

# Project 680 Sock Drive / Bike Ride

Spring 2010 – [www.project680.org](http://www.project680.org)

Project 680 is a grassroots community effort to find relevant and practical ways to support homeless students in the FCUSD. We are working closely with the Folsom Cordova School District's Liaison for Homeless Services and our goal is to collect 2000 pairs of brand new socks and \$783.00. We invite you to get involved with the sock drive and attend the community bike ride. Together we can make a difference!!!

Our goal is to accomplish three things: 1) Collect 2000 pairs of socks (a felt need) for homeless kids in the FCUSD; 2) Gather up a few bucks to be able to give to the District Liaison for Homeless Services so she can meet the needs of students on an "as needed" basis – meaning that when the neediest of students come to her, she can simply take care of some of the things they need – whether clothing, deodorant, shoes, study materials, etc....; and 3) Bring greater awareness to the problem of student homelessness in the FCUSD.

We'll be collecting **NEW "NO SHOW" ANKLE SOCKS** for teens and elementary-age students. We'll be gathering socks from now through May 8, 2010. You are invited to drop socks off at any location listed on our website (including Rancho Cordova City Hall - or call for locations) or bring them on the day of the community bike ride. Our goal with this sock drive is to build up a reserve so that we can resource local homeless students with socks through the next year, so let's go on a sock rampage.

**Bike Ride 05/08/10:** Come ride with family, friends, co-workers and residents to enjoy a bike ride together and raise a few bucks for homeless students.

There will be two bike rides in this one event- a short 20 minute ride (one way) and then a more experienced 30 mile ride (round-trip). Anyone can participate. We will meet at 2197 Chase Drive in Rancho Cordova between 9:30-10:00am on May 8, 2010. The short ride will be about 20 minutes or so from Hagan Park to River Bend Park (formerly Goethe Park – just before the big bridge). The longer ride will go from Hagan Park to Bicycle's Plus in Folsom at 705 Gold Lake Drive Folsom, CA 95630 (this bike shop is roughly 15 miles one way from Hagan Park and is located immediately off the bike trail). We recommend helmets for safety. We also invite folks to meet us at River Bend Park or Bicycle's Plus even if they don't ride. Rain or shine, we will ride.

**Money Details:** Bike riders are invited to pitch in a few bucks on the day of the bike ride too. We'd like to raise \$783 to give to the District Liaison for Homeless Services (since there are 783 homeless students in the FCUSD). A suggested donation is \$5.00 per rider or \$10.00 per household. If you're low on money though, don't even worry about it. Please just come and enjoy the day (seriously). Checks can be made payable to "Cordova Community Council" with "Project 680" in the memo section. We'll get a donor receipt to you too. Socks can be dropped off on this day too. Invite friends and co-workers to ride with you, or how about putting together a "Riding for Socks" team for your business, organization, or with a group of friends.

**9:30-10:00am** – free coffee in the parking lot

**10:30am** – head out to ride (RAIN OR SHINE)

**12:00-1:00pm** – head back to Hagan Park

**Questions?**  
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