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Queen of Hearts
Tea Party at Alta Vista
March 9, 2019

Master Chef III
at Hilltop Café
May 18, 2019



*Thank you for a wonderful
year of giving*

*We appreciate all of our
compassionate volunteers,
donors and sponsors.*

You helped us prepare and serve
65,000 meals, while bringing
smiles and companionship to
over 500 homebound adults in
Prescott and Prescott Valley.



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November 14 is officially, Prescott Meals On Wheels Day!!

Prescott Meals on Wheels purchased new kitchen equipment and laminate flooring for the Hilltop Café, with the financial support from the Arizona Diamondbacks Foundation and Arizona Community Foundation of Yavapai County. We submitted grant requests to both foundations and were awarded the funding for this much needed project.

On Wednesday, November 14, 2018 we hosted a ribbon cutting ceremony featuring: Special Assistant to the President and former D-backs pitcher J.J. Putz, D-backs organist Bobby Freeman, Debbie Castaldo and Tara Trzinski with the Diamondbacks Foundation, Arizona Community Foundation of Yavapai County Regional Manager Carol Chamberlain, City of Prescott Councilmen Phil Goode and Steve Sischka and Prescott Mayor Pro Tem Billie Orr. Guests enjoyed free giveaways, a delicious prime rib meal prepared by Chef John along with free hot chocolate and coffee by our friends at Dutch Bros Coffee.

The best part of the day was when Councilman Phil Goode presented us with an official ***Certificate of Recognition*** of the upgrade and expansion of our dining room, and declared

November 14th Prescott Meals on Wheels Day!

Thank you to everyone who joined us in the celebration.

The Hilltop Café is open Monday-Friday from 11:15am-12:45pm.

*For \$6.00 you'll receive lunch, dessert and a beverage. Our monthly menu is posted online at:
www.PrescottMealsOnWheels.com under the Menu tab*

Meet Lory and her dog Bo.

Lory is 94 and has been receiving meals from us since 2016. She is a very sweet and kind lady who enjoys the daily visits from our volunteer drivers as does her dog Bo, who receives extra attention and treats. Lory reached out to us for meal delivery since she is unable to drive and has a difficult time preparing meals at home.

She enjoys reading, coloring and staying current with the goings on in our community. We asked Lory if she wanted to share any wisdom or tips on aging, to which she replied, "At 94 my dear, I don't know where to begin. Attitude is the first one that I would advise anyone to refine. Find something you like to do and keep busy. Enjoy your friendships." Our volunteers certainly enjoy their friendships with Lory and look forward to visiting with her each day.



Did you know... Some of our clients are unable to pay for, or qualify for, financial assistance. The cost of their meals are covered by your generous contributions, so that no one is turned away from our service.

With the help of over 175 volunteers, Prescott Meals on Wheels provides these three services:

1. Nutrition: a hand delivered freshly prepared meal that meets the daily nutrition requirement
2. Care: our volunteers check in with to ensure that our clients are safe and healthy
3. Friendship: a warm smile and moments of companionship go a long way

Combined, these SERVICES allow an individual like Lory to live in their own home with a sense of safety and dignity for as long as possible.

If you've already contributed to Prescott Meals on Wheels this year, we thank you. If you haven't and wish to make a tax credit contribution to a qualifying charitable organization, you can visit our website below to donate online, or call 928-445-7630 x 605, or mail your contribution to:

Prescott Meals on Wheels 1280 E. Rosser St. Prescott, AZ 86301

An Arizona tax payer may contribute up to \$800 as a couple and \$400 for individuals.



Your future investment in our organization, our mission and those we serve, paves the way for future sustainability and service to our community.

We **thank you** for thinking of Prescott Meals on Wheels when putting together your **planned giving legacy**.



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The Subaru Share the Love event is happening now through January 2.

When you **purchase or lease** a new Subaru, mention that you would like to support Prescott Meals on Wheels and **they will donate \$250!!**

You get a new car and we are able to deliver additional meals.

When you shop at Fry's Food Stores, you can connect your Discount Club Card on their website to Prescott Meals on Wheels to receive rewards. #YF323



Year-round on Amazon, you can choose to support us through *Amazon Smile*.

They will donate .05 % of your purchase price on eligible products.



Join Olsen's Prescott to help support Prescott Meals on Wheels.

Between December 1-15, you can help by rounding up your sale at the register when you shop at Olsen's Grain in Prescott at 711 Elrod Rd.

A little change goes a long way