



# RANCHO SIMI RECREATION & PARK DISTRICT

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### RANCHO SIMI RECREATION PARK DISTRICT PLANTS TREES IN PARTNERSHIP WITH BUSY HANDS GARDENING CLUB

Two new sycamore trees were planted in Big Sky Park on October 9, 2019 in a tree planting ceremony hosted by the Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District in honor of the Busy Hands Garden Club. The Garden Club's generous donation of \$1000 supports the District's tree planting program and comes from the proceeds of their annual Mother's Day Plant Sale.

The Busy Hands Garden Club is a volunteer group established in the 1960's comprised of women who are dedicated to the ongoing beautification of our community. Their efforts include planting and maintaining the Library Rose Garden, planting trees in local parks, and purchasing pine trees for re-forestation projects.

The Busy Hands Garden Club has been an avid supporter of the Park District for many years and their ongoing donations have provided Simi Valley with many beautiful trees that will be enjoyed and appreciated by residents for many years to come.

Wayne Nakaoka, Director of Planning and Maintenance for the Park District, thanked the Busy Hands volunteers for their continued generosity and expressed the Park District's shared devotion to planting and maintaining healthy trees for the benefit of the environment and our community. Park District Board Chair, Elaine Freeman, graciously accepted the check and thanked the ladies for their ongoing commitment, stating "The Busy Hands Garden Club has been a great partner over the years and the District is very grateful for their donations."

For information on how you can help the Park District with beautification projects, contact the main office at 805-584-4400 or visit [www.RSRPD.org](http://www.RSRPD.org).

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