

# **Service Learning in a Copper Mining Community**

**Copper, Cattle, Climate and Community**



Carlotta Copper Mine Tour 2009

# WOW





# **Service Learning**

## **Globe/Miami/San Carlos YEAR 1**

- ▶ **Attempting to understand the Service Learning Project**
- ▶ **Hesitations/questions/misgivings . . .**
- ▶ **Building a partnership base**
- ▶ **Determining Service Learning priorities as they relate to the Globe/Miami/San Carlos communities**
- ▶ **Gearing up for the week**
- ▶ **Details, details, details**

# Miami, Arizona - Miami Copper Mine





# Service Learning Globe/Miami/San Carlos Year 2



# Year 2 Cont.

- ▶ Better understanding of Service Learning
- ▶ Hesitations/questions/misgivings . . .
- ▶ Solidifying Partnership Base and adding more
- ▶ Identifying new Service Learning activities/projects for the week
- ▶ Details, details, details . . .



# Globe, Arizona





# Service Learning Year 3

## it's time to hit the road . . .





# Apache Maiden and Crown Dancers





## **Year 3 cont.**

- ▶ **FINALLY, I THINK WE GET IT . . .Service Learning, yeah!!!**
- ▶ **Partnerships expanded county wide.**
- ▶ **Excitement over Service Learning Projects for this year.**
- ▶ **Reality . . .**
- ▶ **Details, details, details . . .what to do when the restaurant shuts down.**

# **Unexpected Surprises from 3 years of service learning**

- ▶ **Internships/Externships with public health students in the local community**
- ▶ **Projects completed (Community Kids meeting room, Hospital's healthy awareness program for its employees)**
- ▶ **Project initiated (MAPP survey)**
- ▶ **Partnership and Community relationships strengthened**
- ▶ **Students have a new understanding of “rural reality”.**



# Mt. Graham Mountains

