



CREATE THE CHANGE BAY AREA

#CreateTheChangeBayArea

On October 21, 2018, **over 250 kids, parents, nonprofit representatives and volunteers** came together in Mountain View for PGK's second annual Create the Change Day Bay Area.

Children learned about nonprofits helping neighbors, animals, veterans and more. They did projects to directly benefit those in need and found out about many more ways they can continue to #CreateTheChange in the months and years ahead.



Packed over 150 toiletry kits for low income and homeless individuals

Donated over 15 lbs of food and 20 toys to make the holidays a little brighter for kids in need on the Peninsula



Decorated 83 lunch bags to go home with hungry neighbors and give them a reason to smile



Made 75 bookmarks and collected gently used books to help outfit a new library for students in Sierra Leone

Crafted over 100 toys and blankets for shelter cats



Made over 100 cards for Veterans thanking them for their service

Made 100 keychains for individuals and families transitioning to permanent housing to welcome them home



Assembled 100 Hair Care Kits and decorated bags to accompany daily essentials for families dealing with medical crises



Packed 240 snack packs for food insecure individuals in East Palo Alto



Wrote 104 "thinking of you" cards to accompany groceries distributed by SF-Marin Food Bank

Decorated 74 Thanksgiving placemats to enliven the holiday meal for elderly residents in San Francisco



Customized over 100 Christmas ornaments for use by Angels on Stage in promoting their upcoming shows



"Thank you for putting on this event. It is exactly what my family needed to start giving back!"

-Parent from San Mateo

www.projectgivingkids.org

Collected over 50 pairs of new athletic shoes and made notes of hope for homeless and low-income youth

