



PINNACLE SOFTBALL

Kiwanis Tax Credit Donation Program 2025-2026

Did you know you can support local children's charities AND Pinnacle Softball at no cost to you?

By taking advantage of the Arizona State Qualifying Charitable Organization Tax Credit, you can DIRECT YOUR ARIZONA STATE TAX DOLLARS AND HELP PINNACLE SOFTBALL AT THE SAME TIME!

Youth groups that participate in donating to North Phoenix Kiwanis receive 50% of the funds they collect for use by their organization. The remaining amount goes to the North Phoenix Kiwanis Foundation for local children's charities. North Phoenix Kiwanis Foundation gives 100% of their net proceeds directly to local projects and charities including:

AZ Sunshine Angels, Kitchen on the Street, Washington Elementary School District, Funding Lending Library Locations, Dinner Service at Andre House, and several other projects to impact low-income or "working poor" youth of Phoenix.

North Phoenix Kiwanis Foundation Inc. (20589) is a Qualifying Charitable Organization in the 2025 list of organizations provided by the State of Arizona Department of Revenue. Donations are eligible for the State of Arizona Charitable Tax Credit (up to \$987 for married filing jointly and \$495 for unmarried head of household, and married filing separately). Contributions of \$100 or more will receive a donation letter from North Phoenix Kiwanis Foundation. (If you choose to donate for 2026, contributions are \$1009/\$506 respectively)

This is a **completely separate** tax credit from the public and private school tax credits. The Qualified Charitable Organization (QCO) Tax Credit does not affect the amounts you can give to the school tax credits in any way. You will still be able to donate to the public and private schools and receive those eligible tax credits. Use Arizona Form 321 to claim your Arizona QCO tax credit. The AIA athletic participation fees are separate from the booster contributions and are collected by the school district. Your public school tax credit can be used for those fees. You can contribute to more than one tax credit category, so long as you don't claim a total tax credit that exceeds your tax liability.

(We are not accountants: Please consult directly with your Tax Professional)

See <https://azdor.gov/tax-credits/credits-contributions-qcos-and-qfcos> and <https://azdor.gov/tax-credits/public-school-tax-credit> for more information.

All QCO donation checks should be made out to **North Phoenix Kiwanis** and must be turned in to Emily Stowe between now and 3/1/2026. Donations to North Phoenix Kiwanis count toward each player's team fundraising goal. Players will be credited for 50% of the donation that is returned to Pinnacle Softball. (For example: turn in \$987 towards Kiwanis, \$493.50 credit towards fundraising)

Contact Emily Stowe (602-538-3746 cell/text or erstowe@gmail.com) with any questions and thank you in advance for your support of Pinnacle Softball and this wonderful organization!

North Phoenix Kiwanis Zeffy Link

Note: Link will go to "NPK One Step at a Time Walk-a-Thon 2025"
Select donation amount and then under contribution, choose "other" and put \$0.
Fill in additional contact information. Send Name & Amount to Emily Stowe.





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Ideas of how to get people to donate to the Kiwanis Tax Credit Fundraiser

Who to ask: Arizona family members, friends, co-workers, neighbors

Where to ask: Facebook, Instagram, Twitter (remind people this is an AZ tax credit)

When to ask: Start now, people start their tax credits early. We can take checks starting now up until 3/1/2026. Any donations made prior to 4/15/26, can be claimed under 2025 tax year. We will not be able to turn the checks in until the Beginning of March. Please make this clear to people so they know when the checks will be cashed.

Find a way to help someone else in return: If you know someone with students in Private School, ask if they would like to do a trade. If they **participate in the STO** (School Tuition Organizations – cannot be the ESA program), you can give to their student, and they can give to yours thru Kiwanis. There are two credits available to give through for Private schools (Original – and Switcher – allowing you to give up to \$3062 for married filing jointly) So, if you find 3 people to swap with, you can ask them each to donate the \$987, and then offer them \$987 for their STO in return. They actually make out really well because they get all the \$987 towards their student.

The Kiwanis Tax Credit (QCO) is a 100% tax credit. You must have an AZ Tax Liability in order to receive the credit. Donors will have to float the money donated until they file their 2025 AZ Tax Returns. This may not work for everyone, but it's worth asking people to consider. This is a really easy way for our softball club to earn money to support and enhance our program for our student athletes.

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See <https://azdor.gov/tax-credits/credits-contributions-qcos-and-qfcos> and <https://azdor.gov/tax-credits/credits-contributions-certified-school-tuition-organizations> for more information.

HOW: All QCO donation checks should be made out to **North Phoenix Kiwanis** and must be turned in to Emily Stowe between now and 3/1/2026. This year we have the option to donate online through the Kiwanis' Zeffy QR Code. **IMPORTANT: DONOR MUST FILL OUT ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED SO WE GET THE CREDIT, PLEASE EMPHASIZE THIS TO YOUR DONORS. WAT TEAM NAME: PINNACLE SOFTBALL**

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