## WE ARE A 501 (C) (3) REGISTERED ORGANIZATION



# FEEDING THE HUNGRY & SERVING THE HOMELESS

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# HOW WE SERVE OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

HOT MEALS 50,000+ hot & freshly cooked meals served since June 2013

## WINTER DRIVE

3000+ blankets & Winter Emergency kits donated to the homeless YEARLY

## OUTREACH

4 shelters, 9 locations with 20 service events/sevas MONTHLY

## **CARE BAGS**

3000+ basic hygiene kits distributed since June 2016







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# WHAT DO WE DO?

We are dedicated, like minded volunteers, who donate our free time to offer our skills, knowledge, and abilities and work as a team to provide assistance and support to the homeless.

Our strong and capable team of 1500 + volunteers comes with an incredible array of talents – cooking skills, counseling experience, nutrition experience and much more. In addition to our adult volunteers we have a large group of children who regularly participate in our sevas by cooking, creating brown bags and care bags or distributing Hot Pizza and snacks.

All our lead and co-lead volunteers are certified in food handling and have cleared TB tests.



### What does Community Seva mean?

Quite literally, the word Seva means "service". Selfless service, or Seva (a Sanskrit word), is a service which is performed with no expectation of any kind of return. We are NOT a religious or faith based organization. We serve because we care. Our goal is to serve the community around us and to serve the homeless, while feeding the hungry in the Bay Area. In addition, we aim to empower children, the future citizens of our world to learn empathy and participate by making a difference that they can see.



#### How you can help:

Our website, is a great resource for potential volunteers, sponsors and supporters. Please visit our website for latest updates, achievement and news.

Visit our website to:

- Learn more about volunteer opportunities
- Donate to help our mission to feed and serve the hungry and homeless
- Sponsor an upcoming breakfast, dinner or other seva
- Learn more about how your child can volunteer
- See photos and videos of our sevas
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