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Dear Steve,

Thank you and your team very much for all your support of our optics educational outreach activities here in So. Cal. It seems that we are on a strong path to building Better Optics Community in Southern California.

Your efforts with the Optics Suitcase have been outstanding and I have been honored to be part of the team that has spread the good word that helped create a situation where the OSA Rochester Section is overloaded with requests for Optics Suitcases and replacement Theme Packets.

In keeping with our previous conversations regarding assembling Optics Suitcases and Theme Packets in Southern California, the OSSC and the OISC are proud to be able to step up and begin assembling the Theme Packets for our future needs and perhaps the needs of other elsewhere in the country and the world. We will begin these activities with our recent funding from OSA for our April 24th OPTRICKS Day at the Discovery Science Center in Santa Ana.

I will lead the So. Cal. group in organizing and implementing these activities and we will keep you and the OSA informed of our progress.

All the Best,

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