



Teen Challenge

ARIZONA

Helping Youth, Adults and Families



Annual Report 2024

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Teen Challenge of Arizona, Inc. 2024 Annual Report

In 2024, we witnessed God helping the ministry be sustained in miraculous ways! For 41 years, we have been members in good standing with the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA) and the Better Business Bureau, which annually reviews our activities. Teen Challenge maintains one of the highest documented success rates nationally.

Here are a few of our highlights:

- Our ***Spring and Fall Fundraising Banquets*** were well attended, and our guests helped us successfully reach our financial goals for the ministry. We began celebrating our TCAZ 60th Anniversary in our Fall Banquets.
- In our ***Spring and Fall Graduation Ceremonies***, we celebrated 52 of our students who successfully completed the program and are now contributing members of society.
- At our ***Christian Life Ranch***, we have been greatly encouraged by the completion of the ***Peabody Family Fellowship Center***, and our dorm renovation is underway to add approximately 40 new bed spaces, which will give us 100 bed spaces when completed.
- ***Greater Phoenix Teen Challenge*** hosted their annual ***"Back to School Bash"*** where over 1300 guests were treated to a free meal, Christian entertainment, and the message of the gospel. We distributed backpacks filled with age-appropriate school supplies to over 1,000 inner-city kids.
- ***Blessingdales Thrift Stores*** had an amazing year with the expansion of a new Thrift Store in Tucson, and the success of all our Thrift Stores and Boutiques. All our stores have provided many opportunities for evangelism to the communities.
- The ***Home of Hope*** continues to reach women and children and offer them comfort and direction as they embrace God's truth for their lives. Sarah Hayden Wilinski our new Center Director is doing an amazing job!
- Through ***Springboard***, teen girls overcome loneliness and addiction by experiencing the power of God's healing, hope, and love. Parents received essential tools in healthy family development as they attended the ***Parent Workshops*** at Springboard. Additionally, their Gala Event in April was very successful on behalf of Springboard!
- The ***Tucson Men's Center*** is moving forward with its ***"Redeem the Corner"*** project, which now will include new facilities to be built on all their present property. It will indeed be a shining light in the city of Tucson. Construction is now underway!
- We have over **35%** of our graduates now entering fulltime ministry.

Our Centers:

The **Greater Phoenix Men's Center** under the capable direction of Rev. Doug Coats focused this year on sustainability and evangelism outreach to the community. The highlight of the year once again was the amazing **Back to School Bash** with approximately 1,000 backpacks given out with grade appropriate school supplies to inner-city kids, and establishing a Ready Now Recovery group that meets weekly.

The **Tucson Men's Center** directed by Klayton Kirkwood has done a tremendous job focusing on bringing hope throughout Southern Arizona to those bound by drug addiction. A special team has been working all year to put together plans to begin the construction of our new Tucson Men's Center on the original property. Construction is now underway! PTL!

The **Christian Life Ranch**, which is located in New River, Arizona, is under the excellent direction of Rev. Rick Casto, who has been with Teen Challenge of Arizona for twenty-four years. Rick along with his dedicated staff, who are also graduates of the program, do a tremendous job in this advanced discipleship phase of our year-long Christian Recovery Program.

Phase Two Construction began which will expand our current dorm facility to add forty new bed spaces to the O'Reilly Center, our original multi-purpose building.

Special thanks to Josh McLeod, Program Manager, for his wonderful assistance to Rick during this time of construction on the Campus.

The **Home of Hope** for women and women with children, in Casa Grande, Arizona. Sarah Hayden Wilinski a graduate of the Home of Hope fourteen years ago is seeing God's favor weekly at the Center.

The Home of Hope has become a model program for many around the world.

Special appreciation goes to the dedicated Childcare Staff for the great job they are doing through this state-licensed childcare facility.

The **Springboard Home for Girls** ages 12-17 had a busy year of ministry.

Rev. Candace Mayer our new Center Director is a Licensed Social Worker with the state of Arizona. She graduated from Arizona State University with her master's degree (2022) in social work, and her undergraduate degree in psychology from University of Arizona. She is also credentialed with the AZ Ministry Network of the Assemblies of God.

We commend the whole staff team at Springboard for their dedicated ministry.

The **State Corporate Office** in Tucson administered all receipting of donations, accounting, coordination of fundraising events, programmatic and accreditation management of our centers, and staff training.

Rev. Jeff Richards, our Chief Operations Officer, is to be commended for his tremendous help all year, assisting the Executive State Director in the daily oversight of each of our recovery centers. Jeff, a graduate of TCAZ, has been in leadership with the ministry over the last thirty- four years. He currently serves also as the Southwest Regional Representative and is serving on the National Teen Challenge USA Board of Directors during his term.

David Dobkins, a TCAZ graduate, serves as our Chief Financial Officer. He is to be commended for overseeing our annual budgeting and auditing process as well as two major building projects for the Christian Life Ranch and the Tucson Men's Center.

Jamianne Tessler, our State Public Relations Director, did an outstanding job overseeing both the Spring and Fall Fundraising Events that were very successful! Jamianne is a 2016 graduate of our Home of Hope Ministry.

Chad Offutt, a TCAZ graduate, is doing a tremendous job as our Director of Advancement. In this position Chad assists on bringing new funding into the ministry statewide, and working with State and Local government leaders to introduce them to the Teen Challenge Ministry.

Special appreciation goes to *Patrice Bloom*, our Director of Learning and Development, who oversees our statewide staff training and student curriculum through our Learning Management System, BRIDGE. Patrice provides administrative assistance to both our Executive State Director and Chief Operations Officer.

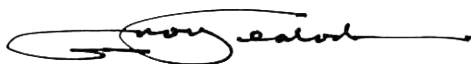
Rev. Jim Moyer, our Regional Manager for our five Blessingdales Thrift Stores and two Blessingdales Boutiques has achieved a lot in his third year beyond initial projections! It's great to have Jim on the corporate staff team!

Five additional dedicated staff members do a very professional job daily running the Corporate Office under the leadership of the Executive State Director.

It has been an honor over the past 48 years to serve as the Executive State Director. I'm very thankful for our TCAZ Board of Directors and our Chairman of the Board, Rev. Leigh Metcalf. I also appreciate the prayerful backing and counsel from our Assemblies of God Arizona Ministry Network Superintendent, Rev. Stephen Harris and newly elected, in April 2024, Superintendent Jeff Peterson. I am most grateful for my loving wife, Ladelle, who directs the music ministry for Teen Challenge of Arizona and assists with creative content for our multimedia efforts statewide.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Snow Peabody



Executive State Director
Teen Challenge of Arizona, Inc.



Evangelism Report 2024

Teen Challenge of Arizona, Inc.

*Known Decisions for Christ	417
Program Graduates	52
Church Services	122
Jail and Prison Services, Visits	70
Hospital/Home Visits	40
Outreach Meetings	144
Outreach Meetings Attendance	168,418
Radio and TV Interviews	667
School and Church Drug Prevention Talks	6
School and Church Drug Prevention Talks Attendance	240
Counseling Sessions, Via Phone, of Non-Students	5,542
Counseling Sessions, Drop-in	7,706
Counseling Sessions, By Appointment, of Residential Students	5,325
Court Appearances	128
Group Bible Studies	922
Adolescent Girls Helped by Phone Calls/Counseling, Non-Residential	45
Door to Door & Storefront Distribution of TC Literature	35,948
Bibles Distributed	726
Christian Books Given Out	743

*The majority of these people were drug and alcohol abusers; however, today they are free from their life-controlling problems.



TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARIZONA LEAD STAFF 2024

FIRST ROW

Rev. Jeff Richards	Chief Operations Officer	Tucson, Arizona
Rev. David Dobkins	Chief Financial Officer	Tucson, Arizona
Mrs. Ladelle Peabody	Director, State Music Department	Tucson, Arizona
Rev. Snow Peabody	Executive State Director	Tucson, Arizona
Sarah Hayden Wilinski	Director, Home of Hope	Casa Grande, Arizona

SECOND ROW

Rev. Chad Offutt	Director of Advancement	Phoenix, AZ
Mrs. Tiffany Richards	Student Sponsorship Coordinator	Tucson, AZ
Rev. Rick Casto	Director, Christian Life Ranch	New River, AZ
Mrs. Jamianne Tessler	Director, State Public Relations	Tucson, AZ
Rev. Doug Coats	Director, Phoenix, Men's Center	Phoenix, AZ

THIRD ROW

Patrice Bloom	Director, Learning & Development	Tucson, AZ
Rev. Candace Mayer	Director, Springboard Home for Girls	Tucson, AZ
Rev. Jim Moyer	Regional Manager, Blessingdales	Phoenix, AZ
Mr. Klayton Kirkwood	Director, Tucson Men's Center	Tucson, AZ



**TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARIZONA
STAFF & FAMILY
2024**



Enhancing Trust

41 YEARS
GOOD
STANDING

Dear Rev. Peabody,

Thank you for submitting your ministry's 2024 ECFA membership renewal.

Based upon the information we have received, we are pleased to approve your annual renewal.

An approval letter and certificate will be mailed to the ministry's top leader.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions concerning this accreditation. I can be reached at 800-323-9473 or by email at renew@ecfa.org.

Sincerely,

Bonnie Myers
Accreditation Renewal Coordinator

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~ Enhancing Trust ~

State of Arizona



LEGISLATIVE COMMENDATION

Be It Known To All~

I, Ben Toma, Speaker of the Arizona House of Representatives, do hereby offer my sincere appreciation to Teen Challenge of Arizona for 60 years of dedication and service to the community.

Teen Challenge continues to play a pivotal role in helping individuals become drug-free, leading more productive and fulfilling lives.

On behalf of the citizens of the State of Arizona, I commend you for all you do for the community. Your unwavering commitment to combating drug abuse and offering hope to those in need has made a lasting impact on countless lives. Your 60-year legacy of service is a testament to the enduring positive influence of Teen Challenge.

I offer my best wishes for the continued success in your mission to transform lives and build a stronger, healthier community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,
*I have hereunto set my hand
and caused the Great Seal of Arizona
to be affixed this
18th day of November 2024*



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ben Toma".

Ben Toma
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE
Arizona House of Representatives



HAPPENINGS

2024

'For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life'. John 3:16

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I met my husband in a bar and thought that starting a family would fill the void in my heart. We had two children together, Zach, who is now 12, and Zoey, who is ten. In 2012, just a month before my son was born, my father took his own life. After that, I spiraled even further.

In early 2016, we found out our daughter was autistic and non-verbal. By October, we were homeless in Phoenix, moving in and out of motels.

By January 2017, I had hit rock bottom. I begged my mom to come pick me up. I had nowhere to go, alone with both my kids, pushing them in a shopping cart.

A friend I went to high school with saw a post that I had made on Facebook and begged me to let her take me to tour a program she had attended—the Home of Hope. I entered the program, so my kids would have a safe place to stay. God met me where I was and transformed me with His love. The women at the Home of Hope loved me back to life, supporting me every step of the way.

I had always wanted to work with animals, and eventually, I became a vet tech. God showed me His grace, and I got my dream job at the Casa Grande Animal Hospital.



Michele Vinson and Family

After some time and an even better job, I heard God say, “It’s time to go, Michele.” I couldn’t believe what He was asking of me, but He said, “Trust me.” So, I put in my notice and left my vet tech career to volunteer at the Home of Hope, helping other women who are still in the fire.

God has restored my marriage and blessed me with a home I never thought was possible.

The Home of Hope didn’t save me—Jesus did—but it was the Home of Hope that nurtured my relationship with Him and provided a safe place to grow in His love.



Brad Adcock and Family

Since completing his Teen Challenge of Arizona program in 2002, Brad Adcock has charted a path of faith, service, and commitment. His journey took a significant turn when he met Traci while serving as the college pastor at Harvest House of Prayer in Waco, Texas. Their immediate and profound connection led them to marry within the same year and begin their shared mission in youth ministry at the same church. Brad and Traci’s ministry has been a beacon of guidance and support for young people in their congregation. Their work has profoundly impacted many lives, reflecting their dedication to nurturing faith and character in the youth.

The couple’s family grew with the birth of their two children: Maverick, now 14, and Kymber, aged 11. The Adcocks live in Riesel, Texas, where their family life is intertwined with their community activities.

Professionally, Brad has found fulfillment as a Farm and Ranch Realtor in Texas. His career allows him to blend his skills with his passion for helping others and making a meaningful impact through his work.

The Adcock family remains deeply involved in their church, contributing to various activities such as teaching Sunday school, leading Vacation Bible School (VBS), and supporting youth and preteen events and camps.

Their commitment extends beyond their church, demonstrating their dedication to making a positive difference in their community. Brad and Traci’s lives are marked by numerous blessings—strong family bonds, a rewarding career, and a vibrant community involvement. They view their journey as a series of opportunities to share their faith and blessings with others, continuously striving to make a meaningful impact in the lives of those around them.





February 22, 2024

The Teen Challenge Tucson Men's Center took part in the Tucson Rodeo Parade, with 28 staff and students walking the route. Their presence not only added to the parade's liveliness but also served as a beacon for raising awareness about Teen Challenge of Arizona. With each step, they shared the mission and impact of Teen Challenge of Arizona, leaving a lasting impression on the community.



First place trophy for
"Best buggy in the parade!"





Some amazing ladies showed up to support us at our February fashion show held at the Highlands! We made over \$4,600



FASHION SHOW AUCTION

February 24, 2024



PHOENIX TEEN CHALLENGE

presents the
17th Annual 85mile

Bike Run

March 16
2024



Raffle Prizes



Over 200 in attendance



Registered Bikers

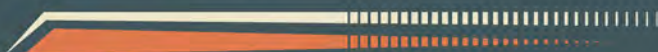


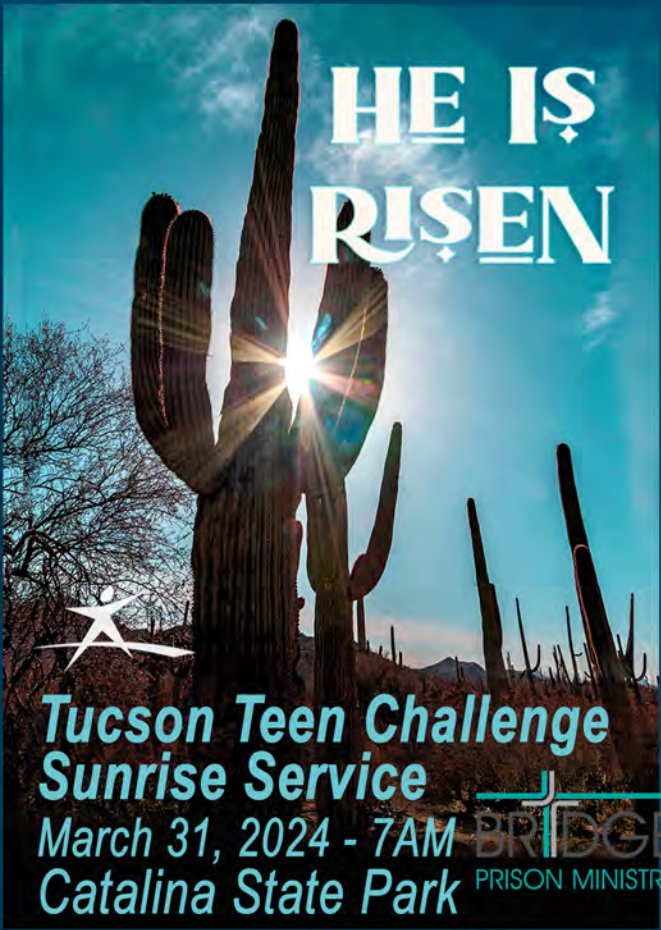
Student Testimony
Donnie Lopez



Kickstands up, ready to roll

The 17th annual bike run organized by Teen Challenge of Arizona's Phoenix Men's Center was a tremendous success! Nearly 100 mile run, led by Reverend Rick Casto, through the beautiful Arizona desert was breathtaking. The journey concluded at the Christian Life Ranch, where over 200 attendees were treated to a BBQ. An uplifting student testimony was shared. Special appreciation is extended to Doug Coats and the dedicated team at Teen Challenge Phoenix Men's Center for their unwavering commitment to making this event unforgettable!





We were met on this year's Resurrection Day with a very rare shower of liquid sunshine which led us to abbreviate what we had planned as the rain began to fall during the middle of our service. However, we knew the sun had risen behind the clouds, and the Son had risen in all of our hearts! This year, we honored Bridge Prison Ministries & Director Pete Quinonez, guest speaker delivered a brief powerful message. An offering of over \$2,000 was received to support their ministry.



ARIZONA GIVES DAY is an annual 24-hour online giving campaign. Teen Challenge of Arizona actively engages in various initiatives each year. Our Teen Challenge Centers contribute by hosting storefronts, and giving information about our services to the community.

Additionally, we strategically share online testimonies throughout the day and direct individuals to our website.

This year, our statewide endeavors resulted in a remarkable fundraising achievement, totaling **\$16,643.63!**



TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARIZONA

AJO COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Reaching the Community with

- Live Music
- Testimonies
- Prayer
- Food
- Clothing
- Hope
- Face Painting & Games

Tucson Men's Center, Springboard Home, and the Home of Hope teamed up with the town of Ajo's local churches to provide hope to the community. Together we provided, resources and testimonies so that the people will know JESUS SAVES! It was a beautiful day with perfect weather! We love AJO!



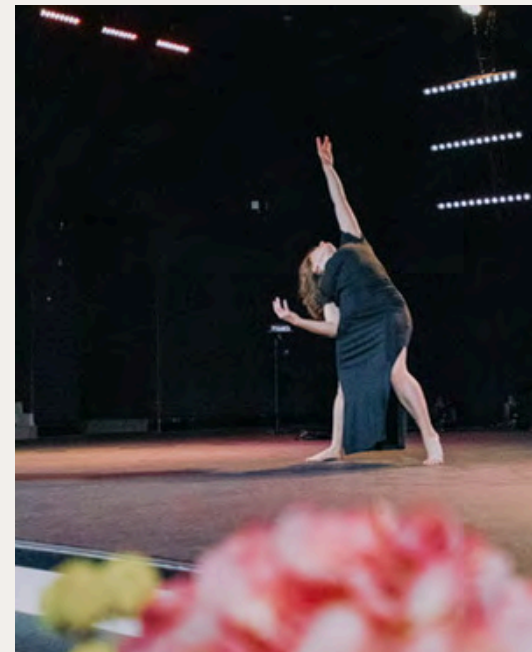


Kylee Thompson



APRIL 26, 2024 SPRING GALA

Over 150 people attended our beautiful Spring Gala. The Lord's presence was there and we raised over \$40,000. Thank you for your generosity!



Elisa Medina



NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER



LIFT UP THE WORD LIGHT UP THE WORLD

2 SAMUEL 22:29-31

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2024

THE 73rd ANNUAL NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER



Teen Challenge of Arizona dedicated a day to prayer, with activities across the state. Events included a prayer breakfast, drive-through prayers, prayers at the state capitol, and honoring community churches with prayer. This initiative reflected our commitment to spiritual outreach and community support.



Teen Challenge of Arizona's **CHRISTIAN LIFE RANCH**

13TH ANNUAL

GOLF 2024
SCRAMBLE

MAY 11 | STONECREEK GOLF CLUB



The Golf Scramble was a wonderful event filled with fun, food, and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you again next year!

Blessed

TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARIZONA

Spring Graduation 2024

Saturday, May 18, 2024 2 PM



Teen Challenge of Arizona's statewide graduation at Equip Church honored 36 graduates with nearly 300 attendees. Special speaker Greg Busta delivered an inspiring message. Two past graduates were recognized for their ongoing achievements. The graduation featured songs of blessings and heartfelt testimonies from graduates and their parents.





Blessed

TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARIZONA

**“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places”
Ephesians 1:3**

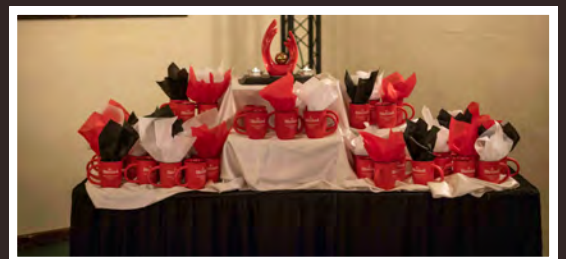


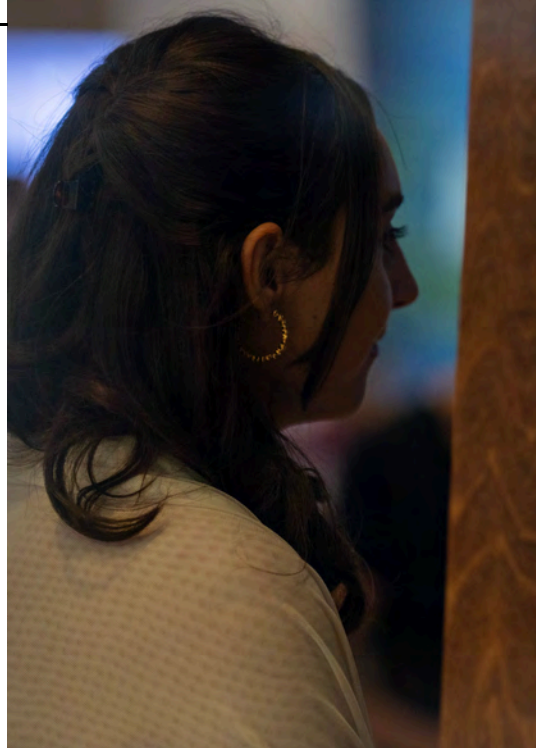
Spring Fundraising Banquet Tour 2024

Featuring the
Teen Challenge Choir &
Powerful Stories of
those who have been
BLESSED with
New Life!



Teen Challenge of Arizona had an incredible Spring Season! We visited six amazing cities and hosted seven fulfilling banquets including Lake Havasu, Yuma, Sierra Vista, Casa Grande, Flagstaff and Prescott Valley. We sang songs of blessings, shared beautiful transforming testimonies and were blessed financially. God blessed our efforts for our statewide banquets, with a remarkable \$455,485!





**SPRINGBOARD
FASHION SHOW**

June 15, 2024

We raised \$3,165 at this event and we had a blast doing it. The ladies always have such a fun time and our students feel so very loved!





ELEVATE 2024

JUNE 21-22-23, 2024



Teen Challenge Home of Hope and Christian Life Ranch participated in this year's music festival. They set up a booth selling Teen Challenge merchandise, providing prayers, and sharing uplifting testimonies with festival attendees. With a weekend attendance of over 3,000 people, they managed to raise \$1,600 in revenue for the centers.



TEEN CHALLENGE AND THE AMAZING TECHNICAL ICE CREAM SOCIAL

JULY 13, '24



Center Supervisor Nick Brunk and his wife



Raffle winner!



Over 150 people in attendance

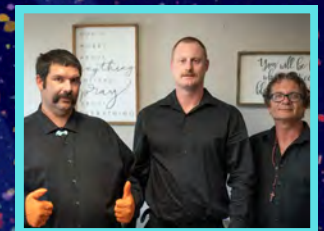
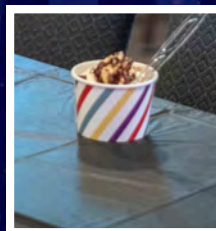


Craig Jemmott and Tucson Choir

We are thrilled to share the success of our recent Teen Challenge Ice Cream Social! With the incredible support of our friends, families, volunteers, donors, and supporters, we raised over **\$1,400** through raffle tickets and offerings. The event was an amazing day filled with worship by the TC Choir, inspiring testimonies, exciting raffle prizes, and our heartfelt "Love Them Back to Life" presentation.



Student Testimonies



GREATER PHOENIX TEEN CHALLENGE

15TH ANNUAL BACK TO SCHOOL BASH JULY 20, 2024



Despite the heat, we had over 1,380 people on site which included guests and volunteers. We gave out more than 850 back packs and had over 130 people who responded to the alter call.



HOPE FEST_{AZ}

SEPTEMBER 14TH 2024
YAVAPAI COUNTY COURTHOUSE PLAZA



(Rev. Snow Peabody and Rev. Rick Casto)

projectREACH

Teen Challenge of Arizona was proud to be the title sponsor for this year's 2024 Annual Hope Fest in Prescott, Arizona

- With over 6,000 people in attendance, Hope Fest was a blast this year! Our staff and students were able to pray and uplift over 250 people. We were even able to pray for Teen Challenge Alumni who instantly recognized who we were.



(Group Photo in front of the Yavapai Courthouse)



(Prayer was common throughout the day.)





Thank you Saint Marks UMC for hosting a great event! We raised over \$1,700 for our program.

Fall Fashion Show
September 14, 2024



Blessed

TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARIZONA
FALL GRADUATION
Saturday, September 21, 2024



Teen Challenge of Arizona's Statewide Graduation at Grace to the Nations Church in Tucson honored 17 graduates and welcomed over 200 attendees. Our keynote speaker, Reverend Gary Blackard, traveled from Ozark, Missouri, where he serves as the CEO and president of Adult & Teen Challenge USA. Gary delivered an inspiring message. Two past graduates were recognized for their ongoing achievements. The graduation featured songs of blessing and heartfelt testimonies from graduates and their parents.

NATIONAL TEEN CHALLENGE DAY

SEPTEMBER 22, 2024

National Teen Challenge Day, was a powerful time of sharing God's love and proclaiming victory over addiction and struggles. Our Executive State Director, Snow Peabody, delivered an inspiring word, encouraging everyone to walk in freedom through Christ. Each center united to form ministry teams, spreading hope and transformation in communities across the state. Together, we celebrated lives changed and hearts restored!



Snow Peabody and Chad Offutt at AJ First Assembly of God.



Christian Life Ranch, with Pastor Jeremy DaPena from the Desert Hills Lutheran Church.



Center Directors, Candace Mayer and Klayton Kirkwood joined together at the Gate Church.



Phoenix Men's Center and Home of Hope came together at Grace Church with our Dedicated Student Sponsorship supporters, Ken & Judy.



MOBILIZE RECOVERY BUS TOUR 2024

Sunday September 22, Phoenix AZ

AMERICA

ur message!



Teen Challenge of Arizona's Home of Hope was BLESSED to attend and serve at the 2024 Mobilize Recovery Bus Stop, hosted by GRACE, Sober Living. This recovery bus travels the nation, bringing hope and resources across America to those struggling with addiction. Sunday, September 22nd was their FAITH IN RECOVERY DAY! Where they highlighted how FAITH IN RECOVERY WORKS! These stops are an amazing opportunity to make a difference. The Mobilize Recovery bus is a canvas ready for messages of encouragement. We were able to leave our mark on this nationwide movement and hope to inspire countless others!

Stay Sharp



THINK ABOUT IT[®]

Teen Challenge of Arizona offers an incredible prevention program designed specifically for today's youth. Through this program, Teen Challenge men and women share real-life experiences and valuable truths about addiction. We are available to visit your school or youth group to speak about addiction and its harmful impact on individuals, families, and overall health.



Over 250 youth during a Prevention Presentation on September 17, 2024 at Phoenix Christian High School



Adam Prosser and Christian Sharing about prevention.



September 28, 2024

“The Time of Your life” Senior Citizen Prom

For one of our Project Reach Event’s we had the opportunity to bring some love and joy to the residents of The Country Club of La Cholla. We had a great time showing them the love of Jesus through serving, fellowship, and fun!





Home of Hope

for Women & Women with Children

Chili Fest

OCTOBER 4, 2024

God is within Her. She will not Fall
PSALMS 46:5

We are thrilled to report that our 2024 Chili Fest was an incredible success, bringing together the community to celebrate the transformative work happening at the Home of Hope. Guests enjoyed a fun-filled Chili Buffet with all the toppings, which added to the evening's festive spirit. The evening included a powerful testimony from Annie, providing an inside look at the lives being changed through our program. We shared important updates about the Home of Hope and treated everyone to a moving dramatic skit that illustrated the impact of Jesus in our journey. We were blessed to have 140 attendees, and through their generosity, we raised \$22,000 to continue supporting the women and children in our care.



Rev. Snow Peabody welcoming the guests



Annie sharing her powerful story



Our wonderful servers, the ladies from *The Home of Hope*



Pastor Tiffany Bell closing out the evening in prayer



Dancing in the Desert Skit



Sarah Hayden-Wilinski sharing an HOH Update



Our HOH Kids helped take the offering!



The Decor and Details



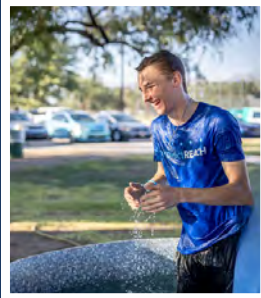
Thank you to the Christian Life Ranch!



Teen Challenge ARIZONA



3rd Annual Tables & Testimonies - 10-12-24



Tucson Teen Challenge Men's Center hosted an amazing "Tables and Testimonies" event with over 25 ministries and organizations. Our goal was to share the love of Jesus, and we celebrated five baptisms while providing meals for over 500 people, along with 50 free haircuts, hygiene bags, and clothing. Former NFL player Vance Johnson, our guest speaker and Denver Broncos legend, shared his inspiring journey from fame and addiction to a life devoted to serving the Lord. Despite the heat, everyone enjoyed games for the kids and a great lineup of worship and testimonies.

We look forward to an even GREATER event next year!





 Teen Challenge

Alumni BBQ

Saturday, October 19th
2024



Thank you to all who joined us this year for our Annual Alumni BBQ. We had a wonderful time fellowshiping with all of our Teen Challenge Alumni, as well as their families and friends. Each of our centers had a booth offering delicious treats and refreshments. There were also wonderful games and prizes for the families that came. We ended the evening with a praise filled service glorifying Christ. Huge shout out to The Christian Life Ranch Staff and Center Director, Rev. Rick Casto for hosting this event. Praise God! We cannot wait to see you next year. If you are a Teen Challenge of Arizona Graduate, please keep in touch by liking the Teen Challenge of Arizona Alumni Facebook page.





FALL BANQUET TOUR 2024



Teen Challenge of Arizona Centers toured four different cities in four different nights, for one great cause!

We Celebrated a Milestone of **60 Years** during the Fall Banquets! Sharing stories of transformation through the Love of God.

Our efforts and the help of our donors, we raised over **\$700,000** for our centers.



GIVING TUESDAY

December 3, 2024



This Giving Tuesday, Teen Challenge of Arizona had an amazing online push for donations! We shared numerous posts across all our social media platforms, including Facebook, Instagram, YouTube and email campaigns! Our centers, statewide, participated with storefront events, calling campaigns and live testimonies throughout the day. It truly was a great way to kick off the end of year giving!

Teen Challenge of Arizona raised over **\$25,000**



 **Teen Challenge**
ARIZONA
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DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT



REV. CHAD OFFUTT



REV. DOUG COATS, CHADD OFFUTT, REV. SNOW PEABODY
NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER



SCOTTSDALE BIBLE CHURCH MEMBERS FOR A TOUR OF
THE PHOENIX MEN'S CENTER



JOE DALFANZO OF CHURCH AMBASSADOR NETWORK,
RICK CASTO CHRISTIAN LIFE RANCH,
SENATOR JOHN KAVANAGH, AND CHAD OFFUTT.



CRAIG TRBOVICH, BRAD EDSON, KEITH BACCUS,
CHAD OFFUTT, AND CRAIG HANSON TAKEN
DURING A NEW LIFE SPONSORSHIP MEETING
DURING THE FORGE LEADERSHIP MEETING..

I am overwhelmed with gratitude for the incredible opportunity to share God's love as the Director of Advancement for Teen Challenge of Arizona. It is a privilege to be part of a ministry that brings this hope to individuals seeking freedom. One of the many highlights of my role is working alongside Joe Dalfonzo and the Church Ambassador Network to provide state legislators with tours of our five centers across Arizona. These visits allow us to share the heart of our mission, highlighting the real-life impact of Christ-centered recovery. Through these partnerships, we can inspire decision-makers to see the value of faith-based solutions to addiction and brokenness. Another vital aspect of my work is cultivating champions for our ministry. Whether it's building relationships with churches, business owners, private individuals, or foundations, I am constantly amazed at how God moves in people's hearts to support our mission. Their generosity not only fuels our programs but also creates a ripple effect of hope and healing in the communities we serve. A recent initiative is the

New Life Sponsorship program, developed in collaboration with Scottsdale Bible Church. This program pairs Christian leaders in the local area with our students, providing mentorship and guidance both during their time at Teen Challenge and well beyond graduation. These relationships offer a powerful example of what it means to walk out the Christian faith, equipping our students with the support and wisdom they need to thrive in their new life in Christ.

TUCSON MEN'S CENTER REDEEM THE CORNER PROJECT



Klayton Kirkwood, Center Director, standing in front of the framed structure of the new Tucson Center Chapel—



Rendering of the new center set to open soon!

The Tucson Teen Challenge Men's Center is coming to life! The corner has been redeemed, the ground broken, and construction is now underway. With the foundation laid and walls standing tall, this project represents hope, change, and new beginnings. Each stage brings us closer to restoring lives and impacting communities, building not just a structure but a legacy of transformation.

GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN



Robert (Bobby) Martinez,

Bobby passed away in July of 2024

Bobby was well-loved and had a heart after God. He loved to encourage others in the Lord. Bobby Graduated the Teen Challenge of Arizona Phoenix Men's Center in Spring of 2022 He came to Arizona to to improve his health and his mind, He built a personal relation ship with the Lord in the process.

Philippians 3:13 - *But one thing I do, forgetting what is behind and straining towards what is ahead.*



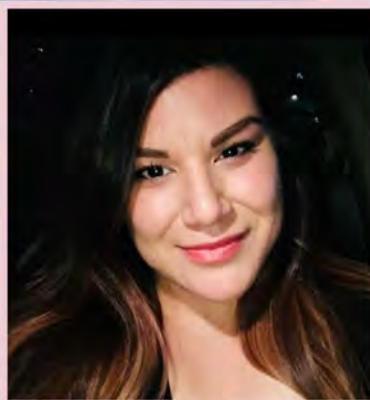
Anthony Bryan

Anthony passed away on May 31, 2024.

Anthony loved to make people laugh with his silliness and smile, "he was my shining star" - Kimberly Bryan

Anthony Graduated the Teen Challenge of Arizona Tucson Men's Center in Spring of 2023.

Joshua 1:9 - *Have I not commanded you? Be strong and of good courage; do not be afraid, not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.*



Danielle (Dani) Serrato

Dani went to be with the Lord on March 22, 2024.

Danielle was a beam of light to others. She loved writing poetry and being creative with crafts. Dani's true love amongst everything was the love for her family. Dani graduated from the Home of Hope in the Spring of 2018,

Romans 8:18 - *I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us.*



Michael Brown

Michael passed away on October 21, 2024.

Michael Brown was a man of great Faith and passionate about studying the word of God. He loved his family and would go to great lengths to be present in their life when possible. Michael had been involved in Teen Challenge starting in Oregon in 2001 and moved to Arizona to complete a restoration program in 2011.

Psalms 40:1 - *I waited patiently for the LORD; He turned to me and heard my cry.*



Welcome Mr. David Robinson to the Teen Challenge of Arizona Board of Directors



Teen Challenge of Arizona is happy to announce the newest member of our Board of Directors, David M Robinson of Cave Creek, AZ. Mr. Robinson has roots in Michigan where his father worked for Ford Motor Company and his mother was a waitress. He grew up with two brothers and two sisters.

He met his wife Lisa in 1976 and they married in 1978. In the summer of 1979, they moved to Arizona and in 1980 he received Christ as his Lord and Savior. He and Lisa have been serving in the local church ever since.

In 1980, they started their business, USA Collision, and have been in business for over 43 years.

In 2014, they established their 2nd Business: USA Classic Customs.

Today, they attend Christ's Church of the Valley with some of their children and grandkids.

Mr. Robinson volunteered under the leadership of Rev. Jim Moyer, and has financially supported the Phoenix Men's Center since 2011.

Presently, he has been volunteering under Director, Rev. Doug Coats on the Champion Committee at the Phoenix Men's Center, praying, serving, and encouraging with whatever he needs.



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(with a fourth meeting scheduled in December, if needed)*



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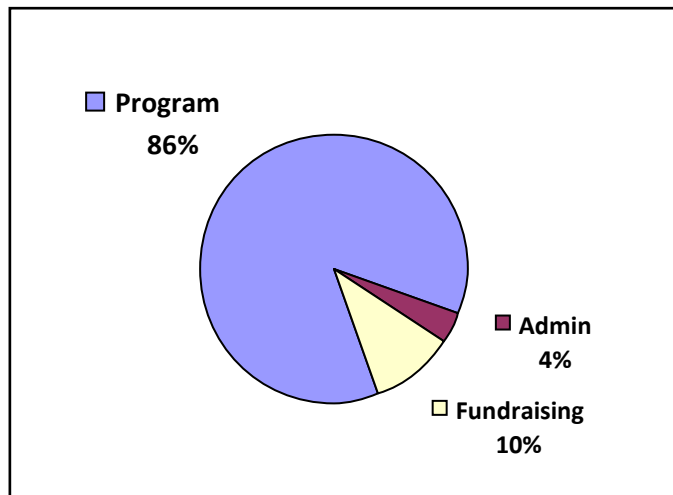
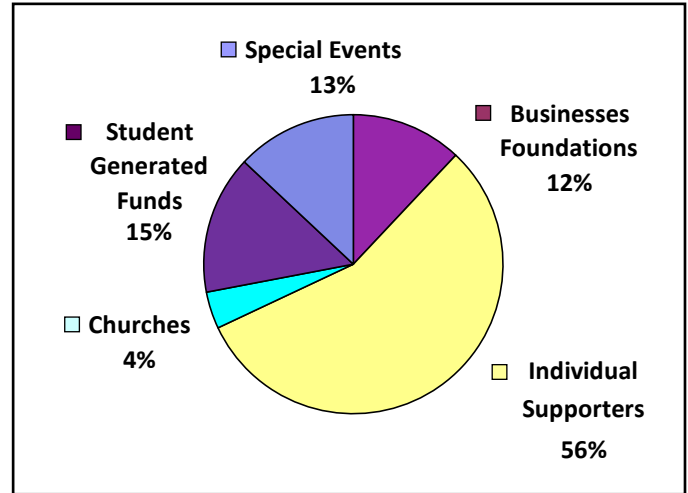
TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARIZONA, INC.

Stewardship Report for Fiscal Year 2023*

Sources of Income

Where does the support come from that keeps our ministry operating in Arizona? This chart will answer this question for you. We rely solely on private donations from individuals, local churches and businesses for all of our expenses.

Expenses include food, housing, clothing, curriculum and other resources needed to effectively change the lives of so many hurting people in the state of Arizona. It takes faithful friends like you to keep our doors open to minister to the needs of the community!



Expense Disbursement

Where do donations go after we receive them? This chart demonstrates how your money is invested in the lives we help each day. For every dollar spent in 2023, 86% went directly into our residential care programs!

Teen Challenge of Arizona has been a member in good standing for 41 years with Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA). We are voluntarily audited to ensure all donations are properly accounted for. You can give with confidence knowing we handle your donations with integrity.

TOGETHER WE ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE!



*Verified and Reported from Independently Audited Financial Statements. To request a copy of our audited financial statements, visit www.tcaz.org or send a written request to: Teen Challenge of Arizona, ATTN: CFO, P.O. Box 5966, Tucson, AZ 85703 (please include your return address and \$10 to cover printing and postage).