

. O4 LEADERSHIP UPDATE

OPARC transforms lives!



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OPARC is working to create a world where people with disabilities have full access to the community, employment, and social acceptance. The impact OPARC makes in the lives of our participants is life-transforming. OPARC participants may start with limited skills and little work experience but soon make strides in gaining new skills and expanded work opportunities.

OPARC was able to help 524 participants who wanted to work and earn money find employment and gain work experiences. We had 475 OPARC participants take part in OPARC's community engagement programs, increasing opportunities for social interaction and learning valuable life skills.

OPARC expanded two of our existing locations; Summit East and Summit West. The expansions helped to meet the growing need for OPARC's programs and services, allowing us to serve more participants than ever, bringing our total served to 893 for the year!

OPARC launched a new program called OPARC Connect. This program removes barriers to employment and increases access to the community by providing dedicated transportation for OPARC participants to and from work and into the community. OPARC Connect started with 25 participants, has grown to serve 45 participants, and continues to grow as we acquire more vehicles. OPARC also obtained funding to install in-vehicle sensors to monitor driver safety and efficiency.



• O 6 PARTICIPANT STORIES

Anthony Floyd



Anthony Floyd joined OPARC in 2007 and has since gained both steady employment and long lasting friendships. He began on a supported employment crew doing landscaping at Pilgrim's Place and did so well that he was hired directly by the award winning Pine Haven Café. His ability and willingness to work nights and weekends make this a great job match.

Beyond being a dedicated, hard working employee of the café, he is a loving father to his two-year-old daughter.

Everyone that has crossed Anthony's path can agree that he spreads positivity and happiness everywhere he goes. His current employer speaks very highly of his character and work ethic:

"Anthony not only fit in right away with our "Pine Haven family", he is a joy to be around with his very uplifting and always positive attitude, willingness to take corrective advise with an open mind and ability to adapt and rise to the challenges that many of us who have been here for years sometimes struggle with."

–Sharon Ellis, Owner of Pine Haven Cafe

He has achieved a lot since his start at OPARC and we look forward to his continued advancement.

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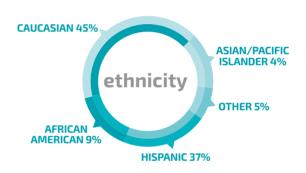
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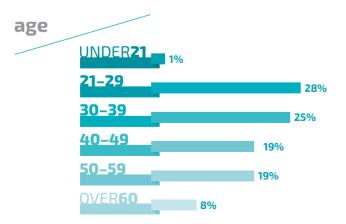






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OPARC participants compete in Special Olympics



This year, OPARC participant Terra Clendening was chosen to be a Global Messenger for the Special Olympics World Games, which took place in Los Angeles this summer. As a Global Messenger, her job was to spread the message and vision of the Special Olympics Movement.

Terra took great pride and joy in her role; she has played in the Special Olympics for four years and loves being able to share the excitement of the World Games with others like her from all over the world. Through her role as Global Messenger, Terra has learned public speaking skills, visited host cities, attended events such as a NASCAR race, and even met First Lady Michelle Obama.

Another OPARC participant and Pomona College student Fabiola Aceves was excited to play in the World Games for her first time, winning silver medals in singles and doubles tennis. Fabiola has been playing tennis since she first moved to the United States from Mexico. She says that playing tennis helped her learn English and increased her confidence in herself after being bullied in high school. Fabiola looks forward to playing tennis in the next World Games.

Opportunities like the Special Olympics World Games provide our participants with a safe and welcoming space to interact

with their peers, demonstrate their unique talents, and gain self-confidence. We're proud of Terra and Fabiola's success at this year's World Games and we can't wait to cheer them on at the next Special Olympics.



.13 OUR LOCATIONS



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Heart & Sole Walk & Roll

The 2nd annual Heart & Sole, Walk & Roll event in April was held at Ruben S Ayala Park in Chino, CA. Despite the unusually cold temperature and afternoon rain, we had over 200 walk and rollers and raised \$21,000!

OPARC would like to thank all of the participants, sponsors, volunteers, Board of Directors, and staff who made this event a big success. Thank you!

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Opening ceremonies:

Senator Connie Leyva Assemblymember Freddie Rodriguez

First Annual Turkey Bowl

The first annual Turkey Bowl event was held in November. Everyone had a great time bowling strikes and a few gutter balls to support OPARC. The event raised just over \$11,650! Thank you to all who attended and helped make this event a big success!

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.19 OPARC INFOZONE

Engaging and Informative Meetings

The OPARC InfoZone continues to be a valuable resource to families of people with disabilities. Last year, OPARC hosted two InfoZone meetings with a total attendance of 63 people. The topics this year were "myths about social security/SSI benefits", and "what matters most - a look at proposed legislation that will impact services and programs for disabled adults".

With the launch of our new website, InfoZone information is made available online at **oparc.org/infozone**. Visit the OPARC website to stay up-to-date on the latest InfoZone topics and schedule. Respite care is provided for OPARC participants.





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