

## Our Charities

Since 1987, the main beneficiaries of our book sale proceeds continue to be:

- **Arizona Friends of Foster Children Foundation (AFFCF)** is organized to promote the self-esteem and enrich the lives of Arizona's children in foster care. AFFCF funds activities, education and other opportunities that provide the children with quality experiences while they live in difficult circumstances.
- **Literacy Volunteers of Maricopa County (LVMC)** teaches individuals ages 16 and older to read, write, and speak English. LVMC also helps adults increase skills for job advancement and prepare for their GED. LVMC operates two Learning Centers in Phoenix offering computer-assisted instruction and provides targeted adult education classes for school districts and local employers.

In addition, when fundraising levels support the same, the VNSA selects additional local charities that provide human services in Maricopa County for one-time supplemental funding grants.