



# Rice *plus* Project

Volunteers dedicated to helping Monterey-Santa Cruz County families in need

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## *RICE BAGGING*

Oct. 4th@11:00 AM

*RSVP PLEASE!  
TO  
Sandhya  
@riceplusproject.org*

*Thank you to all of  
you who give so gen-  
erously with your  
time, energy, dedica-  
tion, and dollars. It  
is so appreciated!*

## SEPTEMBER DISTRIBUTION

We had in excess of 50  
volunteers gathered at our  
home packing rice and  
beans.

### Sharing List:

- 2850 lbs Rice
- 4 Cases Tomato Sauce
- 3 Cases Garbanzo Beans
- 800 Corn Tortillas
- 24 Jars Peanut Butter
- 9 lbs Almonds
- 2 Bags Raisins
- 325 lbs Beans
- 360 String Cheese Sticks
- 48 oz Apricots
- 4 Cases Corn
- 4 Dozen Bananas
- 600 Loaves Bread
- 320 Canned Vegetables

September Delivery  
Natividad Mother and  
Infant Unit:

- 47 newborn caps
- 1 Premie Sleeper
- 1 Overall and Top
- 5 Onesies
- 1 Pair of Shorts
- 5 Knit Caps
- 7 Preemie caps
- 25 Receiving Blankets



## **NATIVIDAD DELIVERY**

### VOLUNTEER FEATURE

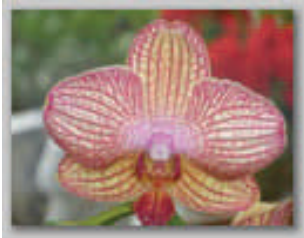
This month's featured  
volunteer is Tamara  
Collins. Tamara, a Car-  
mel resident, has been  
volunteering with Rice  
plus Project for three to  
four years. She is a re-  
tired teacher of English as  
a second language, and  
through this occupation  
has seen the need for this  
kind of support and giving  
in our local communities.  
Tamara has been quite  
the traveler, working Hong  
Kong, Hawaii, and Palm  
Springs and was born in  
New York. She has also  
worked for Carmel Maga-  
zine as well as City Guide

According to Tamara, "Rice  
Plus is fabulous, I wish  
more people knew about  
it." She often talks

It up with her friends.  
Volunteering and coming  
to Rice plus is a happi-  
ness thing with her and  
she is in awe of the or-  
ganizers and hosts that  
keep it going. Tamara  
feels that senior volun-  
teerism is up in the United  
States. "People have  
time and they can share.  
The coffee is good too!"

**THANK YOU TAMARA!**

(On Right Below)



As Always, we are  
very grateful for your  
generous support.  
The Rice Packing  
Party is on the first  
Sunday of the  
month, October 4th,  
at 11:00 AM. You all  
are cordially invited  
to join us. Thank  
you very much.

Sincerely, Sandhya

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non-profit 501 c (3)  
organization, go to  
[www.riceplusproject.org](http://www.riceplusproject.org)

*Submitted by Annie  
Duffy*

*IF YOU SEE A NEW  
FACE AT RICE PLUS,  
PLEASE BE SURE TO  
WELCOME THEM!*

