

ASSISTEENS®

An Auxiliary of

Assistance League of the Foothill Communities

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The Assisteens Auxiliary was organized in the fall of 1962 and was composed of daughters and granddaughters of members of Assistance League of Upland. Since then, Assisteens began inviting their friends to become members and, as of 2002, boys were also invited to join the auxiliary. Membership is open to students from 7th grade through 12th grade. Parents are encouraged to be members or patrons of Assistance League of the Foothill Communities.

The goal of Assistance League is to help Assisteens realize the personal satisfaction of serving as volunteers in their community. In working toward and accomplishing this goal, not only are leadership and organizational skills developed, but also, new friends are gained. By participating in the philanthropic programs, Assisteens see the real joy on children's faces, experience their appreciation, and enjoy the companionship of their peers. The Assisteens Auxiliary supports their chapter with philanthropic services and financial contributions.

MAILING ADDRESS:

Assisteens® Auxiliary

Assistance League of the Foothill Communities

P.O. Box 927, Upland, CA 91785

ASSISTEENS ® 2023-2024

GOVERNING BODY

Co-Chairs	Sarah Henson and Arya Patel
First Vice Chairman – Membership	Emme Martins
Second Vice Chairman - Philanthropic Programs	Hayden Lichtman and Claire Serna
Third Vice Chairman - Fundraising	Claire Brubaker
Fourth Vice Chair - Media/Communications	Natalie Buelna
Secretary	Gianna Chaput
Ex officio	Kelly Bocanegra

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Thrift Shop	Claire Brubaker
WECARE	Hayden Lichtman and Clair Serna
Fostering New Beginnings	Elizabeth Sarbu
Operation School Bell	Elizabeth Sarbu
Cuisine and Sunshine	Issi Paul

GOVERNING BODY MEETINGS

Place: Off campus

Time: 6:00 PM

Dates: All meetings are the first Monday of the month unless otherwise noted.

2023

August 7th
September 5th (Tuesday)
October 2nd
November 6th
December 4th

2024

January 8th
February 5th
March 4th
April 1st
May 6th

ASSISTEENS “ALL MEMBER” MEETINGS

Place: Chapter House North

Time: 6:00 PM

Dates: All meetings are the second Monday of the Month unless otherwise noted.

2023

August 14th
September 11th
October 9th
November 13th
December 11th

2024

January 16th* (Tuesday)
February 12th
March 11th
April 8th
May 13th

Each member is allowed three (3) absences from August 2023 - May 2024. When you are absent, please **text Emme Martins** (Chair of Membership - 909 493-8769).

PHILANTHROPIC PROGRAMS

“WECARE” - Caring for Senior Citizens and Families in Need.

FOSTERING NEW BEGINNINGS - Partners with Aspiranet to provide for young people aging out of Foster Care program.

OPERATION SCHOOL BELL® - Provide clothing for local school age (TK-12) children.

Dates for Operation School Bell:

Thursday, September 14th
Tuesday, September 19th
Thursday, September 21st
Tuesday, September 26th
Thursday, September 28th

Tuesday, October 3rd
Thursday, October 5th
Tuesday, October 10th
Thursday, October 12th
Tuesday, October 17th
Thursday, October 19th
Tuesday, October 24th
Thursday, October 26th

FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

Assistance League Thrift Shop

Each Assisteens member is responsible for volunteering for two (2) shifts per year. A typical shift is from 9:30 AM -1:15 PM. Assisteens volunteer to work the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Saturdays of the month. An adult member volunteer will also volunteer with the Assisteens.

****If you signed up for a Thrift Shop shift and can no longer meet that commitment, you are responsible for arranging for someone else to take your place.**

Assisteens Thrift Shop dates

2023

August 12, 19, 26
September 9, 16, 23
October 14, 21, 28
November 11, 18
December 9, 16, 23

2024

January 13, 20, 27
February 10, 17, 24
March 9, 16, 23
April 13, 20, 27
May 11, 18, 25
June 8, 15, 22
July 13, 20, 27