



Prescott Creekside E-News

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Hello Friend,

As I write, snow is flying again after a short respite from the rainstorms that caused the creeks to flow at near capacity last week. While March and the beginning of Spring typically bring varied conditions, this month and this winter have been exceptional with moisture! Check out the images of Granite Creek at the end of this E-News!

We are sending this April issue of the Prescott Creekside E-News a bit early to highlight the **close of Required Pre-Registration for the Granite Creek Cleanup on March 31st - that's tomorrow!** In this issue, you'll find information about the Cleanup and the top Sponsors who make it possible for community members to gather and work together to protect nature and conserve wildlife habitat by controlling trash pollution in the Prescott area. Please click through the links to learn more and Pre-Register today.

If you already pre-registered you should have received a confirmation email (check your SPAM or Junk folder if you did not see it). If you did not receive a confirmation email, your pre-registration has NOT been received and you should try again or contact Prescott Creeks.

2023 Granite Creek Cleanup

Required Pre-Registration Closes tomorrow, 3/31 at 5 PM

**Saturday April 22nd, 2023
Granite Creek Park | 8 AM – Noon**

- Celebrate Earth Day and Make a Difference, Help Clean Up Your Community, Cleanup T-shirt for all **Pre-Registered** Participants, and It's Free! *(in exchange for a few hours of your service to the community)*



Pre-Registration Required

[Pre-Register Here](#)

This annual event not only cleans up and beautifies the community, it also provides an opportunity for people to come together for a common cause. Since 2007, over 7,000 people have collected almost 52 tons of trash. Overall trends for this event show that the amount of trash collected (by weight) is decreasing and participation is increasing.

The Cleanup is working and you are making a difference!

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Concerned about the recent storms and surface water quality?

Personal communication with multiple members of the City of Prescott staff have indicated that sampling results indicate positive trends toward surface water quality to being within standards established by ADEQ. We expect this to be the case by or before April 22nd.



Safety is a primary concern of ours for Cleanup participants. In preparation for the event, Prescott Creeks will continue to monitor and assess conditions in coordination with the City. An additional sampling session in area streams has been offered by the City of Prescott specifically for the Cleanup. New insights and additional information, as relevant, will be shared with Pre-Registrants.

[Please pre-register for the Cleanup now so your place is reserved!](#)

Help Behind the Scenes

Help Behind the Scenes is still needed - Apply today!

Behind the Scenes help is critical to making the Granite Creek Cleanup happen. We couldn't do it without everyone who helps organize and coordinate from behind the scenes. Help Behind the Scenes before the event, on the day of the event, or after the event.

[**Help Behind the Scenes**](#)

2023 GRANITE CREEK CLEANUP SPONSORS

Premier Sponsor

For the third year in a row Prescott Creeks is pleased to welcome **Findlay Prescott Subaru** as the Cleanup's Premier Sponsor!

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"All Subaru products are manufactured in zero-landfill production plants and Subaru of Indiana Automotive, Inc. is the only US automobile production plant to be designated a backyard wildlife habitat by the National Wildlife Federation. Findlay Subaru Prescott, giving back to the community and making the world a better place!"

Elite Sponsor

Please join us in welcoming **Pacifico Preserves**. Pacific Preserves is supporting the Cleanup for a second year - jumping up to the Elite Sponsor level this year!



"Established in 2018, Pacifico Preserves is our commitment to protect the outdoors and advocate for better access to adventure for all."

Additional Sponsorships Still Needed

Sponsors make this event possible!

Historically, Sponsors have represented a rich cross-section of businesses in Prescott ranging from sandwich shops to public utilities, from home builders to other not-for-profit organizations, from civic groups to individuals.

Sponsorships are needed and available in both cash and in-kind categories.

[Contact Prescott Creeks](#) to discuss
[Cleanup Sponsorship for 2023.](#)

Granite Flows in Watson Woods Riparian Preserve



3/22/2023. 08:30 AM, 822 [cubic feet per second \(cfs\)](#)

This represents about 50% of the maximum or peak flow of 1,610 cfs about 14 hours earlier



3/23/2023. 01:15 PM, 154 [cubic feet per second \(cfs\)](#).

How quickly things change.

Photo by Phil Taska, Volunteer, Prescott Creeks

Prescott Creeks is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization with a mission to achieve healthy watersheds and clean waters in central Arizona for the benefit of people and wildlife through protection, restoration, education, and advocacy.

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