



# The Creekside E-News

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## Join us on April 23rd to Cleanup our Creeks

Annually the Granite Creeks Cleanup volunteers provide an important service in keeping our waterways clean and attractive by removing multiple tons of trash. In return for spending two hours out on the creeks they receive coffee, snack, a t-shirt and trash bags – and we all receive a more beautiful place to live, work, and play. You can be part of this effort by either pre-registering [here](#) or showing up at [Granite Creek Park](#) on Saturday, **April 23rd at 9am**. We look forward to seeing you all there.



Photo by West Howland

This year is going to be a little different. Prescott Creeks is asking people to separate true trash into black trash bags and anything they think can be reused and made into art into



white trash bags. As the [City](#) picks up the black bags, [Northpoint Expeditionary Learning Academy](#) will be picking up the white bags. Potential art materials will be available to anyone interested at Granite Creek park starting at 11 am that same day.

## Visit us at our new location

Prescott Creeks can now be found at 822 W. Gurley St. We are all moved in and nearly functional.



## Get Out...Get Into It! Discover Prescott's Natural History

On Sat, **April 16, 2011** Discover Prescott's Natural History is a one-day festival anchored by the dedication of the Watson Willow Lakes Ecosystem Important Bird Area. The event includes a day of free activities <http://www.prescottaudubon.org/events/>



Photo by Rich Gregory

## Donate to Your Creeks

Your support is important to the work of restoring the habitat, improving water quality, and providing a more beautiful piece of our community [donate here](#).



## Statewide Prescription Drug Take-Back Day is April 30



Prescott's prescription drug take-back day helps consumers safely dispose of old, unwanted, potentially harmful drugs. The event takes place April 30, 2011, 10 am to 2 pm, at the Arizona Department of Public Safety office, 1111 Commerce Drive. Additional collection sites can be found by visiting [www.dea.gov](http://www.dea.gov), clicking on the "Got Drugs?" icon, and following the links to a database, where they enter

their zip code. It is also possible to get rid of unwanted prescription drugs at the Prescott Police Department office Monday- Friday between 9 and 3:30 PM. Drugs must be in an unmarked baggie. They accept no bottles.

