



Pasadena Junior Chamber of Commerce

**474 West Walnut Street
Pasadena CA 91103**

Operation Santa!

Help Bring the Joy of Christmas to Children!

Operation Santa is the Pasadena Jaycees' longest running community service project.

Since 1934, we have been collecting letters to Santa Claus written by children in Pasadena and the surrounding areas. Those letters are read, toy drives are initiated, funds are raised, houses are mapped out, and on Christmas Eve Santa and Mrs. Claus visit the homes of these children with gifts in hand. Not only will you help touch the lives of over 3500 children, but the experience of working with these kids and fulfilling their Christmas wishes is truly a memory you will cherish.

Volunteers are needed on the following dates to help read and categorize the children's personal letters to Santa Claus:

Tuesday, December 4th, 2010 @ 7:00pm
Thursday, December 6nd, 2010 @ 7:00pm
Tuesday, December 11th, 2010 @ 7:00pm
Thursday, December 13th, 2010 @ 7:00pm
Tuesday, December 18th, 2010 @ 7:00pm
Thursday, December 20th, 2010 @ 7:00pm

Letter reading will take place at the Curtain House located on 474 W. Walnut Street, Pasadena, CA next to the Pasadena History Museum. Snacks will be provided.

In addition, volunteers are needed the morning of Sunday, December 23rd to sort toys and Monday, December 25th to deliver toys and the joy of Christmas to children in the San Gabriel Valley area.

Volunteers may check in at their convenience during the day from 9am-2pm at the Scottish Rites Temple, 150 N. Madison Ave, Pasadena, CA. Once checked in, you will receive your Santa suit, an allotment of toys and a route with approximately 30 addresses of children to visit.

At 4:30pm, Santas and their teams are expected to be in costume and will be fed dinner before heading out at 5:30pm. Each Santa will be sent out with a partner (either a Mrs. Claus or an "elf" driver). Teams are expected to be finished by 9:00pm.

For more information or to volunteer, please visit pasadenajaycees.org, email OpSantaPasadena@gmail.com.

Thank you in advance for your support! We look forward to working together to bring the joy of Christmas to children throughout Pasadena and surrounding areas.