



CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS
CLUB AWARD ENTRY COVER SHEET
Annual Reporting January 1-December 31, 2022

Chairman: Denise Jusko, Dean of Chairs		Club: San Clemente Junior Woman's Club	
Number of Members (from CFWC Yearbk):19		District: Orange	Area: C
Club Position: Dean			
Reporter's Address [REDACTED]			
Club Address [REDACTED]		State [REDACTED]	Zip [REDACTED]
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Advocates for Children			
_____ Name of GFWC Special Program, Community Service Program, Advancement Plan or ESO			

The San Clemente Junior Woman's Club, established in 1948, is a small club (19 members) located in the beachside community of San Clemente, CA. Members range in age from 20's through 50's. We are a diverse group of women, most of us with children and many with professional careers, and all with a passion to serve our community.

Project Title CHOC Fleece Blankets **Hours** 40 **Donated \$** 440 **In Kind \$**

The San Clemente Junior Woman's Club worked with CHOC Children's hospital In Mission Viejo to fulfill a need at the hospital for fleece blankets for teen patients. A member traveled to the garment district in Los Angeles, procured rolls of fleece (for a fantastic price!!). Our members worked on cutting and tying the blankets in the safety of their own homes and at a fleece cutting party. Members signed up to create a certain number of blankets and completed the process at their homes before turning them in to our CHOC fleece blanket representative for the club. Leftover untied blankets were completed at the September general meeting. After the blankets were tied and labels stating that the blankets were made by the SCJWC were sewn on, members with pet free and smoke free homes washed the blankets and packaged them for delivery. A delivery date was made on October 21st to deliver the blankets at CHOC in Mission Viejo by Amber Holcomb who spearheaded the project. 25 blankets were completed. A lot of love and effort went into these blankets! We hope the patients find comfort in them.

Project Title LIBRARY HALLOWEEN CANDY BAGS **Hours** 35 **Donated \$** 0 **In Kind \$** 150

The San Clemente Junior Woman's Club made goodie bags full of candy, treats, and toys for children attending the San Clemente Library's Halloween parade and party on October 13th. Members bought items to fill the goodie bags and assembled the bags at the October general meeting. Members, some in costume or with their own children, then met at the library party and distributed the goodie bags to children that attended the event. Over 150 bags were assembled for this event.

Project Title RED RIBBON WEEK & NATIONAL NIGHT OUT **Hours** 21 **Donated \$** 0 **In Kind \$** 0

Since the early 1980's the non-profit organization National Family Partnership (formerly the National Federation of Parents for Drug Free Youth) has encouraged communities around the United States to join in their efforts to keep kids' drug-free. As part of those efforts, an annual Red Ribbon Parade is normally held, and San Clemente has a history of participating in this national effort. Members of the San Clemente Junior Woman's Club attended City Council meeting for the proclamation for starting Red Ribbon week. We decorated our city's downtown with red ribbons along Del Mar Street the day before the parade. Members also helped the parade organizer at the start of the parade and by walking behind the last group in the parade at the end. In addition, the club had a booth at the National Night Out event to meet potential new members and to show our club support of the event. Our club members were happy to participate in this event as it had both a positive impact on the youth in our area as well as provided an opportunity for the club to increase our visibility within the community. We look forward to championing this event in 2023 as well as fundraising to purchase new ribbons for the parade route.