

# Building Community Through Service

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# History

**October 2017** - 6 projects, 20 matches

**Now** - 8 projects each year,  
150 matches average

**53** project ideas total

**Over 5,000** projects made





## How-Tos

1. Brainstorm
2. Supplies
3. Assembly
4. Instruction Sheet
5. Give to Matches
6. Log Returns
7. Gift Day!





### Brainstorm:

Who in your community can you serve?

What could they benefit from?

**How can your matches help inspire hope?**

## Supplies:

- Determine how many kits you want to make
- Secure your supplies
- Think about the future!



## Assembly:

- Ask for volunteers
- Have bags ready to fill
- If possible, get everything ready in the summer



# Instruction Sheet:

- Background Information
- Additional Supplies Needed
- Instructions
- Deadline

## January Community Service Project

Origami Sun Decoration

**Cause:** Lancaster Rehabilitation Center

**Background Information:** Lancaster Rehabilitation Center has designated an entire wing at their facility for patients needing memory care treatment. These patients often need special activities to enhance and build their thinking skills. **Help brighten their days by making a wall hanging for their rooms!**



Deliver to the TeamMates Office by Friday, January 26

**Please include your instruction sheet with your names when returning the finished tags!**

5905 O Street | 402-436-1990

**Check the monthly Mentor News for a new community service project each month!**



# Give to Matches:

- Create a sign-up sheet for your projects
- Write the mentor and mentee name on the instruction sheet
- How will you get the project to mentors?
- How will the completed project be returned to you?
- Track completed projects

October Community Service Project Request	
Welcome Home Keychain for Habitat for Humanity	
Completed projects are due Friday, October 28 to the LPS District Office (5905 O Street)	



# Gift Day!

- Arrange a time to get together with the recipient
- Take pictures of the delivery
- Send a write-up to matches that participated
- Great social media content!

## Youth Helping Youth: TeamMates Prepare Advice Cards for the HUB



# Promotion





**Let's Get**

**CRAFTY!**



LEAD the Summer is an opportunity for young people across the state to connect with others with a similar lived experience. The program includes interactive leadership activities to develop a personal mission statement and find your passion project. You will also learn about advocacy and how you can impact policy in your community and Nebraska.



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