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**REAL WISHES FOUNDATION**

**Membership Application/Donation**

*You can become a member of the Foundation by  
purchasing either a Polo shirt or a T-shirt or by mak-  
ing a donation.*

***Please submit this form with your commitment!***

**Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

*I would like to become a member by  
purchasing: (you will need to pick up your  
shirt from our office due to mailing costs)*

*A Polo Shirt (\$20) \_\_\_\_\_*

*A T-Shirt (\$15) \_\_\_\_\_*

***And/or***

*I would like to donate \$ \_\_\_\_\_*

***Donations are tax deductible.*** Couples who file  
jointly can reduce their state taxes by up to \$400; indi-  
viduals or head of household filers can claim a tax  
credit of up to \$200.



*For more information please call the Foundation at  
(520) 458-5709 or (520) 458-7802*

*Real  
Wishes  
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***Paying it forward to  
our community!***

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Southeast Arizona Association of REALTORS®, Inc.

*Since its inception as a non-profit organization, the Real Wishes Foundation has fulfilled the wishes of many in need, and has “paid it forward” to our community in many different ways.*

## History of the Foundation

The Real Wishes Committee began in 2005 with the help of local Realtors® and Business Partners. The concept was simple “help those in our community that were in need”. The principal has not changed. The first two years the committee was able to help over 30 families with necessary repairs to their homes, fencing, a shed, painting, furniture and even a new porch.

In 2008 the Real Wishes Committee formed a 501(c)3 Foundation and continued their commitment to helping those in need.

### Mission Statement

The mission of the Foundation is to pay it forward to our community which provides our livelihood. The Foundation will seek individuals or organizations in need and will work diligently to help fulfill those needs.

The foundation not only works one on one with individuals but they also help to support the local non-profits in the area by providing supplies, funding and volunteers.

### **Monument Fire 2011**

We helped with the Monument Fire/Flood Relief efforts and raised a little over a \$1M in cash and supplies, allowing us to pay out \$130,000 to those who lost their homes. We successfully assisted evacuees and those that have lost their homes with providing a “one stop shop” of donated items as well as financial assistance. We provided endless support and supplies to the firefighters and other volunteers that were battling the blaze.

## Wishes Granted

Through the years the foundation has helped over a thousand people and families in our community. The assistance comes in many forms from volunteers helping clean up a home or yard, paying for utility bills, roofs, plumbing and other medical cost, to vehicles and/or repairs which provides the opportunity for individuals to get back on their feet.

Through donations and volunteers we are able to continue to our commitment. As a small non-profit we have very little overhead so a large majority of funds raised go to help those in our community. Our Board of Directors and support staff are all volunteers.



## Local Programs

### **Habitat for Humanity Playhouse**

Beginning in 2010, the Real Wishes Foundation began participating in the annual Habitat Playhouse Raffle. This helps raise much needed funds for Habitat for Humanity. The Real Wishes Foundation has, thus far built 2 one of a kind playhouses and 2 gazebos through donated material and our great volunteers.

### **Habitat for Humanity Women Build Day**

We participate yearly in the local Habitat for Humanity Women Build event

### **Relay for Life**

We have participated in the annual Sierra Vista Relay for Life event since 2010. So far we have raised over \$20,500 for The American Cancer Society.

### **Halloween Fall Festival**

Since October 2009 our members have been participating in the annual Halloween Fall Festival. We set up a game table for the kids and distribute candy throughout the evening. This helps to ensure a safe environment for the children—and FUN!

### **West End Clean Up**

We have participated in the yearly community clean up since it's beginning in 2009.

### **Coats for Kids**

Took over the Coats for Kids program in 2010 to ensure school age children had warm winter coats.

### **Senior Angel Tree**

Since 2011 we have worked with the Salvation Army to provide gifts for those seniors in the community that did not have family or income to have a Christmas.