

tage and is a major benefactor of the Sharlot Hall Museum and the Smoki Museum. The museums are valuable resources of information for not only local citizens and tourists, but for the countless school-aged children who visit them on school field trips.

“My husband was on the Little League team we sponsor from 1976-1980. Who would have known that thirty years later I’d be working for the company that sponsored his baseball team?” said Kaylene Vlastelich, marketing executive and escrow consultant for Yavapai Title Agency. “We believe in giving back to our hometown community in numerous ways. In doing so, we’re bound to support each person in our community through the charity or cause they believe in.”



A Escrow Officer Kristina Hannan of Thomas Title & Escrow whips up pancakes for Homebase youth residents.

Arizona Agent Finds ‘Homebase’ in Community

Thomas Title & Escrow in Scottsdale, Arizona has a place in the community they call home – HomeBase Youth Services that is. HomeBase is an Arizona-based, non-profit organization that offers housing and support to homeless youth ages 21 and younger. Each quarter, Thomas Title & Escrow President Frank W. Busch III and his staff visit the HomeBase campus in Central Phoenix to prepare and serve Saturday morning “Rise and Shine” breakfast to the young residents.

“Our goal is to provide our youth with necessary life skills for becoming self-sufficient, successful young adults,” says HomeBase President and CEO Martha Ostrom. “Frank and his team do more than volunteer their time and money; our youth always come away inspired after interacting with them.”

Thomas Title & Escrow was named Outstanding Agent in 2007 by First American Title Insurance Company.

Parker Kennedy Accepts Orange County Titan Award from California State University

On behalf of First American Corp., Chairman and CEO Parker Kennedy accepted the prestigious Orange County Titan Award on February 28, 2009 from California State University, Fullerton. The Titan Award is presented each year to an individual or organization that has made a positive difference in Orange County.



In addition to its long-time support of Cal State Fullerton, First American supports a number of Orange County-based nonprofit organizations including Goodwill of Orange County, Human Options, Hoag Hospital Foundation, Bowers Museum, the Pacific Chorale and the Boys and Girls Club of Santa Ana.

Has Your Company Given Back to the Community?

Title News would like to hear from members who have helped out in their community. Please send an e-mail to ssullivan@alta.org, and we will follow up.