



Arizonans for Children

Helping foster children since 2002.

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Who We Are

Arizonans for Children, Inc. (AFC) is a Maricopa County–based nonprofit dedicated to supporting children in foster care through connection, stability, and hope. Since 2002, we’ve provided safe, nurturing spaces and caring relationships that help children and families move toward healing and permanency.

What We Do

We operate two Visitation Centers in Phoenix and Mesa that offer supervised, home-like environments for family connections, and a Mentor Program that matches foster youth with consistent, caring adult volunteers. We also host large-scale community events that bring joy, resources, and a sense of belonging to children in care.

Why It Matters

Thousands of Arizona children enter foster care each year due to neglect or unsafe conditions, often experiencing repeated disruption and loss. Stable environments, supportive relationships, and positive experiences are proven to improve reunification outcomes, academic success, and long-term well-being.

Our Impact (By the Numbers)

Since our founding, AFC has reached over 1,000,000 people served, strengthening families and supporting children across Maricopa County. In our Mentor Program, 95% of participating youth show improvements in academics and self-esteem, demonstrating the power of consistent, caring relationships.



Sponsor Opportunities

2026 Event Sponsor - \$5,000

This sponsorship includes recognition across four signature events in 2026:

Community Family Events (3)

- Train Park Picnic – April 11
- Back to School Distribution Week – July 13–19
- Holiday Party – December 12

Deliverables include:

- One dedicated social media announcement post highlighting the sponsorship (once finalized)
- “Thank you to our sponsor” banner featuring your logo with prominent placement at each event
- “Event brought to you by [Sponsor]” recognition on all digital and print materials for each event
- Logo inclusion on event webpages and materials
- Verbal sponsor shout-out during each event
- Invitation to attend all events, with the option to speak if desired
- Hands-on engagement opportunities (e.g., distributing backpacks at Back to School, hosting or assisting with an activity table at events)
- Post-event thank-you recognition on social media
- Featured listing on our website Major Donors section (mid-page placement) for the full year

Pickleball Fundraiser (Public Community Event)

- Taking place: June 14, 2026
- “Tournament brought to you by [Sponsor]” recognition on all event materials
- Logo placement on the event website and social media page and Eventbrite page
- Verbal recognition during the event
- Opportunity to speak if desired
- Complimentary two-person team entry
- Opportunity to include branded items or giveaways for participants

Estimated Reach & Attendance:

- Social media audience: ~3,400 across Facebook and Instagram
- Train Park Picnic: 129 children and caregivers, plus staff and volunteers
- Back to School Distribution Week: approximately 3,800 children, caregivers, and visitors through our center across the week, in addition to volunteers and staff
- Holiday Party: 200 children, 64 adults, 100 volunteers, and staff
- Pickleball tournament: 200 players, guests, and venue attendees

Sponsor Opportunities

2026 Supporting Event Sponsor - \$2,000

This level includes recognition across the same four events, with adjusted visibility:

Community Family Events (3)

- Logo placement on digital and print materials for all events (header placement)
- Inclusion on shared sponsor recognition banners at events, with prominent placement based on sponsorship level
- Verbal recognition during events
- Invitation to attend events and participate
- Logo inclusion on event webpages
- Listing on our website Major Donors section for the year

Pickleball Fundraiser (Public Community Event)

- Logo placement on the event website and Eventbrite page
- Verbal recognition during the event
- Complimentary two-person team entry
- Opportunity to include branded items or giveaways for part

2026 Community Partner - under \$2,000

- Listing on our website Community Partners section for the year
- Name included in sponsor recognition on digital and print materials for all 4 supported events
- Complimentary two-person team entry in Pickleball tournament