



WELCOME TO OUR

◆ Quarterly News ◆



An unforgettable networking & education event with the picturesque setting of Ocotillo Golf Club! Attendees were able to mix and mingle with other wedding pros while enjoying delicious food, refreshing beverages and engaging in insightful discussions with education provided by Abigail Olaya.



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A Message From Your Phoenix Chapter President

HAPPY SPRING PHOENIX WIPA!!

As the vibrant hues of spring start to bloom around us, it brings me immense pleasure to extend warm greetings to each of you. I hope this season finds you in high spirits, brimming with creativity and enthusiasm for the weddings that lie ahead.

As we embark on this journey into the lively months ahead, I am thrilled to share some exciting updates and news from Phoenix WIPA:

Membership Growth: Our organization has experienced remarkable growth in membership over the past few months. We are delighted to welcome new talented professionals into our community, each bringing their unique expertise and passion to our collective endeavor of creating unforgettable weddings.

Upcoming Events: Spring is synonymous with new beginnings, and we have a lineup of engaging events planned to inspire and empower you. From member VIP networking mixers to educational online workshops from internationals and industry panels, there will be ample opportunities for you to connect with fellow professionals, learn from experts, and stay updated on the latest trends shaping the wedding industry.

Community Spotlight: In each newsletter, we will shine a spotlight on one of our exceptional members who has made noteworthy contributions to the wedding industry. If you would like to nominate yourself or a colleague for this feature, please reach out to us - we would love to showcase your talent and expertise!

Vendor Directory: Our comprehensive vendor directory continues to be a valuable resource for fellow members and engaged couples seeking top-notch professionals for their special day. Make sure your online profile is up-to-date, showcasing your best work and highlighting what sets you apart in this competitive market.

Collaboration Opportunities: We believe in the power of collaboration and are always on the lookout for partnership opportunities that benefit our members. If you have any ideas or suggestions for collaborative projects, please don't hesitate to share them with us - together, we can achieve great things!

Member Feedback: Your feedback is invaluable to us as we strive to enhance the member experience and better serve your needs. Whether you have suggestions for improvement, ideas for new initiatives, or simply want to share your thoughts, we are all ears. Your input shapes the future of our organization, and we are committed to listening and responding to your needs.

As we embrace the spirit of renewal that spring brings, let us reaffirm our dedication to excellence, creativity, and collaboration in everything we do. Together, we have the power to create magical moments that will be cherished for a lifetime.

Thank you for your unwavering support and commitment to our shared mission. Here's to a season filled with joy, abundance, and endless possibilities!



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QUARTER ONE EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

JANUARY 8TH, 2024

The VENUE MOUNTAIN SHADOWS RESORT



Photo by Ryann Lindsey Photography



WIPA International Board with Phoenix WIPA Board
Photo by Pink Pineapple Studios

In January, WIPA members joined together for a networking event at the stunning Mountain Shadows Resort in Paradise Valley, Arizona. Not only did members get to connect with their local peers and WIPA Phoenix Board, but we also had some special guests from WIPA International join! In addition to delicious sips and bites, members were given a chance to have their “word” of the year handwritten on a frame and have fun in the photo booth!



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JANUARY 8TH, 2024



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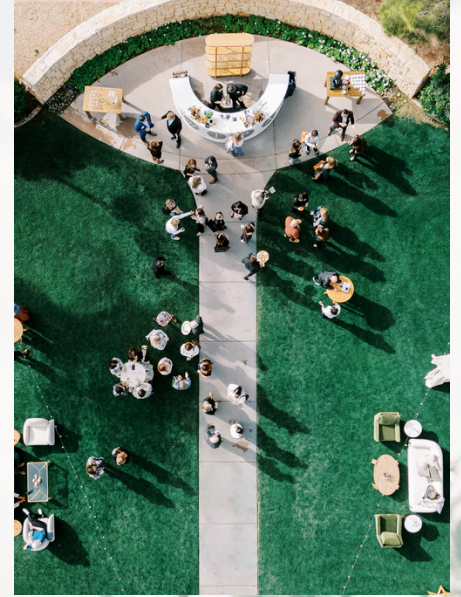
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JANUARY 25TH, 2024

The VENUE OCOTILLO GOLF COURSE



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Abigail Olaya

“Freedom Unleashed Leadership”



“Imagine creating a world where what you say happens!!”

UPCOMING EVENTS

Join Us
APRIL 30TH



The Abbey
ON MONROE

THE KEYS
learn the secrets

TO DESIGN
of wedding artistry

\$85 MEMBERS
\$110 AT THE DOOR

\$135 FUTURE MEMBERS
\$160 AT THE DOOR

5:30 - 6:00PM MEMBERS ONLY VIP
6:00 - 9:00PM MEMBERS & FUTURE MEMBERS

Cocktails, Education & Dinner

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"PALLIATIVE CARE FOR CHILDREN WITH LIFE-LIMITING CONDITIONS IS AN ACTIVE AND TOTAL APPROACH TO CARE, EMBRACING PHYSICAL, EMOTIONAL, SOCIAL AND SPIRITUAL ELEMENTS."

Ryan House is Arizona-based facility that provides a loving community where children can truly be themselves and live their lives to the fullest In a safe, home-like environment. Children receive personalized, expert care provided by our prestigious care partners and highly trained clinical staff. In addition, the staff delivers emotional, spiritual and social support for children and their families during some of the most challenging times of their lives.

MISSION

Ryan House enriches the quality of life and creates cherished memories for children and their families, providing a much needed break from 24/7 caregiving, as they navigate life-limiting or end-of-life journeys.

VISION

We believe that everyone deserves care, dignity, peace, and compassion, especially as they face the unimaginable challenges of a life-limiting condition. As a leader in children's palliative care, our goal is twofold: Providing care to children and their families and sharing information with other communities to assist them in developing their own unique models of care to help more families in need.

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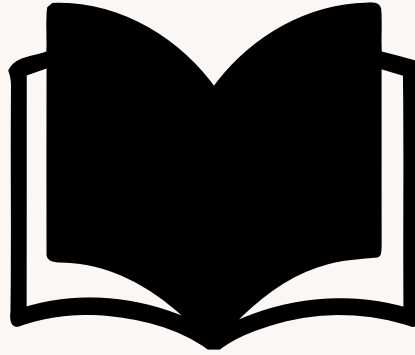


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MEMBER BENEFITS

We are so excited to announce a new Member Benefit for WIPA Phoenix members!



Very Important Member Benefits (VIMB)

Currently seeking WIPA Members who want to be a part of our VIMB guide!

Does your company offer a product or service that you can extend a discount, freebie or VIP service level?

Some examples:

- *Venue Rental Discount
- *Complimentary Engagement Session when booking a full service package
- *Floral Discount when booking full package
- *Product Discount




MEMBER BENEFITS

Want to Shine Bright on Instagram???

WIPA Phoenix Member Spotlight

Did you know one of the benefits of being a WIPA member is features on our instagram!! We would love to share your business and goals with the community!! Submit the form below and we will be in touch!!!

ryann@ryannlindseyphotography.com
Switch account 

🔒 Not shared

* Indicates required question

What is the name of your business? *

Your answer _____

Where is your business located? *

Your answer _____

How long have you been member of WIPA Phoenix? *

Your answer _____

In a few sentences please describe what your business specializes in. *

Your answer _____

We want to feature you!!!

Send us a bio with 3 facts or tips about your business and images (please provide photography credits)

You can now access the form on the link through out @wipaphoenix bio or tap the click here button!!



Don't forget to tag us in your instagram stories, posts and always feel free to invite us as a collab!!

MEMBER BENEFITS

Introducing our new **EXCLUSIVE**
Members **ONLY** Facebook Group!



A place for members to connect, discuss,
network, collaborate and more!!!

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