

In Memory of:

The Foothills Caring Corps Memorial Tree is an opportunity for members of the Caring Corps community to memorialize friends, family, and loved ones. The Memorial Tree, donated in memory of John Ford, has grown to include over 100 honorees. The trunk of the tree is a beautiful mahogany with the leaves spread out in a lovely pattern above. The leaves in copper, silver and gold, are engraved with the names of those being memorialized.

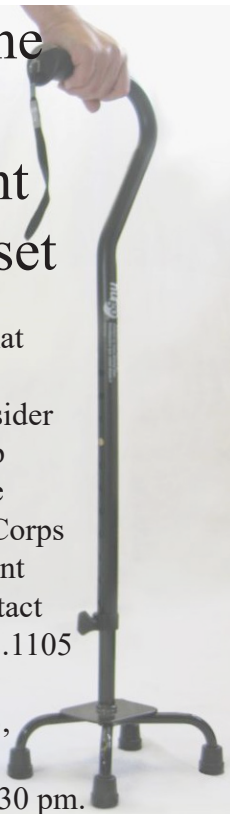
With your donation, your honoree's name will be memorialized on this beautiful tree and those funds will go directly in support of the services of the Foothills Caring Corps. What a wonderful way to cherish the memory of your loved one!



Please contact Betty at Foothills Caring Corps at 480-488-1105 if you have any questions.

Support the Medical Equipment Loan Closet

If you have an adjustable cane that you're no longer using, please consider donating it to help others through the Foothills Caring Corps Medical Equipment Loan Closet. Contact the office 480.488.1105 or stop in 7275 E. Easy St. Ste B103, Carefree, AZ M-F, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.



healthy aging expo



connect with community resources

Thursday, October 25, 2018 | 10AM – 2PM | FREE
Desert Foothills Library,
38443 N Schoolhouse Rd, Cave Creek, AZ

Meet and connect with our community's providers, resources and more – all here to promote health and wellness of older adults.



Twas a Grand Night for Patriotism!

Spirit in the Desert Retreat Center | July 3, 2018

Hot dogs, potato salad, homemade cookies and lemonade were just the warm up for a room full of flag waving neighbors and community friends to party. On July 3 the staff and friends of Spirit in the Desert Retreat Center teamed up with FCC and musicians from Black Mountain United Church of Christ to create a night to celebrate, laugh, sing and remember what we love and honor in America.

Fun was had by all at this sing-along culminating with Michael Golding's finish with a piano solo of the rousing Stars and Stripes Forever. More than a few of us were

moved to tears by the emotions this music evokes. We also laughed at the fun trivia questions written by Cyndy from Spirit of the Desert as we learned a few new facts about our history as a nation and our armed forces. It was a hit so stay tuned for next year for our Third Annual!



Photo by Leigh Siegel



Scams to protect against

Part 2 of 3 | By Brandy Bauer

You may have heard that, beginning this spring, Medicare will be sending out new cards to all beneficiaries. The new card

removes the current Social Security-based identifying number and replaces it with a random number/letter sequence that helps to reduce identity theft and fraud.

The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) warns against scammers posing as Medicare "agents" or health care providers telling seniors they need to purchase a replacement card. The new Medicare cards are free, and everyone with Medicare will be mailed a card between April 2018 – April 2019. The only action you need to take is to

ensure Social Security has your current address, as the new cards will be sent to the address in their files.

If you've been solicited by a possible Medicare scammer, report it by calling 1-800-HHS-TIPS (1-800-447-8477), or submit a complaint online to the Office of the Inspector General of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Bauer, (2018 January 18)
3 Scams to Protect Against in the New Year
<https://www.ncoa.org/blog/3-most-popular-scams-targeting-seniors/>

Carefree Residents | Cave Creek Residents | Scottsdale Residents

Learn more about the Lock Box Program Call 480.488.1105

FoothillsCaring Corps is publicizing in partnership with local municipalities lock boxes available to residents of Cave Creek, Carefree and Scottsdale. These lock boxes allow first responders to help those who are unable to open their door - when help is needed.

Carefree Residents

(\$25 Donation to FCC)

Call Foothills Caring Corps at 480.488.1105

Cave Creek Residents

(\$25 Donation to Town of Cave Creek)

Call Marshal Stein at 480.488.6636

Scottsdale Residents

Call 1.877.229.5042





Christmas... in July

Desert Foothills Lutheran | July 19, 2018



Photos by Edwina Starke

“It happened again, Christmas in July with all its festive and fun loving volunteers creating another special event for our Neighbors,” said Anne Iarocci, FCC Volunteer. The event was held at Desert Foothills Lutheran Church’s Fellowship Hall elegantly set up with colorful tables, tea cups, tea pots and delicious goodies. The festivities started as young people from Christ the Lord Lutheran Church beautifully sang incredible arias from Handel’s Messiah and other carols, followed by a delicious luncheon catered by Jo Gemmill from the English Rose Tea Room. North Ridge Community Church donated special Christmas ornaments which Santa (Joe DeVito)

handed out to all who were “good”. A big THANK YOU to all the Volunteers and Caring Corps Staff, who gave above and beyond to create another spectacular time!

Rotary Club of Scottsdale North & FCC join forces



Check out the YouTube video showcasing a project helping Neighbors in our community. Stay tuned for upcoming article.

<https://youtu.be/UsEhUke52kk>



Opt-in to receive this newsletter on-line by calling 480.488.1105 or email services@foothillscaringcorps.com We’d also appreciate your feedback about our newsletter. -Thank you!

8th Annual Foothills Caring Corps Golf Tournament

Monday, November 26, 2018

Sponsorship Levels

Each sponsorship includes special event recognition, VIP benefits and recognition in Golf Tournament marketing. For more information on becoming a sponsor, please call 480.488.1105

Hole

\$2,000

2 players for the tournament

- Signage recognition on one (1) hole
- Recognition on the program and our newsletter

Bronze

\$5,000

1 foursome (4 players) for the tournament

- Recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter
- Special recognition at the awards presentation and on the course

Silver

\$10,000

2 foursomes (8 players) for the tournament

- Recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter
- Special recognition at the awards presentation and on the course

Gold

\$15,000

3 foursomes (12 players) for the tournament

- Recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter
- Special recognition at the awards presentation and on the course

Title

\$25,000

4 foursomes (16 players) for the tournament

- Special recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter
- Special recognition at the awards presentation and on the course
- Banner, VIP parking, other special benefits

8:30 am Continental Breakfast & Registration
10:00 am Shotgun Start
2:30 pm Hors d'oeuvre Reception
Golf Prizes | Raffle Items



MIRABEL

37100 N. Mirabel Club Dr.
Scottsdale, Arizona 85262

Corporate and Individual
Sponsorship Sign-up

Foothills Caring Corps **8th Annual Golf Tournament** | Mirabel | Nov 26, 2018

FCC Mailing Address | P.O. Box 831 Carefree, Arizona 85377

☐ **Title**
\$25,000

☐ **Gold**
\$15,000

☐ **Silver**
\$10,000

☐ **Bronze**
\$5,000

☐ **Hole**
\$2,000

Company Name

Contact/Individual Name

Address

Phone

Email

Please return this complete form with your sponsorship check or send your check at a later date. Thank you!

Donate

& claim a tax credit

Charitable Tax Credit

Arizona Taxpayers

Foothills Caring Corps is certified as a Qualifying Charitable Organization. If you are an Arizona taxpayer your donation to Foothills Caring Corps will allow you to claim the AZ Charitable Tax Credit.

Eligibility and Information

- Your contribution allows you to receive a dollar-for-dollar tax credit (**\$800 for a married couple, \$400 for single taxpayers**) against any income tax calculated on your Arizona Individual Income Tax Return.
- It is **not** necessary to itemize deductions on your AZ tax return.
- The Charitable Tax Credit can be claimed in addition to the school tax credits.
- Donate to Foothills Caring Corps by **April 15, 2019**.

How to Donate

- **Mail:** Foothills Caring Corps
PO Box 831, Carefree, AZ 85377
- **Call:** 480.488.1105
- **Click:** PayPal online at
www.FoothillsCaringCorps.com

To learn more visit
www.FoothillsCaringCorps.com or
www.azdor.gov/TaxCredits.aspx

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Arizona Form
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Include with your return.

Credit for Contributions
to Qualifying Charitable Organizations
2018

For the calendar year 2017 or fiscal year beginning 12.01.18 and ending 11.30.18.

Your Name as shown on Form 140, 140NR, 140PY or 140X _____ Your Social Security Number _____

Spouse's Name as shown on Form 140, 140NR, 140PY or 140X (if joint return) _____ Spouse's Social Security Number _____

Part 1 Current Year's Credit

A. Cash contributions made January 1, 2017, through December 31, 2017.

- If you are married and filing separate returns, be sure to include all cash contributions made by you and your spouse.
- Do not include those cash contributions for which you or your spouse claimed a credit on the 2016 tax return.
- Do not include cash contributions made to qualifying foster care charitable organizations. Those contributions must be claimed on Arizona Form 352.
- If you made cash contributions to more than three qualifying charitable organizations, complete the Continuation Sheet on page 3 and include it with the credit form.

(a) Name of Qualifying Charity to which you made cash contributions	(b) Location of Qualifying Charity (City, State)	(c) Cash Contribution
1		00
2		00
3		00
4 If you made contributions to more than three qualifying charitable organizations, enter the amount from line 4h of the Continuation Sheet, otherwise enter "0" _____	4	00
5 Total contributions made to qualifying charitable organizations during 2017. Add lines 1 through 4, column (c) _____	5	00

B. Cash contributions made January 1, 2018, through April 17, 2018, for which you or your spouse are claiming a credit on the 2017 tax return.

- If you are married and filing separate returns, be sure to include all cash contributions made by you and your spouse.
- Do not include cash contributions made to qualifying foster care charitable organizations. Those contributions must be claimed on Arizona Form 352.
- If you made cash contributions to more than three qualifying charitable organizations, complete the Continuation Sheet on page 3 and include it with the credit form.

(a) Name of Qualifying Charity to which you made cash contributions	(b) Location of Qualifying Charity (City, State)	(c) Cash Contribution
6		00
7		00
8		00
9 If you made contributions to more than three qualifying charitable organizations, enter the amount from line 9h of the Continuation Sheet, otherwise enter "0" _____	9	00
10 Total contributions made to qualifying charitable organizations January 1, 2018, through April 17, 2018, for which you are claiming a credit on the 2017 tax return. Add lines 6 through 9, column (c) _____	10	00
11 Add lines 5 and 10. Enter the total _____	11	00
12 Single taxpayers or heads of household, enter \$400. Married taxpayers, enter \$800. _____	12	00
13 Total current year's credit. Enter the smaller of line 11 or line 12. In most cases, if you are married filing a separate return, enter one-half of the smaller of line 11 or line 12. See instructions _____	13	00

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Richard:

A Story of Caregiver Relief

I am pleased to share my experience as a volunteer giving Caregiver Relief. I started my experience by meeting a neighbor in the early stages of memory loss, whose wife, his full-time caregiver, wanted a few hours a week for herself.

The idea intrigued me, so we agreed to meet and see if we were a fit. Well, we hit it off.



Although my purpose is to help his caregiver a few hours each week, it has become so much more. My experience

The benefit of giving back is so much more than time spent, I am very glad I decided to volunteer at Foothills Caring Corps.

Every Monday morning, I look forward to my visit with this neighbor. We spend our time together walking, talking or sitting in companionable silence.

In a short time, Mondays have become my favorite day of the week. I have learned so much from him. He is an interesting man, who has lived a full life. His journey has taken him from his native Germany to the United States.

with him has allowed me the privilege of getting to know this fine couple.

I tell our story to whoever will listen. I cannot help but share how a seemingly small period of time can make such a difference. The benefit of giving back is so much more than time spent, I am very glad I decided to volunteer at Foothills Caring Corps.

save the date

Volunteer Orientation

(Second Thursdays of the month)

Sept 13 | Oct 11 | Nov 8

9am-11:30am

Foothills Caring Corps

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Carefree 85377

Healthy Aging Expo

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Mirabel Golf Club

Interested in sponsoring?

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Hugs & Help Happen Here

Join our team of volunteers who give the gift of time to help our neighbors.

Call & Volunteer Today

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