

Western Region Employees Assemble Hundreds of Care Packages for Troops Overseas

COSTA MESA, Calif. – Across California, Clark employees supported the military by assembling and donating nearly 1,000 care packages for troops serving overseas. At holiday parties held by the Replacement Naval Hospital at Camp Pendleton project team and San Diego-area personnel, attendees assembled more than 400 care packages. Project teams from across the Los Angeles area joined Costa Mesa office employees in compiling an additional 500 care packages. Even members of the Clovis Community Hospital project team, located nearly 300 miles from Costa Mesa, found a way to help. The project team built a sleigh to collect care package donations. The items, along with \$10,000 donated by subcontractors, were sent to Costa Mesa for packaging.



The Clovis Community Hospital project team filled this sleigh with donations to make care packages for troops.



At the Replacement Naval Hospital at Camp Pendleton holiday party, attendees assembled more than 100 care packages.



Employees at the DCA Cars Land project celebrate Movember.

Movember Mustaches for Men's Health

COSTA MESA, Calif. – November wasn't Tom Selleck Appreciation Month in Clark's Western Region, but it sure looked like it. More than 20 employees across the region grew mustaches to support Movember, an international event that raises funds and awareness for prostate cancer and other men's health issues. The men (and women, who participated as honorary "Mo-sisters") formed Team No \$\$ - Mo Problems – Stache for Cash and raised more than \$6,000.

Golf Tournament Raises \$270,000 for San Diego Charities

SAN DIEGO – The seventh annual Clark CARES charity golf tournament raised more than \$270,000 to benefit several organizations that serve the San Diego area and local military. The annual, two-day event, hosted by Clark Construction Group, in conjunction with Clark Realty Capital, attracted more than 240 participants and 70 sponsors to Maderas Golf Club.

Tournament proceeds benefited Chelsea's Light Foundation, a group that provides scholarships for local college-bound students and Operation Bigs, a Big Brothers Big Sisters of San Diego County program that pairs mentors with children of active military parents. Clark CARES also made donations to two additional organizations that support the military: the Wounded Warrior Project and the United Warrior Survivor Foundation.

Since its inception, the Clark CARES golf tournament has raised more than \$1.8 million.



Members of the Best Practices Forum after a day volunteering at DC Central Kitchen.

Employees Pitch in at DC Central Kitchen

WASHINGTON, D.C. - In what has turned into an annual service event, 11 women from the Mid-Atlantic Region's Best Practices Forum spent a day in December volunteering with DC Central Kitchen (DCCK). The women spent hours in the kitchen opening cans of beans and chopping onions, celery, and jalapenos. The volunteers helped DCCK staff prepare more than 600 pounds of three-bean salad, which accompanied meals to more than 4,500 individuals at 100 shelters in the Washington, D.C., area.

Houston Construction Program Developed for Emerging Businesses



Clark Vice President Wes Stith speaks at a reception for the Building and Contracting Leadership Program as Houston Mayor Annise Parker looks on.

HOUSTON - Clark is one of two main sponsors of the Building and Contracting Leadership Certificate Program at Houston Community College. This first-of-its-kind program in Houston assists local and independent contractors in expand-

ing and improving their construction management and business skills.

The inaugural class, which meets weekly, includes 19 local companies with one to 10 years of experience. Class members

include commercial subcontractors looking to expand their businesses as well as residential contractors looking to move into the commercial market.

Clark provides scholarship assistance and course materials to program participants. Company employees also volunteer as guest instructors. During the inaugural program, a company senior project manager attends every other class session to walk the students through a standard subcontract agreement.

"This is exactly the type of partnership we need to encourage more small business owners and independent contractors to seek the skills needed to grow their businesses."

Houston Community College
Chancellor Dr. Mary Spanger

Runners Brave the Cold For Ronald McDonald House

NATIONAL HARBOR, Md. - On a frosty December morning, nearly 60 of Clark's Mid-Atlantic Region employees braved the cold to take part in the inaugural Hot Chocolate 5K and 15K races in National Harbor, Md. The event raised money for the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Washington, D.C., an organization that provides temporary housing for out-of-town families with seriously ill children being treated at local hospitals.



Cold weather didn't stop these volunteers from raising money for the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Washington, D.C.

Holiday Giving Continues at SAMMC



The SAMMC project team with the presents they donated to six local children.

SAN ANTONIO – The Clark/Hunt joint venture team completed new construction work at the San Antonio Military Medical Center (SAMMC) ahead of the federally-mandated Base Realignment and Closure Act deadline of September 15, 2011. However, renovations to the existing Brooke Army Medical Center continue, as does the joint venture team's spirit of holiday giving.

Working with Fort Sam Houston's Warrior and Family Support Center, the SAMMC project team adopted two families of wounded warriors for the holidays. Each family's three children received all of the gifts on their wish list. The team also donated grocery store gift cards to provide a complete holiday meal.

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Members of the Preconstruction Services Department with their gifts for the DCBIA's Care & Share event.

Gifts Bring Holiday Cheer to Children

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Across the country, Clark employees spread holiday cheer by providing gifts to underprivileged children. Members of the Mid-Atlantic Preconstruction Services Department purchased and wrapped more than two dozen gifts for the District of Columbia Building Industry Association's Care & Share event. The gifts later were donated to the Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Washington.

In Houston, project teams at Hobby and George Bush Intercontinental Airports continued a holiday tradition by donating gifts to students at Audrey Judy Bush Elementary School. Volunteers visited the school to deliver the gifts.



Houston employees visited Audrey Judy Bush Elementary School to spread holiday cheer.

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