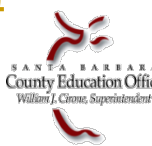


# November 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 Teen Late Nite 7-9:30 PM	4	5
6	7	8 Foodbank	9 Power Parent Dinner 6:15-7:30 PM	10	11 Veterans Day	12
13	14 Monthly Volunteer Training 6:30-7:30 PM	15	16	17 4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Community Breakfast 7:30-9:00 AM	18 Teen Dance 7:30-11:30 PM	19 Club Cleanup Day 9:00 AM-12:00 PM
20 National Family Week Begins	21	22	23 Thanksgiving Dinner 4:30-5:30 PM	24 Thanksgiving Day Club closed	25 Club closed	26 National Family Week Ends
27	28	29 Holiday Decoration Day 10 AM-4:30 PM	30	*All notes in red are volunteer events!		

Visit: [Volunteerlompoc.org](http://Volunteerlompoc.org) to sign up now!



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**Attention Volunteers:** Ongoing volunteer training will be held on the second Monday of every month. Our next training is **Monday November 14<sup>th</sup>**, 2011 from 6:30 to 7:30 pm. Please plan to join us for this informative session.

- Homework Help
- Literacy Support
- Guest Speakers
- Mentoring
- Special Events
- Event Chaperon
- Field Trips
- Sports
- Fundraising



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## Meet Our Mentors

Mentors are the number one parent request. A good mentor-mentee relationship can last a lifetime. Children and youth are in need of positive role models. Having a consistent relationship with an adult allows them to practice positive social skills, and build trusting, healthy relationships outside their family and peer group. It's also more likely for youth with guidance to make better choices when confronted with the dangers of smoking, gang involvement and teen pregnancy. The usual commitment for a mentor is 1-2 hours per visit, once a week.

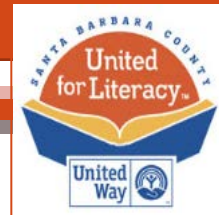


*Elisa Swartz enjoys arts and crafts with the children in this photo, but has also proven to be a valuable supporter of the Literacy efforts of the Club. At just 18 years of age, she has demonstrated maturity beyond her years by taking the time to train on the Reading Plus program and spends at least two hours a week helping young readers thrive. Thank you Elisa! You make our club programs stronger by supporting the staff efforts.*

## Power Reading

Power Reading at the Lompoc clubhouse features the Reading Plus program, a computerized silent reading program provided by the United Way of Northern Santa Barbara County. The Club also hosts an AmeriCorps reading tutor, Anna Wilson, who specializes in literacy intervention. There is currently a waiting list for enrollment in this program. If you would like to have your child assessed for placement in the Power Reading program, please contact Rachel Wolpo, literacy Coordinator at 736-4978 ext. 210.

You can learn more about United Ways "United for Literacy" campaign and the Power Reading program at: <http://uwcentralcoast.org/readingplus-ULA.html>



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## Guest Speakers Needed in North SB County Area



## A.S.E.S.

**Guest Speaker:** Medical Professionals

**School:** Pioneer Valley High School

**Description:** Provide a 30 minute presentation to a class of student interested in pursuing careers in the medical field. These students have been learning about different medical careers and are beginning to understand basic medical terminology in order to best prepare them for a medical career.

**Date Needed:** Any day Tuesday - Friday between 8 am to 9:30am.

**Number Needed:** 1

**Guest Speaker:** Broadcast Journalism; Video Production / Filmmaking

**School:** Santa Ynez Valley Union High School

**Description:** 1- 1.5 hours (Periods are 90 minutes) How many students: 25-30

Overview of topics: practical and theoretical  
Will learned from speaker: Real world situation  
Objectives: Foundation Standards: 3.0 Career Planning and Management 9.0 Leadership and Teamwork 10.0 Technical Knowledge and Skills

**Date Needed:** I have three classes, two on one day and one the next. We are on an odd/even block schedule. I have class periods 1, 4, and 5

**Number Needed:** 1



## *Come and see the faces of A.S.E.S.!*

The A.S.E.S. (After School Education & Safety) program is now recruiting volunteers to support the afterschool homework help and reading programs on a daily basis. The average commitment for this opportunity is 2 hours a day and most volunteers serve one day per week. This opportunity does require a background check and current T.B. test.

A.S.E.S. also has an ongoing need for guest speakers and mentors at all of their school sites. There is also a great need for S.T.E.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) presenters within the A.S.E.S. program.

If you would like to participate or learn about other exciting volunteer opportunities, visit [volunteerlompoc.org](http://volunteerlompoc.org)



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## 2011 HOLIDAY DECORATION DAY



Please Join us for the annual decoration day. 20 or more volunteers are needed to help decorate the Clubhouse on Tuesday, November 29<sup>th</sup>. From 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM we will string lights and hang large decorations. From 3:00 to 4:30 PM we will help the children prepare holiday crafts, decorate the trees and enjoy milk and cookies. If you can join us for all or part of this activity, or you would like to bring cookies for the party, please RSVP with Rachel at [lompocvolunteer@sbceo.org](mailto:lompocvolunteer@sbceo.org) or call 736-4978 ext. 210.



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## You're Invited! 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Community Breakfast

Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011

Program 7:30am- 9:00am

Boys & Girls Club of Lompoc- Richard May Court

**Speaker: Ms Deepa Willingham,  
Rotary Clubs Past District Governor**

## CLUB CLEAN UP TIME!

Come lend a hand on November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2011 from 9 AM-12 Noon. 20 volunteers needed to help get the Clubhouse and grounds in shape for the Holidays.

Please RSVP with Rachel Wolpo at [lompocvolunteer@sbceo.org](mailto:lompocvolunteer@sbceo.org)

or call 736-4978 ext. 210. Thank You!



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## THANKSGIVING DINNER

Please join us for a traditional Thanksgiving Potluck Dinner served at the Boys & Girls Club of Lompoc on Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> from 4:30-5:30 PM. Families, volunteers and supporters are invited! All attendees are asked to bring one of the following items: entrée, salad, dessert, disposable plates, cups, plastic dinnerware or drinks and ice. Please contact Joan at 736-4978 ext.200 for more information.



*Alvin Walker*  
Certified Public Accountant



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