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Dear Friend of Lura Turner Homes,

Happy 2016! A new year brings new goals while sizing up the prior 12 months. Reviewing 2015, I'm amazed at the depth and range of opportunities LTH offers the special needs men and women who've chosen to live at Lura Turner Homes. In fact, when executive directors of much bigger agencies look at what we offer, they too are amazed. Below is a *partial* list of the activities that *your* support allows us to do every year, every month, every week, every day.

Thank you!


Max McQueen,

your executive director

Yearly events: Phoenix Zoo Lights, Ballard Spahr MLK Service Day, Italian Dinner (Carrabba's Italian Grill of Avondale at Madison Baptist Church), Valentine's Party (Litchfield Park First Baptist Church), "Mock" Courtroom Trial (Arizona Summit Law School), Joyce Ridge Memorial High Tea (St. Stephen's Byzantine Catholic Church), Barney's Night at Denny's, Founder's Day (Central United Methodist), Organ Stop Pizza Party, Camp at Whispering Hope Ranch, Golf Tournament at The Legend at Arrowhead, Jack Adams Memorial Walk-A-Thon, Boutique (Cross Roads United Methodist), Civitan Thanksgiving Dinner and *countless* Christmas parties.

Monthly/Bi-Monthly events: Hands on Greater Phoenix Kickball, Los Olivos Senior Center Bingo, Phoenix Bird Civitan Club, Phoenix Metro Lioness Club Bingo and Scouts (Faith United Methodist).

Weekly events: Arizona Recreation Center for the Handicapped Aerobics, Christian Ambassadors (Central United Methodist) and Glenfair Lanes Bowling.

Daily Activities: Day Training for Adults and Structured Classes at ARCH.

Enjoy these photos of the year 2015 in review.



Phoenix Bird Civitan Club at Ronald McDonald House



Mary Harrington and a table full of friends
toasting our annual High Tea

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LTH's 2015 Year in Review



Dolly watches volunteer Mary Grace open gifts at Mary Grace's annual birthday bash at Organ Stop Pizza



As longtime acolytes, Lantz and Barney "light up" the sanctuary of Central United Methodist



Linda has a "spooky time" with staff Emily and Genet at The Los Olivos Senior Center's Halloween party



Jody is hugged by "Tigger" at Valley Youth Theatre's "Winnie-The-Pooh Christmas"



Helping with the Jack Adams Memorial Walk-A-Thon are the Metro Civitans, one of many social service groups that volunteer at LTH.



Out-going Phoenix Bird Civitan Club officers Esther, Lantz and Cathy are lauded for giving great leadership to the Civitans in 2014-2015.



Volunteers Deborah and Lori spearhead LTH's annual trip to Phoenix ZooLights



Ruth gives Santa her gift list at Central UMC's Christmas party...one of many.



LTH Board Members gather at 2015 Founders Day. All are "on board" for 2016 joined by Lucinda Glenn



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