

SCV Adventure Play is launching an online "Spring Thing Fling" for families on March 20, 2021 and would be thrilled to have your support!

Our "Spring Thing Fling" is inspired by the success of our virtual Haunted House for Halloween 2020 where we set up a multi-room zoom party, each containing fun and unique activities and performances for the whole family. Our Spring Thing Fling will be a similar layout on zoom but this time the focus will be about all things Spring-like! Just like our Haunted House, we are lining up performers, artists, and playworkers across the US to fill these rooms with musical performances, art activities, demos with nature experts and more! Now all we need is some oh-so-valuable sponsors!

Our director, Jeremiah Dockray, has been collaborating with playworkers and other adventure playgrounds all over the world to design online programs and experiences to continue supporting play in the daily lives of local families. SCV Adventure Play Foundation has created online adventure play, a play support group for caregivers, quarterly distributions of "play kits" to children in the Santa Clarita area, is working with the Parish School Adventure Playground in Houston, TX to launch an adventure playground within Minecraft, and continuing the ongoing development of the 7th permanent adventure playground in the US right here in Val Verde!

So many folks are feeling overwhelmed and stressed from the pandemic, and play is a natural way to support mental health in both kids and adults. Now more than ever our work is making an impact and as a 501(c)3 we need the support of our community to maintain our momentum and be ready to launch when it is once again safe to have kids back on our adventure playground and to run off-site pop-up adventure play opportunities.

We have four levels of support that you can participate in to help *hold* our community together and fund future programming:

Duct Tape Level: \$100 | Hammer and Nails Level: \$300 | Rivets Level: \$500 | Binding Spell Level: \$1000

<u>All SCV Adventure Play Foundation sponsors will be recognized on our website and social media.</u> <u>Sponsors of \$500 or more will be recognized on our flyer (example on page 2).</u> We are listed in the IRS Publication 78 as a tax-deductible non-profit organization. You may verify this online by entering our tax I.D. number 82-3571908 into the IRS nonprofit search found here: <u>https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/</u>

Will you be a sponsor and support our work in advocating and creating play opportunities for so many? Act now and please visit our sponsor page to make your donation: <u>scvadventureplay.org/sponsorship</u> Thank you for believing in the power of play to transform lives and strengthen communities.

Please reach out with any questions or for further information.

Sincerely,

Erica Larsen, Katie Mandel, & Shawna L. Parks SCV Adventure Play Foundation - Fundraising Committee

