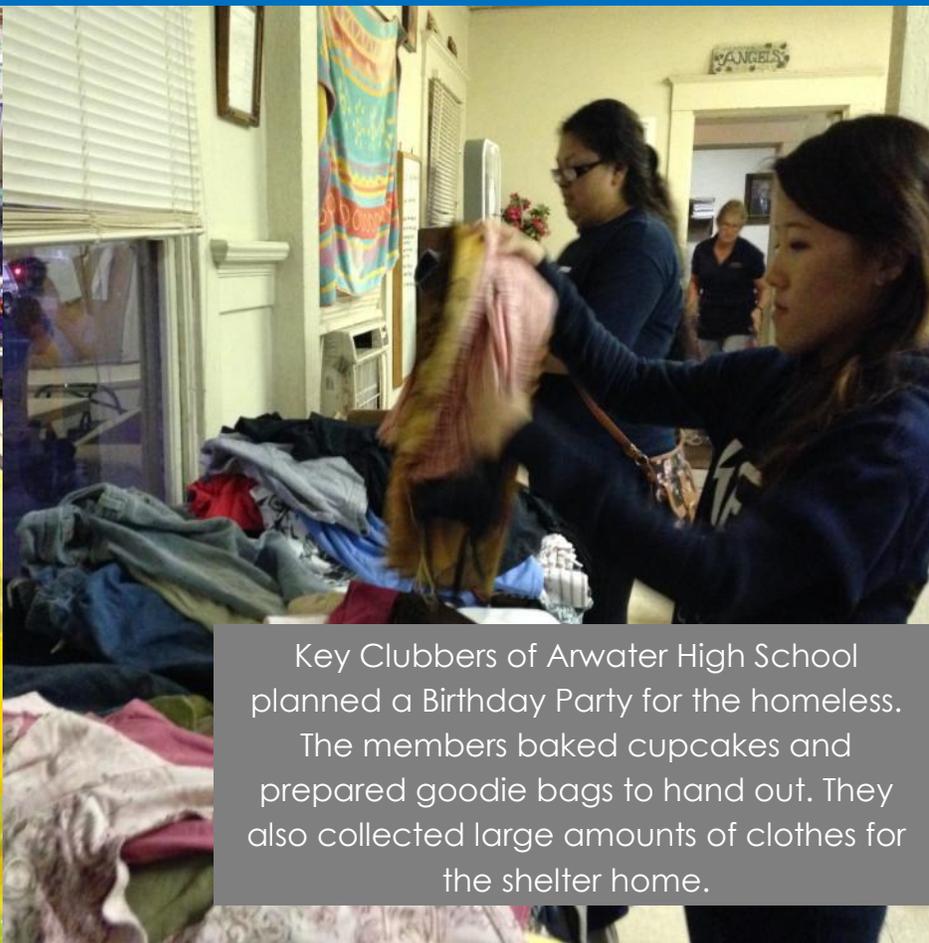


June Service Projects Guide



Key Clubbers of Arwater High School planned a Birthday Party for the homeless. The members baked cupcakes and prepared goodie bags to hand out. They also collected large amounts of clothes for the shelter home.

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Welcome to the June Service Projects Guide!

This guide contains service project ideas that clubs can utilize. We hope clubs will be able to gain some insight on organizations/initiatives and shape that information into a creative service project.



Spotlight on Service Program

The Spotlight on Service Program challenges clubs to participate in the monthly focuses to fulfill our Major Emphasis- Children, Their Future, Our Focus. Create a service project that incorporates the focus for this month. Submit project ideas/reflections to this form to receive recognition. Your project ideas may show up in the upcoming District Newsletter!



The June Focus is...

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Health and Safety are important priorities to sustain healthy lives. How will you promote health and safety in your home, school, and community? Read on and find projects that tie in our June Focus.

1. Project UNIFY

Project UNIFY encourages students to promote acceptance, respect, and dignity for their peers with disabilities. Project UNIFY is implemented in schools through inclusive activities that support Project UNIFY's three main components: Inclusive Sport, Inclusive Youth Leadership & Advocacy, and Whole School Engagement. Get involved with Project UNIFY by hosting a Special Olympics, starting a club at your school, or spreading the word through assemblies and rallies.



Start a Club

- Guide: How to start Unified Sports Program at Your School: [Student Guide](#)

- Resources: [Get Downloadable Unified Sports Resources](#)

Educate Others

- Guide: [Download the Guide](#)

- Rid the World of the R-Word:

[Youth Experience with the R-word](#)

- Special Olympics: [R-word Stories List](#)

Host a Special Olympics

NorCal-

Website: www.sonc.org

Volunteer: [Opportunities](#)

If you live in Lassen or Plumas County and are interested in volunteering, please click [here](#) for the appropriate volunteer application.

SoCal-

Website: www.sosc.org

Volunteer: [Opportunities](#)

To become a volunteer, please complete the [application](#).

Hawaii-

Website: www.specialolympicshawaii.org

If you are interested in becoming an Event Volunteer, please click [here](#).

Nevada-

Website: www.sonv.org

Volunteer: [Opportunities](#)

Read our [Volunteer Information Guide](#) for information on volunteering.



2. National Safety Month

Introduced by the National Safety Council, June is dedicated to National Safety Month. Every week has a different safety focus: drug abuse prevention; stopping slips, trips, and falls; awareness of one's surroundings; safe driving; and summer safety, respectively. Clubs have an opportunity to hold safety programs, raise awareness, and promote safety through this monthly focus. More information and resources on National Safety Month can be found [here](#).

3. Project with a Hospital

A Project with a Hospital is a very general and flexible service opportunity for all members to participate in. To start providing for this service opportunity you can go to your local hospital and ask if they have any projects that they are in need of help with. The club you serve can make cards or paper cranes for hospital patients as well as partake in a local blood drive. If your local hospital does not have any service opportunities available, you can plan a project that pertains with Operation Smiles. Operation Smiles is an international medical charity that you can help by making items like blankets and smile dolls. More information on Operation Smiles can be found [here](#).



4. Armenian Eye Care Project (ACEP)

ACEP is a program to help fight against the increasing amount of blindness. The pain and suffering of blindness really takes a toll on one's life and restoring sight changes lives. ACEP's mission is to eliminate preventable blindness and to make the 21st century eye care accessible to every Armenian child and adult. You can make a simple donation to a donor you would like too, and save a sight. Learn more [here](#).



5. Alex's Lemonade Stand

Alex's Lemonade Stand is an organization founded by Alexandra Scott, a four-year old girl diagnosed with cancer before her first birthday, who worked to fight the disease by holding lemonade stands to raise money to find a cure. In 2004, when Alex passed away at eight years old, Alex's Lemonade Stand had raised more than \$1 million dollars toward finding a cure to the very disease that took her life. To get involved, clubs have the opportunity to pay homage to Alex's original stand by hosting their own lemonade stands, or by implementing new, creative ideas, to raise awareness and funds for the cause.

More information regarding Alex's Lemonade stand can be found [here](#).

