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## **Norwalk High Seniors Raise Nearly \$20,000 for Fifth Annual Charity for Charities**

**WHAT:** Norwalk High School students will present \$2,000 checks to nine charity organizations as part of the fifth annual Charity for Charities fundraiser. Top executives from the Susan G. Komen Foundation Los Angeles County, the Alliance for Children's Rights and St. Jude Medical Center, as well as six other local and national charities, will hear personal stories from the students on how these organizations changed their lives.

Before the presentation of checks, Norwalk High seniors will meet with the representatives of the charity they advocated for.

**WHEN:** Thursday, Dec. 15  
9:15 a.m.: Meet and Greet  
10:15 a.m.: Student Stories and Check Presentations

**WHERE:** Norwalk High School  
11356 E. Leffingwell Road, Norwalk  
  
9:15 a.m.: College and Career Center  
10:15 a.m.: Gymnasium

**DETAILS:** Charity for Charities began in 2013 as a senior class community service project designed to donate money to charitable institutions. Since the first service project, Norwalk High students have raised nearly \$60,000 in donations for over 50 charities.

Norwalk High seniors researched charities and made presentations to their classmates, who voted on which charities will receive the donations. The seniors sold granola bars to friends, family and neighbors for one dollar apiece. Over 350 Norwalk High senior volunteers participated in this year's fundraiser.

The charities represented this year are the Susan G. Komen Foundation, Alliance for Children's Rights, St. Jude Medical Center, Make-A-Wish, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, American Lung Association, Breast Cancer Angels, UCLA Rape Treatment Center and Partnership for Drug Free Kids.

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