

EL CAJON VALLEY HOST LIONS CLUB

“HOW WE SERVE”

El Cajon Valley Host Lions Club was chartered on April 26, 1947, and currently has 62 members, the fourth largest Club in Lions District 4L6 San Diego and Imperial Counties. We are one of over 48,000 Clubs in 214 geographical areas of the world and part of the Lions Clubs International Organization, the largest humanitarian organization in the world with over 1.4 million members. Our Mission is to empower volunteers to serve the El Cajon Valley and surrounding areas by supporting projects to meet humanitarian needs, especially the needs of the vision impaired.

VISION

- Recycle used eyeglasses for those who cannot afford new ones.
- Student Eyeglass Program-testing & free eyeglasses for underprivileged children.
- Social Services Program for adults (eyeglasses).
- Donate to the San Diego Center for the Blind, Guide Dogs Of The Desert and Canine Companions for Independence.
- Volunteer at CA Sight For Kids and CA Lions Gift Of Sight.

HUNGER

- Serve food to seniors, disadvantaged military veteran's, and those in need.
- Christmas Basket Program Deliver three boxes of food each year to 80 disadvantaged families.

YOUTH

- Sponsor the El Cajon Valley High School Leo's Club, and provide scholarships.
- Volunteer at Kidz Klub and El Cajon Library to help with the Reading Action Program.
- Annual MD 4 Student Speakers Contest.
- Donate and volunteer at Camp Jack for underprivileged children.
- National Flag Day presentation and education at Johnson Elementary School, El Cajon.
- Donate to the San Diego Council for Literacy, to purchase books for children.
- Sponsor for Singing Hills Little League.
- Provided sports equipment to El Cajon Valley High School.

ENVIRONMENT

- Collect and recycle used inkjet cartridges, cell phones, and hearing aids.
- Church, yard, and trash clean up.
- Collect and recycle cans, bottles, plastic containers.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Donate to El Cajon Police Department, & El Cajon Police Academy.
- Donate to El Cajon Transitional Living Center.
- Member of the East County Chamber Of Commerce & Homeless Task Force.
- Member of the El Cajon Citizen Of The Year Committee.
- Member of the El Cajon Main Street Flag Program (support Boy Scout Troop# 362).
- Provide a float for the Mother Goose Parade since 1947.
- Annual Gift Giving Grant Program, donations year to charitable organizations in El Cajon.
- Donated El Cajon Valley Lions Promenade Park Bench to the city of El Cajon.
- Member and help other organizations (Elks, VFW, Crisis House).

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