BEST GOLF COURSE



Sheila Barbee, front, and Olivia Boyd chip balls during Desert Vista ģirls golf practice at Foothills Golf Club on Aug. 17. 2012. [David Jolkovski/



Foothills Golf Club 2201 E. Clubhouse Drive • (480) 460-4662 • www.thefoothillsgc.com

The Foothills Golf Course is the Duke Golf Club. a par-72 championship linksstyle course in Ahwatukee Foothills.

In 2011 the course was purchased by Ahwatukee Golf Properties, which also owns and operates Club West Golf Club, Ahwatukee Country Club, Ahwatukee Lakes and

"Our unpretentious atmosphere coupled with a resortstyle golf course allow us to provide an affordable golfing experience made available to both local residents and visitors alike," said Darren Szewaga, director of sales and marketing.

2ND PLACE:

Club West Golf Club 16400 S. 14th Ave. (480) 460-4400 www.clubwestgolf.com

3RD PLACE:

Ahwatukee Lakes Golf Club 13431 S. 44th St. (480) 893-3004 www.ahwatukeegolf.com

BEST RESALE/BARGAIN BUSINESS



Kid to Kid 5030 F Ray Road Suite 11 (480) 753-3506 www.kidtokid.com

Kid to Kid is the place to go for kids clothing and toys at deep discounts. The store is a secondtime Best Of winner.

"We're very organized and we take trade-ins," said manager Sharon Montano. "That means you can come and bring the things your kids have outgrown or don't use and we can trade. A lot of bargain stores don't do that. I'm a grandmother so for me I love that I can bring in things the kids no longer play with, trade them in and then turn around and buy what I need for a fraction of what it would cost a mile up the street."

Owners Brenda Spezzacatena and Molly Varner have been running the store for about eight years.

The store is known for carrying many hard-to-find items like winter-weather clothing and kids costumes.



Kid to Kid is located at 5030 E. Ray Road. [Allison Hurtado/AFN]

2ND PLACE:

TurnStyle Consignment 4940 E. Ray Road, Suite 25 (480) 705-9620

3RD PLACE:

Goodwill 15633 S. 32nd St. (480) 704-0645 www.goodwillaz.org

BEST DANCE STUDIO



Dance Studio 111

4910 E. Chandler Blvd., Suite 111 • (480) 706-6040 • www.dancestudio111.com

Dance Studio 111 has been voted Ahwatukee's Best Dance Studio for 10 years. Owner Kimberly Lewis said it's all because of her staff.

"A majority of my staff has been with me for 19 years," Lewis said. "We're a very family-oriented studio. We've been together a very long time and have always been very involved in our community. I just really credit our talented, dedicated staff."

The studio offers classes for kids as young as 2 years old through adults. The studio is also a full performing arts center offering lessons for piano, guitar and voice.

"It means so much to me to have the support of our community," Lewis said. "It's a wonderful feeling to know you can have a business for 19 years and after all that time still be voted No. 1 dance studio. It means the world to me. I'm very grateful."



Dance Studio 111 is located at 4910 E. Chandler Blvd. [David Jolkovski/AFN]

2ND PLACE:

Center Pointe Dance 4825 E. Warner Road, Suite 11 (480) 598-8428 Centerpointedanceaz.com

3RD PLACE:

Phoenix Dance Cooperative 12020 S. Warner-Elliot Loop (480) 264-2929 Phoenixdancecooperative.com

BEST INSURANCE AGENT



Lynn Hennessy Insurance Agency Inc. State Farm · 4645 E. Chandler Blvd., Suite 110 · (480) 759-0203 · www.lynnhennessy.co

Lynn Hennessy said her business is something she thinks about a lot. Even after more than 25 years in business it's still something she loves to do.

"We cultivate relationships and create solutions for families in order to unleash their potential through our honest concern, curiosity, creativity and community spirit," Hennessy said.

Hennessy moved to a new location this year on Chandler Boulevard. She said the move has been excellent and she's happy to stay in Ahwatukee Foothills.

"We are thrilled to be here," Hennessy said. "We always appreciate the community's support."



Lynn Hennessy of State Farm. [Allison Hurtado/AFN]

2ND PLACE:

Chris Davis Insurance Agency Farmers Insurance Group 1415 E. Guadalupe Road (480) 282-8001 www.Arizonafarmers.com

3RD PLACE:

Henderson-Hunt Insurance 8601 S. Priest Drive, Suite 104 (480) 460-8888 www.henderson-hunt.com