



2018 Historian Report

Yavapai County



Master Gardener Association

Assembled by

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



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We would like to thank all the Master Gardeners who took and contributed photos throughout the year. Photos in this report were also taken from the Yavapai County Native and Naturalized Plant Database.

2018 OFFICERS

EXECUTIVE BOARD



President- Bill Marmaduke



President-elect - Trish Michelson



Secretary - Karen O'Donnell



Treasurer - Trish Michelson



Past President - Karen Austermiller



2018 OFFICERS & COMMITTEES



President: Bill Marmaduke
 President-elect: Tricia Michelson
 Secretary: Karen O'Donnell
 Treasurer: Tricia Michelson
 Past President: Karen Austermiller

Committees

<p>Membership</p> <p>Chair: Cathy Michener Pam Bowman Kathy Grant Barbara Saul</p> <p><u>Mentor Coordinators</u> Prescott: Christi Armer Verde: Betty Loos</p>	<p>Program/Education</p> <p><u>Verde</u> Meeting Speakers: Judy Cowan Lisa Gerber</p> <p>Tours / Educational Events Lisa Gerber</p> <p><u>Prescott</u> Meeting Speakers: Chair - Linda Guy</p> <p>Tours / Educational Events Peggy Stair</p>	<p>Social</p> <p><u>Verde</u> Chair: Jane Harrington Jo Cahill Laura Mineer</p> <p><u>Prescott</u> Chair: Kristin Lohay Kathy MacCauley Nancy Christie Kim Bonnaha</p>
<p>Communications</p> <p>Chair: Bev Majerus Co-chair: Marti Griggs Nirmala McAfee (MG FB Page) Nora Graf (Newsletter) Lee Atonna (Connections) Steve McIntyre (photog PRC) Laurie Cameron (photog VV) Linda Guy Additional writers, graphic artists welcomed on a project basis!</p>	<p>Volunteer Projects</p> <p>Chair: Mary Barnes Co-chair: Sherry Howard Kathy MacCauley Missy Sandeen Peter Malmgren Scholly Ketcher Steve McIntyre</p>	<p>Speakers Bureau</p> <p>Chair: Tricia Michelson Assistant Chair: Lois Johnson, Verde Valley</p> <p>Results tracking: Paul Schnur</p>
<p>By-Laws</p> <p>Marianne Jimenez</p>	<p>Historian</p> <p>Lisa Gerber</p>	

2018 Master Gardener Class



Carol Adams



Bill Adams



Doug Arthur



Pete Belanus



Diane Benjamin



Melanie Bullock



Joseph DeNardo



Renee Dirkmaat



Betty Flowers



Nancy Gottschalk



Carla Hover



Cynthia Jones



Carol Keefer



Steph Lambert



2018 Master Gardener Class



Freida Metwally



Cindy Pitcher



Mike Sheedy



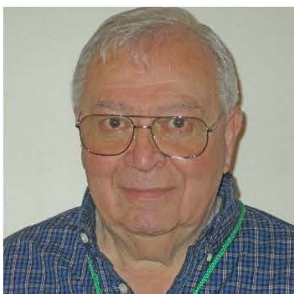
Jason Smith



Char Terry



Chris Terry



Tony Troianello



Karen Vaughn



Tracy Wiederaenders



Jeff Schalau



Yavapai County Master Gardener Association

2018 Calendar

JANUARY

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Jan 1st	Extension office closed		
Jan 6th 9:30am	MGA Officer/Committee annual planning meeting	Prescott Extension office	All 2018 officers, committee chairs & committee members should attend
Jan 15th	Extension office closed		
Jan 17th 6:30pm	MGA meeting	Superior Court Bldg, Camp Verde	Guest speaker: Stephen/Cindy Scott from Terrior Seeds/Underwood Gardens
Jan 20 th 10am - 1pm	Seed Starting Workshop	Prescott Extension Office	

FEBRUARY

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Feb 21st 6:30pm	MGA meeting	Prescott Extension office	Guest speaker: Randy Whedon, "The Art of Bonsai"

MARCH

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Mar 21st 6:30pm	MGA meeting	Superior Court Bldg, Camp Verde	Guest speaker: Mollie McCormick "Monarch Research"

APRIL

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
April 17 th 1:00pm	Mentor Training		
Apr 18th 6:30pm	MGA meeting	Prescott Extension office	Guest speaker: Pam Catlin, "Horticultural Therapy: The Growing Difference"

MAY

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
May 1 st 9am to 12:30pm	MG Class Public Outreach Training and Certification Workshop	Cottonwood Rec Center	Mentors should attend to meet mentees
May 16th 6:30pm	Class Welcome (in lieu of MGA meeting)	Cottonwood Rec Center	
May 28th	Extension office closed		

JUNE

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Jun 2nd 9:30am	Mid-year officer and committee chair meeting	Prescott Extension office	All 2018 officers & committee chairs should attend
Jun 20th 6:30pm	MGA meeting	Prescott Extension office	Guest Speaker: Kanin Routson, "Heritage Apples"

Updated 6/24/2018

Camp Verde Superior Court Bldg Presentations- Bring laptop, thumb drive, & pointer
Prescott Extension Ofc Presentations - Bring thumb drive

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2018 Calendar

JULY – No MGA Meeting

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Jul 4th	Extension office closed		
Jul 14th	Monsoon Madness Plant & Yard Sale	Prescott Extension office parking lot	

AUGUST

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Aug 15th 6:30pm	MGA meeting	Superior Court Bldg, Camp Verde	Guest Speaker: Joanne Oellers, Landscaping and Wildlife

SEPTEMBER

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Sep 3rd	Extension office closed		
Sep 19th	MGA meeting	Prescott Extension office	Guest Speaker: Patricia Gulley, "Batty About Bats"

OCTOBER - No MGA Meeting

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Oct 13th	MGA Recognition Picnic	Red Rock State Park, Sedona	
Oct 20 th	Fall into Gardening CE Event	Trinity Heights Church, Flagstaff	

NOVEMBER

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Nov 12th	Extension office closed		
Nov 14th 6:30pm	MGA meeting (2 nd Wednesday)	Prescott Extension office	Election of 2019 officers Guest Speaker: Sue Smith <i>"Native Plants of Bear's Ears National Monument, Utah"</i>
Nov 22/23	Extension office closed		

DECEMBER – No MGA Meeting

Date / Time	Event	Location	Notes
Dec 24 th -Jan 1st	Extension office closed		



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2018 RESULTS

Category	2018 Results		
General Information	Camp Verde	Prescott	Total
# MGs who reported hours in 2018 (Active)			181
Total Volunteer hours			14,886.75
Total Continuing Ed hours			1959.75
# MGs who completed 2018 MG class	23		
# MGs certified in 2018 (first 50 hrs)			17
# MGs reaching Emeritus status			10
Avg # MGs in attendance at monthly MGA meetings	34	55	
# MG Class Welcome attendees (Camp Verde)	48		
# Oct Recognition Picnic attendees (Sedona)	48 MGs 8 Guests		

Extension Office Support

# MGs who staffed MG help desk (incl subs)	20	25	45
# MGs who tested soil	1	2	3
# Soil tests performed	39	103	142
# E-mails with MG questions	206	181	387
# Phone calls handled by MGs	321	476	797
# Site visit made by MGs	2	20	22
# Walk-ins with MG questions	62	327	389
Total MG Helpdesk Contacts	651	1134	1785

Public-facing Event Projects

	Date	Public Served
Camp Verde & Yavapai Nation Earth Day	4/21	91
Unity Church Earth Day, Prescott	4/22	23
Verde River Growers AlterNATIVE Expo	4/28	41
Sedona Area Garden Club Plant Sale	4/28	35
Yavapai Fair, Floriculture/Horticulture	September	125
Prescott, Prescott Valley & Chino Valley Farmers Markets	May to October	1177
Cornville Farmers Market	June	24
Sedona Farmers Market	May to September	609
Camp Verde Farmers Market	June to October	283
Cottonwood Farmers Market	September	52
Prescott Community Garden Harvest Festival	9/29	15
Total		2361



2018 PROJECTS

Special Projects

Live TV Broadcast - Verde (regarding Pruning Workshops & Help Desk

1/18

Cottonwood Community Orchard tree pruning trained employees

2/6

Coyote Springs Elementary School habitat - tree pruning - trained employees

3/1

Sharlot Hall Rose Pruning

3/8

Prescott office planter re-do

Fall

Camp Verde Office Landscape

2018

Add shelving to Extension office storage box

Fall 2018



Presentations

Public Served

Speakers Bureau Presentations

Dates & topics in separate document

58

1168

On-going Projects

Seed collecting/packaging for give-away

Native and Naturalized Plant Database

Master Gardeners volunteer on a regular basis at the following:

Veterans Hospital – Prescott (greenhouse and grounds)

Sharlot Hall Museum, Prescott

Heritage Museum, Sedona

Red Rock Ranger Station Wildflower Display

Heritage Park Zoo, Prescott

Rainbow Acres, Camp Verde

Schools

Abia Judd Elementary School, Prescott

LaTierra Elementary School, Prescott

Desert Star Community School, Cornville

Prescott Head Start Vegetable Garden

Community Gardens

Prescott YMCA Community Garden

Prescott Valley Community Garden

Cottonwood Community Garden

Cottonwood Library Community Garden



2018 SPEAKERS BUREAU TALKS

Topic	Pres. Date	Location	Speaker	Attendance
Wildflowers in your Gardens	01/15/2018		Betty Loos & Jenn Moreland	12
All about Bees	01/15/2018		Lori Dekker	18
Fruit Tree Pruning training	02/06/2018	Cottonwood City Orchard	Bill Marmaduke	6
Native Plants	02/08/2018		Lesley Alward	38
Early Spring Gardening & Seed Starting	02/08/2018		Tricia Michelson	19
Permaculture	02/09/2018	Prescott Valley Library	Kathleen Corum	47
Herbs and Making Herb Vinegar	02/22/2018		Jackie Rizzo	22
How to Prepare a Garden & What to Grow	02/28/2018		Lori Dekker	40
Native Plants	03/01/2018		Lora Goulding	19
	3/5/18	Granville Morrive VFW - CV	Lois Johnson	4
Year-round color in the landscape	3/10/18		Sandy Lundgren	10
Container Gardening	3/14/18		Angie Mazella	20
Rose Pruning	03/21/2018		Phyllis Jiacalone	11
Ladybugs	03/23/2018	Abia Judd Habitat	Lois Janowski	49
Pruning Climbing Roses	03/25/2018	Community Church	Phyllis Jiacalone	13
Rose Pruning	03/29/2018	VA Hospital grounds	Phyllis Jiacalone	4
Planning Your Vegetable Garden	03/31/2018	Prescott	Diana Atkins	20
Roses	04/05/2018	Community Church	Phyllis Jiacalone	20
Waking Up Your Garden	04/13/2018		Steve McIntyre	41
Monarch talk	04/14/2018		Bob and Cathy Gessner	15
Fruiting Plants	04/14/2018		Sandy Lundgren	12
Monarch Way Station	4/16/18		Sharon Marmaduke	27
Care of Orchids	4/16/18		Betty Loos	13
Growing vegetables in a community garden	04/17/2018	Prescott Valley Community Garden	Kathleen Corum	21
Hydroponic Vegetable Gardening	04/19/2018	Yavapai College	Rich Peterson	22
Attracting Monarchs & Other Butterflies	04/26/2018	Yavapai College	Bob Gessner	23
Waking Up Your Garden	05/01/2018		Steve McIntyre	24
Milkweed Butterflies	05/01/2018		Laurie Cameron	15
Native Wildflowers & Grasses	05/01/2018	Yavapai College	Sue Smith	35
Waking Up Your Garden	05/03/2018		Steve McIntyre	13
Gardening 101 in Arizona Highlands	05/09/2018		Steve McIntyre	25
Growing Herbs	05/10/2018	Yavapai College	Sandy Lundgren	22

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Selecting the right plant for your location	05/12/2018		Sandy Lundgren	12
Chino Valley Hydroponic Garden Tour	05/17/2018	Yavapai College	Rich Peterson	17
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Irrigation	05/19/2018		Tricia Michelson	7
Garden Insects	05/26/2018		Anne Temte	11
10 Steps to a Successful Vegetable Garden	06/05/2018	Prescott Valley Library	Tricia Michelson	49
Gardening 101 in Arizona Highlands	06/07/2018	Cottonwood Library	Lois Johnson	20
Insect ID and Control	06/09/2018		Sandy Lundgren	24
Native Plants and Ecosystems	06/23/2018		Lesley Alward	50
Cover Crops	06/23/2018		Tricia Michelson	2
Composting	07/11/2018		Tricia Michelson	5
Herbs	07/21/2018		Jackie Rizzo	1
Bees	07/28/2018		Lori Dekker	20
Growing & Using Herbs	08/07/2018	Prescott Valley Library	Georgene Lockwood	44
Xeriscaping	08/08/2018	Granville Club House	Lesley Alward	10
Cover Crops	08/10/2018	Prescott Valley Library	Tricia Michelson	29
Composting	08/18/2018		Steve McIntyre	2
Herbs	08/25/2018	Prescott Library	Georgene Lockwood	20
Container Gardening	09/04/2018	Prescott Valley Library	Steve McIntyre	32
Preserving Your Harvest	9/12/18	Granville Club House	Angela Mazella	10
Monarch Butterflies	9/14/18		Laurie Cameron	7
Plants for Problem Areas	09/22/2018	Prescott Library	Tricia Michelson	15
Xeriscaping	10/02/2018	Prescott Valley Library	Lesley Alward	11
Container Gardening	10/27/2018		Steve McIntyre	20
Build it and they will come	11/09/2018	Prescott Valley Library	Lesley Alward	35
Gardening as Art Form	11/19/18		Judy Thompson	22
Master Gardener Role	12/6/18	Center for Spiritual Living	Mary Barnes	13
			Total	1168

2018 HELP DESK VOLUNTEERS

CAMP VERDE HELP DESK

Bill Adams
Judy Cowan
Leonard Filner
Nancy Gottschalk
Lois Johnson
Cynthia Jones
Bill Marmaduke
Sharon Marmaduke
Steve Moody
Jennifer Moreland
Garry Neil
Joan Pierce
Carol Quasula
Faith Roberts
Elizabeth Sexton
Char Terry
Chris Terry
Tony Troianello
Lee Vadnais
Faun Vogel
Carlton Woodson

** Pete Malmgren - Landscape caretaker



PRESCOTT HELP DESK

Diana Atkins
Lee Atonna (Soil tester)
Karen Austermiller
Mary Barnes
Susan Brook
Bill Cart
Debbie Cavarretta
Kathleen Corum
Hope Fonnet
Bob Gessner
Alice Johnson
Liz Johnson
Marji Kress
Bobbie Ma (Soil tester)
Debbie Mayne
Barbara McCurry
Steve McIntyre
Tricia Michelson
Sherry Morton
Pauline Rotta
Janet Schieber
Laura Sicignano
Anne Temte
Mary Thompson
Karen Thon
Susan Tolley
Tracy Wiederaenders






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Please, no pets!

Presents

PLANT AND YARD SALE

MONSOON MADNESS


**BRING YOUR
GARDENING
QUESTIONS AND GET
ANSWERS FROM
MASTER GARDENERS**




**COME
ENJOY THE
ENTERTAINMENT
WHILE
SHOPPING FOR
GARDEN ITEMS**

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

---- Cash Only ----

SATURDAY, JULY 14, 2018

7:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. (unless sold out sooner)

**Rodeo Grounds - Parking Lot
840 Rodeo Drive, Prescott**



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>

 **Yavapai County Master Gardeners**



MONSOON MADNESS



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Yavapai County Master Gardener Association

Recognition Picnic

Saturday, October 13, 2018

All Master Gardeners are invited and may bring a guest.

Time: Arrive 11:30am, lunch at noon

Place: Red Rock State Park, Sedona

*Fried and baked chicken, beverages and eating utensils provided by the MGA
Potluck side dishes, salads, and desserts provided by attendees*

RSVP to Jane Harrington by Oct 3rd.

janeszoo37@gmail.com, 928-592-2195

Tell Jane how many will attend & what potluck dish you will bring

Limited parking—please carpool where possible

*Please bring serving utensils and a 3X5 card with dish ingredients/
description, e.g. is gluten free, contains nuts, etc.*

Directions - 4050 Red Rock Loop Rd, Sedona

Option 1: From Interstate 17 go West at Exit 287 (Highway 260 toward Cottonwood). Continue approximately 11 miles to Main Street in Cottonwood (Hwy 89A) and turn right on 89A. Drive 13.73 miles—right turn onto Red Rock Loop Rd. Coming from Sedona on 89A it would be a left turn onto Red Rock Loop Rd.

Option 2: (To avoid the construction on 260) From I17, instead of taking 260, continue on I17 & take the McGuireville Exit (Exit 293) then left onto East Cornville Road (Yavapai County 30). Drive through Cornville to 89A. From the intersection of Cornville Road and 89A, it is 11.4 miles to the Red Rock Loop Road turn-off.

When you get to Red Rock Loop Road the sign says Red Rock Loop Road and Red Rock State Park

The entrance to Red Rock State Park is a right-turn off Red Rock Loop Road, approximately 3 miles from 89A. It is well-signed, but there is another sign on Red Rock Loop Road just beyond the park entrance that directs traffic straight-on for Red Rock Crossing Park.

The picnic is at Red Rock State Park, and not at Red Rock Crossing Park.

Tell the entry station attendant you are a Master Gardener (show this flyer) and you will not be charged.

We will be in the **Twin Cypress Ramada**, about 100 yards from the entry station.

RECOGNITION PICNIC



2018 PICNIC AWARDS

150 HOURS

Helen Boland
Helen Brown
Marianne Jimenez
Liz Johnson
Georgene Lockwood
Karen Maeser
Nancy Martin
Laura Mineer
Roberta Pelayo
Sue Poling
Beth Snider
Lisa Snowden
Michele Weston

250 HOURS

Lee Atonna
Ann Baugh
Nancy Christie
Lori Dekker
Trudy Eccelston
Marti Griggs
Jamie Hinman
Carol Holloway
Phyllis Jicalone
Marion Johnson
Sandi Kelleher
Jenn Moreland
Carol Quasula
Dick Ryan
Judy Thompson
Diane Thornbrugh
Susan Williams

500 HOURS

Diana Atkins
Nancy Gibson
Alice Johnson
Lois Johnson
Mike Wagner
Diane Young

1000 HOURS

Debbie Allen
Debbie Mayne
Kathy Sisley
Peggy Stair

1500 HOURS

Bill Marmaduke
Angie Mazella

2000 HOURS

Betty Loos
Cathy Michener

EMERITUS

David Black
Trudy Black
Judy Cowan
Jane Grams
Donna Hunter
Betty Loos
Sherry Morton
Donna O'Rourke
Toni Wackerly
Jennifer Young



RECOGNITION AWARDS 150 HOURS



Pictured: Roberta Pelayo, Laura Mineer, Jeff Schalau, Sue Poling, Lisa Snowden, Michele Weston
Not pictured: Helen Bowland, Helen Brown, Marianne Jimenez, Liz Johnson, Georgene Lockwood, Karen Maeser, Nancy Martin, Beth Snider

250 HOURS



Pictured: Back Row - Marion Johnston, Jeff Schalau, Sandi Kelleher, Lori Dekker, Nancy Christie, Jamie Hinman
Kneeling: Jennifer Moreland, Marti Griggs, Judy Thompson
Not pictured: Lee Atonna, Ann Baugh, Trudy Eccelston, Carol Holloway, Phyllis Jiacalone, Carol Quasula, Dick Ryan, Diane Thornbrugh, Susan Williams

RECOGNITION AWARDS 1000 HOURS



Pictured: Kathy Sisley
Not pictured: Debbie Allen, Debbie Mayne, Peggy Stair

1500 HOURS



Pictured: Bill Marmaduke
Not pictured: Angie Mazella

RECOGNITION AWARDS 2000 HOURS



Pictured: Betty Loos
Not pictured: Cathy Michener

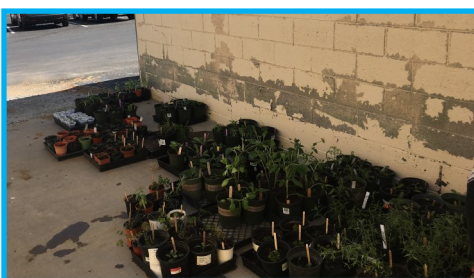
EMERITUS



Pictured: David Black, Jeff Schalaus, Trudy Black, Betty Loos, Judy Cowan, Jane Grams
Not pictured: Donna Hunter, Sherry Morton, Donna O'Rourke, Toni Wackerly, Jennifer Young

SEEDING, TRANSPLANTING & GROWING WORKSHOPS

Workshops were held in January, March and April for seeding, transplanting and growing plants for our Monsoon Madness sale in July



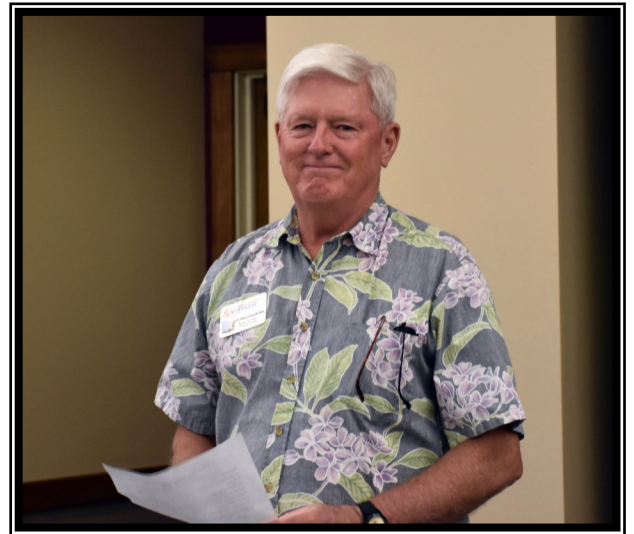
TREE PRUNING CAMP VERDE & CHINO VALLEY



SHARLOT HALL ROSE PRUNING



MASTER GARDENER CLASS WELCOME



FALL INTO GARDENING



YAVAPAI COUNTY FAIR



OTHER MASTER GARDENER ACTIVITIES



MENTOR TRAINING



PUBLIC OUTREACH CLASS



SOCIAL COMMITTEE



STORAGE SHELVES PROJECT



SEDONA HERITAGE MUSEUM

OTHER MASTER GARDENING ACTIVITIES



RED ROCK STATE PARK
MILKWEED PLANTING



RED ROCK STATE PARK MILKWEED PLANTING



CHINO VALLEY FARMERS MARKET



CAMP VERDE
FARMERS MARKET



PRESCOTT FARMERS MARKET



SEDONA FARMERS MARKET

REMEMBERING THOSE WE LOST IN 2018



P.J. AMES



BEVERLY EMERSON