

Sunflower Hill



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A Very Busy 2017 for Sunflower Hill!

Sunflower Hill's Impact in

2017

By The Numbers

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Residential Communities Now in Development in Livermore and Pleasanton! Designed to Provide for Residential Units for Individuals with Special Needs!

75

350

Attendees and

86 Sponsors at:

Moonlight Vines

202

Special Needs Ranchers spent Volunteer Hours Planting, Weeding, Tending and Harvesting our Garden

72

Types of Veggies, Fruits, Herbs, and Flowers Grown in our Garden

13,000

Pounds of Food Harvested

78%

Donated to Low Income Individuals and Food Pantries

372

Individual Philanthropic Gifts

11 Foundation/Corporate Grants Funded

4.67 (out of 5) by teachers

Successful Family Workdays **6**

59 Attendees at Long Table Dinner



1344

Facebook Followers

189

Twitter Followers

1142

Newsletter Followers

Instagram Followers

319



Named **Nonprofit of the Year**

for the 16th district by Assemblywoman Catharine Baker

Sunflower Hill

A Sustainable Special Needs Community

Please Join Us on February 1 at Page Mill Winery!

We hope you can join us this Thursday, February 1 from 4:30-8:00 p.m. for Twilight Tastings at [Page Mill Winery!](#)

The cost is \$10 per person for the tasting fee.

Sunflower Hill will receive all tasting fees as well as proceeds from the 2014 Zinfandel with our label on it.

In addition, SFH will receive 10% of all other Page Mill wine sales that evening.

Page Mill Winery is located at 1960 S. Livermore Avenue in Livermore.

RSVP is requested but not required, to info@sunflowerhill.org. Hope to see you there!



Sunflower Hill is Now Hiring!



We are very excited to announce that we are seeking an experienced, creative and innovative nonprofit leader to serve as Executive Director and take our organization to the next level! More information on the position and how to apply is on our [website](#).

Sunflower Hill Gardens Update

2017 was a very successful year in the Sunflower Hill Gardens! This past year we had 202 special needs ranchers at our gardens from 14 different high school transition and adult day programs as well as family workdays. We are very proud that the teachers and leaders that attend regularly rated the SFH Gardens programs 4.67 out of 5 in comparison to other programs they participate in. In addition, we had six special needs interns volunteering in the garden and we hired our first special needs employee!

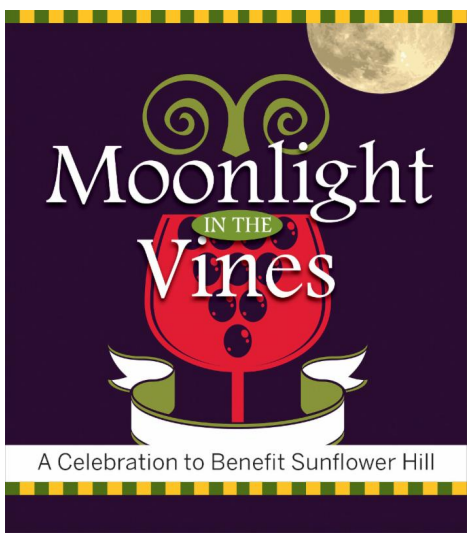
SFH Gardens produced ~13,000 pounds of food in 2017! Through the help of hundreds of volunteers we assembled a beautiful new greenhouse, a wheelchair accessible area, an arbor for our gourds, a pergola, two beautiful benches and we expanded our compost station. It has been a wonderful year, and the special individuals that come to our programs are the reason we have created the Sunflower Hill Gardens!

Our next Family Workday will be Saturday, February 24 from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Our Sunflower Hill Gardens are located at 455 Olivina Avenue in Livermore.



Note: If this will be your first visit to the garden, please fill out and submit our online form [here](#).

SAVE THE DATE!



We have the date set for our annual gala,
Moonlight in the Vines!

The evening of Saturday, July 28, 2018

Once again, we will be holding this exciting event at
Wente Vineyards in Livermore!

More info will be on our webpage soon regarding
purchasing tickets, sponsorships and all the details.

So please **SAVE THE DATE!!!**

Remember AmazonSmile for Valentine's Day!



Just a friendly reminder that AmazonSmile is a year-round program!
We would be grateful if you remembered us when you shop on Amazon any day of the year.
The link to shop while donating to SFH at the same time is [here](#).
So shop away, and thank you for your support!

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