

# Valley Ranch PTO- Amazon Smile Program

If you shop at **Amazon**, please choose the **Valley Ranch PTO** as your **Amazon Smile charity**. Through the Amazon Smile program, Amazon will donate **.5%** of your eligible purchases to the Valley Ranch PTO. This a simple action at no cost to you

Register the Valley Ranch PTO as your chosen charity with this link: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-2654447>. You can shop using this same link (*Your usual www.amazon.com URL **will not** automatically link your purchases to the Amazon Smile program.*)



**To the webmaster; Link on Image:** <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-2654447>

## Amazon Smile/Valley Ranch PTO Frequently Asked Questions:

Q1. Will there be any differences in the prices or availability of products when I use Amazon Smile rather than the regular Amazon?

A1. No.

Q2. If the donation isn't charged to me, then where does the donation come from?

A2. *Amazon Smile is a charitable organization, funded by Amazon. Amazon donates the money. There is no charge to you as a customer.*

Q3. Will, I still have access to all my same Amazon features if I use Amazon Smile?

A3. *Yes, your history, your digital content, your account information, any saved address or payment information, and if applicable, Amazon Prime is **ALL** still available when you shop with*

*Amazon Smile. The site will look the SAME as always, the only difference is that you will see “Amazon Smile” at the top left, and when using the full site, you will also see near the top of the page that you are supporting “Valley Ranch PTO”.*

Q4. I registered another organization as my Amazon Smile charity. How do I change my charity?

A4. *Simply use the link <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-2654447>. If you have previously registered a different charity, Amazon Smile will let you know that, and will ask if you would like to change your charity to the Valley Ranch PTO.*

Q5 Now that I have registered the Valley Ranch PTO as my chosen Amazon Smile charity, can I just shop at Amazon as usual?

A5. *Pretty much, however, **in order for your purchases to lead to Amazon Smile donations, you must use the URL: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-2654447>**. every time you make a purchase at Amazon.*

*To make it easier to use the Amazon Smile program, you may want to “bookmark” <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-2654447>.*

Q6. I often shop through the amazon app on my phone or device. Will those purchases automatically lead to Amazon Smile donations?

A6. *Unfortunately, no. If you prefer to shop or browse using Amazon’s app, go ahead and add items to your shopping cart using the app, but then use your browser to open <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/75-2654447> to complete your purchase. Everything that you left in your shopping cart will still be waiting for you.*

Q7. How can I spread the word?

A7. *Thanks for asking! There are several options. Please consider adding the following to your email signature line or website:*

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