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## New Troop 243 Eagle Scouts

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From left: Nik Levandowski and Ben Krey Photo provided

classroom

Levandowski, who is a senior at Campolindo, joined Troop 243 in fifth grade after starting his scouting life as a Cub Scout in Pack 643 at Burton Valley Elementary. He learned that clothing donations to the homeless rarely include socks, and health conditions like diabetes, prevalent in the homeless population, can be further complicated without access to clean, dry socks.

For Levandowski's Eagle Scout project, he collected over 700 pairs of clean socks and assembled toiletry bags with wipes, Band-Aids, lip balm, toothbrushes and more for the homeless population in East Oakland.

Both join the less than 4 percent of all Scouts who achieve Eagle Rank.

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