

# The Valley Schools Philanthropy Calendar

Month	Event	Details	Grades	Cost
October 29 <sup>th</sup> - November 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Thank You Letters to Veterans</b>	Students will write letters to veterans thanking them for their service to our country.	Preschool-8 <sup>th</sup> grade	FREE
November 1 <sup>st</sup> - 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Sponsor a Holiday Meal at Hope of the Valley &amp; Thanksgiving Canned Food Drive</b>	Families can sponsor a meal for a person who will Tuesday, November 20 <sup>th</sup> . Families can also donate non-perishable items.	Anyone can donate a meal! Select middle school students will set-up and serve the meal at Hope of the Valley. Sponsor forms will go home on Nov. 1 <sup>st</sup> .	\$3 per meal or food donation.
October 30	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade Retirement Center Visit</b>	Fifth Graders are paired with Retirement Center resident and develop connections by playing games and acting as pen pals.	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	FREE
December 19	<b>Music Performance at Villa Valley Retirement Center</b>	Various elementary classes sing holiday songs at local retirement center	Select Elementary Classes	FREE
December 3-19	<b>Toy Drive for All Saints Hospital</b>	We will collect toys for the children at All Saints Hospital, which caters to critical ill children from lower-income families.	Preschool-8 <sup>th</sup> grade. Our Student Council will deliver these on Dec. 19	At each family's discretion
December Date TBD	<b>Hope of the Valley Holiday Meal</b>	Money raised in November for the meal sponsorship will also be used to host a holiday meal for the homeless at Hope of the Valley	Select Middle School Students will help serve the meal.	FREE
January	<b>Warm Clothing Drive</b>	We will collect new or gently used clothing to donate to MEND	Preschool-8 <sup>th</sup> grade	FREE (if used) or at each family's discretion
February	<b>Sole4Souls Shoe Drive</b>	We will be collecting new or gently used shoes that will be distributed to impoverished communities.	Preschool-8 <sup>th</sup> grade	FREE (if used) or at each family's discretion
February 25 – March 1	<b>Book Drive</b>	We will be collecting gently used or new books for children in lower income areas in Los Angeles.	Preschool-8 <sup>th</sup> grade	FREE (if used) at each family's discretion.
March Date TBD	<b>Corazon de Vida Orphanage Visit</b>	Our middle school students will be collecting items for an orphanage in Mexico and will be delivering the items and spending the day at the orphanage.	Preschool-8 <sup>th</sup> grade for donations.  Middle School for the trip	At each family's discretion. Trip cost TBD.