

USY Heroes

A girl who wrote a pamphlet for children facing the loss of a parent

A "Free the Children" volunteer (Kenya)

A volunteer with Elders with Alzheimer's who works with them twelve hours every Saturday and goes to training sessions to learn how to best stimulate memory through games

An accomplished debating champion who uses her skills to teach public speaking to Middle school students to increase their self-esteem

A girl who developed hands on activities in environmental science (such as creating terrariums) and taught them to children at a Boys and Girls club.

A member of a Klezmer band that plays at nursing homes

A boy who plays video games with a boy with Autism through the Friendship Circle

A girl who spends mornings working at a Food Bank in the seaside community where she spends the summer

A girl who teaches piano to underprivileged students

A girl, who after hearing Danny speak at her Synagogue, began a letter-writing campaign to Sears to get out of season clothes and shoes donated and to a restaurant chain to get leftover crayons donated.

A girl, born blind, visits children who have cancer. The mother of one child that died actually called her to let her know. Another child in remission told her that she did not think she could have got there without her.

A girl involved with an organization called "Peace Jam"

An Eagle Scout, who amongst many other things, uses his debating team's events to raise money for the Peanut Butter Project

A member of the family with a project - Pamela's Library of Love - in memory of a young cousin. Books are constantly collected and given away locally and overseas.

A member of a family that has an on-going toy drive in memory of a child who died.

A member of a family that raises puppies to be guide dogs for the blind

A girl whose mother founded the Mother Bear Project

A USY'er who did a book drive and filled the garage and more.