

Children from Arizona

"Fly with Camp Soaring Eagle"

We are proud to announce that Camp Soaring Eagle will serve its first campers this summer, as part of the Association of Hole in the Wall Camps - *Camp On the Move Program*.

The Camp on the Move Program is designed for new camps under development to send local children to existing member camps. This program allows children to embark on new adventures and enjoy a carefree, restorative respite away from home before their local Hole in the Wall Camp has been completely built. This program will allow Camp Soaring Eagle to raise awareness and recruit medical partners and staff to assist in developing our own program.



Camp Soaring Eagle will escort 15 children from Arizona to the original Hole in the Wall Gang Camp founded by the late Paul Newman and 5 children to The Painted Turtle Camp in Lake Hughes, California.

We will serve campers with congenital immuno-deficiencies, hereditary neuromuscular conditions, blood disorders and teen oncology patients for an unforgettable week of camp.

Camp is completely free of charge to the campers and their families and funded through charitable contributions. The cost to send a child to camp is \$1500 per child. This tax deductible contribution includes, airfare, hotel accommodations, ground transportation, insurance, meals and camp apparel.

If you or your company are interested in sponsoring a child, please contact Jennifer Perry at 928-284-2287 or e-mail her at jperry@campsoaringeagle.org.



Poem from a Camper

A Special Thanks -

*"Camp is a place where I can go,
I don't have to try to put on a show.
Everyone can relate, I don't hafta hide,
They all have gone on a similar ride.
We all faced the same fight, we did it together,
Now we'll all be best friends forever.
We can support and understand each others fears,
We know how it feels and why we shed tears.
We share a special bond that no one can take,
A special bond that will never break.
I love them all like sisters and brothers,
They're one of a kind, there are no others.
I wouldn't have met them if it wasn't for you,
Thank you The Hole In The Wall Gang Camp for all that you do."*

- Camper Courtney
The Hole in the Wall Gang Camp



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Donor Spotlight – Ernesto Castro

"I didn't know anything about the Hole in the Wall Camps until this past summer, when our banker invited us to attend a presentation at a Wachovia luncheon in Phoenix. It was a very warm, inspirational, and enlightening event that touched my heart. What really made me want to support Camp Soaring Eagle was watching the video. When I saw Paul Newman with those smiling kids, I knew I had to get involved.

Children are very important to the balance and warmth of this world. When I see children who are suffering and are seeking to have fun -- I have to do all I can for them. What also deeply touched me was Max James' emotions when he talked about the Camp. Every time he speaks about the Camp he is overcome with emotion, a way I feel everyone should feel. His passion for the Camp and the kids comes directly from his heart.

In closing, I have selected Camp Soaring Eagle as my charity of choice because of the kids, because I feel strongly that everyone should do whatever they can for children. That is what heaven is made of, and that is what the Bible says. Please join us in supporting Camp Soaring Eagle with your time, love, donations and generosity - because it's about the kids."



Isabel Castro, Ernesto Castro and Max James

Ernesto Castro, Council of Eagles
Founder & CEO, Arizona A.F.O. Inc
Mesa, Arizona

Open Hearted Donors Celebrate the Healing Power of Laughter with Jane Seymour

On Monday, February 23rd, Camp Soaring Eagle hosted its first Annual Donor Recognition Reception at the home of Max and Linda James in Sedona. Guests were welcomed by our official spokeswoman Jane Seymour and her husband, James Keach and were treated to gourmet delights provided by Dahl and DiLuca Decadent Catering and music by flamenco guitarist Greg Reiter. Founder's Max and Linda James personally thanked each guest for their continued support and premiered the Camp's new video, narrated by Jane Seymour.



Jane Seymour, Mark Morris,
Dionne Morris, Dick Fritsche



Pete and Kathy LoPresti



Sharla Simmers, Jodie
Byers, Heidi Kaldor



Jane Seymour
and
James Keach

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Have You Seen the New Camp Soaring Eagle Video Narrated by Jane Seymour?

In February, Camp Soaring Eagle launched it's brand new camp video narrated by Jane Seymour and graciously produced by her husband James Keach. The video premiered at the Sedona International Film festival and aired prior to all films during the weeklong event.



As a result of the video we have secured our first media sponsor Sedona NOW who will air the promotional video during their daily programming for the next 12 months.

To view the video, please visit our website:
www.CampSoaringEagle.org

or
request a DVD copy by
e-mailing: info@campsoaringeagle.org

We encourage you to share the video with as many people as possible. With this, we will be able to spread the word to thousands of people like you who share in our passion to provide children with serious illnesses the opportunity to kick back and just be kids.



Steve Young Shows His Support!

Steve Young and the Forever Young Foundation have shown a lot of support for Camp Soaring Eagle over the last few months. Steve Young and the Forever

Young Foundation were one of our first camper sponsors and are leading the way in assisting us to send children to camp this summer.

Camp Soaring Eagle also was one of the beneficiary charities at the Bain Capital, Steve Young Desert Classic Golf Tournament, held at the Gray hawk Golf Club in Scottsdale on March 25th.



Max James & Steve Young



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How You can Help!

Make a Secure On-Line Donation on our Website:

www.CampSoaringEagle.org

Camp Soaring Eagle is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. All donations are tax deductible to the extent allowable by law.

Sponsor A Camper – Forms available on our website

Host a Fundraiser – The possibilities are endless

- Host a Gala Dinner
- Sponsor a Road Race
- Swim a Mile with a Smile
- Have a Charity Motorcycle Ride

Business Promotion Ideas

- Offer customers to add \$1 to their bill
- Follow the lead of Sun Devil Fire & AKM and invite employees to donate 1 hour of pay per month to send kids to camp.
- Include a Camp Brochure with your Invoice
- Add Camp Soaring Eagle to your Newsletter

Paint A Tile & Leave a Smile

For \$10 you can paint a tile at Imagine Art in Sedona and the tile will be installed in the cabin with the proceeds benefitting Camp Soaring Eagle. If you don't live in Sedona and would like to start this program in your community, please call Jennifer Perry.

To Get Started Contact Jennifer Perry
928-284-2287 or jperry@CampSoaringEagle.org

Association of Hole in the Wall Camps

Camp Soaring Eagle aspires to be a member of the Association of Hole in the Wall Camps. We are following a set of guidelines that we hope will lead to provisional membership and then full membership upon the opening of our camp. These requirements are designed to assure that each member camp provides the highest level of safety and programming for the children. They are also designed to assure that each member camp has sound financial support. At this time the Association of Hole in the Wall Camps is assisting Camp Soaring Eagle to meet the necessary requirements. Being a part of such a well-established and acclaimed network of camps will provide Camp Soaring Eagle with the experience, knowledge and support to operate at the highest level of excellence.

Meet Some of The Camp Soaring Eagle Team

Jarita Davis, Development Officer, Arizona



Jarita Davis is our newest addition to the Camp Soaring Eagle team. Jarita is in charge of the Camp's Capital Campaign. Prior to joining the camp she was a Principal at Davis Consulting, a philanthropic development consulting firm located in Arizona. During her career she has served as Executive Director of Development at Stoneybrooke Christian Schools, V.P. of Client Services at Experian Information Systems, and V.P. of Faculty Services at Houghton Mifflin to name a few. If you are interested in supporting the Camp Soaring Eagle Capital Campaign, you can reach Jarita at 702-575-0726.

Rick James, Director of Community Outreach



Many of you probably have met Rick our Director of Community Outreach. Rick is actively involved promoting the camp and it's mission throughout Northern Arizona. Rick has been instrumental in our involvement in the Sedona Community Fair, The Sedona Village Business Association, Rotary and various community events. If your organization would like to get involved in assisting Camp Soaring Eagle to deliver the healing power of laughter please contact Rick at 928-284-9393.

Upcoming Events

- 4/18/09 Sun Devil Golf Tournament**
Wigwam Golf Resort
Litchfield Park, AZ
- 4/25/09 William Shatner's**
Hollywood Charity Horse Show
Burbank, California
- 6/09/09 Flying with Camp Soaring Eagle**
Campers attend The Hole In The Wall Gang Camp, Ashford, CT
- 7/23/09 Flying with Camp Soaring Eagle**
Campers attend The Painted Turtle Camp Lake Hughes, CA
- 10/4/09 Camp Soaring Eagle Annual Golf Tournament**
Seven Canyons, Sedona


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