

## FOOTHILLS CARING CORPS NEWS

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### Taste of the Foothills & 12th Annual Cash & Caring Raffle

**Thursday, March 31, 2016  
5:00 to 9:00 pm**

Event Highlights:

- Live Auction
- Silent Auction
- Wine Tower Raffle
- Live Music & Dancing AFFINITY
- Cash & Caring Raffle Drawing
- Taste Specialty Dishes from Local Restaurants including:

*Boulder's Resort, Brugos Pizza of Cave Creek, Bryan's Black Mountain Barbecue, Café Bink, The Capital Grille, Carefree Bistro, Harold's Corral, Indigo Crow Restaurant, Janey's Coffeehouse, The Herb Box, Venues Café, and Sparkletts Water*

- Cash Wine Bar



**Purchase your  
raffle ticket today!**

**\$100 each, 3 for \$275  
or 8 for \$500**

**3 Chances to Win**



**\$5,000 ~ \$3,000 ~ \$1,000**

**Raffle Ticket admits 2**

**Admission at entrance  
without Raffle Ticket \$50**

**For tickets call our  
office at 480.488.1105**

**Credit cards accepted  
Limited number of tickets  
will be sold**



**For more information, please call 480.488.1105 or visit [www.FoothillsCaringCorps.com](http://www.FoothillsCaringCorps.com)**



## Snapshot of Volunteers who attended our Volunteer Recognition January 21, 2016



### .....More about the Taste of the Foothills

Make sure you purchase your Raffle & Tasting ticket(s) early!!

We have a fabulous late afternoon and evening awaiting you at el Pedregal!! Thursday, March 31st from 5 to 9 pm.

Come early, doors open at 5pm. Please first go into the Silent Auction Marketplace—find a unique silent auction item or experience—try the Buy it Now! As you listen and dance to the wonderful sounds of AFFINITY, have a glass of wine and try one of the area's specialty dishes.

Then we will honor our 2016 Humanitarian, David Schwan.

Check out our live auction possibilities and bid on your favorite spectacular live auction item just as the sun goes down. And of course, we will have our Cash & Caring raffle drawings prize winning and our Wine Tower raffle drawings too! Stay with us for a fun evening.

#### Wine Tower Raffle

*New*

A new added highlight for our Taste of the Foothills / Cash & Caring Raffle is a Wine Tower Raffle. A table of wonderful bottles of wine will be the prize for this new fun raffle. While you look at the silent and live auction items, stop by the table and purchase a winning raffle ticket and take home over 50 bottles of wine. Good luck!!!



## FCC Dates to Remember

### Volunteer Orientation

Second Thursdays

**March 10**

**April 14**

9-11 am

Suite B101

### Van Transportation

Training - Level I

**February 18**

**March 17**

**April 21**

9-11 am

Suite B101

### Volunteer Fingerprinting

**Wednesday, February 17**

10:00 – 10:45 am

Suite B101

For further details, call Trish at  
**480.488.1105** or e-mail,

[TrishM@foothillscaringcorps.com](mailto:TrishM@foothillscaringcorps.com)

## Community Monthly Support Groups

### The following Support Groups meet at

Desert Foothills Library  
38443 N. Schoolhouse Road  
Cave Creek  
480.488.2286

### The Healing Pathway Grief Support Group

Second & Fourth Mondays

**February 29**

**March 14**

9:30 - 11 am

### Caring for the Caregiver Caregiver Support Group

First Mondays

**March 7**

**April 4**

10 - 11:30 am

### The following Support Groups meet at

Desert Mission United  
Methodist Church  
7373 N. Dixileta Drive, Scottsdale  
480.595.1814

### North Scottsdale Alzheimer's Support Group

Second & Fourth Wednesdays

**February 24**

**March 9**

10:30 am - 12 pm

### Parkinson's Support Group

First Thursdays

**March 3**

**April 7**

10:30 am - 12 pm

## David Schwan Foothills Caring Corps 2016 Humanitarian

A native of York, Pennsylvania, David graduated from Drexel Institute of Technology, and received an MBA from New York University. His 30 year career was with Ford Motor Company in Grosse Pointe, Michigan.

In 2001 David and his wife Binka retired and moved to Carefree with the intent to become active in their new community by giving back. David discovered Foothills Caring Corps (then VICaP) and in 2002 he became the "IT volunteer" for the Foothills Caring Corps. In 2007 David served on the Advisory Board when the Foothills Caring Corps was ready to become its own 501(c)3. He then served on the first Board of Directors.

Continuing his community work David's involvement with the Town of Carefree led to an appointment with the Planning and Zoning Commission. David was then appointed to the Town Council in 2005 and was elected for a full term in 2007. In 2009 he was appointed Mayor by the Town Council and was then elected again in 2011 and 2013. David left office in 2014 due to his ALS diagnosis.

David is proud of what he helped create and preserve for Carefree in the beautiful downtown Gardens with the amazing support of Mark & Juanita Wdowlak. He also steered through the first piece of desert land in Carefree to be held in perpetuity and made way for Carefree and Cave Creek to combine their court systems to save money for both towns.

David shares his continuing support of FCC: "I'm very proud of what the Caring Corps has become and honored to receive the Humanitarian Award for 2016. Please continue your support of the Caring Corps."







## Update...Protecting Americans Tax Hikes Act (PATH)

The Charitable IRA Rollover is now a permanent tax law.

One of the many provisions made permanent by the new law (PATH), Protecting Americans from Tax Hikes Act of 2015 (signed by President Obama last year) was the Charitable IRA Rollover. This law allows donors age 70 ½ or older to transfer funds from their IRA directly to a charity, such as to the Foothills Caring Corps, without triggering federal income taxes on those funds. The effect of this provision is that it may lower one's adjusted gross income reportable on the tax return. This also allows donors to get the tax benefit of a charitable contribution even if they don't itemize their deductions. The Charitable IRA Rollover is limited to \$100,000. Also, an IRA rollover gift to a donor-advised funding or supporting organization is not allowed, only gifts to 501(c)3 public charities.

We can assist you by discussing ways to use your IRA to meet your charitable goals. You may contact us at 480.488.1105.

*Patricia Yates  
FCC Planned Giving Committee  
Board Member*



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FCC Office Hours  
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"We turn not older with years  
but newer every day."

*Emily Dickinson*



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Promoting independence  
for older adults

# A "Taste" of our Silent & Live Auction Items!



## "STAR" Bronze Sculpture

The Star design on her basket represents night. We need the sun for our crops but to create harmony, we also need the night.

—Created by: Award Winning American Indian Artist, Kim Seyesnem Obrzut.

## Tubac Golf Resort & Spa



Enjoy a 1 Night stay and a Round of Golf for 2

*Live Auction*

## Laughing Glass Studio Workshop with Carole Perry



You and up to 4 of your friends are invited to spend a fun filled 1/2 day with Carole Perry at the Laughing Glass Studio in Cave Creek.

During the day you will create a glass dish for you to keep, create glass bowls for the annual "Empty Bowls Project" and enjoy a demonstration of Caroles' work and a wonderful lunch with your friends.

## Loomed Vest



Michelle's Originals One of a Kind Hand Loomed Vest, "Pacific".

## Coyotes Hockey Jersey



Autographed by "The Great One" NHL Hall of Famer and Coyotes former owner Wayne Gretzky.



Black Ostrich Handbag by Lorenzi-Stefan Mann



MacKenzie Child Courtly Check Fluted Heart Plate



Antique Beaded Necklace

*Live Auction*

## Ireland Adventure



6-Night Getaway in Dublin, Ennis & Killarney.  
Incredible Getaway!

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## Sonoma Wine and Dine



3-Night Stay at The Fairmont Sonoma Mission Inn & Spa with airfare for 2. Fabulous wine tasting trip!

*Live Auction*

## Vail Colorado Getaway



1-Week Getaway, valid March 2 - 9, 2017 ONLY,  
at the Cedar at Streamside Resort in Vail,  
Colorado.

## Experience our Heroes in Action



Accompany a Scottsdale  
Police Officer or Police  
Aide on a Ride-Along as  
an observer. Cost:  
Priceless!

## Desert Foothills YMCA

1 Year Family  
Membership



# DISCOUNT<sup>®</sup> TIRE

A Set of Tires and/or Wheels

*Live Auction*

## Experience the thrill of a lifetime... FIGHTER PILOT FOR A DAY!

Imagine yourself scanning the skies in a real military aircraft in search of an enemy airplane. You spot the bogey at 3 o'clock, break, turn hard and the fight's on. Up, down, and around. Pulling G's, making quick decisions until you out maneuver your opponent, put the gunsight pipper on them, squeeze the trigger and guns, guns, guns! The enemy erupts in smoke and you roll up and away, victorious!

