

Giving Back in a BIG Way

Giving back is the cornerstone of AYF and AYC. This year, we are receiving wonderful stories on how AYF is supporting their local communities and their AYF family. Here are just a few examples of the wonderful things you all are doing every day. **Tell us your Giving Back stories.** [E-mail Elizabeth Bray](#). Be sure to send pictures and contact information.

Dress for success - To help our new Jacksonville, FL teams get started, the Needham Jr. Cheer Association, from Needham, MA, have packaged more than eight boxes of uniforms to share with our new members.

Protecting our house - An AYF organization out of the Los Angeles area donated shoulder pads, cleats and pads to outfit some our teams in the San Diego area. Now, more kids are able to play!

To complete the circle, a San Diego association donated equipment to the new American Youth Football Samoa. [Click here to read more.](#)

Due to the kindness of our supporting athletic organizations - we were given the opportunity to outfit some of our AYC teams in need. American Youth Cheer has donated over 500 uniforms to roughly 10 cheer organizations with over 45 cheer teams (all ages). These uniforms are in wonderful condition and our athletes will wear these with pride to showcase their talent and skills!

If you or someone you know has either FOOTBALL or CHEER uniforms to donate please contact [Elizabeth Bray](#) or if you know of a team in need of uniforms please let us know so that we can keep the spirit of "giving back"!