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#### WINTER

#### **NEWSLETTER 2023**

## Happy Holidays from all of us to you and your families!

# Forever and always on our mind Mana

In the Spring of 2001, my husband's grandmother, Lenora, or known to our family as our beloved "Nana", was diagnosed with biliary tube cancer by her doctor in California. Upon hearing of the dreadful diagnosis, she decided she wanted to move back to her hometown in Yuma, Arizona.

Our family, and her husband, Nick, helped pack her belongings two or three months after learning of her devastating diagnosis. In Yuma, our beloved, "Nana" would have family members to provide the care and support she would need during this difficult time. Her daughter and granddaughter, Doris and Janette, were readily available to be our Nana's caregivers.

After settling back in her hometown of Yuma, my husband and I, were in frequent contact with family members and our Nana to find out how she was doing. A few months later, our family traveled back to Yuma to visit Nana, when we saw her, she did not look well. She had lost a lot of weight, and it was extremely noticeable. As I helped my beloved Nana shower, I noticed I could see every vertebra in her spine and all of the bones in her rib cage. Although she attempted to eat, all she was able to do was nibble a few bites during her meal time. It was evident, she was experiencing excruciating pain and suffering. The doctor prescribed a patch for her pain, but it was not enough. She was still experiencing dreadful pain, and it was not helping her remain in a comfortable state.

During one of our family visits to Yuma, I felt I needed to find out more information to help our Nana stay as comfortable as possible. I decided to look in the phone book for hospice assistance. The only place listed in the phone book was The Hospice of Yuma. Once I located the phone number and address, I told my family members I was going to run an errand and I'd return shortly. Instead, I decided to drive to the Hospice of Yuma to seek the advice and support I so desperately needed. As I entered the office, I still remember to this day, how I was greeted in such a warm, caring, and kind way. I sat down to speak with a hospice staff member, and I explained all that my Nana was going through. The hospice staff member was very understanding and supportive as I explained how my Nana needed some help because she was suffering from biliary tube cancer. The staff member was very calm and patient with me, as I got the answers to my questions.

After meeting the Hospice of Yuma staff member, I returned home and decided to share what I had learned with Nana. I lovingly asked my Nana if she would be willing to have a nurse from the Hospice of Yuma come and assist and provide additional support and comfort at home. I also explained the family would be present during the Hospice of Yuma nurse's visit. After thinking about it, she agreed to have the Hospice of Yuma nurse come and provide additional support. We scheduled a day and time for the nurse to come and talk to our Nana.

The day arrived for our scheduled meeting with the hospice nurse. During this meeting the hospice nurse answered all of the questions our family and Nana had about hospice. The Hospice of Yuma nurse cleared up all the misconceptions about hospice and provided us the accurate information our Nana and family needed at this time. The Hospice of Yuma nurse was with our family for quite a while, and she was very thorough with the information provided to us. During our meeting with the Hospice of Yuma nurse, she made us aware of what support and assistance hospice would be able to provide. Our Nana was worried about signing up for the additional help, but the Hospice of Yuma nurse explained it was totally up to Nana and her family—there was no pressure whatsoever.

Our Nana thought about it a bit, and felt it was a very good idea. Our Nana went to live with her daughter, Doris, a few short months later. I continued to check on my beloved Nana every day, and kept in touch with family to see how everything was working out with hospice. My family and Nana gave such high praises to the Hospice of Yuma for the care being given to our Nana.

Nana passed away on October 2002. Hospice of Yuma helped to provide the most comfortable care for her until the end. Our family and I can attest our Nana received the best care during her time with hospice. Hospice of Yuma was truly wonderful.

As time went on, my dream was to become a registered nurse. I worked for YRMC for 15 years, but I never forgot the care Hospice of Yuma gave to my Nana. So much of that warmth stayed with me that somehow I wanted to help others because of the kindness rendered to my Nana and our family. In September, 2022, I began working as a registered nurse with Hospice of Yuma, and it is the best job ever. I enjoy helping families with the care for their ailing family members.



Judith (Chris) Ruiz, RN

# A MESSAGE FROM JOHN WILLIAMS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## END OF YEAR GIVING 2023

As the end of 2023 nears, it is important to remind yourself that time is running out for charitable giving that could reduce your tax burden come April 15, 2024. If you still itemize your tax deductions on your tax return, one of the best ways to increase those donations is to give more to a qualified charitable organization. Besides doing a good thing, you receive a tax deduction that can be used to reduce your taxable income.

I have always liked the statement "I live here, I give here." Local nonprofits in Yuma County, like Hospice of Yuma, need your support. We simply cannot meet our mission if we do not have help. When you work at a local community nonprofit, you quickly learn that the needs of people you serve often outweigh the resources you have. Generous donors are the lifeblood of local nonprofits; the work they do makes the community you live in better. Whether it is feeding the hungry, clothing and sheltering the homeless, or caring for the uninsured terminally ill in your community, your local nonprofits serve a vital purpose. So please consider giving locally here in Yuma County and feel good about the difference your generosity will make where you live.

As a 501(c)3 charitable organization, the money donated to Hospice of Yuma goes to assist terminally ill patients who do not have insurance. We make a difference in people's lives, but it is only because you make a difference with your generosity.

We realize that 2023 has been a financial drain on everyone. Recent studies have indicated that for the first half of 2023 that charitable giving had decreased 10% versus 2022. Inflation has hit most donors extremely hard, and donors are holding on to money because of uncertainty in the direction the economy is going to go. Many individuals and businesses who donated generously in the past are simply unsure. I want all of Hospice of Yuma's supporters to know that if you want to donate your donation does not have to be beyond your means. Whatever local nonprofit you feel passionate about, I encourage you to set a goal of sending \$25.00 by December 31, 2023. Trust me, any Yuma area nonprofits will be thrilled. With multiple end of year givers small amounts can add up fast and you will be part of making a difference in our community.

For more information on year end charitable giving to Hospice of Yuma please contact us at 928-343-2222.

John Williams

Executive Director Hospice of Yuma



# Voted Yuma's Best 5 Years in a Row!

Hello Donors, Relatives, Families and Friends! It's that time of year to vote for Yuma's Best of 2023. Your vote helps support Hospice of Yuma, the only 4-Star Hospice in town. Vote for Hospice of Yuma in the Yuma Sun Readers' Choice contest. The contest is from December 1-31, 2023.

Hospice of Yuma and the Hospice of Yuma Thrift Shop will be listed for the 2023 Yuma's Best contest under the following categories:

- Healthy Living Best Hospice
- Community Culture (Best Place to Volunteer Your Time)
- Fashion & Style (Thrift Shop)
- Entertainment "Charity Event / Community Benefit Project" to vote for Hospice of Yuma's P.K. Hodges Golf Tournament

We may be listed in other categories, so please make sure you check your ballot!

Hospice of Yuma has proudly served our community since 1981. Our organization was birthed through a grassroots movement of community volunteers to bring hospice care to Yuma as an option for terminally ill patients that wanted to be at home with their loved one's rather than remain in the hospital. Hospice care has spread over the past decades and more and more people in our community contact Hospice of Yuma when a loved one is diagnosed with a terminal illness. Many things have changed in our community since 1981, but the mission of Hospice of Yuma continues to provide the best end-of-life care for the terminally ill in our community. We remain committed to providing excellence in everything we do for the benefit of our community.

Being a non-profit organization there is no greater honor than to have our community recognize and support what we do and what better way to support us in a non-monetary way than to vote for Hospice of Yuma for Yuma's Best of 2023 contest in the abovementioned categories. All we are asking is for a few minutes of your time. You may vote one time per email address.

> Please vote Hospice of Yuma for Yuma's Best of 2023 December 1-31, 2023 heritage.secondstreetapp.com or scan the QR Code



# THRIFT SHOP

This winter, the Hospice of Yuma Thrift Shop is having their second annual Thrift-mas raffle. Tickets will be available until December 15th. We received many donations from our local businesses Hermosa's Spa and Salon, Crazy Earls, Donut Corral, Wicked Wicks, The Crafty Pumpkin and many more! Proceeds from this raffle will go towards the upkeep of our delivery truck. Speaking of which we've updated the logo on the truck so, be sure to keep an eye out when you see us driving around town.







Staff and Volunteers join Micheal as he receives his sixmonth volunteering award.

Jerry on truck, Juan carrying the end table, Michael our newest truck volunteer and Irene a returning volunteer cleaning vintage furniture.



Kris our volunteer showing off all the summer throw pillows that were donated by Big Lots!



The brand-new blue lift-chair donated looks beautiful alongside out newly painted blue walls.

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE YUMA'S BEST IN DECEMBER FOR BEST HOSPICE OF YUMA THRIFT SHOP AND BEST PLACE TO VOLUNTEER FOR 20231 5

# BEREAVIENTERT & COMMUNITY SERVICES

This year at the Grief Support Center, we received so much joy and lots of surprises. First and foremost, we celebrated our one year anniversary on September 27th. We had a great turnout with guests and friends who took time from their busy schedules to celebrate with us. John Williams, Executive Director, shared his own thoughts and future projects for our grief support center, which we appreciated since his words came from his heart, and the people who participated in this celebration were able to meet and have a conversation with him in person. Thank you, John, for such a touching moment!



# Memory Bear Volunteer Group



Thank you

This was a great opportunity to recognize several of our volunteers that help us through out the year. I would like to start by introducing out wonderful volunteer group that make out memory bears. We have Sue Elliot, Kristin Osuna, Laura Morales, Anita Molar, Pat May, Mary Doshay, and Chris Ruiz (Hospice of Yuma RN). Thank you for all your talent and hard work. As of this date they have sewn and created 58 memory bears and all have been picked up or delivered. These ladies met each other for the first time and we were able to take a group picture. It only takes one memory bear in a family, for them to feel that their loved one will always be part of their homes and their lives  $\infty$  We would also like to recognize our "Voices of Joy" Volunteers for all their support in our community during the year. They provide musical performances to the residents at Ativo Assisted Living, Emerald Springs, Yuma Senior Living, Yuma Nursing Center, Desert Rose Independent Living, Catholic Community Services Daybreak Adult Care Program, Maxi's Loving Place, River Valley Estates, Arizona State Veterans Home, Beehive Homes, San Luis and Somerton Senior Centers.

The Voices of Joy began as a small group when it first started, and now it has grown so much. We appreciate every single one of you. The Voices of Joy are Susan Verness, Margy Erskine, Lynn Hernandez, Leonard Diedolf, Ruth Ann McLaughlin, Vickie Powell, Carol Bennett, Joie-Brown, Maria Vega-Lime, Josh Gonzalez, Steve Cash, and Sherry Binger. Thank you Sherry for taking the lead for this wonderful group of volunteers. The group performed 32 times this year!!! Great job everybody!

#### "Music can heal the wounds that medicine cannot touch."









We would also like to recognize everyone who courageously completed our grief recovery method program between September 2022 – September 2023. It was such a pleasure to see each one of them walk to the podium to receive a "heart with ears" pin. We really appreciate every one of you who've trusted this program and have shared so much about your individual lives with us during the 8 consecutive weeks! . We have had a total of 46 graduates and 4 future graduates who will complete this program in November. Our grief support center invites you to be part of this successful program during January and February of 2024.

We continue promoting our bereavement services in the community. We provide 1-1 grief support by appointments, our monthly calendar has several grief support meetings which include Loss of Spouse, Survivors of Suicide, and Open Grief Support Groups. We have had a total of 1,240 people who have benefited from our programs. Thank you All!

# LEAVING A LEGACY THROUGH RETIREMENT ASSETS

Over the past 5 decades, Americans have become much more focused at putting money away for retirement. According to a report from the Investment Company Institute, America's retirement assets totaled \$33.7 trillion as of June 30, 2022. The report went on to point out that retirement assets accounted for 31% of total household wealth.

Over the past few years many people who have entered retirement have realized that they have more assets than they may need and have chosen to use some of that wealth to support their favorite charitable causes.

Recently, Hospice of Yuma was a recipient of a 401k assets of a long-term donor who left us in his estate. The funds have been instrumental in helping with our Charitable Care Program for dying patients without insurance coverage or the ability to pay for their care, as well as to support the Hospice of Yuma's Community Grief Support Center. This was our first time receiving a charitable beneficiary retirement asset and we wanted to provide more information for your consideration.

Two of the most common ways donors can use their retirement assets to support charitable causes are:

<u>1. Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCD)</u>

This method of giving is the fastest growing area of charitable giving.

Q. What is a Qualified Charitable Distribution, and why has it become so popular?

A. A Qualified Charitable Distribution is a tax-free distribution from an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) to a charity.

Before the creation of the QCD distributions from IRAs to charity would have been virtually 100% taxable to the donor, so very few people were using their IRAs to support causes they cared about during their lifetimes.

The following are important requirements:

- The donor must be at least 70.5 years of age at the time of the distribution.
- Tax-free distributions to nonprofits are limited to \$100,000 per year/per IRA owner.
- The distribution can count toward the IRA owner's Required Minimum Distribution (RMD).

There were some tweaks to IRA distribution rules in 2020 that pushed the required beginning date for retirement distributions for many people to age 72, (73 if you reach age 72 after Dec. 31, 2022), but a QCD at age 70.5 is still worth considering.

Year-end is a time when many donors contemplate the charitable gifts they will make, and a Qualified Charitable Distribution may be a good fit for donors looking to maximize their charitable giving.

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#### 2. Beneficiary Designations

Naming nonprofit organizations, like Hospice of Yuma, as a beneficiary of retirement started to become popular in the late 1990s. It has taken some time and education from financial professionals and estate planning lawyers to inform donors of this option. As some donors realized that they would likely not use all their retirement assets during their lifetimes, they decided to direct some, or all, of the excess to their favorite charities after their death.

If left to family or friends, retirement assets are almost always 100% taxable to them at their highest income tax rate. Retirement assets typically pass to nonprofits tax-free at death, and the donor may qualify for an estate tax charitable deduction. These gifts are also passed to the charitable beneficiaries outside of other estate planning documents, such as a will or living trust. Therefore, nonprofits need only file a claim form at the time of the donor's death to receive the gift. They won't have to wait for estate administration to be completed, which can sometimes be a lengthy process.

A Beneficiary Designation is an easy gift to make. It's also revokable, so the donor can add or remove charitable beneficiaries at any time. To name a nonprofit as the beneficiary of an IRA, 401(k) or other retirement account, simply complete and submit a beneficiary designation form provided by the company that administers the account. You will need the following information organization's legal name, Federal Tax Identification Number, and the organization's physical address.

#### Example the Beneficiary Designation language for Hospice of Yuma is: Hospice of Yuma, 1824 S. 8th Avenue, Yuma, AZ, 85364, Tax ID #: 86-0409708

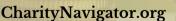
To confirm the charity you are considering is transparent and well rated, contact the organization and ask for a recent annual report or consult easy-to-use online resources such as CharityNavigator.org or Candid.org (formally GuideStar). For Hospice of Yuma go to

#### https://www.charitynavigator.org/ein/860409708

and https://www.guidestar.org/profile/86-0409708 or scan the QR Code. With Candid you will have to go through a sign-in account process, but it is very simple and costs you nothing.

It is good practice to periodically review beneficiaries on retirement and other financial accounts to make sure they align with your current wishes. Before making changes, consult with your financial tax and/or legal advisors to make sure you understand exactly how changes will affect the plans you have in place.







Candid.org

For more information about leaving retirement assets or other financial assets to Hospice of Yuma as part of your estate planning, please contact Alysia Munoz, Director of Fund Development or John Williams, Executive Director at 928-343-2222.

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**Rachel Wagner** 

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# LIGHT-A-LIGHT



2023 Light-a-Light Angel Ornament minimum donation of \$20.00



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HOSPICE OF YUMA'S LIGHT-A-LIGHT ANGEL PROGRAM HAS BEEN GOING STRONG SINCE 1988. IF YOU REMEMBER, DONORS WOULD LINE UP AT THE OLD SOUTHGATE MALL DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON TO PURCHASE THEIR ANGEL ORNAMENTS AND THEN PLACE THE ORNAMENTS ON THE TREE THAT WAS DISPLAYED IN THE MALL IN MEMORY OR

IN HONOR OF LOVED ONES, FOR A FRIEND, A FAMILY MEMBER OR JUST BECAUSE. LIKE EVERYTHING, TIMES HAVE CHANGED AND EVERYTHING IN LIFE CHANGES FROM ONE MOMENT TO

THE NEXT. THERE IS NO MORE SOUTHGATE MALL, BUT THE HOSPICE OF YUMA LIGHT-A-LIGHT ANGEL PROGRAM STILL LIVES ON, AND YOU CAN STILL PURCHASE AN ANGEL ORNAMENT AND PLACE IT ON YOUR HOLIDAY TREE AT HOME. THIS YEAR WE PARTNERED WITH LOCAL BUSINESS OLIVE + OAK WHO CREATED THIS BEAUTIFUL ANGEL. YOU CAN PUT IN YOUR FAVORITE PIECE OF CLOTHING, OR BLANKET IN REMBERANCE OF A LOVED ONE.

THE MONEY RAISED THROUGH THIS EVENT ENABLES HOSPICE OF YUMA (YUMA COUNTY'S ONLY NONPROFIT HOSPICE) TO PROVIDE THE HIGHEST QUALITY CARE FOR TERMINALLY ILL PATIENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES IN OUR SERVICE AREA.

PLEASE CONTACT US AT (928) 343-2222, OR STOP BY OUR OFFICE TO PURCHASE YOUR ANGEL.



Yes! I would like to support Hospice of Yuma patients and their families during this holiday season through the Light-a-Light Angel Program.

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# Thrift Shop Winter Hours

SUNDAY	CLOSED
MONDAY	CLOSED
TUESDAY	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
WEDNESDAY	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
THURSDAY	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
FRIDAY	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
SATURDAY	9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

# **Donation Drop-offs**

WEDNESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

9AM - 3PM



PLEASE CALL TO SCHEDULE DONATION PICK-UPS 928-782-9593

#### Donate Your Birthday !

Instead of gifts this year, ask your family and friends to donate to Hospice of Yuma. All proceeds raised from this event go to help our terminally ill patients and their families.

To participate, you will need to create a Facebook Birthday Fundraiser.

If you need additional information, call us at (928) 343-2222.



When you shop for groceries, you can have a percentage of your bill donated to Hospice of Yuma through the Fry's Community Rewards program.

Visit:

www.frysfood.com/communityrewards and follow the steps to link your rewards card.

The Hospice of Yuma Number is: GA635

#### Your Donation is Appreciated.



Hospice of Yuma's Legacy Partner Program was established over 10 years ago. The program is designated to provide hospice care to people who may be facing a terminal illness and who may not have the ability to pay for hospice care do to no insurance or are underinsured.

Your monthly giving helps Hospice of Yuma, a non-profit organization, continue to service the Yuma community as we have for the last 42 years. Your monthly donation helps cover the cost for a patient's day of service, pain medications, medical equipment, medical supplies and a compassionate team of professionals.

Please consider joining our Legacy Partner Program and help Hospice of Yuma continue their mission to help those who need hospice care and continue to be here for generations to come.

To be part of our Legacy Partner Program, the minimum donation is \$170.00. This would make you a Bronze Partner. We also have the Silver, Gold, Platinum, **Benefactor and Founder** Partner. Once you have selected which level partner you would like, you can make your donation in whole, quarterly or monthly payments. The option is yours. Please see the breakdown for each level partner.

For more information regarding the Legacy Partner Program or make your donation, please contact Alysia Munoz at 928-343-2222 or by email at amunoz@hospiceofyuma.com or mail us the information to Hospice of Yuma, 1824 S. 8th Avenue, Yuma, AZ 85364.

#### Legacy Partner Program Donation Form

Donation Preference: (please check)         One-Time Donation       Recurring Donation         Monthly       Quarterly			
Select:       Bronze Partner       \$170.00       Silver Partner       \$300.00			
Gold Partner         \$500.00         Platinum Partner         \$1,000.00           Benefactor         \$2,500.00         Founder         \$10,000.00			
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Please return the bottom portion of this form to Hospice of Yuma at 1824 S. 8th Avenue, Yuma, Arizona 85364. If you have any questions, please call us at (928) 343-2222.