



A Positive Paths Event

**Honoring the East Valley
Man and Woman of the Year**

Sunday, November 22, 2020

Red Mountain Ranch

Country Club

6425 E. Teton Circle, Mesa, AZ 85215

Positive Paths Information

Positive Paths aids in the advancement of women in our communities by providing strong mentorship opportunities, scholarships, and supportive services.

Women are often trying to master the balance of professional advancement and caregiving for their family. Circumstances such as poverty, domestic violence, extreme challenges with children, death or illness of a spouse are prevalent in far too many women's lives. Positive Paths is committed to providing tools for professional development to women in need. These tools are used on their "positive path" to empowerment and success.

Positive Paths supports East Valley women in need by providing a life-bridge to economic stability, personal growth and professional achievement. We do this through scholarships with individual mentors, professional development events and activities, and supportive services. We impact women's lives by helping them build more sustainable, self-reliant futures for themselves and their families.

Positive Paths has assisted 76 amazing East Valley women with mentorship and scholarships. This support has changed their lives, and the future of their children.

Our scholars and mentees are becoming nurses, doctors, lawyers, engineers, teachers and contributing members of our communities. These women are grateful that someone believes in them and will assist and support them as they help themselves and their families.

Our fundraising efforts allow us to provide scholarships for education and training programs, and support the coordination of our mentoring programs. All of our mentors are volunteers, donating their time and expertise to assist our scholars and mentees. We collaborate with several nonprofit organizations that assist women in other ways. We do not duplicate resources or compete with existing services — rather we contribute to the East Valley's collective network of community support.

Through your generosity, the funds raised at our annual gala allow us to continue to support women. We believe that when you assist women, you help entire families and strengthen communities.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

For additional information, or to register for this event, please visit our website at <https://positivepathsaz.org/annual-gala/> or contact:

Positive Paths (480) 788-0615
email: donate@positivepathsaz.org





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Sponsorship Levels

Title Sponsor \$15,000

- Listed as Title Sponsor in the event program
- Three foursomes in the Golf Event
- One full-page ad in the event program
- Sponsor name incorporated in media relations
- Special recognition during the event

Presenting Sponsor \$10,000

- Listed as Presenting Sponsor in the event program
- Two foursomes in the Golf Event
- One full-page ad in the event program
- Special recognition during the event

Associate Sponsor \$5000

- Listed as Associate Sponsor in the event program
- Two foursomes in the Golf Event
- One Half-page ad in the event program

Supporting Sponsor \$2500

- Listed as Supporting Sponsor in the event program
- One foursome in the Golf Event
- One quarter-page ad in the event program

Prize Sponsor \$1000

- Recognized as the Prize Sponsor in the event program

Hole Sponsor \$250

- Recognized as a Hole Sponsor in the event program, plus signage on a tee box.

Player Cost: \$125

Foursome: \$450

Spirit Sponsor:

I am unable to attend the event, but please accept my 100% tax-deductible donation in the amount of \$_____ toward a Scholarship.



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Sponsorship Form

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Method of Payment (check one)

Check enclosed

Please send invoice

Credit card: Visa Mastercard American Express

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Name as it appears on card: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please return by November 1, 2020

Questions?

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Auction Donor Form

Donor Name (exactly as you would like to see it in the program) Phone: _____

_____ Email: _____

Contact Person: _____ Contact's Title: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Please describe donation in detail: _____

Please state any limitations, blackout dates, deadlines, advance notifications, or other specific restrictions. Please attach or include any specific display materials:

Value: _____

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| <p>For Tangible Items (check what applies)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Item accompanies donor form</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Donor will deliver or send item by this date: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Positive Paths will pick up item from donor by this date</p> | <p>For Intangible Items (check what applies)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Certificate accompanies donor form</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Donor will provide certificate by this date: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Donor requests Positive Paths to create a certificate</p> |
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**Please return form and items to Positive Paths representative before November 1, 2020
Donations received after November 1st may not be included in the printed program.**

Signature of Donor: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Positive Paths Representative: _____

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| FOR OFFICE USE ONLY | Donation #: _____ |
| Item Rec'd (date) : _____ | Acknowledgement (date): _____ |



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2020 Award Recipients

East Valley Woman of the Year: Jessica Nicely

After many years working for other child abuse prevention organizations, Jessica took her vision and leadership to a new level when she founded Winged Hope Family Advocacy Foundation in 2013. This non-profit organization based in Gilbert, Arizona, is dedicated to supporting individuals and families who have been victims of child abuse, domestic violence, and other traumas, by way of offering direct victim services, developing advocacy centers and renovating shelters, and providing training and education in awareness, prevention and treatment. A victim herself, Jessica understands the emotional and physical consequences and challenges of trauma.



Jessica has created Advocacy Centers that are safe, functional and respectful. She is currently planning Family Advocacy Centers in Chandler and Gilbert. Jessica's expertise in development and design for advocacy centers is essential, as they offer victim exams, investigations, and support services. Jessica works with medical teams, law enforcement, social services agencies, state officials, and most importantly the victims and families.

In addition, Jessica has been a spokesperson for Prevent Child Abuse America's Arizona Chapter and is currently a speaker for the Arizona ACE (Adverse Childhood Experiences) Consortium. For eight years, she volunteered on the Arizona Foster Care Review Board. Because of her expertise, commitment, and desire to help women and families, Jessica is most deserving of being named the 2020 East Valley Woman of the Year.

2020 East Valley Man of the Year: Dr. Brad Smith

Since 2002, Dr. Brad Smith has served as the Medical Director and primary on-site physician for Mission of Mercy's (MOM) free mobile medical program for the uninsured, where 64 percent of all patients served are women. He manages the day-to-day operations at seven clinic locations, overseeing nearly 200 clinic volunteers and providing direct supervision of physicians and medical students in the clinic setting.



Dr. Smith has overseen the successful expansion of the Arizona medical program from three to seven clinics since 2008 to meet the demand for primary care services for underserved families in communities throughout Maricopa County. With two sites in the East Valley, clinics in Mesa and Chandler have provided critical assistance to women and families. Their mission is to restore dignity, “healing through love,” by providing free healthcare. For more than 18 years, Dr. Smith has positively impacted the lives of thousands of uninsured women and children across the Valley. Women of all ages have had their health restored while receiving quality, compassionate care under his leadership. We are proud to honor Dr. Smith as the 2020 East Valley Man of the Year.

Legacy Award Recipient: Paula Wirth

Paula Wirth exemplifies the true meaning of service and volunteerism. For more than two decades, she has been a leader at every level for many East Valley causes and organizations. Paula has overseen school bond and override elections, and she has served as President of the YMCA Board. Her work with Soroptimist led her to becoming a founding member of the Desert Cancer Foundation of Arizona (DCFA) in 1998.



Since then, she has been essential to DCFA's mission of helping women who are uninsured or underinsured obtain the breast cancer screenings to which they would not otherwise have access. In addition to serving as the DCFA Board President, she has held other positions on the Executive Board, and chaired numerous events. Paula's media relations work for DCFA has raised awareness of the organization for both the target population and for numerous medical professionals who have donated their time and resources in response to Paula's passionate championing of the mission. Paula's personal fundraising efforts have resulted in over \$100,000 in contributions—leading to over 1,500 Arizona women receiving mammograms—and her leadership in organizing DCFA's major events has led to even more funding and lifesaving assistance for the women of Arizona.

Paula is being honored with the East Valley Legacy Award, a fitting tribute to someone who has made a critical difference in the lives of so many woman and East Valley families.