



# Tri-City Partnership for Special Children and Families

Prescott Valley  
Parks and Rec  
Special Needs  
Youth/Family  
Dances

**VALENTINE'S  
DANCE-BRING  
A SWEET-  
HEART!!!**

**FEBRUARY  
11TH 4:00-  
6:00PM**

Coyote Springs Elementary School's Gymnasium off of Hwy 89A. CC the Spin DR and DR Hip Hop perform their musical magic for each themed dance. Refreshments are provided. These are not drop-off dances, at least one caregiver or parent must accompany the youth, but we encourage the entire family to participate. Come and join in on the fun! For more information contact Jason 759-3097

## SPECIAL THANK YOU..

To all of you who made this year's holiday party such a success. We had over 300 families in attendance with 130 kids receiving gifts from Mr. & Mrs. Claus. We'd like to thank the following contributors; Marianne Hentz, Woods family, A.I.R.E.S, D.D.D., Walmart, PV Parks & Rec, Sue Marsh, Cmdr. Molianaro, ASSIST, Theodoroff family, High Country Speech and Early Intervention, Kay Turner, Beth & Sherrie Stoltman, Virginia Soutar, Joan Coli, Debbie Duncanson, C.A.P., P.V Kiwanis, Leona Hostetler, Craig Cobb, Mary Molasky, Targer, Ric Soutar, True Value, Metro Care, Haag family, Creative Networks, Walgreens, ALTCs, People First and Connie Robinson, Debbie Burleson, The Gilliland family, The Ward family, the Sweeney family and Anne in Chino and the many other anonymous donators.



## SPOTLIGHT ON...

**PEOPLE FIRST.** People First has been in operation for a little over a year. It was started by Connie Robinson with hopes of providing home-based service choices for families with disabilities. Connie has worked in this field for 26 years. People First provides Home Community Based Services (personal care, housekeeping, errands etc.) authorized by DDD or for private pay. They also work with Vocational Rehabilitation, providing transportation to clients. This year the addition of Joan Coli and Susan Roberts will allow People First to expand into the areas of Cottonwood and Flagstaff. Additionally, they are considering adding new services such as Adult Developmental Homes and Child Developmental Homes, Employment Services and a possible new contract with Yavapai Long Term Care. People First is an agency that stands out with quality individualized services, great public relations and good benefits to caregivers to encourage longevity. Connie encourages you to call her if you have any questions at 759-7167.

### DOES SOMEONE YOU LOVE HAVE DOWN SYNDROME?

Are you interested in forming an advocacy group in the

Prescott area?

If you would like to participate, contact

:

Judy Brewer

928.445.1693

judytbrewer@msn.com

## Tri-City Partnership

New office hours M, W, F 9:30-1:30

**NEXT MEETINGS: JANUARY 26TH & FEBRUARY 23RD**

...at the Step One Community Center, 3343 N Windsong Dr, Prescott Valley, 12:00- 2:00pm Bring a lunch.  
*We'll also be visiting the BRIDGES Program over at Mountain View Elementary on Jan 26.*

Tri City Partnership is a parent/professional group making differences in the community for people with special needs. If you are not receiving a copy of our newsletter by mail every month and/or timely e-mails we forward with pertinent information from agencies on upcoming programs, events and items of interest, and would like to receive this information, please call 772-5048 or e-mail us tricitypartners@cableone.net



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# PARKS & REC

## Prescott

All activities are at Grace Sparks Activity Center, (old Armory) 824 E. Gurley unless otherwise noted. For more information on any of these activities, contact Stacy at 777-1554.

Feb 2—Social Night out; Feb 11- Dance 7:00-9:00pm; Feb 15—Bingo 6:00-7:30pm; Feb 23—  
Craft Night 6:00-7:30pm \*Swimming - Thursdays 4-5pm, free \*Light Aerobics -Tuesdays  
4-5pm, free

\*Aerobics and swimming are on-going at the YMCA. Sign up first at the Activity Center and then come when you can.

Call for info on Trail Blazers, Rock-n-Roll Bowling, "Special" outings and Special Olympics

## Prescott Valley

### Wheelchair Basketball A workout for all basketball players

Begins March 15, 2006 at Coyote Springs Elementary School, 8181 E. Hwy  
89A **Wednesday evenings, 7:00PM to 8:30PM** No Fee! Teams now forming,  
sign-up now! Contact Ken Edwards at 772-1266 for transportation assistance. Contact Roy Jenkins at 759-5518 if you would like to help with this program. Registration

at Prescott Valley Civic Center Parks & Recreation Department, fourth floor 7501 E. Civic Circle, 86314!

### Wheelchair "Over the Line" Wiffleball Baseball

For the avid baseball player! At Coyote Springs Elementary School Gym **Begins: March 2006**. No Fee! This exciting 3' on 3' wiffleball program is the fastest growing wheelchair activity in Arizona. "Get in the Game!" Call Roy Jenkins regarding clinics, demonstrations, games and leagues at 759-5518.

### SPECIAL OLYMPICS TRACK n FIELD

Saturday's, starting Feb 11th

10:00-11:30

Area Games—April 8th

State Games—May 4th -6th



ALSO COMING...POWER LIFTING

CALL KIM STAMPER FOR MORE INFORMATION 772-0698

#### Our Current Community Partners:

A.I.R.E.S. - 772-6539  
Alpha Group Administrators - 899-0332  
ARC of AZ /Prescott OASIS- 778-3532  
A.S.S.I.S.T. - 443-9290  
AzEarly Intervention Program-759-5591  
C.C. The Spin Dr.- 776-7612  
Chino Area Partnership - 636-9623  
Chino Valley Parks & Rec- 636-9780  
Civitan-708-0818, 636-7477  
CVUSD- Allan Grell - 636-0363  
Creative Networks- 717-9981  
DES/DDD- 778-5290  
4CCDD- 778-3391  
Families with Special Healthcare Needs  
High Country Early Intervention- 776-9285  
High Country Speech -776-4349  
Horses with Heart—Cindy Price 533-9178  
HUSD- Kay Turner - 759-4040  
Intermountain Agencies - 636-2881  
Local Law Enforcement Agencies  
Metro-Care - 759-2778  
New Horizons ILC, -772-1266  
People First - 759-7167  
Prescott Parks & Rec- Stacy 777-1554  
Prescott Pediatric OT - 771-2406  
PUSD- Nancy Martinez - 717-3236  
Prescott Valley Parks & Rec- 759-5518  
Project Insight- 445-5082  
Sander Physical Therapy- 771-8156  
Self Advocates  
Special Olympics- 772-0698  
Stepping Stones - 772-4184  
Tri-City office-772-5048  
VIP Soccer- 775-9080  
Vocational Rehabilitation - 445-6432  
West Yavapai Guidance Clinic-445-5211  
West Yavapai Transition Team  
Yavapai College Leadership Center-  
717-7621  
Yavapai Co. Community Health Center -  
771-3121  
Y E I- API 445-0991 / 772-6235  
YRMC - Nursing Admin. - 771-5684  
Youth Count - 708-0100  
Youth Volunteer Corps - 708-0100