

**\$11,000  
Awarded to  
High School  
Seniors**

Each year, the Simi Valley Education Foundation grants five deserving senior students \$1,000 scholarships so that they can attend college, technical or vocational schools and three \$2,000 endowment scholarships that must be used at a two year community college.

We are committed to supporting the continuing education and success of our students. By providing financial support, the Foundation ensures that our students are able to pursue their goals and dreams.

#### 2014 Scholarship Recipients

Jennifer Aguilera- *Monte Vista HS*  
Cecilia Lorraine Jaeger - *Royal HS*  
Kaila Mattera- *Santa Susana HS*  
Davis Negrete- *Simi HS*  
Richard Samakapiruk- *Moorpark College*

#### 2014 Endowment Recipients

Joud Ajjawi - *Royal HS*  
Hunter Logie - *Santa Susana HS*  
Jeremy Vela - *Apollo HS*

The Simi Valley Education Foundation is a non-profit organization established in 1989 dedicated to providing additional resources to students in Simi Valley's public schools. Through program development, fundraising, and collaboration, the Foundation seeks to strengthen our public schools and the education they provide to your children.

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# The Highlighter

Quarterly highlights from  
Simi Valley Education Foundation  
Summer 2014



## Message From 2013-2014 President of the Board Jill Haney

*I am very proud to have served as board president this past year. The Simi Valley Education Foundation, founded in 1989, exists solely because of the generosity of our supporters; businesses and individuals who value public education in Simi Valley. Whether as a sponsor, donor, event attendee or volunteer, your contributions are critical to our success and enable us to enhance the educational experience of the students in Simi Valley. It is with great pride that I've had the honor to work alongside an amazing group of dedicated individuals, all of whom volunteer their time to serve on the board of directors, ensuring that the dollars you so generously provide are distributed to programs that support our mission to bring additional resources to our schools here in Simi Valley. Heartfelt thanks to each and every one of you for your support of the Foundation and public education in Simi Valley and I look forward to seeing all of you at one of our upcoming events.*

## Mark Your Calendar... Important Dates To Remember

### Tee Up for Kidz Golf Tournament

**Friday, September 19**

Register at: [www.svef.golfreg.com](http://www.svef.golfreg.com)

### Enhancement Grants for Teachers and Schools

Applications available online beginning  
August 1.

Applications must be received by

**Friday, October 10.**

*(Applications will also be available  
at each school site.)*

### Low Roth Award Application

Applications available online beginning  
August 1

Applications must be received by

**Friday, October 31**

*(Applications will also be available  
at each school site.)*



**2014 Golf Tournament**  
Friday, September 19 - Shotgun 11 a.m.  
All proceeds benefit Simi students and teachers



**Lost Canyons  
Golf Course**

**Register Online:**  
<http://svef.golfreg.com>

**Tee Signs - \$100**

**Eagle Sponsor - \$5,000**  
2 Foursomes, Hole Sponsor,  
Sponsor Recognition and Banner

**Birdie Sponsor - \$2,500**  
1 Foursome, Tee Sign Closest to Pin,  
Program Recognition & Banner

**Par Sponsor - \$1,500**  
1 Foursome, Tee Sign,  
and Program Recognition

**Contest Sponsor - \$500**  
Recognition & Banner

**Hole Sponsor - \$300**  
Recognition & Product Give-Aways

For more information  
on reserving your place,  
becoming a sponsor or  
purchasing a tee sign:  
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## Grants Enrich our Students Education...

### ALCOA FASTENING SYSTEMS and THE ROTARY CLUB OF SIMI SUNRISE



This past fall we received a \$23,000 grant from **Alcoa Fastening Systems** to continue a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) Enrichment program in our schools. Utilizing Lego Mindstorms NXT kits, both our elementary and secondary students, designed and built robots.



Thanks to a grant from the **Rotary Club of Simi Sunrise**, students at six elementary schools -- Berylwood, Crestview, Justin, Lincoln, Park View and Santa Susana - had the unique opportunity to engage in a cultural experience (*i.e. a visit to a museum, theater, presidential library*) with their entire family. This grant supplemented their education and supported their emotional growth by enriching their social experiences.



# 2013-2014 ENHANCEMENT GRANTS SEE WHERE YOUR DOLLARS ARE SPENT!!!

This year 93 grants were funded at  
28 local public schools.

