Agenda for November Novas General Meeting – November 10th. From 6 pm. (HCC)

Plan for General Meeting:

✓ Dinner Chairs arrive 5:15 pm-5:30 pm for setup

✓ Novas arrive/sign in: 6 pm

✓ Dinner starts immediately

✓ 6:30 pm: Announce birthdays and begin Nova meeting with a slide show

- **Reminder to all Novas for meeting etiquette**:
  - Turn off your notifications or put your cellphone on silent mode.
  - Do not talk with your partners during announcements.
  - If you have a question raise your hand.
  - Listen and follow directions.
  - Always be respectful.
  - Please discard your trash in bins.

- **Congratulations to our new Freshmen Social Chair: Priscilla Chen**

- **November and December Birthdays:**

In the meeting of November Freshmen GLCs should include the December birthdays (Sophomore GLCs).

- **Shoutout to This Evenings Dinner Chairs:** Thank YOU, Jun Li, Heijin Ahn, Janice Kim, Naomi Abe, Yoko Ochial, Joy Pih

- **NICU Family Reunion (RECAP**)

- Time: Date: October 18, 2025

- Location: Hoffman Health Conference Center

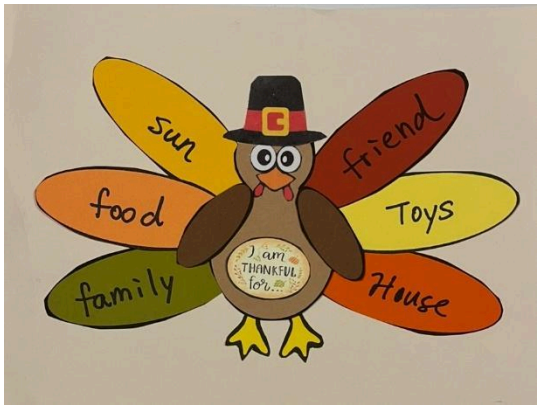
Thank you Luminary Leads, Julie Lam and Peggy Lew and Novas for volunteering!!!





- **November Pediatric Craft Kits (RECAP)**

Junior NOVAS created turkey crafts. Thank you, Luminary Lead, Evelina Yichu Li and Junior Novas!



- **December Pediatric Craft Kit**

Sophomore Novas will be creating the winter craft for December. Update pending

- **2025-2026 TMMC Clothing Drive for Emergency Room**

We are collecting clothing for the Emergency Room (TMMC). Hospitals must provide food and climate-appropriate clothing to homeless patients upon discharge. Many patients arrive at the Emergency Room with torn or damaged clothing, and without family members to provide replacements. To address this need, we organize the TMMC Clothing Drive, which is crucial for collecting these essential items.

In addition, NOVAS members can earn volunteer hours by creating Kindness Cards to accompany their clothing donations.

- **See Sign Up Genius for details**
- **Collection Date:** November 12-15
- **Location:** 29126 Oceanaire Dr., RPV

❖ **Crochet With Kindness Workshop**

Sunday 11/2 at Peninsula Library (room will be announced earlier that day)
Basic stitches: 2-4pm

Sunday 11/16 at Peninsula Library (room will be announced earlier that day)
Granny Squares: 2-4pm

❖ **Holiday Festival**

▪ Check for Signup Geniuses (SUGs) that have been posted for open slots.

▪ Dates: from 12/02/2025 to 12/07/2025

▪ All the jobs are at the big white tent at Torrance Memorial.

▪ Rules: Treat this like a job. No cell phones. Be professional. Wear your

Novas sweatshirt/t-shirt.

▪ **All hours are DOUBLE hours!!**

Questions? - Please contact Holiday Festival Assistant Chair, San Lee at san.tran@gmail.com

Holiday Festival Dos and Don'ts

✓ Arrive at your shift 5 minutes beforehand

✓ Sign in and out; (take a photo of sign in sheet, just in case)

✓ Novas must wear their NOVAS green shirt/hoodie

- **Baking Opportunities**

- Light Up a Life Baking: 11/16
- See SUG for details

- **TCU Thanksgiving Decorating, Juniors**

- TCU Poster Dropoff - November 9 at home of Julie Lam, from 8:30am-6pm
- TCU Decorating - In-person decorating November 15, from 2pm-4pm.
- Luminaire decorating Lead: Sunayana Saha

- **TCU December Decorating, Sophomores**

- See SUG
- Decoration drop off November 30
- In-person decorating December 6

- **See's Candies Fundraiser: (Casey Updates)**

- Online storefront open now!
- Available to ship Nov. 10
- Shop now until December 5
- Watch for Groupme alerts for link or QR code



- ❖ Plans for Novas January Social (January 25th. 2025)

  Grade levels get together to brainstorm ideas, activities

- ❖ Next Novas General Meeting:
  - No Novas Meeting in December
  - Novas Grade Level Socials: January 25
  - Next Novas Meeting at the HCC – February 10, 2026 at 6pm.