



Become a Project Linus Blanketeer!

California State Fashion Revue - 2018 Service Project

Project Linus is a non-profit organization that provides homemade, washable blankets to children who are seriously ill, traumatized, or are simply in need of a warm handmade hug. The organization includes chapters in each state throughout the entire nation. Project Linus chapters donate an average of 350 blankets to local children each month. These blankets are distributed to children who reside in hospitals, shelters, foster homes, are homeless, or just going through a difficult time.

Become a "Blanketeer" Blanketeers are volunteers who create and provide new handmade blankets to children in need. Project Linus welcomes anyone who would like to help make blankets. State Fashion Revue invites all California 4-Hers, their families and friends to become Project Linus Blanketeers!



What about sizes and fabrics?

Project Linus donates blankets to children ages 0-18. Many sizes are appropriate depending on what your local chapter needs. Most of Project Linus blankets are 40"x 60" though baby blankets can be as small as 36"x 36" and blankets for teens can be "twin" size. Blankets can be knitted or crocheted, tied comforters, printed or solid fleece with crocheted, fringed, or tied edges, cotton quilts, and flannel receiving blankets for babies. They should be in child-friendly colors, free of pins, and come from smoke-free environments due to allergy reasons. Sample patterns can be found at <http://www.projectlinus.org/patterns/>

How do I donate?

There are 24 Project Linus chapters in California accepting blankets. Find the one closest to you on the Project Linus website, www.projectlinus.org. Go to the tab for Chapters and click on California. Or bring finished blankets to State Fashion Revue on June 2, 2018 at UC Davis.

Our challenge to you...

Madera County is challenging each county to make at least 50 blankets!

This is our chance as 4-Hers to really make a difference in another child's life, no matter their age. What a great feeling to help someone who is ill or going through a traumatic life experience.

Contact us with questions! Please send pictures and numbers of blankets donated to us at:
Project_linus@yahoo.com
SFR Project Linus Co-Chairs
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Thank you for your participation!
Together we can make a difference!

Project Linus ~ over 6 million blankets delivered since 1995



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