



P.O. BOX 831
CAREFREE, AZ
85377



Upcoming Dates
To
Remember

Volunteer Orientation

Second Thursdays
February 10
March 10
9-11 a.m.

Van Transportation
Training
Level I
February 17
9-11 a.m.

Quarterly Meeting
February 7
10 a.m. - noon
FCF - Holland
Community Center
34250 N 60th Street
Building "B"
Scottsdale

FCC Office Hours
Monday - Friday
8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Phone 480.488.1105
Fax 480.488.8117

Foothills Caring Corps News

www.FoothillsCaringCorps.com

FEBRUARY 2011

Cash & Caring Raffle Taste of The Foothills



Come join the fun! We are celebrating our 11th year of operations. This fun•d•raiser is wrapping up our 2010-2011 Annual Campaign. We need your support to make our goal as your support helps us maintain our ongoing services.

March 24th at el Pedregal
5 to 8:30 p.m.

Purchase your ticket today
Call our office at 480.488.1105
Credit cards accepted

**Ticket purchase entitles admission
for you and 2 guests**



THREE \$5,000 CASH

RAFFLE PRIZES!

**Live Music
Entertainment**

**Event Highlights
Silent & Live Auctions
50/50 Raffle**

**Taste of the
Foothills**

7:30 p.m. Cash & Caring Raffle Drawing

The Taste of the Foothills will include specialty dishes from Bryan's Black Mountain Barbecue, Café Bink, Carefree Station, El Encanto Mexican Restaurant, Firecreek Coffee, Harold's Corral, Latilla at the Boulders Resort and Venues Café. Sparkletts Water and Cash Wine Bar

Notes from Caring Corps' Neighbors



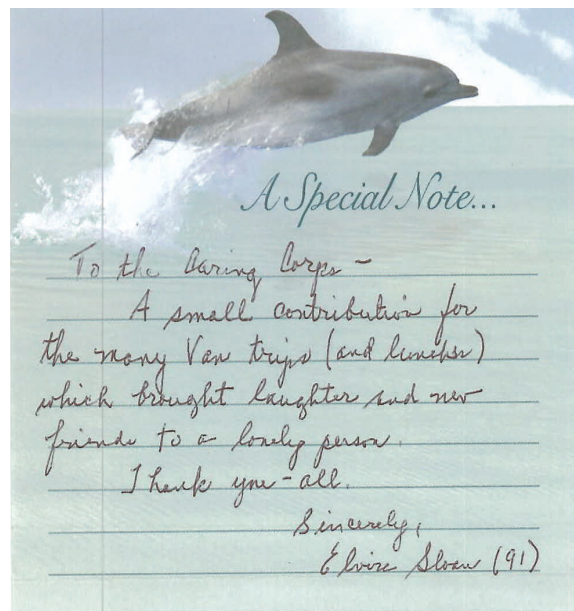
*Though words
could never express
how grateful I am,
please know
that I will always
treasure your
thoughtfulness.*

*Peace Blessings
Joan Collier*

Dear Staff,

Such kindness will never be forgotten. Thank you and may God bless you a thousand fold in all you do. I found myself in the midst of a medical procedure not allowed to drive myself and not knowing a soul in Arizona having been here only a couple of months. I not only received a beautiful unexpected Christmas gift but the rides I needed. **THANK-YOU** for being there.

Someone once wrote: "With every rising of the sun think of your life as just begun."



A Special Note...
To the Caring Corps -
A small contribution for
the many Van trips (and lunches)
which brought laughter and new
friends to a lonely person.
I thank you - all.
Sincerely,
Elvira Slom (91)

We welcome your comments. We have a corner for your notes. Thank you!

AARP Tax-Aide



To locate a site near you,
visit www.aarp.org/taxaide
or call toll-free
1-888-227-7669

Starting on February 2, 2011 and continuing through April 13, 2011, AARP Tax-Aide volunteers will be available each Wednesday afternoon from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Desert Foot-hills Library. They will help taxpayers prepare and file their personal federal and Arizona income tax returns.

Please bring the following with you when you come:

- Current year's tax forms and preparation booklet

Free Tax Help!

- Copy of last year's income tax return(s)
- W-2 forms from each employer
- Unemployment compensation statements
- SSA-1099 form if you were paid Social Security benefits
- All 1099 forms (1099-INT, 1099-DIV, 1099-B, etc.) showing interest and/or dividends and documentation showing original purchase price of sold assets
- 1099-MISC showing any miscellaneous income
- 1099-R form if you

received a pension or annuity

- All forms indicating federal income tax paid
- Dependent care provider information (name, employer ID, Social Security number)
- All receipts or canceled checks if itemizing deductions
- Social Security cards or other official documentation for yourself and all dependents.

Appointments are required and can be scheduled by calling the Library at 480.488.2286.

Upcoming Events



Valentine Soirée

Board Members, Volunteers, Neighbors and Donors are invited to attend our 2011 Valentine Soirée.

WHEN: Monday ~ February 14th, from 12 noon to 3:00

WHERE: Christ Anglican Church in Dorothy's Hall
35500 N. Cave Creek Road

Please call to RSVP at 480-488-1105

Petals & Parasol

Luncheon and Style Show

Hosted by Our Lady's Guild of Our Lady of Joy Church

Benefiting Foothills Caring Corps &
St. Vincent de Paul Working Poor

Saturday, February 19, 2011

11:00 Social Hour and 12:00 Lunch

JW Marriott Desert Ridge Resort & Spa
Fashions by Coldwater Creek

Cost \$65

For reservations send check to Our Lady's Guild
c/o Marlena Kahn, Our Lady of Joy Church
P.O. Box 1359

Carefree, AZ 85377

For more information, call Jeannine
at 480.585.4872

Stephen Ministry presents Life Transitions Series

**Monday, February 21st
7:00 - 8:30 p.m.**

Desert Hills Presbyterian Church
In the Sanctuary
34605 N. Tom Darlington Drive
Scottsdale
Everyone is welcome.

Would you like to feel more adequate when caring for another who is grieving, dying, or has Alzheimer's?

Dr. Griffith will share lessons that patients have taught him during his years in pastoral ministry and as a hospice chaplain.

An Interactive Presentation with dessert following.

Two of his books will be available for sale @ \$15 each: "More than a parting prayer: Lessons in caring for the dying" (2004) and "Tears in a Bottle: Learning to grieve well" (June 2010)

A new series of Stephens Ministry training is occurring at Desert Hills Presbyterian Church on Monday evenings. Please visit www.stephenministries.org for more information or contact Barb Conti at 480.419.8232 for involvement at Desert Hills Presbyterian Church.

Emergency Public Assistance for Cave Creek and Carefree Residents

Utility or phone assistance
Housing rehab and weatherization assistance
Rent or mortgage assistance for families with children for
foreclosure or eviction

Save the date

Applications taken @ FCF - Holland Community Center
34250 N. 60th Street, Scottsdale
March 7, 2011 - 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Applications accepted by Community Action Agency

For eligibility the following materials are needed:

- Number of people in household
- Proof of residency (rent, mortgage or utility bill)
- Proof of income for the last 30 days (if on Social Security, award letter, letter does not have SS# on it)
- Social Security Card and Drivers License
- Power of attorney accepted with required documentation

For more information call 480.488.1105 and ask for Ginnie.

Your Income Level (FPL)		
Family Size (Household)	Annual Income	Monthly Income
1	\$21,660.00	\$1,805.00
2	\$29,140.00	\$2,428.33
3	\$36,620.00	\$3,051.67
4	\$44,100.00	\$3,675.00
For each additional member, add	\$7,480.00	\$623.33



Training Classes



AED/CPR classes will be held on the following dates:

Thursday, March 3 Thursday, April 21
Tuesday, April 5

The classes will be held at the Carefree Fire Station from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Donations toward the \$20 fee requested. Make sure that you sign-up and attend. Call Nancy at 480.488.1105 or email, nancy@foothillscaringcorps.com to reserve a space.

THANK YOU for VOLUNTEERING!

In recognition of all of your good service for the Foothills Caring Corps last year, I am offering a Complimentary New Patient Chiropractic Visit (for you and your family members)

FOOTHILLS CHIROPRACTIC

Dr. Gail Shriner, Chiropractor

7208 East Cave Creek Road, Carefree
480-488-1282

This offer expires February 28, 2011
Please mention this newsletter when you make an appointment.



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