



Stepping Stones Preschool

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To whom it may concern:

Stepping Stones Preschool is a NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) accredited non-profit organization that provides quality early childhood education. We are proud to have been able to serve our community and provide children with the beginnings of brilliant academic careers and social foundations for over 40 years.

As a non-profit school, we rely on donations, fundraising events, and program fees to help us provide our students and families with the highest quality education and experience. The Grand Raffle is our largest fundraiser and coincides with our premiere community event, the Ice Cream Social. We have successfully held the raffle online over the last two years which has allowed us to reach an even broader audience of Stepping Stones community and supporters. We would love to be able to feature your company and products via a donation from your organization. As a supporter we will provide great exposure for your company including spotlight in weekly parent communications and social media posts and all Grand Raffle/Ice Cream Social promotional marketing. Additionally, since we are a non-profit entity, all donations may be tax-deductible (Tax I.D. # 94-2437102).

Funds raised through our Grand Raffle are used for the purchase of classroom supplies, playground equipment, continuing education opportunities for our teaching staff, and/or other school improvements. Most importantly, each dollar earned from your donation will positively impact the development and experience of every child that attends SSP. Items that have been donated in the past are gift cards, access passes, corporate swag, event tickets, vacation stays, and even cash used to sponsor exciting prizes like Disney tickets! We promise all donations will be utilized to improve the educational environment for our students and teachers.

To donate, you may coordinate with the individual presenting you with this opportunity, call our office at 623.606.4266, or email us at donate@steppingstonesaz.com and we will make sure to get you the relevant forms and information for your donation and tax deduction! We are requesting donations be submitted to the school by March 22, 2024.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you in advance for your consideration and generosity.

Kind Regards,

Chelsea Nelson

Parent Board Chair

Stepping Stones Preschool

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Since 1975, Stepping Stones Preschool has provided a culturally diverse preschool community that incorporates family involvement while providing developmentally appropriate learning focused on each child's unique interests and experiences. Accredited by the National Academy of Early Childhood Programs, (NAEYC), the school admits children of any race, color, gender, religious belief, national and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, political beliefs, family values, and other activities of the school. Stepping Stones Preschool is a non-profit organization (Tax I.D. # 94-2437102).



Grand Raffle Donation FAQ's

Who is Stepping Stones Preschool?

Stepping Stones Preschool is a non-profit preschool that has served our community for 40 years, and has been NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) accredited for over 25 years. We are very proud of both these achievements, and it speaks volumes as to the commitment of both our families and our staff. Only 6% of preschools nationally are accredited. We thrive because our families are involved in our classrooms on a day-to-day basis, and our staff has been with us for an average of 20 years, with nearly 200 years of combined experience!

Why donate?

Not only will donating to our Grand Raffle help us raise necessary funds for an amazing school, but it will also provide your company with an opportunity to reach new audiences, both in the Northwest Valley and around the world. (Our students often ask friends and family from across the globe to help with donations). We promote donating businesses through exposure at our event and through mentions on our school website, social media account, word of mouth, and weekly parent communications.

What is the Ice Cream Social and Grand Raffle?

The Stepping Stones Preschool Annual Ice Cream Social is our signature community event and is attended by hundreds. It is a family-orientated event that features carnival style games and activities for kids, an ice cream bar, music, and more.

The Grand Raffle is the coinciding fundraiser at the Ice Cream Social. Numerous prizes made from generous donations are available to win through the purchase of raffle tickets. Ticket prices are based off the value of each prize. We advertise the event and raffle to all of our past, present, and future families which brings in hundreds of people all over the country to support our fundraising goals.

When is the event?

The Grand Raffle drawing will be held in mid-April overlapping our Annual Ice Cream Social.

Where is the event held?

The Grand Raffle is hosted online through Rallyup.com and the Ice Cream Social is held on campus at Stepping Stones Preschool located at 3951 W. Happy Valley Road, Glendale, AZ 85310.

How Can I Donate?

Please fill out the enclosed "Donation Commitment Form" in its entirety and either mail or deliver with your donated item(s) to the school by March 22, 2024. For your convenience, if you would like a school representative come pick up the form and donation, please just let us know!



Donation Commitment Form



Please call or email Stepping Stones Preschool with any questions:

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DONOR INFORMATION:

Company Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Website: _____

Contact Name: _____

Email: _____

Should we need to contact you how would you prefer to be reached? Email Phone

Were you contacted by an SSP Parent or other representative? Yes No

If yes, who contacted you? _____

DONATION INFORMATION:

Item Description: _____

Specifications & Limitations:

Please include any restrictions such as expiration date, new customers only, black-out dates, etc

Declared Value: _____

Donation Pick up or Delivery Options

- Please contact me to have an SSP representative pickup my donation.
- Donation will be emailed to donate@steppingstonesaz.com (only for printable tickets or vouchers)
- Donation will be mailed or delivered by March 22, 2024 to address below.

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Attn: Grand Raffle Fundraiser
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We would like to show your support for our school. Please send us up to 4 photos or logos (.jpg, .gif, or .png files) to the Parent Board Representative you are working with or email it to: donate@steppingstonesaz.com

Thank You from all of us at Stepping Stones Preschool!
Your donation may be tax-deductible (Tax I.D. # 94-2437102).