



Mayor's Recognition Award

Presented To

Darlene J. Westcott
Children's Librarian "Extraordinaire"



Darlene J. Westcott, the Town of Chino Valley's first Children's Librarian, affectionately known throughout the community as "Miss Darlene," has served in that capacity from 1995 through 2018, and has also served as Assistant Librarian and Library Manager.

Miss Darlene has given generously of her time and talents in establishing a Children's Library Program, as well as developing genuine caring relationships, that have impacted many Chino Valley children and families.

Miss Darlene prepares and presents over 180 programs annually with an average of 6,500 children in attendance, for a total of 4,140 programs and 149,500 attendees in her 23 years of service; and

Miss Darlene has been officially recognized for her contributions in the following ways:

- 📖 Receiving the Achievement of Civic Excellence Silver Award in 2001;*
- 📖 Being named Grand Marshall of the First Territorial Capital Days Parade in 2005;*
- 📖 Being inducted into the Heritage Middle School Hall of Fame in 2008; and*
- 📖 Receiving the Arizona Youth Services Librarian of the Year award in 2010;*

On behalf of the Chino Valley Town Council and all the citizens of the Town I, Darryl Croft, Mayor of the Town of Chino Valley, do hereby recognize with gratitude for Darlene J. Westcott, "Librarian Extraordinaire," for 23 years of dedicated service to Chino Valley's children and families.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of Chino Valley to be affixed this 11th day of December, 2018.



Darryl L. Croft

Darryl L. Croft, Mayor

ATTEST: *Jami C. Lewis*

Jami C. Lewis, Town Clerk