



ICAN: Positive Programs for Youth - March News from the Lon E. Hoeye Youth Center



## ICAN Mission Moment



ICAN's Auxiliary is helping prepare youth dinners this week and next week during spring break! ICAN typically serves lunch and a healthy snack

during intersession, but because of our new partnership with **Even Stevens** food donations, youth are now able to also receive dinner. Thank you to the Auxiliary members who are helping to prepare the dinners (and their kids!).

## Arizona Gives Day/Building Bright Futures Breakfast



Join ICAN to kick-off **Arizona Gives Day** with the **2nd Annual Building Bright Futures Breakfast** on Tuesday, April 3rd at 7:30 a.m. at ICAN. Guests will

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learn about ICAN's unique approach to teaching life skills, resiliency and prevention strategies to youth – giving youth the tools they need to build a brighter future for themselves and for our community. They will also participate in a youth-inspired activity, presented by Legoland Discovery Center. Can't attend the breakfast? Donate to ICAN for Arizona Gives Day anytime on April 3rd, or schedule a donation now by [clicking here](#)! RSVP for the breakfast by [clicking here](#) - for more information, contact Courtney Taylor at (480) 874-7575 or [courtney@icanaz.org](mailto:courtney@icanaz.org).

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*Founder*

**Henry Salinas**

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## Easter Sale Benefiting ICAN



Edward Jones is partnering with ICAN to host a sale of high-end one-of-a-kind Easter collectibles that were donated to ICAN. All proceeds will support ICAN's programs. The event will take place on Saturday, March 24th from 8 a.m. - 12 noon at ICAN (650 E. Morelos St.)

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## Parent Coach Training

ICAN's partner **TASC** is hosting a free training program with the **Partnership for Drug-Free Kids Parent Support Network** and are seeking parents who have had personal experience with a child who has been impacted by drug or alcohol abuse and are interested in helping others who may be facing a similar situation. The training is April 13-15 in Phoenix. Contact Leslie Bloom if interested at [lbloom@tascsolutions.org](mailto:lbloom@tascsolutions.org).

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## Last Month for Tax Credits



One month left for 2017 tax credit donations - donations can be made through April 16, 2018 - up to \$800 per couple of \$400 per individual. [Click](#)

[here](#) and be sure to mark ICAN as your charity. If you would like to donate directly to ICAN [click here](#) for more information.

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## Thank You Season for Sharing!



Today is #TYTHURS and ICAN would like to thank **Season for Sharing**, through the **Arizona Republic** and **azcentral.com** for their recent \$5,000 grant to support ICAN's Youth Development Program! The Youth

Development Program teaches real-life skills to disadvantaged youth in Chandler, giving them the skills they need to break the cycle of poverty.

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ICAN is a free youth center in the East Valley that offers programming for youth, teens, families and the community. ICAN's nationally-recognized prevention programming teaches disadvantaged youth real-life skills including goal setting, positive decision making and how to avoid the risky behaviors that are prevalent in the community ICAN serves.

For more information about ICAN, call 480.821.4207 or visit [www.icanaz.org](http://www.icanaz.org).

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