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Nessah Young Professionals and Jewish Big Brothers Big Sisters of Los Angeles are presenting "You, Me & Our Troops" on Sunday between noon and 6 p.m., at 142 S. Rexford Drive in Beverly Hills.

During this Memorial Day weekend event, children will join their parents and mentors to assemble 1,000 care packages, accompanied by a personal letter, to be shipped to U.S. soldiers serving in Iraq.

The event is a dual approach by local residents of Beverly Hills and the Jewish community, to express support and appreciation for the sacrifices made by U.S. troops overseas.

"This is a unique opportunity to get involved in a charity event together with their children and siblings," said Dr. Jacob Hanaie, Nessah Young Professionals board member. "It is somehow forgotten how important it is to get our children involved in charity events and plant that philanthropist seed early on."

Volunteers can participate by donating the cost of shipping the packages or donating care package items in bulk, as companies such as Nike, and Coffee Bean and Tea Leaf have already done. To sign up for the event, send an email to: [NYPP@nessah.org](mailto:NYPP@nessah.org) or visit: [www.nessah.org](http://www.nessah.org).