



Childhood Cancer

 **September is California Lions Project Care
-Childhood Cancer- Service Month**

Lions Service Project Ideas

Every day, children and families face the challenges of childhood cancer. September is an opportunity for Lions to provide hope, comfort, awareness, and support while helping communities understand the importance of pediatric cancer research and family assistance.

1. Gold Ribbon Awareness Campaign

Wear gold ribbons throughout September and encourage community partners, schools, and businesses to participate.

Impact: Raises awareness and starts conversations about childhood cancer.

2. Comfort Kit Project

Assemble care packages for children undergoing treatment.

Include:

- Coloring books
- Small toys or games
- Blankets
- Activity kits
- Encouragement cards

Impact: Provides comfort and encouragement during treatment.

3. Cards of Hope

Invite schools, Leos, Scouts, and community groups to create handmade cards for pediatric cancer patients.

Impact: Delivers messages of hope and support to children and families.

4. Go Gold Community Event

Light up a landmark, host a “Go Gold” day, or encourage local businesses and schools to wear gold.

Impact: Creates public awareness and community engagement.

5. Hospital Wish List Drive

Partner with a local children’s hospital or cancer center to collect requested items.

Examples:

- Toys
- Gift cards
- Art supplies
- Books
- Snacks for family waiting rooms

Impact: Directly supports children and caregivers.

6. Lions Walk for Hope

Host a community walk, fun run, or virtual challenge benefiting childhood cancer programs or families in need.

Impact: Raises awareness, funds, and community involvement.

7. “Heroes Among Us” Recognition Project

Recognize childhood cancer survivors, families, healthcare workers, and volunteers with certificates or community spotlights.

Impact: Celebrates courage and resilience.

8. Family Support Day

Provide meals, gas cards, grocery cards, or practical support to families traveling for treatment.

Impact: Eases financial and emotional burdens during difficult times.

★ Simple Club Challenge

“Go Gold for Good”

Challenge your club to:

- Support 25 children or family members
- Collect 100 comfort items
- Create 100 Cards of Hope
- Raise awareness through 4 weekly social media posts
- Partner with one local pediatric cancer organization
- Host a magic yarn workshop

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- Participate and invite your family, friends, and community to join the **California Lions Move Be-Cause** event!
- Visit the event page, choose the cause that matters to you, and move your way—walk, roll, run, ride, or cheer others on. **Move with purpose. Move Be-Cause.**
- **Time invested in movement counts as reportable service!**
- **City of Hope Children’s Cancer Center for treatments and therapies for pediatric cancers. California based.**
- [Move Be-Cause Campaign | CA Lions Clubhouse](#)

10. Search club and district grant opportunities at [California Lions Foundation](#)

Service + Awareness = Hope. Even small acts of kindness can make a big difference for children fighting cancer and the families who stand beside them. 🧠 🐾 ❤️

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