

To: AZSFWC Grant Committee

Re: 2016 AES Youth Hunting Camps



Your grant of \$2000 for the Youth Javelina (and much more) Hunting Camp has helped the AES and our partners put on better hunting heritage camps for kids.

Last year the AES took on the task of supporting a camp near Oracle that was struggling to stay afloat, not only due to funding, but also the lack of support from partners and volunteers. Our goal, with help of your funding, was to grow this camp into one of the best in Arizona. This is mainly a junior javelina camp but the area they are in supports many other opportunities for the young hunters and even youth hunters that didn't have the javelina tag.

This past year, with your help, was a huge success. We had over 70 kids in camp and we were able to teach them about hunting: Javelina, Ducks, Quail, Predators, Rabbits and more. Many of the kids harvested game except for ducks this year. Many of the young hunters have since come to other camps of the HAHWG. We were very fortunate in having many new groups partner on this camp.

As always we have placed your banner at the event, talked about the funding and the opportunity for the participants to get a license to grow your program and giving out the cards directly to those that want them and placed them in all of our goody bags we give out to the kids. We have done this at all of our youth camps throughout the year.

Meals for participants	\$3100
Port a johns	\$670

Quail to plant for kids	\$250
Office supplies	\$150
Media, print and social	\$350

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Match Volunteer Hours	\$12,000
Give-a-ways for kids	\$700
AES Admin time and travel	\$1250
Game and Fish personnel	\$2500

Thank you,
Stephen Clark
Arizona Elk Society