

Rotary Club of Lincoln 2015-2016 Accomplishments

As we approach the end of another Rotary year it's a convention to highlight some of our major club accomplishments. What we have done this past year is to continue what our club has been doing for the past 90 years — making Lincoln a better community for us all. We've had a good year. It's our pleasure to serve this community. *Harvey Ulijohn, President*

Community Service:

- Distributed food with Placer Food Bank to Lincoln's people-in-need
- Conducted four Lincoln Community Blood Drives plus three Platelet Drives (best attendance ever)
- Assisted with crowd control for the Lincoln Airfest at Lincoln Airport
- Supported Lincoln Firemen Annual Turkey Drive
- Collected toiletries/supplies for homeless
- Hosted the fifth annual Lincoln Wine Fest to promote awareness of Lincoln and Placer County wineries
- Staffed several Rotary Work Days at Salt Mine
- Staffed Placer County Food Distribution at Post Office
- Ran Tour de Lincoln rest stop at Ophir Road
- Provided Relay for Life Breakfast
- Food collection for Salt Mine at Club meetings (several)
- Provided fiscal support for Lincoln's Community Garden
- Installed three Park Signs at Brown, Joiner and Singer parks.

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Youth Service:

- Sponsored Interact/Key Club at Lincoln High (with Kiwanis)
- Sponsored three students to Rotary Youth Leadership Awards Camp
- Awarded 21 bikes/scooters at 7 schools for Books for Bikes literacy project
- Read with 20 students for Book Buddies literacy project at Creekside Oaks
- Sponsored Little League Team (Pirates)
- Sponsored Girls Softball Team
- Banner Sponsor for LHS Football Team
- Sponsored Glen Edwards Middle School 5k Run for equipment/supplies
- Funded scholarships for youth training at the Lincoln Theatre Company.
- Honored LHS Students of the Month at Rotary meetings
- Awarded scholarships to LHS students committed: 4 @ \$1,000; 2 @ \$500
- Awarded two \$1,000 Alan Bradford Scholarships for engineering students
- Funded and staffed Sober Grad Night

- Sponsored community seminars on Human Trafficking and Social Media
- Funded project to address youth suicide
- Staffed the annual Camp Clay, giving youth the opportunity to explore their creativity.

International Service:

- Sunrise Rotary Project for Mobile Maternal Health, Chapala Mexico
- Polio Plus - \$2,000 (matched 2x1 by Gates Foundation)
- Anti-Bullying Curriculum for Jalisco School District, Mexico
- Guatemala Safe Passage Child Education Project - \$500
- Expansion of Tepehua maternal health clinic, Chapala, Mexico

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Fundraising Events:

- Nite at the Races
- Taste of Italy

Other Gifting:

- Emmaus Church/Axiom Youth Center - continued support - \$1,500
- Friends of Lincoln Library - \$1,000
- Lincoln Little League - \$500
- Lincoln Girls Softball - \$500
- Lincoln Sober Grad - \$1,001

Honors:

- *Best of the Best Service Club* in Lincoln by Lincoln News Messenger
- Honored for participation in Toys for Tots
- District Conference Award for Best Participation in Blood Drives

Other:

- Maintained Website links for Scholarships and Community Mini-Grants
- Maintained up-to-date website and Facebook page promoting club activities.

Having Fun:

- Red Angels synchronized wheelbarrows 4th of July Parade award winner
- Lincoln Rotary Club's 90th birthday celebration
- Annual Christmas Party
- Rotary "Trio" program to better know fellow members
- Two Fire-pit Socials