CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR HUNGER ACTION MONTH ART CHALLENGE WINNERS!

Our Hunger Action Month Art Challenge, in partnership with Pop Culture Hero Coalition, received submissions from superheroes ages 6-18 across San Diego County! Thank you to everyone who participated. We are excited to announce the winners: Natalia – age 10, Village Elementary, Coronado; Calpurnia – age 10, St. Francis of Assisi, Oceanside; Ada – age 8, La Jolla Elementary School. Congratulations!

Thank you to everyone who participated in Hunger Action Month, including all of those who went orange on social media, made a donation, or volunteered with us. We would also like to thank the United Nations Association of San Diego for endorsing the campaign, UN75, Ford Roosevelt, Chase Masterson, Joe Gatto, Ryan Sheckler, and our sponsors, GoMacro and Swinerton, for helping us raise awareness about the issue of hunger across San Diego County.

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HOW YOU CAN HELP

Find Food  Make a Gift  Donate Food  Start a Fundraiser  Spread the Word

For benefit campaigns and fund drives, click here.

"I DIDN'T HAVE MONEY FOR FOOD THIS WEEK"

As is the case with many working families right now, distance learning with four children has been challenging for Martina and her family.

"I didn't have money for food this week, I've been out of work and home with the kids," Martina shared on a recent visit to Feeding San Diego's distribution at Bayside Community Center in partnership with San Diego County Office of Education.

"Thank you for this distribution and all the work you do, it really helps."
OUR FOUNDER AND BOARD CHAIR, GWENDOLYN Sontheim, NOMINATED AS A LEADER COMBATING HUNGER

Feeding San Diego is honored to have Gwendolyn Sontheim, our founder and current board chair, featured in the “Best of Ranch & Coast 2020: People & Philanthropy.” The article highlights Feeding San Diego as a stand-out non-profit who, in partnership with more than 320 local charities, schools, faith communities, meal sites, and food pantries, is helping to connect people facing hunger with nutritious meals through food rescue.

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“I GIVE BECAUSE PEOPLE ARE HUNGRY ALL THE TIME”

Carmelle Remillard has been a volunteer at Feeding San Diego for 13 years, investing an incredible 630+ hours of time since June of 2012! When the COVID-19 pandemic struck, she began to volunteer an average of three days a week. “The biggest message I would like to share with the San Diego community is that people are hungry all the time,” Carmelle says. “I have noticed in the past years that there are a lot of donations that happen around Thanksgiving or Christmas or Easter. But when the pandemic hit I think it really highlighted that these people need the assistance not just during those major holidays—they are always in need.”

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MEDIA COVERAGE

Osidenews – October 7: Host Hotels and Resorts partners with Feeding San Diego to end hunger during COVID-19

San Diego Business Journal – October 4: Feeding San Diego receives $50,000 grant

KUSI News - October 1: Feeding San Diego ramps up donations to San Diego Unified School District

Red Tricycle – September 29: 10 fun Zoom backgrounds for San Diego kids

USD News Center – September 28: Time to step up: Homelessness and Food Insecurity Action Week

To see all of our press coverage, click here.

SOCIAL MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS

Thank you all for enabling our #fundraiser for Feeding San Diego. It’s because of you that we were able to provide 120,000 meals to our community.
globalhealthtax.com/about-us/news/...#careforourcommunity@feedingsandiego#feedthehungry #Thankful.

While the pandemic has limited our volunteer opportunities, we want to take a moment to thank our volunteers, past and present, for your dedication and kindness. We could not do what we do without you.

Your actions help us end hunger in San Diego, one box of food at a time. #HungerActionMarch

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