

Nonprofit News

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December 2025/January 2026



Grant Opportunities

The **Richard Reed Foundation** seeks out smaller, forward-thinking, non-profit organizations that are looking to create better communities through outreach and programs in areas of mental health, child health and development, community welfare, animal welfare, and community environmental impact. There is a two phase process for applying, submit a letter of inquiry, and then if invited submit a full grant application. They will not accept LOI outside of the cycle dates.

Maximum Grant Amount: Not Specified

Deadline: Cycle 1 Jan.15 – March 15, 2026, Cycle 2 June 15 – August 15, 2026

Link <https://richardreedfoundation.org/grant-inquiries/>

OTHER GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

Building Your Capacity

Recession-Proofing Your Nonprofit: How to Build Revenue Resilience in Uncertain Times

Recession fears are in the air again, and nonprofit leaders are starting to feel the squeeze. Inflation,



donor hesitation, and shifting government priorities have many organizations asking the same question: how will we keep the lights on if the economy dims? [READ MORE](#)

The Hidden Cost of Noncompliance: How Small Mistakes Can Jeopardize Your 501(c)(3)

When most people think about running a nonprofit, they focus on passion, purpose, and programming—not paperwork. But behind every successful 501(c)(3) is a foundation of strong compliance practices that keep the organization legally protected and funder-ready. Unfortunately, even small compliance oversights—like forgetting to renew a charitable solicitation registration—can snowball into major consequences, including loss of tax-exempt status, donor mistrust, and grant ineligibility. [READ MORE](#)



UPCOMING TRAINING EVENTS

SCORE

LinkedIn for Nonprofits

December 12/02/2025 | 11:30 am to 1:00 pm | \$10.00

This informative workshop will delve into strategies to create a LinkedIn profile that is geared toward viewers with average attention spans of about 7 seconds

[REGISTER HERE](#)

Best Practices for Nonprofit Boards

December 12/04/2025 | 9:00 am to 10:30 am | \$10.00

Establishing an effective board is critical to the success of all nonprofits. This webinar will introduce the tools and critical processes needed to develop and maintain a board.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

Starting a Nonprofit - What You Need to Know

December 12/10/2025 | 9:00 am to 10:30 am | FREE

Thinking of launching a nonprofit? Join this webinar which is designed to help you assess whether a nonprofit is the right fit and guide you through the essential steps to get started.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

Nonprofit Series Part 1 - Essential Insights for Aspiring Founders

January 1/22/2026 | 8:00 am to 9:30 am | FREE

This informative workshop will delve into the nonprofit landscape for aspiring nonprofit founders.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

Nonprofit Series Part 2 - Board Roles and Responsibilities

February 2/17/2026 | 8:00 am to 9:30 am | FREE

A strong, effective board of directors is crucial for nonprofits. This session gives guidance on developing a committed, supportive board.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

YUBA-SUTTER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

EMPLOYMENT LAW UPDATE LUNCHEON - What employers need to know in 2026

Wednesday, January 21, 2026 | 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

This in-person event will discuss new laws, latest wage and hour updates, and how recent changes to the Private Attorneys General Act (PAGA) will affect all employers.

[REGISTER TO ATTEND](#)

YCCSC & SCCAA News

Be the Voice a Child Deserves - Become a CASA Volunteer

You can be a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA). You just need compassion, consistency, and belief that every foster child deserves to be seen, heard, and supported. Their thorough training program provides you with the knowledge, tools, and ongoing support you need to make a lasting difference.

For more information on how you can help transform the life of a child in foster care in Yuba-Sutter, book an information session at: casaconnects.org or email

volunteer@casaconnects.org, call 530-887-1006 or visit CASA for Children at 1634 Poole Blvd, Ste. 200, Yuba City, CA 95993.



[READ MORE](#)

BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED



JOIN OUR BOARD & MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The mission of Sutter County Community Action Agency is to assist all Sutter County residents achieve greater self-sufficiency and economic independence through partnerships and collaborations.

Its vision is guided by the needs of the community to improve the quality of life in Sutter County.

Low-income Representative Must be a resident of Sutter County, either low-income or serve the low-income and must be able to attend meetings. Must provide application plus low-income sector application supplement, including the petition.

Private Sector Representative Must be a resident of Sutter County and must be able to attend meetings. Application only required.

Public Sector Representative, District 5 Must be a resident of Sutter County in District 5 and must be able to attend meetings. Application only required.

Meetings - SCCAA meets the 3rd Thursday, every other month beginning in February (six to eight times a year) at 3:00 p.m. (generally one hour) at Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation, 950 Tharp Rd, Suite 1303, Yuba City, CA 95993.

For more information or to apply, contact Jackie Slade at jslade@yccsc.org, call (530) 751-8555 or visit www.suttercares.org

SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY IN THE FIGHT AGAINST POVERTY



JOIN OUR BOARD & MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The mission of Yuba County Community Services Commission is to identify the needs of the low-income population and deploy resources to improve their lives and achieve the goal of reducing poverty.

Its vision is to combat poverty by empowering local agencies that represent the needs of low-income residents.

Low-income Representative Must be a resident of Yuba County, either low-income or serve the low-income in Yuba County and must be able to attend meetings. Must provide application plus low-income sector application supplement, including the petition.

Meetings - YCCSC meets the 4th Tuesday, every other month beginning in January (six to eight times a year) at 3:00 p.m. (generally one hour) at Yuba County Government Center, 315 Eighth Street, Marysville, CA 95901.

For more information or to apply, contact Jackie Slade at jslade@yccsc.org, call (530) 751-8555 or visit www.yubacares.org

If you know someone who might have an interest in serving on the board, please share this opportunity.

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**SCCAA APPLICATION
FORM**

**YCCSC APPLICATION
FORM**

Upcoming NPO Events and Requests

HOLIDAY GIFT DRIVE

You can give the gift of hope! Join CASA of Placer, Yuba & Sutter counties this December to help them bring the magic of holidays to children in foster care.

Scan the QR Code for their Amazon Wishlist or purchase & deliver new unwrapped gifts to the local office at 1634 Poole Blvd., Suite 200 | Yuba City, CA 95993 by Monday, December 8th.

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

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Kids Gifts

- Teething Toys
- Blocks
- Sensory Toys
- Baby Books
- Legos
- Slime kits
- Superhero Toys
- Dolls
- Dress Up Clothes
- Toy Cars
- Arts & Crafts Kits
- Jewelry Making Kits
- Drawing/Art

Teen Gifts

- Bluetooth Speakers
- Bluetooth Headphones
- Sports Items
- Skincare Products
- Make-Up
- Haircare Products
- Drawing/Art Supplies
- Jewelry/Purses/Hoodies
- Gel Nail Tools
- Board Games
- Bikes
- Hydroflask or Owala
- Labubus

*Non-violent gifts please (no guns, armor, war toys)

Scan Here to Shop our Amazon Wishlist

CASA | 1430 Blue Oaks Blvd Suite 200, Roseville CA 95747 | 530.887.1006
casacommunity.org

THE SEDONA PROJECT PRESENTS:

Moments of Grace Honoring Grief in the Holiday Season

Guided Movement | Art Therapy | Cooking Demo |
Sharing Stories of Grief

Saturday, December 13th | 9am - 1:30pm

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YSEDC is committed to assisting our local nonprofits in building capacity for their programs and projects. If you wish to submit an article to promote an event or have a success story to share, please submit 10 days prior to our publication date. The next publication will be on or around February 1, 2026. You may submit your articles in Microsoft word, pdf, or jpeg formats to croderick@ysedc.org

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