

Individual Project Report

Flour Bluff School Readiness - Supporting At-Risk Children

Project Description

1. Describe the project. What was done, when, and where did the project activities take place?

Project included the purchase of shoes, backpacks and school supplies for at risk children in Flour Bluff. The execution of the project went quickly and included the following:

- Purchase of shoes at Payless shoes (Rotarians Margie Corbett and Ceanne Richter on Friday August 5th)
- Purchase of Backpacks and School supplies was completed by our partners at Timon's Ministries and took place at Walmart (Flour Bluff)
- On Thursday August 11, club members met at the Timon's office to organize and pack the backpacks with supplies by grade level (see below for participating club members). Ellison Cryder stopped by to deliver our grant check.
- On Wednesday August 17 backpacks were distributed to the children at Timon's. Former Dallas Cowboy Quincy Carter attended the event and it was covered by local media (several photos are included on the documents tab).
- <http://www.kristv.com/story/32785336/former-dallas-cowboy-helps-with-school-supply-giveaway> (link to news coverage of event)

2. How many people benefited from this project?

- 125 children

3. Who were the beneficiaries, how were they impacted by this project, and what humanitarian need was met?

- 125 at risk children ages PreK to 8th grade received new tennis shoes and backpacks filled with school supplies for their respective grade. The goal was to positively impact the children's self esteem as they entered a new school year through ensuring that they had the appropriate supplies from day one. In addition, the purchase of tennis shoes allowed them to actively participate in physical activities during the school day both promoting health as well as a stronger sense of well being.

4. How many Rotarians participated in this project?

- 8 members actively participated in the project.

5. What did they do? Please give at least two examples, not including financial support provided to the project.

- Margie Corbett and Ceanne Richter purchased the shoes
- Kae Berry supervised the collection of student information, purchase of school supplies and backpacks and scheduled the distribution to children
- Members Linda Walsh, Kae Berry, Jerry Lipstreu, Caren Childers, Francene Kline, Steve Pituch and Ceanne Richter packed the backpacks at Timmons.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?

- We partnered with the staff at Timon's Ministries, the team was responsible for identifying the children to be supported and their respective grades and shoe size. In addition the Timon's team took on the task of purchasing the school supplies and backpacks.

Financial Report

Date	Description	Funding Source	Amount	%		
Jul 22, 2016	Grant Awarded	District Grant	\$2,500.00	48.72 %		
Jun 25, 2016	Club Match	Club/Other	\$2,631.49	51.28 %		
Total:			\$5,131.49	100.00 %		
Description	Supplier	Local Amount	Currency	Tax	Total	Amount
Tennis Shoes	Payless Shoes	\$766.08	USD	\$0.00	\$766.08	\$766.08
Tennis Shoes	Payless Shoes	\$582.99	USD	\$0.00	\$582.99	\$582.99
School Supplies	Walmart	\$559.16	USD	\$0.00	\$559.16	\$559.16
School supplies	Walmart	\$506.38	USD	\$0.00	\$506.38	\$506.38
Backpacks and School Supplies	Walmart	\$472.82	USD	\$0.00	\$472.82	\$472.82
Tennis Shoes	Payless Shoes	\$402.27	USD	\$0.00	\$402.27	\$402.27
School Supplies	Walmart	\$325.32	USD	\$0.00	\$325.32	\$325.32
School Supplies	Walmart	\$294.47	USD	\$0.00	\$294.47	\$294.47
School Supplies	Walmart	\$275.78	USD	\$0.00	\$275.78	\$275.78
School Supplies	Walmart	\$274.98	USD	\$0.00	\$274.98	\$274.98
School Supplies	Walmart	\$246.35	USD	\$0.00	\$246.35	\$246.35
School Supplies	Walmart	\$175.39	USD	\$0.00	\$175.39	\$175.39
Backpacks and School Supplies	Walmart	\$130.80	USD	\$0.00	\$130.80	\$130.80
School Supplies	Walmart	\$118.70	USD	\$0.00	\$118.70	\$118.70
Total:					\$5,131.49	