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Buy Star photos A.E. ARAIZA / ARIZONA DAILY STAR Photojournalist Linda Solomon distributes cameras to Prince Elementary School fourth-grade students to use for a photo project, "Pictures of Hope." Judges will select a photo from each of the 32 students that best represents their hopes.

Thirty-two fourth-graders revealed their hopes for America Tuesday during a "Pictures of Hope" project at Prince Elementary School.

Each of the students received a disposable camera to take photos that represent their desires for our nation.

Among other things, the Prince fourth-graders envision an America free of bullying, violence, poverty, homelessness, litter and animal cruelty.

Judges will sort through the students' photos next week and select one image per child to be turned into greeting cards that will be sold at Prince, 125 E. Prince Road, and at Lexus of Tucson's two dealerships.

All proceeds from card sales will go to the Christina-Taylor Green Memorial Fund.

Photojournalist Linda Solomon, a Tucsonan, started the "Pictures of Hope" project four years ago to teach children how to tell a story with photos.

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