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CAREFREE KIWANIS SPLASH PARK OPEN FOR THE 2017 SEASON

Town of Carefree Celebrates its 2nd Season

CAREFREE, Ariz., (March 16, 2017) – The Town of Carefree announces it will open the Kiwanis Splash Park for its second season on April 1, 2017 every day from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Located in the Carefree Desert Gardens, the local Carefree Club of Kiwanis donated the funds so that local families and their children could have a place to escape the heat while enjoying the beautiful surrounding views of Carefree. In keeping with the Carefree Desert Garden theme, the park has an artful Scorpion centered within the splash pad named "**KIWANI**" who is an exciting one-of-a-kind addition. When guests least expect it, the scorpion sprays its jets, creating a magical, nature-inspired play environment.

Families are welcome to enjoy the Kiwanis Splash Park for free and encouraged to visit and take pictures nearby of the new 30 ton sand sculpture of a tortoise and her babies at the Sanderson Lincoln Pavilion, created recently by renowned artist, Ray Villafane. In addition to the beautiful landscape in the Gardens, there is also a covered playground featuring a Gila Monster slide like no other.

The Park will remain open until October. For more information please check the town website, www.VisitCarefree.com.

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About the Carefree Kiwanis

The Kiwanis focus is on helping children recognize and develop their potential. They offer post-secondary scholarships, summer art programs, community science fairs and mentoring, special needs support, youth service organizations and more. The vast majority of the funds raised are invested in the children of the community; and programs benefiting the community; a position is also donated to eradicate diseases in third world countries in conjunction with Kiwanis International initiatives and to disaster relief around the world.

Today the Carefree Club has approximately 200 members, ranking the Club of Carefree within the top ten largest Kiwanis clubs in the world. They believe that investing even one fraction of one's time, talents, energies and experiences will make a world of difference tomorrow.

