

We must be the change we wish to see in the world.

—Mahatma Gandhi

SIGN ME UP!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Enclosed is my check for annual dues, payable to Valley Women's Club.

_____ \$25 Individual and Family

_____ \$15 Senior

_____ \$15 Youth

_____ \$200 Life Membership

Special donation enclosed:

_____ Scholarship Fund

_____ Environmental Committee

*The Valley Women's Club is a 501(c) 3 non-profit organization
All donations are tax deductible.*

Please mail checks to:
VWC

P.O. Box 574, Ben Lomond, CA 95005

Join us!

*Celebrate 30 years of VWC activism
in the San Lorenzo Valley!*

RESPONSIBLE LAND USE PRACTICES

Rallied support to reduce size of Galleon Heights development; supported Watershed Management Plan; served on Timber Advisory Commission.

On-going: educates residents about living in the SLV watershed; supports Lompico Watershed Conservancy and other environmental organizations; presents Watershed Festival of Events.

EDUCATION AND SOCIAL ISSUES

Advocated for local Cabrillo College branch campus.

On-going: supports Equity Committee and Students Making a Difference; hosts forums for political candidates and on issues such as growth control, health, and transportation; provides scholarships to SLVHS grads; works to foster a diverse culture in SLV.

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS PLANNING

Initiated Earthquake Preparedness Program; supported Neighborhood Survival Network; participated in SLV Disaster Planning Committee.

On-going: sponsors annual Disaster Preparedness Fair.

RECYCLING

Started a monthly Boulder Creek recycling center in 1979 staffed by volunteers.

On-going: operates three state-certified centers in the San Lorenzo Valley.

Boulder Creek (behind Village Wash & Dry)
Redemption: 11 – 5 Daily
Drop-off anytime

Ben Lomond Transfer Station (Newell Creek Road)
Redemption: 10 – 3 Daily
Drop-off: 7:30 – 3:30

Felton (Gushee Street at Hihn Street)
Redemption: M–Sat. 11 – 5; Sun. 12 – 4
Drop-off anytime

For more info, call 338-1728 or visit

www.vwcweb.org

Join the Valley Women's Club

to protect and enhance
the quality of life in
the San Lorenzo Valley—
for all of us and all our children.



*In every community there is
work to be done. In every
nation, there are wounds to
heal. In every heart there is
the power to do it.*

—Marianne Williamson

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The Valley Women's Club, founded in 1978, is dedicated to community action, awareness and leadership in environmental, educational, social and political concerns which affect the health and welfare of the San Lorenzo Valley.

Your annual membership supports the VWC's work. The quarterly newsletter on issues affecting the San Lorenzo Valley is a membership benefit.

Members gather at the General Membership meeting in late winter and at an informal event in the fall.

The VWC Board meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6:45 p.m. at Mountain Community Resources, 231 Main Street, Ben Lomond. Members are always welcome to attend.

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The Valley Women's Club Welcomes Your Participation

Our Committees include:

Environmental Committee

Works to protect the watershed and to educate the public on forestry issues, erosion control, hazardous waste, recycling and other issues. Monitors government policies and procedures. For info, call 338-1728

Community Connections

Sponsors and participates in selected community events. Provides liaison with other SLV organizations and with government officials. For info, call 246-1610

Education Committee

Provides scholarships for SVLHS graduates attending Cabrillo College. Works on various education issues in SLV. For info, call 338-2247

Women's Issues Committee

Supports human rights for women and girls, and sponsors "Expanding Your Horizons" conference: www.eyh.ucsc.edu. For info, call 338-4436

Membership Committee

Expands and involves membership; Board development. For info, call 338-0966

Fund Development Committee

Fundraising and grants for VWC projects. For info, call 338-6884

Yes, I'd like to volunteer to help with the event(s) checked below!

Environmental Committee

Meetings: Henry Cowell Gift Shop; 1st Saturday of month; 2nd Saturday on holiday week-ends

- Roadside Cleanup, Hwys 9 and 236: quarterly
- River/Road Cleanup: October
- Watershed Festival of Events: on-going

Community Connections Events

- Annual Disaster Preparedness Fair
- Boulder Creek Art and Wine Festival: Memorial Day weekend
- Candidate's Forums: before elections
- Hammer-Marcum awards: bi-annually in spring
- Halloween pedestrian safety, Boulder Creek: October 31

Scholarship Committee

- Yard Sale for scholarship funds: June
- Mayan Sale: first Saturday of December (benefits Students Making a Difference and Mayan craftswomen)

Women's Issues

- Expanding Your Horizons conference at UCSC: March

Membership

- General Membership Meeting: late winter
- Membership Gathering: fall

Fund Development

- Bulb Sale: fall
- New Leaf Community Day