# WHEEL FUN CREATES COMMUNITY THROUGH BIKES FOR YOUTH RIDERS.





### WHO WE ARE

A nonprofit founded in the Verde Valley, we strive to get young people off electronic devices and outdoors onto mountain bikes! Wheel Fun is honored to offer free programs to a diverse range of socioeconomic backgrounds, races, and identities who would otherwise be unable to participate.

## **SUCCESS STORIES**

- Heading into Fall 2024, Wheel Fun is offering 38 free after-school bike clubs.
- For Fall 2024, 1400+ students are enrolled in programming
- 3 bike parks built at public schools, with a fourth in process
- 3 annual bike camps offered for free to youth riders during school breaks



### **MENTAL HEALTH**

Youth report a higher level of well being after riding their bike on a weekly basis. They also report a higher level of self confidence in facing adversity after participating in Wheel Fun programming.



### PHYSICAL HEALTH

Biking increases longevity, strengthens the heart, and improves general health. As the prevalence of preventable childhood illnesses rise, biking is proven to lower the risk of childhood obesity and Type-2 diabetes.



### TIME OUTSIDE

Studies show interaction with the natural world increases a child's attention span and immunity. With children's ever increasing screen time, Wheel Fun provides an outlet away from electronics and into the outdoors.

# **HOW TO GET MORE KIDS ON BIKES**

Wheel Fun works to expand its reach to more kids in more schools! We need your help to offer these crucial programs to empower and improve the health of our next generation.
 Donate or volunteer. Sponsor a student, team, or program through our Sponsorship Program.
 Help us in our mission to get more kids on bikes!





