

Volunteer Appreciation 2018

On Sunday, the sixth of May, over 150 people attended the VHC's annual Volunteer Appreciation Party. For the third year in a row, the event was held at the Draught House Pub & Brewery. It was a beautiful sunny day and with music from the Stray Bullets and food and drink donated from restaurants all over town, a great time was had by all.

We are extremely grateful for the support we received from volunteers, staff, and businesses in the community which combined to make the party a success. All in all, over \$10,000 in food, services, and gifts were donated for this event and many of the contributions were from first time VHC donors. To everyone who worked on this project, thank you so much! Each volunteer was able to leave with a gift or gift certificate as a token of our great appreciation for their service at the VHC.

The party also turned the spotlight on our 40 volunteers who donated over 100 hours of service in 2018 and earned the Presidential Service Award. These volunteers include Francisco Arias, June Beach, Rosa Benner, Geobani Betancourt, Ellen Brown, Annie Cabrera, Larisa Corder, Stefani Cowan, Fernando Eguiarte, Nicki Escott, Simita Gaglani, Tony Garcia, Susana Gimson, Susan Goleman, Emily Helton, Sonia Hernandez, Gary Hwu, Jeff Jones, Dana Kraft, Joseph Kroon, Rob Lee, Keerthana Prayaga, Jamila Raja, Priya Ramamoorthy, Mariana Ramirez, Maria Rivas, Israel Rodriguez, Mayte Rodriguez, Katy Roper, Anita Sanchez, Gaby Sedigh, Eleanor Shaul, Andrew Smejdir, Gail Sofer, Joe Spann, Stephen Thompson, Jessica Vallejo, Mary Villegas, Thorsten Vogt, and Dillon Wisocki.



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