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Senior Living Community Knitting Club Donates Over 40 Handmade Blankets to Seniors Displaced by LA Fires

STANTON, CA — The talented and compassionate members of the knitting club at Rowntree Gardens Senior Living have once again demonstrated their dedication to giving back. The club has hand-knitted over 40 blankets to provide warmth and comfort to seniors who were recently displaced by the devastating Los Angeles fires.

"Our residents put their hearts into every stitch," said Barbara Hill, Knitting Club leader. "They wanted to do something meaningful to support fellow seniors in need during this difficult time. These blankets are a symbol of care, resilience, and community."

LeadingAge California, the state's leading advocate for quality, non-profit senior living and care, has partnered with Rowntree Gardens Senior Living to help ensure the blankets find their way to those who need them most. Through this partnership, the blankets will be distributed to seniors affected by the fires, providing both physical warmth and emotional support.

A representative from LeadingAge will come to Rowntree Gardens on Friday, January 31, 2025 at 11 am, to pick up the blankets and then deliver them to the residents who were displaced by the fires.

The knitting club at Rowntree Gardens Senior Living has long been a cornerstone of engagement and creativity within the community. With members ranging in age from 70 to 100, the club regularly undertakes projects aimed at giving back to the local and broader community. Past projects have included donations to residents at their skilled nursing facility and memory care.

Each blanket is unique, showcasing a variety of colors and patterns that reflect the individuality and care of their creators. They have been made with love and care.

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About Rowntree Gardens

Rowntree Gardens Senior Living is proud to support its residents in initiatives that make a difference. Together with LeadingAge California, they are demonstrating the power of community and compassion during challenging times.

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