Gift Drive Seration Santa Claus Gift Shop

Greetings! The Operation Santa Claus annual gift drive begins mid November and ends December 23^{rd} . Many holiday wishes have been granted for children who are abandoned, neglected, abused, or placed in foster care, and elderly and disabled adults served by the County of Orange Social Services Agency, Health Care Agency, Probation Department, Child Support Services, and OC Community Resources. Each year we distribute 42,000+ toys during the holiday season and also provide foster children with birthday gifts year round. We thank and appreciate each of you who have had a hand in contributing to our successes. We couldn't do it without you. If you have not participated in the past, please join us!

There are several ways that you, your business, your family, coworkers, and friends can participate in Operation Santa Claus. Below is a list of options to help brighten someone's life this holiday season.



How can I donate gifts?

Donations may be dropped off at the Operation Santa Claus Gift Shop located at 1505 E. Warner Ave., Santa Ana, 92705. For drop off times, call (714) 679-2438.



Gift Ideas

Cash /check donations come in handy to purchase special request items, like toddler and teen gifts that we run out of every year. We also purchase gifts for all age groups that are low on toys.

Gift cards offer our clients the freedom to purchase items they need, such as clothing.



Donations

Cash, checks, and g ift card donations provide gifts and other special need items for toddlers and teens.

Please make checks payable to **Operation Santa Claus** and mail to:

Operation Santa Claus 1505 E. Warner Ave. Santa Ana, CA 92705

Donations with complete address will receive letter for tax purposes.



The U.S. Marines *Toys for Tots* and Orange County Firefighters

Spark of Love support and contribute to the efforts of Operation Santa Claus

Volunteer Your Time



Assist with sorting gifts at the Operation Santa Claus Gift Shop. Volunteers are needed during the month of December.

To volunteer, please email <u>Jane.Dawson@ocgov.com</u> or call (714) 834-7440.



Angel Tags For the Tree

Angel Tags provide gift suggestions for a child in need of a holiday gift.

If you would like to coordinate a toy drive, please call (714) 679-2438, fax info to 714-825-3149 or email mona.gustafson@ssa.ocgov.com

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