# Master Gardener Association 2011 History





Yavapai County – Master Gardener Program

Master Gardeners are trained volunteers who provide educational information to Cooperative Extension clients.

# 2011 Officers



Eric Downing - President



Ron Zmyslinsk - President Elect



Kris Holt - Secretary



Bev Turnbull - Treasurer



Bob Burke - Past President

## 2011 Master Gardeners Emeriti



P J Ames



Jonella Blake



John Paustain



**Eunice Ricklifs** 

#### 2011 Yavapai County MGA Officers and Committees

Executive Board  President – Eric Downing  President-elect – Ron Zmyslinski  Secretary – Kris Holt  Treasurer – Bev Turnbull  Past President – Bob Burke	By-Laws Committee  Bob Burke
Historian  Marcia Benjamin (Chair)  Beverly Emerson	Membership Committee Cathy Michener (Chair) Pam Bowman Cynthia Cartier (Mentor Program) Tom Konzem (Mentor Program) Joan Tyler Debbie Wilson
Program/Education Committee  Bob Burke (Chair)  Patrick Beatty  Kris Holt  Jennifer Young	Public Relations Angie Mazella (Chair) Steve McIntyre (Co-chair) Susan Brook Nora Graf (Newsletter) Connie Loving Judy Mannen Lois Rosenow
Social Committee  Kathy MacCauley (Chair - Prescott)  Terrilyn Green (Co-chair – Verde Area)  Linda Kimberly  Diane Nault	Speakers Bureau Tom Watkins (Prescott area Coordinator) Pete Heisinger (Verde Area Coordinator) Bob Burke Garry Neil
Volunteer Projects Committee  Mary Barnes (Chair) Sherry Howard Joy Kimmel Lynn Mendoza	

# 2011 Yavapai County MGA Calendar Updated 5/1/11

		Updated 5/1/11		
Date	Event	Location	Time	Notes
January, 201	1			
Jan 19th	MGA Meeting	Prescott Extention Ofc	6:30pm	"Landscape Design for Living", presented by Jeff Barter
February, 20:	11			
Feb 16th	MGA Meeting	Superior Court Bldg 2840 N Commonwealth Camp Verde	6:30pm	Steve Ayers, columnist, will speak on the history of Camp Verde and struggle to get produce from VV to Jerome & Flagstaff
March, 2011				
Mar 5th	Speakers Bureau Workshop	Prescott Extention Ofc	10am to noon	Contact Tom Watkins
Mar 8th	Mentor Training	Prescott Extention Ofc	6:30pm	
Mar 12th	Seed Starting Workshop	Prescott Extention Ofc	10am - noon	Reserve seat w/ Steve McIntyre
Mar 16th	MGA Meeting	Prescott Extention Ofc	6:30pm	Speaker: Suzette Russi, Cuba Sustainability
April, 2011		<b>'</b>	'	
Apr 20th	MGA Meeting	Superior Court Bldg 2840 N Commonwealth Camp Verde	6:30pm	
May, 2011				
May 13th	Verde Valley Extension	Verde Valley Extension	10am -	Open to the public
May 15th	Office Open House	Office 2830 N Commonwealth Camp Verde	2pm	Open to the public
May 18th	Class Welcome Meeting	Mackin Building (same parking lot as Prescott Extention Ofc )	6:30pm	
May 25th	Certification Plan Workshop (for Mentors & Mentees)	Prescott Extension Ofc	1:00pm - 2:30pm	
June, 2011				
June 8th	Public Out-reach Training	Prescott Extension Ofc	9:00am - 11:00am	For Associate MGs and MGs who have not attended Event-table training

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June 9th	Public Out-reach Training	Prescott Extension Ofc	6:30pm - 8:30pm	For Associate MGs and MGs who have not attended Event-table training
June 15th	MGA Meeting	Superior Court Bldg 2840 N Commonwealth Camp Verde	6:30pm	
June 20th	Mid-year Officer/Chair Meeting	Prescott Extension Office	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Mid-year check-point for Officers and committee Chairs
July, 2011			l	
July 9th	Monsoon Madness Plant and Yard Sale	Prescott Extention Ofc		
August, 201	1		I	
Aug 17th	MGA Meeting	Prescott Extention Ofc	6:30pm	
September,	2011		1	
Sep 21st	MGA Meeting	Superior Court Bldg 2840 N Commonwealth Camp Verde	6:30pm	Sign-up for 2012 MGA committees
October, 20		,		1
Oct 8th	Recognition Picnic	Thumb Butte Group Picnic Site, Prescott		
Oct 21st	AHGC Pre-conference Activities	TBD		Open to the public
Oct 22nd	Arizona Highlands Garden Conference	Prescott Resort, Prescott		Open to the public
November,	2011			
Nov 16th	MGA Meeting	Superior Court Bldg 2840 N Commonwealth Camp Verde	6:30pm	Election of Officers 2012 MGA Committee sign- up
Danarahan	2011			
December,	1	I	1	1
TBD	Officer & Committee Mtg	TBD	9:30am	2012 Planning meeting for MGA Officers and all committee memebers

Committee	Project Expense		Proposed	Actual Yea
	Project Expense	Budget Amount	Funding	to Date 12/10/11
NCOME	Donation Jar		Source	\$49.00
	Mugs			\$50.00
	Monsoon Madness			\$6,135.75
TOTAL INCOME	-		-	\$6,234.75
EXPENSES				
EAFENGES				
Executive Board	Copies for MGA Events	1100	MGA	\$448.67
	Exec Meeting Refreshments	200	MGA	\$28.41
	Other	200	MGA	\$249.92
	Plaque and name plates Postage / Stationary	100	MGA MGA	\$163.18 \$8.07
Total Executive Board	Postage / Stationary	1600	MGA	\$696.25
distorian	Supplies	100	MGA	\$97.07
Total Historian		100		\$97.07
Membership	Class welcome invitations	25	MGA	\$4.20
•	Hours recognition pins	150	MGA	\$0.00
	Other award pins	200	MGA	\$0.00
	Printing / card stock	125	MGA	\$43.29
	Mentor - Printing	27	MGA	\$0.00
	Mentor Thank You	50	MGA	\$0.00
	Mentor Training (Folders, etc.)	25	MGA	\$15.29
Total Membership		602		\$62.78
Program	Speaker Honoraria	300	MGA	\$0.00
Total Program		300		\$0.00
Public Relations	Newsletter	100	MGA	\$0.00
	Photography	40	MGA	\$0.00
	Bookmark Project	300	MGA Cost Recovery -	\$0.00
Total Public Relations		440	seed money	\$0.00
Social - Refreshment	MG Pionic (venue fee, paper	400	MGA (250)/	\$125.88
Committee	products) MG Welcome	50	Class(150) MGA	\$143.79
	Refreshments - Prescott	75	MGA	\$86.33
	Refreshments - Verde Valley	50	MGA	0
Total Social Committee	Taraba Tarab	575		\$356.00
Speakers Bureau	Printing	150	MGA	\$0.00
Total Speakers Bureau		150		\$0.00
/olunteer Projects	AHGC BBQ Steaks (meat lab)	340	Paid out of	\$0.00
	ALICO Depotion (Assistance		AHGC funds	
	AHGC Donation/Assistance Paper Products & food		MGA AHGC	\$2,500.00
	Paper Products a rood	300	Account	\$0.00
	Venue	100	AHGC Account	\$0.00
	Banners (repair / replace)	500	MGA	\$373.00
	Bug Boxes for Prescott	200	MGA	\$0.00
	Cookbook		MGA Cost	
		1000	Recovery (up to \$1000 seed	\$33.10
	Monsoon Madness		money) MGA Cost	\$1,410.28
	Native & Naturalized Plant Database - annual Yahoo maintenance fees	130	Cooperative Extension	\$155.28
	Seed Packaging supplies	25	MGA	\$25.20
	Travel Supplies (sturdier totes for			A
	Travel Supplies (sturdier totes for Cottonwood, replacement supplies, books as needed)	150	MGA	\$14.06
Total Volunteer Projects	Cottonwood, replacement	150 2745	MGA	\$14.06 \$4,510.92

#### Certified for 2011 Election 10/31/2011

Allen, Debbie 07	Gessner, Bob 09	Paustian, John 01 E
Alward, Lesley 05	Giannetto, Kara 11	Pereboom, Kathy 11
Ames, PJ 01 E	Gibson, Nancy 11	Perkins, Marilyn 98 E
Armer, Christi 09	Gilmore, Orville 94 E	Peterson, Rich 11
Baker, Glenna 10	Gooslin, Bobbie Jo 07	Peterson, Susan 11
Baker, Grace 10	Graf, Nora 92 E	Picard, Kim 10
Baker, Russ 10	Graff, Christine 06	Potter, Paula 04
Baily, Suzi 11	Heisinger, Pete 08	Prentice, John 09
Ballinger, Floyd 10	Herrick, Michele 06	Preuss, Rosh 02
Barnes, Mary 03	Herrrick, Merle 06	Reese, Gwynne 10
Beatty, Patrick 09	Hilton, Paula 11	Ricklefs, Eunice 01 E
Becker, Evelyn 02	Holt, Kris 09	Rizzo, Jackie 07
Belkiewitz, Veronika 10	Howard, Sherry 05	Roelofs, Faith 07
Benes, Elinor 02	Hughes, Kirby 09	Rosenow, Lois 10
Benjamin, Marcia 09	Hunter, Donna 08	Russi, Suzette 07
Berkshire, Sally 04	Inman, Joy 08	Sandeen, Melissa 03
Bevenour, Carol 09	Johnson, Dolores 00E	Sanzo, Linda 11
Billiam, Jan 04	Kimberly, Linda 10	Saul, Barbara 10
Black, David 08	Kinnen, SanDee 04	Scheerer, Linda 91 E
Black, Trudy 08	Konzem, Tom 09	Schieber, Janet 07
Blake, Jonella 01 E	Lattrell, Janice 10	Schnur, Paul 03
Bosman, Elaine 10	Loos, Elizabeth 08	Sedgwick Sr, Harold 09
Bowman, Pam 03	Loving, Connie 02	Selna, Bernadette 01
Brook, Susan 09	Lowe, Kathy 10	Simpson, Lynn 09
Brouwer, Betsy 11	Lukaszewski, Matthew 09	Sisley, Kathy 11
Burke, Bob 03	Lundgren, Sandy 11	Smith, Sue 07
Busch, Bob 10	MacCauley, Kathy 07	Spring, Wendy 06
Cart, Bill 99 E	MacLellan, Herdis 05	Stice, Perla 08
Cartier, Cynthia 05	Mannen, Judy 02	Tierney, Jean 06
Christensen, Margo 09	Mansoldo, Janet 04	Troutner, Stephen 10
Colangelo, Juliette 08	Marmaduke, Bill 11	Turnbull, Beverly 02
Conrad, Pattie 97 E	Mazella, Angela 05	Tyler, Joan 04
Coon, Toni 09	McGraw, Jane 06	Vogel, Faun 11
Cowan, Judy 08	McIntyre, Steve 09	Wackerly, Toni 08
Cregier, Barbara 06	McKelvey, Diane 05	Wagley, Karen 03
Crutcher, Susan 11	McMillan, Douglas 01	Waldie, Barbara 10
Downing, Eric 09	Michener, Cathy 05	Warren, Jennifer 10
Doyle, John 07	Millet, Nancy 03	Watkins, Tom 07
Dutton, Shari 11	Montgomery, Janice 04	Weesner, Robin 08
Earls, Ken 07	Moody, Stephen 06	Wilcox, Patrick 10
Ekeland, Carol 08	Morton, Sherry 07	Willey, Karen 10
Emerson, Beverly 99 E	Mullins, Virginia 11	Williams, Rose 05
Ferguson, Eileen 09	Nault, Diane 05	Wilson, Anna 92 E
Filippino, Art 93 E	Neil, Garry 10	Wilson, Deborah 07
Fleming, Anita 03	O'Laughlin, Jean 07	Wise, Richard 03
Fonnet, Hope 11	Oliker, Nancy 09	Woodson, Carlon 02
Gaffney, Kay 07	O'Rourke, Donna 08	Young, Jennifer 08
Gerber, Lisa 06	Parsons, Ruthie 10	Zmyslinski, Ron 08

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Gerber, Lisa 06
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Heisinger, Pete 08
Herrick, Merle 06 2011
Herrick, Michele 06 2011
Holt, Kris 09 2011
Johnson, Dolores 00 2011
Konzem, Tom 09 2011
Loos, Betty 08 2011
MacLellan, Herdis 05 2011
McIntyre, Steve 09 2011
Michener, Cathy 05 2011
Moody, Steve 07 2011
Nault, Diane 05
O-Rourke, Donna 08   2011   2011
Paustian, John 01 2011
Ricklefs, Eunice 01 2011
Scheerer, Linda 91 2011
Schnur, Paul 03
Smith, Sue 07 2011 2011
Troutner, Steve 10 2011
Turnbull, Bev 02 2011
Young, Jennifer 08 2011

## 2011 Master Gardener Class – Yavapai County







Suzi Bailey



Pat Boone





Mary Boyer



Betsy Brouwer



Jamie Carter



Jean Cole



Susan Crutcher



Shari Dutton



Dede Erceg



Hope Fonnet



Kara Giannetto



Nancy Gibson



Pete Groff



Paula Hilton

### 2011 Master Gardener Class – Yavapai County





Lois Janowski



Carole Jolly



Barbara Kelly



Roni Kennedy



Brian Lemcke



Sandy Lundgren



Bill Marmaduke



Cathie Martin



Leroy Miller



Judee Moreno



Virginia Mullins



Kathy Pereboom



Rich Peterson



Susan Peterson



Pam Raess

## 2011 Master Gardener Class – Yavapai County



Pauline Rotta



Dick Ryan



Lin Sanzo



Sharon Sechrest



Kathy Sisley



Susan Strong



Tony Valadez



Faun Vogel



Jeff Schalau

#### Master Gardener Program - 2011 Results Updated 1/16/2012

Category		2011 Results	
General Information	Camp Verde	Prescott	Total
# MGs who reported hours in 2011	1//////////////////////////////////////	///////////////////////////////////////	163
Total Volunteer hours	-//////////////////////////////////////	///////////////////////////////////////	15,724.50
Total Continuing Ed hours	-/////////	///////////////////////////////////////	1645.75
# MGs who completed 2011 MG class	-//////////////////////////////////////		38
# MGs certified in 2011 (first 50 hrs)	-//////////////////////////////////////		32
# MGs certified/re-certified (i.e. active status)	-//////////////////////////////////////		149
# MGs reaching Emeritus status	-//////////////////////////////////////		4
# MGs in attendance at monthly MGA meetings	47 Avg	60 Avg	
MG Class Welcome		85	
Oct. Recognition Picnic attendees	<i>/////////</i>	47 MGs, 73 total	
Extension Office Support	+		
# MGs who staffed MG helpline	10	22	32
# MGs who tested soil	1	1	2
# Soil tests performed	23	156	179
# E-mails with MG questions	124	61	185
# Phone calls handled by MGs	329	709	1038
# Site visit made by MGs	0	35	35
# Walk-ins with MG questions	94	374	468
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PR Committee Accomplishments	Separate docum	ent to be sbmitted	
Public-facing Event Projects	Date	MG Volunteers	Public Served
Pecan & Wine Festival	Feb 11 - 13	25	193
Backyard Gardening Expo	Mar 20	6	83
Unity Church Earthday	Apr 10	2	17
Sedona Earthday	Apr 16	4	148
Highlands Ctr Plant Sale	May 7	2	56
Camp Verde office open house	May 13		13
Sedona Farmers Market	May / June		84
Highlands Ctr Plant Sale	Sep 10	2	25
Arizona Best Fest	Sep 11	8	374
Chino Valley Farmers Market	Jun /Sep		102
Mortimer Autumn Outreach Fair	Sep 24	3	31
Prescott Farmers Market	May / Sep		721
Camp Verde Farmers Market	Jun / Oct		440
Celtic Harvest Festival	Sep 24	4	60
Yavapai County Fair	Sep 29 /Oct 2		249
Precott Community Garden Grand Opening	15-0ct	4	20
Tota	al		2616

#### Master Gardener Program - 2011 Results Updated 1/16/2012

Speakers Bureau Presentations	Dates / Topics	# Presentations	Public Served
Speakers bureau Fresentations	Separate	# FTESEIICACIONS	rubik serveu
	document	60	1414
On-going Projects			
Master Gardeners volunteer on a regular basis at ti	he following:		
Veterans Hospital greenhouse & gardens, Prescott			
Sharlot Hall Museum, Prescott			
Yavapai College Sculpture Garden			
Coyote Springs Elementary School Wildlife Habitat, F	rescott Valley		
Miler Valley School Wildlife Habitat, Prescott			
Cottonwood Community Garden			
CSA, Windmill Park, Cornville			
Washington Traditional School, Prescott			
mmaculate Conception Church			
Prescot Valley Community Garden			
Prescot YMCA Community Garden			
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# Annual Report for 2011 Public Relations Committee Yavapai County Master Gardener Association

Committee: Angela Mazella, Chair; Steve McIntyre, Co-Chair; Nora Graf, Newsletter Editor; Judy Mannen, Artwork; Susan Brook.

#### Accomplishments:

Changes to the responsibilities of the PR committee were approved by the MGA board.

Our new media contacts list has worked really well resulting in more inclusions of press releases in the local newspapers.

We were able to profile 6 master gardeners in the newsletter "Meet a Master Gardener" column thanks to Susan Brooks.

This was a "business as usual" year, which was our ultimate goal.

We were unable to produce a bookmark for the Arizona Centennial because our artist had many family issues in 2011. I hope to introduce the idea again for a permanent MGA ad piece when circumstances allow.

11 Yavapai Garden Newsletters.

The PR Committee covered all MGA events for the newsletter with pictures including the MGA Conference, Monsoon Madness and the MGA Recognition Picnic. Thanks to Nora Graf, we produced 11 issues of the newsletter in 2011.

We issued one press release for the Native Plant database which appeared in 2 local newspapers.

Lastly, Nora Graf continues to maintain the MG blog she initiated two years ago.

Angela Mazella

# **MGA Volunteer Projects - 2011**

	Projects Completed in 2011	Project Dates	Chairs
1.	Camp Verde Pecan and Wine Festival - Judging	Feb 11, 2011	Nora Graf
2.	Camp Verde Pecan and Wine Festival – MG Information Table	Feb 11-13 2011	Margo Christensen
3.	Rose Pruning, Sharlot Hall Museum, Prescott	Mar 15, 2011	Kathy MacCauley
4.	Spring Planting Festival – MG table, Old Town, Cottonwood	Mar 20th	Toni Coon
5.	City of Sedona Earthday	April 16th	Linda Scheerer
6.	Highlands Center Plant Sale – MG information table	May 7th	Sherry Howard
7.	2011 Master Gardener Class	Feb 16 – May 25	Mary Barnes / Sherry Howard
8.	Sedona Farmers Market – MG table Relics Restaurant	May 26 to Jun 30	Grace & Russ Baker
9.	Monsoon Madness Plant and Yard Sale	7/9/2011	Steve McIntyre
10.	Highlands Center Plant Sale – MG table	Sep 10	Sherry Howard
11.	Chino Valley Farmers Market – MG table - Thursdays	Start Jun 2	Lynn Simpson, Steve McIntyre
12.	Prescott Farmers Market – MG table - Saturdays twice monthly	May 14 - Sep 24	Christi Armer, Steve McIntyre
13.	Arizona Best Fest Centennial – MG table - Prescott	Sep 16 - 18	Sherry Howard
14.	Mortimer Outreach Fair – MG table (10am to 3pm)	Sep 24	Donna O'Rourke
15.	Camp Verde Farmers Market – MG table - every Saturday	Jun 11 - Oct 1	Michele Herrick
16.	Yavapai County Fair - Produce	Sep 29th – Oct 2nd	Sherry Howard
17.	Yavapai County Fair - Floriculture	Sep 29th – Oct 2nd	Sandy Lundgren
18.	Arizona Highlands Garden Conference Prescott Resort, Prescott	Oct 22, 2011	Betty Loos



# University of Arizona Yavapai County Cooperative Extension Master Gardener Association



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Presents

# RESIDENT MOOSINOR

### PLANT AND YARD SALE

Herbs, Perennials, Annuals, Natives & House Plants Garden Tools, Pots, Garden Art & Books

> SATURDAY, JULY 9, 2011 7:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

Bendant all the same

Rodeo Grounds 840 Rodeo Drive, Prescott Parking Lot

Located behind the Rodeo grandstands and accessible from Gail Gardner Way or Miller Valley Road

928-445-6590 (ext. 222)

http://extension.arizona.edu/yavapai



# July 2011 Monsoon Madness Finances 7/18/2011

2011 - Gross sales: \$6136 (includes \$388 from tool sharpening); net profit: \$4873 2010 - Gross sales \$5660 (includes \$442 from tool sharpening); net profit: \$4494 2009 - Gross sales \$6116 (includes \$387 from tool sharpening); net profits \$5626

Item	Chair	Actual
3 canopies	Bob	319.40
40 vests	Bob	123.10
Refreshments:	Kathy	147.36
Received \$80 donation	MacCauley	
4 subway sandwiches- \$144.21		
Breakfast (muffins, juice, etc) \$40.28		
Ice - \$7.92		
Refreshments and cups for water \$34.95		
2 cases water – left over from previous MG event		
Craft sticks for plant labels (2 boxes)	Mary	5.99
Pricing materials	Robin	19.25
Newspaper ad and PR	Angie	33.30
White plastic to cover tables, duck tape	Mary	7.70
Balloons for entrances	Judy	Gift in Kind
Signs for handicap parking and additional entrance	Judy	Gift in Kind
Plastic totes in each area for supplies		32.61
Copies Garden Bites 120 copies, 10∑ ea	Steve	12.00
Knife sharpening belts	Missy	40.83
First Aid kit	Steve	Gift in Kind
200 sand bags	Bob	65.86
Receipt books, name tags, bags, clicker	Missy	42.15
Plants from Mountain States	Cathy	300.90 + tax (28.59) =
		329.49
Additional craft sticks for plant labels	Kathy Lowe	8.73
Gas - picking up plants in Scottsdale	Mary	30
Gas - picking up plants in Flagstaff	Cathy	45
Total		\$1262.77

#### **Tool Sharpening:**

2010: 41 knives, 24 loppers, 31 pruners, 16 scissors, 1 cleaver, 1 axe (total 114)

Note: 36 items from MGs on Thursday

2011: 29 knives, 13 loppers, 43 pruners, 10 scissors, 3 axes, 5 shears, 2 pole loppers, 2 pole pruners (total 107)

Notes: 10 of the pruners were for Yavapai College, no charge; 28 items from MGs on Thursday







### 2011 Arizona Highlands Garden Conference

Conference Date: Saturday, October 22, 2011 Location: Prescott Resort and Conference Center

*Theme:* Backyards and Beyond # Conference Registrants: 153

Attendees from Counties: Apache, Coconino, Gila, Maricopa, Navajo, Pima, Pinal, Yavapai, Yuma

#### Speakers:

Dr. Ed Martin, U of A – Welcome Address

Dr. Whitney Cranshaw – Keynote 1: Gardening for Insects... or Not!

Dr. Linda Chalker Scott - Keynote 2: Garden Myths: Practices and Products

Brian D. Hughes – There's a Snake in My Garden

Gene Twaronite - Highlands Cactus-Native SW Cacti and Other Succulents for 5,000 ft and Above

Dr. Ed Martin – Garden Irrigation Rachel Bess – Backyard Chickens

Dr. Whitney Cranshaw – Recognizing Natural Enemies of Insect Pests (Lifestyles of the Swift and Vicious)

Janet Rademacher – New Plant Selections

MarciBeth Phillips - Beneficial Insects in Your Garden

Dr. Ursula Schuch – Abiotic Factors on Plants

Zen Mocarski – Urban Wildlife Issues

Hosted by: Yavapai County Master Gardener Association Yavapai County Committee Members:

Chair – Betty Loos

Budget - Mary Barnes

Vendors – Judy Cowan

Conference Advisor - Beverly Emerson

Admin. Assistant - Lisa Gerber

Speakers, Pre-conference Tours - Nora Graf, Jeff Schalau

Sponsors – Janet Mansoldo

Registration – Cathy Michener

Financial Liaison – Karen Pizzuto

Speaker BBQ - Barbara Saul

Welcome Bags – Jennifer Young

Logistics – Ron Zmyslinski

#### **Pre-Conference Activities**

Date: Friday, Oct 21, 2011

Locations: Verde Headwaters, Beverly Farm in Chino Valley, Chino Valley Farms

# Pre-conference registrants: 78



Garden Tour







Phone Volunteers





2011 Class Welcome

Farmer's Market

#### **2011 MGA Award Picnic**













