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AUG. 24-SEPT. 2, 2024

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A NOTE FROM SHAWNA SMITH, CEO



Orange County needs Hope Builders. I know this because demand for our programs has never been greater than it is today. This is true among both our young adult clients and our employer partners. Hope Builders fills a critical gap in the workforce that no other organization fills quite as effectively. We know how to empower young adults from low-income communities with the skills they need to meet the needs of employers, advance in a career, and

break the cycle of poverty. The experiences of Fabian and Jacqueline in the pages of this newsletter are a testament to that fact.

Orange County needs
Hope Builders to grow.
We stretched ourselves over
this last year to demonstrate
we could be as impactful
in serving more young
people and employers.
The good news is we did it.

Now we need your help to sustain it. Gifts to this year's 10 Days for Launching Careers campaign can help us realize this vision. I hope you will join me in making a contribution today.

With gratitude,

Shawaa Smith

OUR HEARTFELT THANKS TO ALL OF OUR 10 DAYS FOR LAUNCHING CAREERS SPONSORS*

MARQUEE

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SINCE APRIL, YOU'VE HELPED **58 YOUNG PEOPLE** START CAREERS

To see a list of donors who supported the mentorship, hard skills and life skills training of some of the young people listed here, visit tsjhopebuilders.org/amigo

Name	Employer	Hourly Wage
Alejandra O.	Hoag Hospital	\$23.10
Alexander C.	MemorialCare Medical Group.	\$21.00
Brianna J.	Greater Orange County Ear, Nose, Throat — Head & Neck, Surgeons	\$19.50
Brissa G.	Hoag Hospital	\$24.00
Bryan A.	Capsule Manufacturing Inc.	\$19.00
Cynthia S.	Ophthalmologist Office	\$18.00
Daniel F.	The LoftCrafters	\$19.00
Esmeralda V.	Santa Ana School District	\$20.64
Fabian L.	Capsule Manufacturing Inc.	\$19.00
Getsemani Q.	Brett DiNovi & Associates	\$21.00
Guillermo P.	Lestonnac Free Clinic	\$20.00
Gustavo S.	Swinerton Builders	\$20.00
Kyra D.	ABA Enhancements	\$19.00
Lesly C.	Associated Gastroenterology Medical Group	\$18.00
Louie Q.	24HRC	\$18.00

THE CARVER FAMILY AND THE R.J. NOBLE **COMPANY:**

GENEROUSLY PLEDGES A \$150,000 MATCHING GRANT TO THE AMIGO SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



Since 2006, the Carver family and The R.J. Noble Company have generously invested in Hope Builders' efforts to help young adults in Orange County prepare for careers with local construction and healthcare employers.

Notably, in 2014, when Hope Builders was initially approached to open a third location in Anaheim, the Carver family and The R.J. Noble Company were the very first donors to step up in support of this ambitious endeavor with a \$300,000 gift.

Once again, as the agency grows to double the number of young adults it enrolls annually, The R.J. Noble Company and the Carver family are hoping to inspire investment from others in the community with a \$150,000 matching grant to support its Amigo Scholarship program.

KaSondra Gonzalez, Vice President of Administration & Marketing for The R.J. Noble Company, recently explained, "We're pleased to offer this matching grant to support Hope Builders' Amigo Scholarship program. We believe everyone deserves the support and guidance to successfully launch themselves on a pathway to prosperity. Please join us in making a lasting impact in the lives of Orange County's young adults."

In alignment with the company's commitment to the values of hard work, integrity and compassion, The R.J. Noble Company remains a generous supporter of the mentorship, life skills and job skill training young adults need to meet the demands of local employers.

Hope Builders is very grateful to the Carver Family and The R.J. Noble Company for its 18 years of partnership.

If you are interested in seeing your donation matched, please consider becoming an Amigo today!



Scan here to donate, or visit tsjhopebuilders.org/donate

THE JOURNEY TOWARDS HOPE

Each year, donors like you, make it possible for Hope Builders to recruit, mentor, train and, ultimately, place young adults into construction and healthcare careers at no cost to them.

Because of you, between July 1, 2023 and June 30, 2024, Hope Builders achieved the following milestones along its Student Journey:



MY MOM FOUND A FLYER TO HOPE BUILDERS AND I **QUICKLY SIGNED** UP TO JOIN. BEST **DECISION EVER!**

-Alondra H.

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I LEARNED TO **KEEP PUSHING**

BECAUSE I'M NOW ONE STEP CLOSER TO MY GOALS.

-Jacqueline R.

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APPLICANT STAGE

1,441 young adults submitted applications and were screened for readiness and motivation

TRAINEE STAGE

334 young adults enrolled in the construction, child development careers or medical assisting training programs



I AM MORE **DETERMINED** AND OPTIMISTIC THAN EVER.

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CAREER BUILDER STAGE

234 youth successfully completed training with the skills and support needed to launch their careers

HOPE BUILDER STAGE

161 graduates were placed into employment at an average starting salary of \$42,500 and Hope Builders provides six months of follow up to support job retention

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Give a gift that moves a young person, like Fabian, from poverty to prosperity.

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