



**Goodyear
White Tanks Rotary**

**The Rotary Club of
Buckeye**

12/12/12

Community Bingo

Non-Profit Organization Fund Raising Program

As anyone working in the community knows, raising money for non-profit organizations gets more challenging each day. Every year the public is asked to support more golf tournaments, raffles, dances, dinners, blind auctions, etc. Everyone is looking for a sustaining source of money that the community will enjoy participating in on a long term basis.

The Rotary Clubs of Goodyear and Buckeye came up with the idea of creating a "Community Bingo" business licensed by the State of AZ Department of Revenue Charity Bingo Division and OK'd by the City of Goodyear. Community Bingo creates jobs by using a paid staff, pays taxes to both the City and State, enhances the Estrella Crossing Mall by leasing 7,250sf of previously empty space, creates a much needed entertainment venue, and most of all returns all net profits to the non-profit organizations of the West Valley. We convert the entertainment dollars spent playing bingo into dollars that go to qualified non-profit organizations that do good work in the West Valley.

Before you can receive money from these programs or from either Rotary Club you must fill out the FUNDING REQUEST APPLICATION FORM and return it to either address shown on page 3 of the application.

There are two ways to receive money from Community Bingo and either of the Rotary Clubs.

First: The traditional way of requesting a grant from the Rotary Club.

Second: Contact either Rotary Club or Community Bingo and request to become one of the Community Bingo Non-Profit Organizations (NPO's) of the month. This is a program designed to get money to the NPO's quickly. The amount paid is based on their people coming to play Bingo.

The NPO of the month program works as follows:

- We will choose various NPO's depending on their size and location each month.
- We will print and supply to you business cards for you to pass out to your members.
- The business cards are good for the month printed on the front.
- Rules for its use are printed on the back of the card.
- The card is good for one person at one session.
- Present the card to the cashier when you make your initial purchase.
- The cashier will attach your receipt to your card and retain the card.
- At the end of your charity's month, all cards will be totaled and a check for 25% of all initial purchases made by your members will be sent to your charity. Remaining profits will be given out as grants by the Rotary Clubs.

If there are any questions please contact: Vince Evans 623-512-8878 or Todd Leonard 602-697-1241

Thank you for your support of Community Bingo