

# Coastal Community Foundation

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## WHAT'S NEW • FALL 2019

### Solana Beach Fund Reaches Milestone- Over \$100,000 in Grants



Since 2013, The *Solana Beach Fund*, a giving circle at CCF, has made 31 grants to a variety of nonprofit organizations serving the community. On October 3 \$19,190 was awarded to six nonprofits.



Free legal clinic in Solana Beach and education presentations are provided by *California Western Community Law Project*.



*Casa de Amistad's Kinder to College Initiative* tracks students' educational milestones & helps them achieve academic and vocational success.



*North County Immigration & Citizenship Center* expands hours of operation. Staff celebrates with a new citizen!

*Silver Age Yoga* provides free yoga classes for seniors in Solana Beach.



*The Seaweeders Garden Club* plans to beautify the triangle of public property at the corner of North Granados and El Viento.



*San Dieguito River Valley Conservancy's Pollinator's Paradise* for K-2 graders. Funds will support a pollinator-friendly garden.



### Donor Advised Funds . . . and the new tax laws

A Donor Advised Fund is a great vehicle for charitable giving, particularly with the new tax law and standard deduction. You can bunch several years of charitable giving into one gift and take the tax deduction in the year the donation is made, making it more advantageous to itemize that year rather than take the standard deduction. Then you can recommend grants to qualified charities locally, regionally or nationally *when you want!* Please check with your financial advisors.

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The minimum to start a donor advised fund is \$5,000 which can be a gift of cash, appreciated stock or property. For more information call Sharon Omahen at (760) 942-9245 or email [sharon@coastalfoundation.org](mailto:sharon@coastalfoundation.org).

## Encinitas Fund Awards First Grants



*The American Academy of Pediatrics, California Chapter 3* was awarded funds to deliver Reach Out and Read at North County Health Services in Encinitas. The project reinforces early literacy to families during well-child care visits. Books are provided to families.

*Community Resource Center* is launching a pilot project for seniors. CRC staff will provide case management and referral services to low-income seniors to facilitate access to healthy food and improve personal wellness leading to safety, stability and self-sufficiency.



*George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers* offers art and music therapy at its Encinitas site. These services provide high therapeutic value for individuals with low functionality and cognition.



### New Scholarship Funds for Graduating Seniors



*The Joe De Camp Memorial STEM Scholarship* will provide awards to North Coastal San Diego students who have declared an interest in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) and represent the ideals of Scouting – Duty to God, Country, Others, and Self. Joe's family and friends wish to encourage students committed to STEM careers and recognize their community service performed through Scouting.

*The Steve Pratt Refuse to Lose Scholarship* provides scholarships to students graduating from Scripps Ranch High School who play varsity sports. Steve was a Scripps Ranch resident who touched the lives of countless kids through his involvement in youth sports during his 20+ years in the community. He brought a tremendous amount of energy and passion to his coaching and influenced so many kids.

In a national survey of community foundations, Coastal Community Foundation ranked #55 in the U.S. for grantmaking based on asset size. The Foundation granted 10% of its assets for nonprofit services, educational programs and community projects. *CCF is grateful to our donors for making a difference locally, regionally and nationally.*

*The Board and Staff wish you a wonderful Thanksgiving and a joyful holiday season!*



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### **Our Mission**

*The mission of Coastal Community Foundation is to enhance the quality of life in the North Coastal area by directing philanthropic efforts toward community needs.*

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