

Camp Colley

FOUNDATION

Greetings,



We invite you to join us for the 5th Annual Camp Colley Golf Tournament on Saturday, April 10, 2010, at Aguila Golf Course, 8440 South 35th Avenue (35th Avenue, just south of Baseline Road.)



For some kids, the great outdoors is a foreign place. They've never stood underneath a towering oak, never skipped stones across a sparkling lake and never witnessed the wonder of a shooting star. Camp Colley was created just for these kids. Nestled in the inspiring Ponderosa Pines on Arizona's Mogollon Rim, Camp Colley is a secluded adventure camp that introduces underprivileged youth to the fun and education of outdoor recreation.



The camp is one of Arizona's most effective interventions for at-risk, inner-city youth and people with life challenges. Camp Colley was named in honor of James A. Colley, who served for 22 years as the director of the city of Phoenix Parks, Recreation and Library Department. Mr. Colley believed that parks and recreation services were essential to the quality of life for all. So the camp not only bears his name, but it also reflects his commitment to the outdoor experience and the enduring benefit it provides.



The generosity of our sponsors, donors and golfers has enabled us to complete the dining hall, with a full commercial kitchen and seating for 68 participants, the solar electric system, two wash crossings, and the bathhouse. We would like to continue to build facilities, but, with a loss of funding for programs, our fundraising efforts for now must focus on keeping programs and seasonal recreational opportunities alive for kids and families to experience at Camp Colley!



Our success is all thanks to you! To help us continue to serve our youth, we hope you will participate as a golfer, sponsor or donor. Information on the golf tournament, or just how you can help support Camp Colley, is provided with this letter.



Thank you for helping us provide an experience of a lifetime for the kids that visit Camp Colley. Learning through nature helps them build character and learn about themselves. They develop lasting values and leave with memories that will stay with them forever.



Your support of the Camp Colley Foundation is greatly appreciated!

Sincerely,



Kathleen Kilfoyle
2010 Golf Committee Chair