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Officers' Spouses' Club Scholarship and Philanthropy Awards Announced

MARINE CORPS AIR STATION YUMA, Ariz. (June 06, 2013) – The Officers' Spouses' Club of MCAS Yuma is proud to announce the recipients of its Scholarship and Philanthropy efforts for the 2012-2013 school year.

Due to the very generous donations from local businesses and community members, the OSC was able to raise \$12,000 for its holiday gift card program. This program gives young Marine families who are otherwise unable to afford Thanksgiving and Christmas meals the means to pay for them.

It also raised over \$3,000 for scholarships to dependents and spouses for continuing education and \$3,000 for philanthropy. The club's philanthropic funds were used to provide supplies for the Food Bank of Yuma, MCAS Yuma Library, and the Navy Marine Corps Relief Society.

In the attached photo:

From left to right, Sarah Bearce (OSC President), Mike Ivers (Yuma Food Bank), Patricia Wells-Boyd (\$1,000 scholarship recipient), Rosalyn Dermody (\$500 scholarship recipient), Colonel Michael Gough, Sarah Newbold (MCAS Library representative), Lora O'Hara (Navy Marine Corps Relief Society). Not pictured Morgan Frank (\$1,000 scholarship recipient) and Ferrin Reidinger (\$500 scholarship recipient).

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