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Donation Needs

- **Sensory Toys**
- **Umbrellas**
- Nap Mats
- First Aid Kits
- **Bean Bag Chair**
- Children's Books
- Easter Eggs & Candy

Check us out on Amazon >> ourhouseshelter.org/wishlist



Community Corner

We'd like to shoutout our long-time partners at First Security who will be providing lunch for our Groundbreaking & Partner Appreciation Day!

Summer AmeriCorps

For more information or to apply, visit ourhouseshelter.org/americorps

Come spend your summer at Our House in a paid service opportunity to give youth in Our Club an unforgettable Summer Program! Earn a living allowance, education award, and grow your resume!

Groundbreaking: Rescheduled!

Our Groundbreaking & Partner Appreciation Day will now take place on Thursday, April 10th due to weather! Join us as we break ground on Building New Beginnings-the final phase of our campus expansion, followed by lunch and a celebration of our valued partners, donors, volunteers, and supporters that make this work possible! RSVP at ourhouseshelter.org/newbeginnings

Dinner on the Grounds

Our 20th annual *Dinner on the Grounds* fundraiser is Friday, May 2nd at Rusty Tractor Vineyards, chaired by Rob & Sarah Gunther and Rick & Heather Gunter. Join us for an evening of live music, food and drink, and family friendly fun! Buy tickets at ourhouseshelter.org/dotg2025

Spotlight: Brenda

Brenda came to Our House in 2024 fleeing domestic violence, in a bad financial situation, and needing a safe place for herself and her children. Fortunately, our new Mabee Family House had just opened, and the Dominguez family became one of the first families to move in. Brenda's older children, Rey and Riana, got enrolled in school and Our Club, while her youngest, Reina, enrolled in Bright Beginnings program. With housing and quality childcare secured, Brenda got to work building a new life for her family. She worked closely with our Career Center team, who helped her find a job at a phone company, and begin saving money. Brenda is a part of our Stability Program and her case manager helped her find an new apartment for her family in just three months. Since moving out, Brenda has continued working with Our House to achieve her goals, including finding a childcare for Riana closer to their new home, and finding a better job. "We have tried to take that energy and structure into our lives outside of Our House," Brenda says. "We have a schedule, we have chores, we have activities as a family." Brenda also has more confidence in the workplace now: "Our House helped me reconnect with my professionalism and start



building a career!"