



### Club and District Happenings

#### Notes From the Clubs:

(Just a sampling of what our clubs are doing)

#### Angels-Murphys Rotary:

Last Month: Kids' holiday party.

Working on: Cajun Fest fundraiser

#### Modesto East:

Last Month: Christmas gift donations to 20 men and women at the Howard Training Center.

Working on: Valentine Gala Fundraiser Feb. 11.

#### Modesto North:

Last Month: Centennial Project Work Day

Working on: Serving a meal to 100 people at the homeless shelter in February. This is a real "hands-on" project requiring all the food to be prepared and delivered ready-to eat since the shelter has no kitchen or tables.

#### North Stockton Rotary:

Last Month: Kids Christmas Party

Working On: Asparagus Festival 2006, Clean Water for Mayans in Guatemala

#### Salida:

Last Month: Adopted a family and donated 7 bikes.

Working On: Community Park Renovation

#### Stockton Rotary:

Last Month: Children's Christmas Party, Salvation Army Bell-Ringing, Holiday Food Drive

Working On: Wheelchair Foundation trip to Honduras

#### Stockton East Rotary:

Working On: International Service Project in Northern Uganda, partnering with the Vapi Rotary Club, Gujarat State, India. An 18-year-old civil war is being waged with the victims being more than 20,000 children that have been kidnapped.

#### Stockton Sunrise Rotary:

Last Month: Club members and guests wrapped dozens of children's toys purchased by the club, for club members to deliver to selected Stockton families in need.

Working On: Stockton Interact Clubs' annual trip to Mexicali to install donated playground equipment.

#### Sonora Sunrise:

Last month: Christmas party for residents of the Sierra Foothills Residential Care facility, a home for people with developmental special needs. Sonora Sunrise Rotarians brought a turkey dinner, Santa, and a gift for each of the residents.

Working on: Easter Baskets – 200 baskets for "Meals on Wheels" recipients.

#### Los Banos:

Last month: Inter-service social honoring several Paul Harris fellows. Rotarians, and members of the local Kiwanis, and Soroptimists met for an evening of fun and fellowship in the spirit of partnership. DGE Bob Hobbs and Betsy attended, with Bob handing out the Paul Harris fellow awards.

Working on: Street Faire and Pancake Breakfast April 8

#### Modesto Rotary:

Last Month: 100+ coats donated by Modesto Rotarians to children in need at Bret Harte Elementary School. Also, member served breakfast at the Salvation Army, as they always do on months that have a fifth Saturday.

Working on: Continuing the Centennial project with United Rotary Clubs, renovating and beautifying the old railway corridor through Modesto.

### Rotary Feeds Calaveras County Needy

From a press release by Jay Quick—Angels Camp Centennial Rotary—Each Christmas since 1982, Rotarians have provided food at Christmas to Calaveras County families in need.

This holiday season, the Calaveras Rotary Christmas Food Baskets for the Needy Team raised over \$14,000, which enabled it to purchase food for 137 food baskets. Members of the Angels Camp Centennial Rotary Club and the West Calaveras Rotary Club packed and delivered the baskets to families throughout Calaveras County. Each of the baskets contained a Christmas dinner and additional food for a week. More info can be found at

[www.angelsrotary.org](http://www.angelsrotary.org).



Project Coordinator & President Angels Camp Centennial Rotary Club, Clayre Quick packs a Christmas food basket.