



TEMPE FAMILY YMCA

2024 ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

GOAL: \$135,000

As an organization with more than a century of experience in caring for our community, the Valley of the Sun YMCA responds quickly to these challenges; creatively expanding our programs to meet our community when, where and how we are needed most.



OUR MISSION

The Valley of the Sun YMCA's mission is to put Christian principles into practice through programs that build a healthy spirit, mind and body for all.

OUR CAUSE

At the Y, strengthening community is our cause. Every day, we work side-by-side with our neighbors to make sure that everyone, regardless of age, income or background, has the opportunity to learn, grow and thrive.

STRENGTHENING FAMILIES

Y programs support parents in creating stronger families in order to lower child poverty, reduce social-isolation and increase positive health outcomes.

In 2024, the Y will:

- Provide membership and program access to at-risk kids and low-income families to allow for a safe space for all children to learn, connect, and grow.

ENGAGING OPPORTUNITY YOUTH

The Y provides youth ages 16-24 with pathways to employment, shelter, food and the opportunity to reach their full potential.

In 2024, the Y will:

- Provide scholarships to 5 individuals to learn about Democracy through Youth and Government.
- Send 20 kids to Teen Camp who would not otherwise be able to attend.
- Provide affordable youth sports programming to 150 kids.

DROWNING PREVENTION

Y programs provide critical safety around water knowledge and teach swimming skills for youth and adults.

In 2024, the Y will:

- Teach 250 kids how to swim and lifesaving skills in and around water through Safety Around Water lessons and dry land safety skills.

ADVANCING CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

Y programs provide experiences rich in social and emotional learning because youth can achieve their potential when they are nurtured by supportive adults.

In 2024, the Y will:

- Provide care for 30 students in before and after school.
- Provide scholarships for 50 kids to attend summer day camp.
- Send 50 kids to camp who otherwise wouldn't be able to attend.



