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For an Emerald Green, Ocean Blue Coronado

CORONADO CROPS

NEW EMERALD KEEPERS INTERN PROGRAM HELPS THOSE IN NEED

Walk around Coronado and you will likely see an abundance of fruit-filled trees. It's great to see neighbors enjoying and sharing their home-grown produce, but many have more than they can use or give away. And often, hard-to-reach crops are left hanging on the trees.

Emerald Keepers high school interns want to make sure all that nutritious produce doesn't go to waste. They will pick your fruit, which will be delivered to the Imperial Beach Neighborhood Center Food Pantry by Rotary Club of Coronado. In partnership with the Coronado Public Library, Rotary Club already delivers produce grown in CHS and CMS Emerald Keepers Club gardens to the Food Pantry.

Over one in six people in San Diego don't know where their next meal is coming from, and with the new Coronado Crops program, you can help Coronado be part of the solution. Request your preferred weekend date and time, and Emerald Keepers interns will provide the labor and tools to pick your crops for a good cause.

Removing fruit from trees will not only help those in need, but also your tree and yard. Fruit left on trees eventually rots, attracting rodents and insects. The Coronado Crops program will help keep pests away.

If you see neighbors with a fruit-filled tree, please share information about participating in this local student-run program.

Sign up for the Emerald Keepers Coronado Crops program by emailing info@emeraldkeepers.com. We will contact you to schedule a date and time for the high school interns to pick your fruit.

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