



California-Hawaii Elks Major Project

Man's good deeds are often born of dreams which have found a time and place. Such was the case with the Major Project. It was but a dream until 1950 when the Elks adopted the program and assured it a future that grows bigger and brighter with each passing year.

Ever-increasing need for services is met by the Elks members and friends of the California-Hawaii Elks Association. From its humble beginnings in Eureka, the program expanded further: north to the Oregon border, the Sierra Nevada, the valley farmlands, the southern deserts to the Mexican border and across miles of ocean to the Hawaiian islands of Oahu and Hawaii.

For on-line donations, go to www.chea-elks.org/DONATE NOW. Also for your convenience, you may make recurring monthly donations. Please call the CHEA office at 559-255-4531 to set up your monthly recurring donations.



The Major Project then broadened its scope with a program to screen preschool children for vision deficiencies.

The California-Hawaii Elks again moved forward by establishing annual grants to provide direct medical care for eligible children with vision deficiencies. The Elks also provide undergraduate university and vocational school scholarships to students with disabilities.

You and the members of your lodge are the reason the Major Project "Piggy Bank" program succeeds in reaching out and touching over 60,000 children each year.

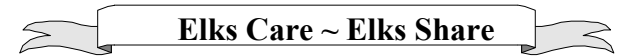
Remember that all donations to the Major Project "Piggy Bank" program are tax deductible.

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What you always wanted to know about the . . .

 **MILLENNIUM CLUB**

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MILLENNIUM CLUB

The *Millennium Club* is an exclusive club for individuals who, beginning April 1, 2001, achieve an accumulated donation amount of \$1,000 to the California-Hawaii Elks Major Project, Inc. This is accomplished when the Fresno office has received an accumulated total of \$1,000, either through the Lodge or directly to the California-Hawaii Elks Major Project, Inc. (CHEMPI). Donations included in the accumulated total are memorial donations, general donations, magazine holiday greeting card donations, Century Club donations and 52 Club donations. Not included in the total are Bequest and Living Trust Donations nor label/holiday card program donations.

A check or series of checks is made out and sent to the CHEMPI office in Fresno (5450 East Lamona Avenue, Fresno, CA 93727-2224) along with the name of the member or spouse, Lodge name and number. When \$1,000 has been received in Fresno, a certificate will be issued and signed by the CHEA Association President and sent to the Lodge for presentation, along with a special *Millennium Club* gold pin, shown above. The determination of who is eligible for such an award will be based upon the records maintained in the CHEMPI office in Fresno. Cash or a check, along with the donor's name and Lodge name and number, can be given directly to any CHEMPI Trustee, the State Piggy Bank Chairman or Vice Chairman, or the Lodge, which must be forwarded to the Fresno office for credit to the donor and Lodge.

A list of *Millennium Club* members will be published in *The California-Hawaii Elk* magazine. This program is not based upon donations for a single year, but upon the accumulated total received in Fresno since April 1, 2001.



CENTURY CLUB

The *Century Club* is an exclusive club for Elks and their spouses or friends of the Elks who donate \$100 to the *Century Club*. This is done either through the Lodge or directly to the California-Hawaii Elks Major Project, Inc. (CHEMPI).

A check is made out and must be sent to the CHEMPI office in Fresno (5450 East Lamona Avenue, Fresno, CA 93727-2224) along with the member, spouse's or friend of the Elks name, Lodge name and number. When received in Fresno, a certificate will be signed by the CHEA Association President and, along with a special *Century Club* gold pin, shown above, sent to the Lodge for presentation. Cash or a check, along with the donor's name and Lodge name and number, can be given directly to any CHEMPI Trustee, the State Piggy Bank Chairman, Vice Chairman, or the Lodge. They will forward this to Fresno for the donor.

A list of *Century Club* members will be published in *The California-Hawaii Elk* magazine. This program is a yearly program.



Please remind potential donors that all Major Project donations are tax-deductible!



52 CLUB PROGRAM

A member donates one dollar a week to the *52 Club*. This can be done all at once by giving \$52, or in various increments as the Lodge sees fit, i.e., \$1 a week or any other amount until the Lodge receives \$52 from the individual.

When the Lodge receives the \$52, a check is made out and must be sent to the California-Hawaii Elks Major Project (CHEMPI) office in Fresno (5450 East Lamona Avenue, Fresno, CA 93727-2224) along with the member, spouse's or friend of the Elks name, Lodge name and number.

When CHEMPI receives the money, a certificate will be issued, along with a special *52 Club* silver pin, shown above. The certificate will be signed by the CHEA Association President and forwarded to the Lodge for presentation. The Lodge will get credit in its Piggy Bank account at Fresno for this donation. The intent of this program is for a member to belong to the *52 Club* on a yearly basis and re-join the following year by repeat donations.



*These are good programs for posting names in the Lodge bulletin of **Millennium Club, Century Club and 52 Club** members. Also, it is recommended that a list of names be placed in an area of prominence in the Lodge to stimulate interest. This is also a good program to introduce to Elk spouses involved in Bowling, Emblem, RV, etc.*