Dear Tanya,

Seeing is Believing:
Plant Research Through Illustration

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Partners

Master Gardener Program
Pima Co. Extension
The Campus Arboretum is a living laboratory. As we grow so too has our comprehensive collection of resources supporting community education and scientific research. To this end, undergraduate student interns at the Campus Arboretum have dedicated much of the last year to an ongoing photo project that will ultimately provide descriptive photographic illustration of each of the plant species on campus. Their dedication is paying off and resulted in the addition of hundreds of new photos representing 60 plant species in recent months. The photographs can be found in species description pages on the Campus Arboretum's website. The photos will be accompanied by written descriptions. Combined, these serve as resources for plant identification and publicly promote the availability of the plant collection to scientists worldwide. Images capture characteristics like leaf shape, bark texture, flower, fruit and habit. Read more here...

Events and Tours
For details, see the calendar of events page online.

- Nov 13 2:00-3:30 pm
  - Edible Landscapes Tour
- Nov 19 2:00-3:30 pm
  - Mediterranean Tour
- Nov 22 12:00-1:30 pm
  - Sonoran Native Plants Tour
- Dec 3 1:30-3:00 pm
  - Tropical Trip Tour
- Dec 3 1:30-3:00 pm
  - Poetry: The "Barbaric Yawp" of Walt Whitman

Thanks to The Pima Co. Master Gardener Program for leading the guided tree tours.

Fall Series Resumes -
Poetry Readings Under The Trees
Gather under a special university tree, and enjoy poetry and discussion with a poetry center docent. No previous knowledge of poetry is necessary. Come to rejuvenate your spirit with the beauty and inspiration of poetry. Enjoy an experience set amid majestic and graceful trees while listening to poems about the natural world. Learn more here.
Enjoy!
Tanya Quist, Director
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