

## VAVS Wishlist – November 16, 2023

Recreation Therapy Service is grateful for all the ongoing support from Volunteers! These donations help to improve quality of care for our Veterans. Please consider the following needs:

### Open Art Studio (Menlo Park)

POC: Alicia Hurst, Art Therapist

Contact: (650) 493-5000 x24711 (Menlo Park)

Email: [Alicia.Hurst@va.gov](mailto:Alicia.Hurst@va.gov)

- Sewing Machine: [Amazon.com: SINGER Heavy Duty Sewing Machine With Included Accessory Kit, 110 Stitch Applications 4432, Perfect For Beginners, Gray : Everything Else](https://www.amazon.com/SINGER-Heavy-Duty-Sewing-Machine-With-Included-Accessory-Kit-110-Stitch-Applications-4432-Perfect-For-Beginners-Gray-Everything-Else/dp/B000048801)
- Thread, fabric, iron, sewing patterns

### Veterans Recovery Center (San Jose)

POC: Dale Royer-Thielges, Recreation Therapist

Contact: (650) 319-5378

Email: [Dale.Royer-Thielges@va.gov](mailto:Dale.Royer-Thielges@va.gov)

- Healthy holiday snacks, socks, scarves, warm beanies, 2024 Calendars, \$10 Target gift cards

### HUD-VASH Program (San Jose)

POC: Rebecca Lesnik, Recreation Therapist

Contact: (650) 815-8424

Email: [Rebecca.Lesnik@va.gov](mailto:Rebecca.Lesnik@va.gov)

- Supplies to support a new Bee Keeping Program  
<https://www.dadant.com/catalog>

Description	Item	Size	Cost	Quantity
Economy Hive Tools	M007571	9.5 "	\$8.95	6
Ventilated Suits	VentSuit	XL	\$193.95	2
		2XL	\$193.95	3
		3XL	\$193.95	1
Uncapping Fork	M01767	n/a	\$24.95	1
Speed King Electric Knife	M003391	one size	\$145.95	1
Deluxe Uncapping Tub kit	M00345	n/a	\$215.95	1

## **HOLIDAY SPONSORS**

If you would like to sponsor a unit for an upcoming holiday (meals, gift items) please reach out to the following Recreation Therapy Supervisors:

### **Western Blind Rehabilitation Center (Palo Alto), Spinal Cord Injury Unit (Palo Alto)**

Alisa Krinsky (650) 924-3257

[Alisa.Krinsky@va.gov](mailto:Alisa.Krinsky@va.gov)

### **Hospice/Sub-Acute (Palo Alto), Community Living Centers 331/360 (Menlo Park)**

Eric Chin (650) 269-2029

[Eric.Chin3@va.gov](mailto:Eric.Chin3@va.gov)

### **Polytrauma Programs (Palo Alto), Community Living Center (Livermore)**

Jocelyn Reyes-Pagsolingan (650) 444-8351

[Jocelyn.Reyes-Pagsolingan@va.gov](mailto:Jocelyn.Reyes-Pagsolingan@va.gov)

### **Inpatient Psychiatry and Foundations of Recovery (Palo Alto), Domiciliary Residential Program (Menlo Park)**

Rebecca Tymn (650) 485-9186

[Rebecca.Tymn@va.gov](mailto:Rebecca.Tymn@va.gov)

### **Men's and Women's Trauma Recovery Programs (Menlo Park)**

Melissa Puckett (650) 387-1046

[Melissa.Puckett1@va.gov](mailto:Melissa.Puckett1@va.gov)