



District Grant Report

Rotary Club: Irvine Rotary

Project Title: Stop the Bleed

☐ Progress Report ☒ Final Report

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries?

Rotaractors from Rotaract UCI (one of whom is a paramedic) presented "Stop the Bleed" training for high school students, teaching students how to save lives in the event of disaster by using tourniquets and bandaging techniques. UCI Rotaract also made a presentation on why high school students should join Rotaract after high school. Rotaractors and Irvine Valley College students also presented high school students with safety whistles and disaster kit instructions and family escape plans to take home from the event.

Orange County Fire Authority provided Stop the Bleed "dummies" and first aid kits for students to practice and disaster kit instructions together with a family escape plan. Irvine PD provided EMTs to train students. City of Irvine Youth Outreach provided the facility and invited local Irvine high school students to attend the training and to help assemble first aid kits. Irvine City Councilwoman Melinda Liu presented about the importance of first aid education. Rotarians from Signal Hill and Newport Balboa clubs who were medical professionals worked with students practicing on dummies. Irvine Rotarians and Rotarians from the Suicidal Prevention and Brain Health Eclub and City of Irvine Youth Outreach volunteers helped set up the room and helped assemble inspirational notes to disaster kit recipients and assembled disaster emergency kits to be donated to low income families through the local South County Outreach food bank. High school students finished the pre-assembly done by Rotarians of first aid kits and disaster supplies for South County Outreach.

2. How many Rotarians participated in the project? 19 Rotarians and 6 Rotaractors

3. What did they do? Please give at least two examples.

Trained students using dummies to practice tourniquet and bandage techniques – assembled first aid emergency kits for donation.

4. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project? 65 plus people, primarily high school students.

5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?

All attendees learned crucial life saving first aid skills which prevent death by bleeding. Students can support first responders and save a life in the event of a national emergency or even accidental cuts/bleeding caused by accident.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role? See above for the numerous organizations involved which include Irvine Police Department, Orange County Fire Authority, South County Outreach, City of Irvine Youth Outreach, Irvine City Councilmember Melinda Liu, Rotaract of UC Irvine, Irvine Valley College, local high school students from Irvine, 3 Rotary clubs (Signal Hill/Newport Balboa/Suicidal Prevention and Brain Health Rotary Eclub)

Financial Report – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!

| 7. Income | Amount |
|--|-------------------|
| 1. District Grant funds approved by the District | \$1,285 |
| 2. Club contribution | \$1,336.54 |
| 3. Other funding (specify) | |
| Total Project Income | \$2,621.54 |

8. Expenditures - please be specific and add lines as needed - receipts must be attached

| | |
|---|------------|
| 1. First aid supplies, wrenches to close gas lines, flashlights, disaster supplies, face masks, folders for | \$2,621.54 |
| Disaster plan information from Orange County Fire Authority | |
| | |
| | |

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------|
| 5. | | |
| 6. | | |
| Total Project Expenditures | | 2,621.54 |

9. By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all of the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures have been provided to the district. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights in the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or at any time in the future, throughout the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or later developed. This includes the right to modify the photograph(s) as necessary in RI's sole discretion. This also includes, without limitation, use on or in the web sites, magazines, brochures, pamphlets, exhibitions and any other promotional materials of RI and TRF.

Certifying Signature

Anabella Q. Bonfa

Date:

5-6-25

Print name, Rotary title, and club

Anabella Q. Bonfa, Irvine Rotary - Club President