The California Questers Preservation and Restoration Projects

Beginning 1986

State Grants and Donations

State adopted P&R Projects:

California Questers continue to fund the restoration and preservation of both the:

Pioneer Mother Statue- Golden Gate Park, San Francisco Old Governor's Mansion, Sacramento

Chapter P&R Projects

Adobe #375- Founded 1968

Restored the Chautauque Hall Bell Tower

Point Pinos Lighthouse

Restored and furnished the Parlor, Dinning Room, Reception Area and

Bathroom

Placement of 13 period light fixtures

Restoration of Chimney caps

Agua Caliente #1359- Founded 2000

Rios Caledonia Adobe

Donated upstairs track lighting

Restored windows

Amador #1059- Founded 1984

Ravenwood

Furnished the child's room- furniture, linens and toys

Livermore-Amador Valley Historical Society Museum

Donated Dress Forms to display vintage men and women's clothing

Alviso Adobe

Donated artifacts for display

Donated kitchen tools and blacksmith kits

Dublin Heritage Park & Museum

Donated a farmhouse table and 6 chairs

Duarte Garage and Lincoln Highway Museum

Restored a 1920's Seagrave Fire Engine

Amapola #864- Founded 1977

Rengsdorf House

Restored rug in Music Room and picture frame for Merced Castro charcoal

Helped with furnishings

Cupertino Historic Museum

Restored the Victorian era Clothing displayed

Martin Murphy Home

Restored artifacts: 19th century gold gilded Tiffany clock and an original watercolor of Elizabeth Yuba Murphy by artist H. Vaughan

Califia #648- Founded 1973

Harris-Lass Museum

Restored upstairs bathroom, wool carpeting on stairs, foyer wallpaper, girl's bedroom, carpeted upstairs' hallway

Migrant Workers Farm Houses (4)

Restored the electric wiring and supplied a sign

Canyon #334- Founded1968

Kingsbury House

Restoration of House and donated period furnishings

Edison House

Restoration of the House and period furnishings

Saugus Train Station:

Donated a Hat & Coat Rack, Step Stool, Tie tongs

William S Hart Museum:

Chickering Piano tuned

Herschede Grandfather clock repaired

Donor Board built and installed

Photo Album containing photographs of all rooms in the museum

Casa de Los Verdugos- Founded 1975

Hastings- Longfellow Octagon House in Heritage Square

Replicated veranda, restored exterior wall, built stairs and handicap ramp

Cinco Ciudades #1351- Founded 2000

Paulding History House Museum

Restored the Summer House and patio

Refinished the hardwood floors

Renovated the kitchen

Repaired the ceilings in the living room, music room and hall

Carpeted the living room

Dana Adobe

Donated furnishings for a child's bed and washstand, plus a an organ stool

Donated a period Oriental rug for the sala

Donated a Camphor Wood chest

Independent Order of Odd Fellows Hall

Donated a rug

Estrella Adobe Church

Repaired and painted exterior

DeAnza #827- Founded 1976

Peralta Adobe

Restoration of the sala (living room)

Wilder Ranch- worked with Valley Heritage #168

Donated redwood bed, night stands, oil lamp, coverlet

Restoration of jail in Santa Cruz as museum

Santa Cruz High School

Restored Copper doors and frames

Santa Cruz Missionary Church

Restored siding, windows, roof and ceiling

De Tolosa #1184- Founded 1990

Point San Luis Lighthouse

Furnished Parlor with vintage pieces of furniture, linens, doll etc.

Dallidet Adobe

Restored artwork throughout Adobe

Installed period reproduction wallpaper- Founded 1985

The girls room was completely renovated: painted, wallpapered, new wall to protect the adobe, new curtains and hardware to go with the period, rebuilding the original window and some of the original furniture, and new lighting.

Don Benito #1091- Founded 1985

John Henry Ford House 1890's Kitchen Garden Hastings- Longfellow Octagonal House Restored Veranda

Don Castro #994- Founded 1981

El Camino Real #1354- Founded 2000

Mission San Luis Rey

Restoration of historic oil paintings

Cleaned, rebuilt and returned to operating condition the three original fountains, installation of new drains and foundations to the Peyri Courtyard of the Mission

Leo Carrillo Ranch Historic Park

Restored a 10 piece suite of California Monterey bedroom furniture Constructed and installed a large display case for costume display Provided original Tabard Inn library books to Oceanside's main library in the restored 1904 Tabard Inn Revolving Bookcase (Chapter restored)

Cleaned 10 costumes belonging to Leo Carrillo

El Molino #599- Founded 1972

Huntington Museum

Repair of earthquake damage on north wall

Pacific Asia Museum

Restoration of finials of the balustrades, re-plaster and paint the Museum

Pasadena Playhouse

Restored Batchelder Tile Fountain

Fenyes Mansion

Restored 3 Persian Rugs

Estudillo #444- Founded 1970

1867 "The Little Brown Church"
Restoration of stained glass windows

Forty Niners #652- Founded 1973

McConaghy House

Restored Stained Glass Windows

Installed a skylight

Meek Estate Mansion

Restoration of Mansion to become a Museum

George Key #1114- Founded 1986

The Old Orange County Courthouse

Restored Ink on Linen Architectural Drawings

City of Orange Public Library and History Center

Placement of El Camino Real Bell

Gold Diggers #756- Founded 1975

San Mateo County Historical Museum

Restored Basket or Park Phaeton Carriage Canopy

Heritage Reflections #952- Founded 1980

Wilder Ranch

Donated redwood bed, night stands, oil lamp, coverlet

Kingsbury House

Restoration of House and donated period furnishings

Edison House

Restoration of the House and donated period furnishings

Kaweah Kollectors #1428- Founded 2004

Visalia Historic Plaques

Had made and erected 14 Plaques on Visalia's historic buildings

Fox Theater

Tulare County Children's Library

Tulare Agriculture Center

Carriage step restored between the curb and street

Lemon Cove Women's Club

Live Oak #1166- Founded 1989

Fallbrook Historic Museum

Period pieces donated: china, rug, dinning room table and chairs

Pala Mission

Restored the Campanile (freestanding Bell Tower)

Rancho Guajome Adobe

Furnished the Schoolroom

Reche School House

Restored portrait of President Lincoln

Restored 1896 Survey Map

Restored an 1892 Piano

Las Flores Adobe (grounds of Camp Pendleton)

Donated period (1940's) wall telephone

Pittenger Home

Restored Front Door

Restored kitchen back to the 1890's-1900's era

Restored and furnished the dinning room

Donated a sepia toned Fallbrook Mural located in downtown area

Re-plastered the upstairs hallway and bedrooms

Painted and donated period decoration for the master bedroom

Fallbrook Pioneer Odd Fellows Cemetery

Constructed a 45-foot retaining wall and faced it to match original wall.

Millennium Oaks #1274- Founded 2001

Dudley House Museum

Restored a Bedroom, Pergola, door, 1890 replica Outhouse Donated china set

Mission Trail #1132- Founded 1987

Silvas Adobe

Donated funds for repair of the windows

Mother Lode #1310- Founded 1997

Kennedy Mine House

Restored the front guest room and bathroom

St. Peter and Paul's Church

Restoration of steeple and roof

Restored Madame Marie Suize Pantaloon's stone and monument

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Oak of the Golden Dream #381- Founded 1968

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Restoration of the House and donated period furnishings

Edison House

Restoration of the House and donated period furnishings

Pardee House

Restoration of the House

Orange County Blossoms #1480- Founded 2009

Casa Romatica

Restored historic plaster (gold leaf gilding) and chandelier medallion

in Mrs. Hanson's bedroom

Rancho Monserate #1261- Founded1994

Rancho Guajome Adobe

Donated furnishings from the "Wish list" for the Adobe and furnishes

the Guest room and Cherokee Rose Bedroom

San Andreas #926- Founded 1979

Rengsdorf House

Rug and picture restoration

San Pasquel #905- Founded 1979

Santa Fe Depot

Telegrapher's Desk

Peralta Home

Restored Stained Glass Windows in Entry Door

Sikes Adobe Historic Farmhouse

Restored farmhouse and provided furnishings

Sierra Searchers #1305- Founded 1997

Tarpey Village Depot

Restored roll top desk, framed two pictures, purchased drinking fountain and railroad waiting bench, paid for the restoration of the copper finial atop the building

Forestiere Underground Gardens

Donated a vintage table and 1940's era household items

Fresno Flats

Purchased lighting for displays

Central Sierra Museum

Donated a pot belly stove, donated funds for building flume section replica, purchased 2 railroad lanterns

Meux Home Museum

Framed 2 letters of significance, reupholstered a chair

Donated a silver water server.

Repaired and re-plastered structural cracks in hallway and bedroom.

Madera County Historical Society

Donated toward painting the Library

Clovis Big Dry Creek Museum

Donated toward painting the Museum, and donated toward miscellanies needs

Hamilton Elementary School

Donated funds for the restoration of the 1948 (3'x28') "Story Book Land" Tapestry, including framing and hanging

St. Ansgar Church

Donated funds for curtains

Donated Funds for rebuilding the porch on the school

Warnor's Theater

Donated funds for curtains in the ticket booth and to check and repair the theater chairs

Pioneer Village School House

Reconstructed front porch

Central Sierra Historical Museum

Restored the Shaver Lake Flume

Sleeping Indian #1210- Founded1992

Rancho Guajome Ranch House

Purchased furniture, wall hangings, lighting and mantels, rugs for Parlor Hacienda

Helped Live Oak Chapter with a sepia tone Fallbrook Mural

Palomares House

Painted two bathrooms, the main hallway, a small hallway, living room and all wood throughout the main room

Donated a bathroom mirror

Pittenger House

Donated bathroom fixtures, wall stenciling, commode, braided rugs, buffet for living room, bedroom furnishings, chest and linens

Donated money toward a barn to house vintage farm equipment

Santa Rosa Preserve Bunkhouse Museum donation

De Luz Post Office donation

Reche School House

Donated a teacher's desk, chair and early school items

De Luz School House Bronze Plaque

San Diego Archaeological Center

Donated a display cabinet

Donated toward an interactive "DIG"

St. Francis #30- Founded 1954

Worked on the Pioneer Mother Monument Installed Memorial Park Bench at the Pioneer Mother Monument

Todos Santos #233- Founded 1965

Pardee House

Restored Game room Billard table

Donates each year to various restoration and preservation projects throughout their area

Valley Harvesters #1282- Founded 1995

Valley Heritage #168- Founded 1962

Peralta Adobe

Restored Plexiglas mailboxes in museum display

Reproduction Mission era furniture

Installed the new roof

Reconstructed the porch

Wilder Ranch- worked with DeAnza #827

Donated redwood bed, night stands, oil lamp, coverlet

El Camino Bell

Installed Bell in Santa Clara County along the El Camino Real Route

Migrant Workers Farm Houses (4)

Restored the electric wiring and supplied a sign

Ainsley House (in Campbell)

Purchased a vase

San Jose Historical Museum

Donated to museum to help in the building of a Chinese Temple reproduction

Eisenhower Highway

Donated an original sign

Valley of the Moon #1234- Founded 1993

Valley of the Vines #1326- Founded 1998

Meux Home Museum

Restored the Bathrooms

Wine and Roses #1263- Founded 1994

Zanja #83- Founded 1957

Kimberly Crest House

Replaced window shades in Mrs. Kimberly's Bedroom

Cleaned and restored the Main Hall Persian Herez rug

Lincoln Shrine

Donated an adjustable male form Mannequin to display