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Your year in review



As we close out the year, we're filled with gratitude for the moments we've shared with you. From new milestones to exciting launches, your trust and support have been at the heart of everything we do. This year brought challenges and triumphs, but most importantly, it reminded us of the strength of our community.

We're proud of how far we've come together, and we're even more excited about what lies ahead. Here's to a new year filled with growth, connection, and opportunities to create even more memories with you.

A Season Full of Phenomenal Moments

We had an incredible lineup of amazing events this quarter that brought joy, learning, and community connection to the forefront! From life-changing workshops and exciting outings to powerful community gatherings and national mixers, every event was a celebration of growth, resilience, and togetherness.

Whether we were chasing dreams at **Disneyland**, strolling along the iconic **Santa Monica Pier**, or racking up game points at **Dave & Buster's**, this year was packed with unforgettable experiences that blended joy, exploration, and togetherness.

Each outing wasn't just a fun break—it was an intentional part of our trauma-informed, youth-centered approach. These moments gave our Angels the chance to laugh, bond, explore new environments, and simply be kids—while reinforcing community, confidence, and healing in action.



Workshops That Empower, Educate, and Inspire

At Phenomenal Angels of the Community™, workshops are at the heart of our mission to equip youth with the skills, confidence, and support they need to thrive. This year, we hosted a powerful lineup of trauma-informed, culturally rooted workshops designed to meet young people where they are—and help them grow into who they're meant to be.

We covered:

- **Effective Communication**
- **Developing Resilience**
- **Managing Stress and Anxiety**
- **Evolving landscape of COVID-19**
- **Social Media**
- **Women's Health**
- **Robots with Tech Arts**
- **Mindful Glass Garden**

Each workshop was led by trusted facilitators who reflect the communities we serve—creating safe, empowering environments where youth felt seen, heard, and valued.



Community Fairs: Showing Up, Serving, and Standing Out

This year, Phenomenal Angels of the Community™ proudly showed up at several community fairs and outreach events—connecting with families, sharing resources, and amplifying our mission to uplift youth through healing, education, and empowerment.

Where we showed:

- **Youth & Health Conference at The California Endowment**
- **Main Street Community Health Fair at LA CADA**
- **Black History Festival at Pan Pacific Park**
- **Los Angeles Youth Expo at LA Trade Tech College**



Community, Celebration & Connection

This year, Phenomenal Angels of the Community™ did more than just show up—we stood tall, stood proud, and stood in alignment with our mission to uplift, empower, and heal. Across Los Angeles and beyond, we were present at a powerful lineup of community-centered events that reflected our values, honored our youth, and celebrated the strength and resilience of the people we serve.

We Took Part In:

- **Girls Empowerment Dinner**
- **United Teachers Los Angeles MLK Jr. Banquet**
- **Crime Survivors for Safety & Justice (CSSJ) Survivor Speaks**
- **Positive Results Centers Prom Dress Giveaway**
- **Cease Fire MLK Celebration, Mixer, and 2025 Closeout**

To wrap up the season, we gathered for our **Winter Wonderland**—a joyful time to reflect, recognize our youth’s growth, and thank the partners, staff, and families who made everything possible. It was a celebration of progress, purpose, and community love.



Funding: Fueling the Mission

At Phenomenal Angels of the Community™, we know that impact is made possible by partnership, trust, and shared investment in our youth. This year, we’re proud to share that we have secured critical funding and in-kind support that directly fuels our programs, workshops, community events, and youth incentives.

Thanks to generous contributions from foundations, community partners, and individual donors, we’ve been able to:

- Distribute hundreds of backpacks and school supplies at our Annual Backpack Giveaway
- Provide healthy meals and snacks at all life-skills workshops
- Offer youth stipends and incentives to ensure equitable participation
- Partner with organizations and other groups for in-kind donations

These resources allow us to keep programming accessible, culturally relevant, and trauma-informed, while also addressing the real-world needs of the families we serve.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our ongoing supporters—including **Los Angeles Center for Alcohol and Drug Abuse (LA CADA)**, **Crime Survivors for Safety and Justice**, **Southern California Ceasefire**, **Tech Arts Empowerment**

Foundation, United Teachers Los Angeles, Positive Results Center, and a growing network of community-based allies—who continue to invest in our vision.



Organizational Growth

2025 marked a season of intentional growth for Phenomenal Angels of the Community™—both in reach and infrastructure. As we expanded our programming, events, and partnerships, we also strengthened our internal capacity, secured new funding streams, and deepened our alignment with long-term strategic goals.

We are thrilled to welcome **Sharricka Dawson** as the Program Manager at Phenomenal Angels of the Community™!

Sharricka brings over four years of experience in program leadership and community engagement, with a strong track record of working with youth and young adults in underserved communities. Her passion for empowerment, equity, and impact-driven programming aligns beautifully with our mission.

Dedicated to creating meaningful and lasting change, Sharricka is committed to:

- Designing and facilitating culturally responsive programs
- Supporting youth development through trauma-informed practices
- Building partnerships that uplift and strengthen the communities we serve

With her leadership, we are excited to expand our reach, deepen our impact, and continue building safe, empowering spaces where youth can thrive.



What's Ahead for 2026

As we look to the months ahead, Phenomenal Angels of the Community™ is excited to continue building momentum with new programs, deeper partnerships, and expanded opportunities for youth.

Coming soon:

- New Life Skills Workshops with fresh topics focused on leadership, financial literacy, and self esteem.
- Career & College Readiness Sessions to help teens explore their futures
- Creative Healing Spaces, including journaling and self-expression activities
- Field Trips & Enrichment Activities that foster connection, confidence, and joy
- Community Collaborations with new partners aligned with our mission

We're also working behind the scenes to secure long-term funding, enhance program evaluation, and build sustainable systems that will support our youth for years to come.

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Have A Fantastic New Year!



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