SAN BRUNO Community Foundation

Our Impact in the Community

With generous support from YouTube and Google.org, the San Bruno Community Foundation awarded Community Grants totaling \$300,000 to fund 23 projects benefiting the San Bruno community in 2018.

Here are some of the ways in which our grantees have made a difference in San Bruno:

CORA

COMMUNITY OVERCOMING RELATIONSHIP ABUSE

OVERCOMING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: In 2018, backed by a \$20,000 Community Grant, CORA provided crisis intervention services to people impacted by intimate partner abuse from San Bruno, including 41 people calling CORA's 24-hour hotline, 261 referrals from the San Bruno Police Department, four people receiving Safe House protection, 32 people benefiting from mental health services, and 128 attendees of community education and advocacy events.



HELPING KINSHIP FAMILIES: A \$10,000

Community Grant enabled Edgewood Center for Children and Families' Kinship Support Network to provide services, including caregiver support groups, to 35 San Bruno kinship families. In kinship families, relatives assume parenting responsibilities when children can no longer remain with parents, thereby preventing the need for those children to be placed in foster care.



INNOVATIVE CHILD CARE: With support from a \$15,460 Community Grant, PARCA's REACH program based at John Muir Elementary School served 35 children each weekday during the school year and a total of 25 children over the summer through its unique and inclusive after-school and summer camp program for children with and without developmental disabilities.



SUPPORTING GREEN TRANSPORTATION: With

a \$1,600 Community Grant, the City of San Bruno installed a bike "Fix-It" station at the San Bruno BART Station, where commuters and other cyclists can tune up their bikes and make minor repairs for free.



CELEBRATING SAMOAN CULTURE: Aided by a \$15,000 Community Grant, Samoan Solutions offered a 12-week educational series on Samoan culture open to all members of the San Bruno community, culminating in a stage performance of "Fagogo o Samoa," a musical of Samoan legends, at Skyline College.



UNDERSTANDING SAN BRUNO'S CHILD CARE NEEDS: Supported by a \$15,740 Community Grant, First 5 San Mateo County analyzed the shortage of child care and preschool services in San Bruno. Using maps to illustrate the supply and demand for child care as well as land use considerations, First 5's study included a series of recommendations to help plan for future child care and preschool expansion to meet the community's needs.



LIFE-SAVING CPR AND AED TRAINING: For the second year, SBCF awarded a Community Grant to Via Heart Project to aid in efforts to teach life-saving skills to San Bruno's young people. In 2018, with a \$5,000 grant, Via Heart Project provided hands-only CPR and AED training to 300 eighth graders at Parkside Intermediate School.