

# THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS



“One individual life may be of priceless value to God’s purpose, and yours may be that life.”

- OSWALD CHAMBERS



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# OUR PATH OF HOPE IN 2021:

Kicked off 2021 running 2 back-to-back 5 week camps in Escondido with 45+ kids.

Donated 24,000 bottles of hand sanitizer to local schools, shelters, and churches.

Held our first annual high school Winter Retreat in Big Bear! Our students spent the weekend playing in snow for the first time, sledding and going deep spiritually.



Held our 8th annual City2Surf event in Del Mar! Surf Sessions and Christian Surfers provided instructors for 40 kids.

Packed Spring Break full of fun day trips! We rented out a movie theater, went on hikes, went bowling and had a picnic by the La Jolla tide pools. Our field trips are so much more than fun activities and meals shared together. They are very intentional times designed to connect spiritually and emotionally.

Fishing Day - Taught Escondido academy kids how to bait a hook, cast and patiently fish at Dixon Lake.



KidsGames- Every summer North Coast Calvary sponsors HLA kids to attend KidsGames. They sign up for electives and spend time collectively learning about the Bible in fun, interactive ways.

Ventura Teen Camp- When the pandemic hit, we started creating our own camps and retreats. This year we spent 2 weeks in beautiful Ventura hosting our own activities from meals and Bible studies to scavenger hunts and time by the pool.

Ventura Kids Camp - Our largest overnight camp was with our 4th-8th graders! We took 36 kids to Ventura and had a blast sleeping in teepees, unplugging from distractions and plugging into the Lord.

Back to School Giveaway- Celebrated the end of summer by giving away free tickets to Belmont Park, backpacks and school supplies!



Music & Mental Health - This outreach taught kids how to process their emotions and find healing through connecting to God through music. A huge shoutout to Taylor's Guitars for donating two baby Taylors for us to raffle off!

Friendsgiving- Some HLA kids had never had a traditional American Thanksgiving meal before so we gathered together and had a feast to remember!

Donated 40 turkeys and 15 pumpkin pies to Turkey Trot winners at King Chavez Arts & Athletics.

Toys for Hope- Served close to 2,000 people with a walk-thru style Christmas outreach. We collected 3,000 toys and had over 150 amazing volunteers. Kids picked a toy and then got a meal, groceries, household items and heard the gospel.

## JANUARY - FEBRUARY

## MARCH

## APRIL - MAY

## JUNE

## JULY- AUGUST

## SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

## NOVEMBER - DECEMBER



Heart to Sole Easter Giveaway- Met physical and spiritual needs with a special Easter delivery. Partnered with 60 volunteers to deliver 300 families groceries, household essentials, new shoes and Resurrection eggs.

Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of God.

**LUKE 18:16**



Girls Day Out- Started the morning with rainbow lattes at a local coffee shop and ended it shopping. We gave each of our high school girls \$20 and took them thrifting for new outfits.

Celebrated the end of a difficult school year with a week of field trips! We kicked it off roller skating at Skateway.

Spent two days exploring local ranches and interacting with farm animals. Our students had a blast at the Mossy's Ranch and Barking Elf Ranch.

Gave our middle and high school kids surf lessons in Del Mar! We spent two days at the beach catching waves and getting sunburnt.



Relaunched our after-school academy at King Chavez on Mondays and Fridays. Our new amazing Program Director, David Wade, has been working hard developing new curriculum and planning the expansion of our academies.

Held a community service project for volunteers and HLA families to serve together at the blue school. We beautified the campus by filling 6 planters, created multiple outdoor seating areas and installed outdoor games.

Engaged in festive Fall activities by taking HLA kids to Julian, pumpkin patches, apple picking, a corn maze and even on a hayride.

Midway Tour- Went on an amazing tour of the Midway military ship downtown with a veteran. The kids loved exploring all the nooks and crannies of the ship, pushing buttons, and sitting in airplanes.

