

THE AZUSA ROTARY FOUNDATION

Presents

Field of Glory

November 5, 2017—November 12, 2017

Azusa City Hall Front Lawn



Canyon City Foundation

BUILDING AND INVESTING IN YOUR COMMUNITY

The Canyon City Foundation was established in 2004 as part of the planning of the Rosedale Master Planned Community. Monrovia Nursery provided an initial grant of \$2.5 million to establish the Canyon City Foundation with the intention to increase the philanthropic activity within the City of Azusa and the new Rosedale Community. As you review the report, you will find that the Canyon City Foundation has indeed made significant contributions to the philanthropic activities of the City of Azusa. Also, a provision in the Development Agreement with the City of Azusa, approved by the voters, was a required contribution of 0.5% of the sale price of all resales in Rosedale to replenish the capital of the Canyon City Foundation. The provision ensures that the Foundation will be able to benefit the City and its residents for generations to come.

The Canyon City Foundation disperses grants to 501 (c) (3) eligible organizations from the interest earned on its capital.

As you review this report, you will see a listing of the grant recipients for the past decade. You will note that they all have the required eligibility as designated by the Internal Revenue Service.

We are pleased to share this decade in review with you and invite you to seek opportunities to engage in the community through one of the many programs that the Foundation has supported.

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Aerobics class for students at Valleydale school.



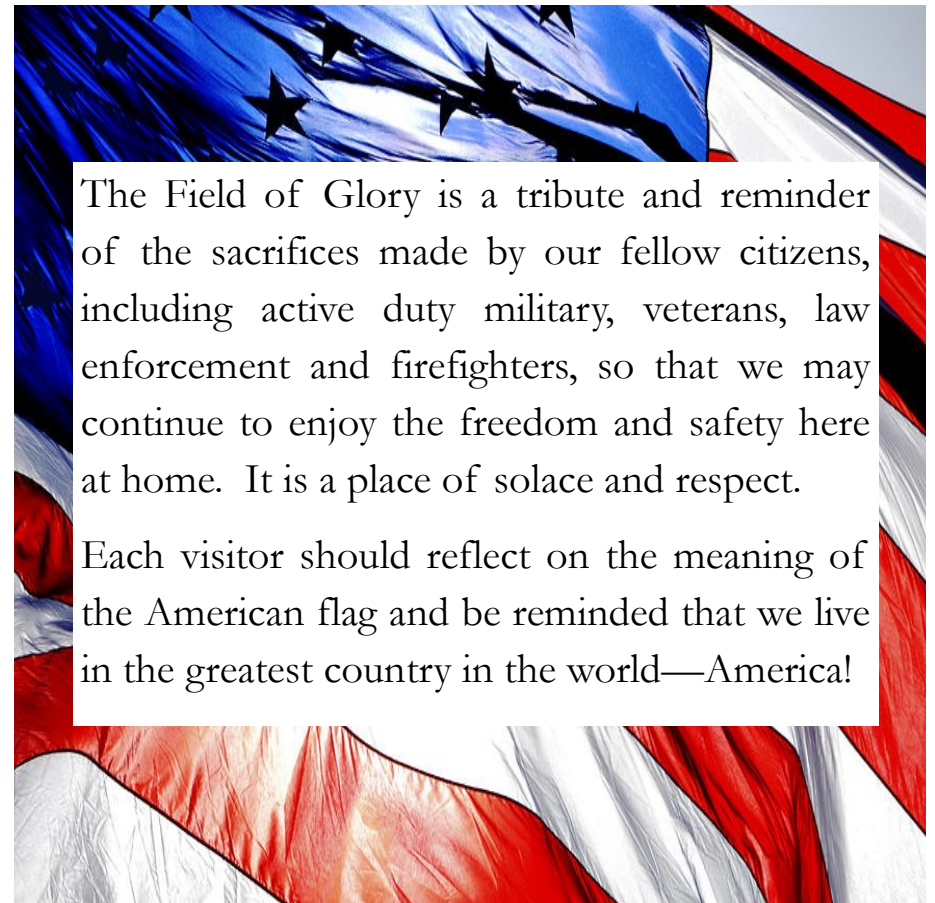
Azusa Pacific University School of Nursing student demonstrates to a resident how to collect a sample.



Residents begin a 3-mile hike up Dalton Ave. with the Azusa Walks Program.

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The Field of Glory is a tribute and reminder of the sacrifices made by our fellow citizens, including active duty military, veterans, law enforcement and firefighters, so that we may continue to enjoy the freedom and safety here at home. It is a place of solace and respect.

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Opening Ceremony

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| Presentation of Colors | Azusa VFW Post 8070 |
| National Anthem | Anna Aguilar |
| Pledge of Allegiance | Steven Castro |
| Invocation | Pastor Tony Quinteros |
| Introduction of Dignitaries | Uriel Macias |
| Welcome | Mayor Joseph Rocha |
| Introduction of Supervisor Hilda Solis | Mayor Joseph Rocha |
| Welcome | Azusa Rotary President Harry Heflin |
| Heritage Singers | Patriotic Medley |
| History of the Flag | Uriel Macias |
| Recognize Officers | Uriel Macias |
| *Lieutenant Xavier Torres | |
| *Sergeant Tommy Avila | |
| *Retired Sergeant Terry Smith | |
| *Sergeant Rocky Wenrick | |
| *Corporal Seth Chapman | |
| *Corporal Andy Rodriguez | |
| *Officer Carlos Plascenia | |
| Introduce Azusa Field of Glory Committee | |
| Heritage Singers | Armed Forces Medley |
| Benediction | Pastor Tony Quinteros |
| “God Bless America” | Anna Aguilar |

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A Note from
Assemblywoman
Blanca E. Rubio

On behalf of the California State Legislature, I welcome you to the 2017 Field of Glory U.S. Flag Display honoring our veterans, first responders, and servicepersons.

Thank you to the Azusa Rotary Club for honoring our veterans. We appreciate the sacrifices and contributions of our veterans who fought to defend our freedom. I am thankful for their service.

Blanca E. Rubio



HISTORY OF OUR AMERICAN FLAG.

For more than 200 years, the American flag has been the symbol of our nation's strength and unity. It's been a source of pride and inspiration for millions of citizens. And the American Flag has been a prominent icon in our national history. Here are the highlights of its unique past.

On January 1, 1776, the Continental Army was reorganized in accordance with a Congressional resolution which placed American forces under George Washington's control. On that New Year's Day the Continental Army was laying siege to Boston which had been taken over by the British Army. Washington ordered the Grand Union flag hoisted above his base at Prospect Hill. It had 13 alternate red and white stripes and the British Union Jack in the upper left-hand corner (the canton).

In May of 1776, Betsy Ross reported that she sewed the first American flag.

On June 14, 1777, in order to establish an official flag for the new nation, the Continental Congress passed the first Flag Act: "Resolved, That the flag of the United States be made of thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new Constellation."

Between 1777 and 1960, Congress passed several acts that changed the shape, design and arrangement of the flag and allowed for additional stars and stripes to be added to reflect the admission of each new state.

- Act of January 13, 1794 – provided for 15 stripes and 15 stars after May 1795.
- Act of April 4, 1818 – provided for 13 stripes and one star for each state, to be added to the flag on the 4th of July following the admission of each new state, signed by President Monroe.
- Executive Order of President Taft dated June 24, 1912 – established proportions of the flag and provided for arrangement of the stars in six horizontal rows of eight each, a single point of each star to be upward.
- Executive Order of President Eisenhower dated January 3, 1959 – provided for the arrangement of the stars in seven rows of seven stars each, staggered horizontally and vertically.
- Executive Order of President Eisenhower dated August 21, 1959 – provided for the arrangement of the stars in nine rows of stars staggered horizontally and eleven rows of stars staggered vertically.

Today the flag consists of thirteen horizontal stripes, seven red alternating with 6 white. The stripes represent the original 13 colonies, the stars represent the 50 states of the Union. The colors of the flag are symbolic as well: Red symbolizes Hardiness and Valor, White symbolizes Purity and Innocence and Blue represents Vigilance, Perseverance and Justice.

The Azusa Rotary Club and Foundation

The Azusa Rotary Club was founded on February 8, 1927, and since that date has been serving our community for 89 years.

Azusa Rotary was the 775th Rotary Club in the world at that time, but now there are more than 32,000 Rotary clubs in more than 200 countries and geographical areas. Rotary is the most International of all the service clubs, and traveling Rotarians are welcome in any Rotary club in the world.

The Azusa Rotary Club meets for Lunch twice a month on the First and Third Thursdays at the Azusa Greens Country Club, and meetings typically feature a speaker on a topic of interest to the membership. Visitors are welcome anytime.

In addition to focusing on Local and some International service, Rotary is unique among all the service clubs with its Rotary 4-Way Test to check if a planned action is compatible with the Rotary spirit:

- Is it the truth?
- Is it fair to all concerned?
- Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Below are a few projects that Azusa Rotary has conducted or sponsored:

C.H.A.M.P. College Headed and Mighty Proud, getting Azusa 4th graders onto a college track

The Neighborhood Homework House

Books for Babies & the Azusa Library

Eradicating the disease Polio worldwide

Rotaract Service Clubs @ Azusa Pacific University

Interact Service Clubs @ Azusa and Gladstone High Schools

Annual H.S. GATE Students Marine Exploration

School Lunch Program for disadvantaged students in India

Leadership Camps for Azusa 8th grade and 11th grade students

Speech and Essay contests for Azusa H.S. Students

And now, the Azusa Field of Glory U.S. Flag display!

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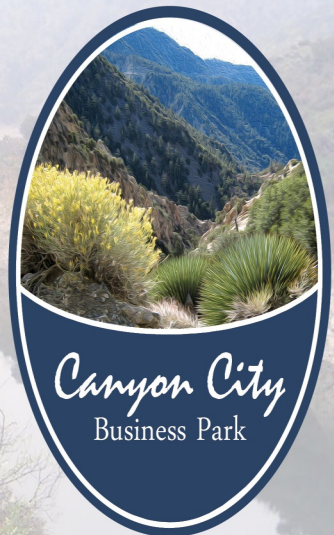
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