

Community Coach Connections



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Program Specialist Spotlight

“I could not be more thrilled to have had the opportunity to join the YRP team this month as the Program Specialist. As a recent graduate with a degree in Psychology and Human Development, I’m ecstatic to finally get the hands on experience of working for a nonprofit that is making a difference in our community. I have always had the desire to use my skills, creativity, and compassion to help others in a meaningful way. The Reentry Project shows individuals that there is hope for their future after incarceration by providing resources, connection, and empowerment. Everyone deserves another chance when it comes to making things right again and the successes of YRP prove that we shouldn’t define others based off of their past. I can’t wait to be a part of some of these amazing success stories in the future!”



We are excited to welcome Kendelle to our team.! Her passion for solution and change is inspiring .

Kendelle Wilkinson

Participant Spotlight



Celestia

“If it wasn’t for the Yavapai Reentry Project I really don’t know where I would be right now. As it is I have a steady job, a home and many friends, all thanks to contacts made through Yavapai Reentry. When I was contemplating my release from Yavapai County Jail I was scared. I didn’t know where I was going to go, what I was going to do, or even who would pick me up upon my release. Yavapai Reentry arranged for my transportation to Sustony sober living. I learned so much from Sustony and made a great deal of like-minded friends. None of that would have been possible without the aid of Yavapai Reentry.

Clarissa took me to Stepping Stones to get clothes for job interviews and provided me with the basic necessities to restart my life. Being from San Diego I didn’t know anyone in Prescott Valley but Yavapai Reentry teamed me with an awesome community coach, Mary Alice. She was not only a mentor but also a friend who felt like family. Mary Alice kept me motivated to reach my potential and I hope upon

graduating the program we remain close. In short, Yavapai Reentry changed my life for the better and for that I will be forever grateful.”

Celestia - She continues to move forward in a healthy positive direction. We are so proud of all her hard work and the steps she continues to take towards change.

Let’s Celebrate!

Celebrating **Two** people successfully completing the program!

February Enrollments: **10**

Total Participants Assisted: **60**



Resources



- [Removing Labels](#)
- [Father Gregory Boyle](#)
- [Marijuana Harmless Think Again](#)