Sign-up for these Important Dates



AED/CPR class will be held on the following date:

Friday, October 12th Call the office for the November date

The class will be held at the Carefree Fire Station from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Donations toward the \$25 fee requested. We need to have 10 people signed up for each class to make it a productive class. It is critical that all volunteers be trained in AED & CPR. With the new guidelines and methods, this class is quite valuable for all of you to feel comfortable to do something when someone needs help. Call Nancy at 480.488.1105 or e-mail, NancyC@foothillscaringcorps.com to reserve a space.

Do you love to bake? We need cookies or bars for the upcoming Thanksgiving Eve Ecumenical Service, November 21st.

Please call 480.488.1105 and sign-up to bring cookies or bars.





Seat belts are the best way to ensure safe travel during the holiday period.

In 2010 alone, seat belts saved more than 12.500 lives nationwide.



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Upcoming Dates To Remember

> Volunteer Orientation

Second Thursdays October 11 **November 8** 9-11 a.m.

Van Transportation Training Level I

> October 18 **November 15** 9-11 a.m.

Cancer Support Group

Saturdays October 13 November 10 10 a.m.

Good Shepherd of the Hills Episcopal Church



FCC Office Hours Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

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Foothills Caring Corps News

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OCTOBER 2012

"MASK" querade Ball

Monday, October 29, 2012

6:30 p.m. Social 7:00 - 10:00 p.m. **Dinner & Dance**

AFFINITY **Tohono Ballroom at el Pedregal** 34505 N. Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale

Cost: \$75.00 per person \$30 of your entrance fee is a tax-deductible donation for Foothills Caring Corps

To purchase tickets Call 480.488.1105 or pay online at www.FoothillsCaringCorps.com

RSVP required by October 22nd



Dine & Dance

Golf Tournament

Recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter Gold: \$15,000

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS:

Title: \$25.000 4 foursomes (16 players) for the tournament Special recognition at awards presentation

3 foursomes (12 players) for the tournament Special recognition at awards presentation Recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter

Silver: \$10,000

2 foursomes(8 players) for the tournament Special recognition at awards presentation Recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter

Bronze: \$5,000

1 foursome(4 players) for the tournament Special recognition at awards presentation Recognition on the invitation, program and our newsletter

Hole: \$1500

2 players for the tournament Signage recognition on one (1) hole Recognition on the program and our newsletter

Individual players: \$300

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MIRABEL



How the Caring Corps has enriched my life

Several years ago, I met a lovely lady who had not lived here in the valley for too long. Her name was Phoebe. Phoebe was having difficulty driving her car. Her eyes were getting bad, she had fibromyalgia and other ailments which were prohibiting her activities. She told me about the Foothill Caring Corps and how they were giving her rides to her doctors. At that time, I think she was getting meals on wheels too.

Since I too, am alone (elderly) but in good health and driving, I volunteered to sign up with the Caring Corps as a volunteer as well as a neighbor. Who knows when I might need their service someday? Without the service they provide, it would be almost impossible for the elderly to live in this part of the valley.

Since that time, I have come to know

Phoebe to be one of the dearest and most faithful friends. We talk on the phone daily. We used to shop, have lunch together after doctor visits and other medical errands. Certain conditions have required her to give up her independent living. She is now confined to one bedroom in her son's lovely home. They look after her, but she spends a lot of lonely hours by herself, since her son and daughter-in-law both work. It is wonderful however that her son is always within calling distance.

Phoebe is just a little pint-size gal. When she was married she only weighed about 100 lbs. Her first pregnancy produced male triplets. Later another son was born.

Phoebe is a fighter! She's also a very positive sweet gal. I've never heard her say an unkind word. It's a joy to be around her.

As the weeks and months go by, Phoebe has lost much of her strength. Her walker has turned into a wheelchair. She's always been one to dress to perfection. The perms and manicures have had to be put on hold many times. But we still have our friendly visits and telephone calls. I have grown to love her dearly and consider her one of my best friends. She hasn't lost her sense of humor or her thoughtfulness for others.

Her living twins and a daughter-in-law from Tennessee recently paid her a visit. It lifted her spirits. She has a two year old great grandson, who lives in Chandler. Little Baron's visits give Phoebe and I a lot to talk and brag about. Isn't that what grandmothers are suppose to do?

Written by Donna Cleveland-Cody FCC Volunteer

Roses for Mobile Meal Participants

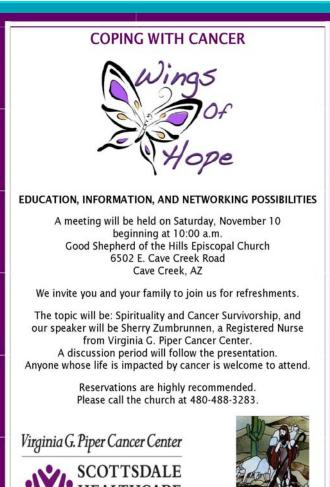
Each participant of the Mobile Meals Program was surprised with a beautiful bouquet of roses, courtesy of Carefree Resort & Conference Center. Foothills Caring Corps and the VA State Nursing Home were the beneficiaries of all the beautiful arrangements from a recent floral show held at the Resort.



Those pictured from Carefree Resort include:
Dave Rosenbaum, Senior Sales Manager; Terri Thate,
Reservation Manager; Astolfo Mendoza, Banquet Manager; Mike O'Hearn, SR Conference Service Manager;
Martha Pleites, Front Desk Manager; Mary Concepcion,
Conference Service Manager; Jae Geis, HR Director;
Brian Bishop, Executive Housekeeper; Candy Scott, General Manager; Jennifer Henderson, Executive Assistant;
Eugene Knox, Executive Chef; Tom Burgard, Engineering
Supervisor; Foothills Caring Corps: Debbra Determan,
Exective Director and Pat Pollara, Administrative Assistant.

The Mobile Meals Program has undergone several changes in the past few months, from new more creative and delicious daily menus to the new more efficient hot and cold delivery containers. These new containers help insure safe temperatures of the food at the time of delivery. The neighbors are calling to tell us how tasty and warm their meals are! During the summer months we reduced the delivery routes to four which increased the driving time and distance for our volunteers. Starting October 15th we will increase the routes to five and utilize more new and existing volunteers in our Program. All of these new changes are great but what we learned recently is many of our old procedures work very well. In addition to delivering meals, our volunteers provide a service by checking on the wellbeing of our neighbors. Our emergency procedures were tested recently and on both occasions we were able to secure the appropriate emergency and nonemergency help for our neighbors in need. A big THANK YOU to all of the volunteers on our Mobile Meals Team!





Putt for the Putt Putt with the Foothills Caring Corps

Tonto Verde Golf Club

April 17, 2013



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

Title Sponsor: \$10,000 Reception Sponsor: \$1,500 Hole Sponsor: \$1,000

Margaritas at Registration Sponsor: \$1,000

Wine Sponsor: \$1,000

Sponsor for the \$5,000 10/20/30 Putt Contest: \$500

Signage Sponsor: \$300



Foothills Caring Corps has been working to "freshen" our communication materials. We are now photographing many of our activities, services, volunteers, neighbors, events, meetings, and updating our three videos. Please

take a look at our videos—give us some ideas, tell us what you like about our newsletters, give us constructive ideas on our website. We aim to recruit volunteers, donors, sponsors, partners, and neighbors. You can help us design our materials. Let us know your ideas.

Go to the following link to view the Caring Corps' videos www.foothillscaringcorps.com/videos

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