# Historic Canoa Ranch



Registration for Natural Resources, Parks and Recreation (NRPR) activities is required.

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## **Gardens of Canoa Ranch**

Enjoy a guided tour of the gardens of Historic Canoa Ranch. Join Raydine Taber from the Green Valley Gardeners to explore the variety of themed gardens within the ranch headquarters.

\$5 fee. Online registration required. Friday, February 2 • 9:30-10:30 a.m.

#### **Tour of Historic Canoa Ranch**

Join a walking tour of the Canoa Ranch headquarters. Visit the historic buildings and corrals and enjoy the special exhibits of the people of Canoa. **\$5 fee. Online registration required.** 

Saturdays, February 3, 10, 17, and 24 • 9:30-11:00 a.m. Saturdays, February 3 and 17 • 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

### **Birding For EveryBODY: Canoa Ranch**

Join Marcia OBara for a leisurely birding experience designed for nature lovers with accessibility challenges; wheelchairs, walkers, or other assistive devices are welcome. The pace is slow, distance short, and terrain even. Each registered participant is welcome to bring a support person. This program is offered in partnership with the Tucson Audubon Society. Free. Online registration required;

https://tucsonaudubon.org/go-birding/birding-field-trips/ Saturday, February 3 • 8:00-9:30 a.m.

#### **Anza Tour at Historic Canoa Ranch**

Learn about Colonel Juan Bautista de Anza and the group of Spanish colonial settlers who, in 1775, made their first stop at Canoa Ranch as they began an epic 1200-mile journey from Sonora, New Spain to colonize the port of what is now San Francisco. A 5-mile segment of the Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail extends through Historic Canoa Ranch. **\$5 fee. Online registration required.** 

Fridays, February 9, 16, and 23 • 9:30-10:30 a.m.

#### **Yoeme Culture and History**

Join Felipe Molina for a discussion of Yoeme (Yaqui) history and culture in southern Arizona and beyond. Presented as part of the 2024 Historic Canoa Ranch Speaker Series. \$5 fee. Online registration required. Saturday, February 10 • 1:00-2:30 p.m.

#### **Anza Trail Hike at Historic Canoa Ranch**

Explore a 2-to-3-mile section of the Anza Trail during an easy, level interpretive hike. Learn about the cultural and natural history of the Santa Cruz Valley. Travel on the Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail to the area of La Canoa where the expedition to found San Francisco camped after leaving Tubac Presidio in October of 1775. **\$5 fee. Online registration required.** 

Friday, February 16 • 8:30-10:30 a.m.

## **Birding Canoa Ranch**

Visit Historic Canoa Ranch, a birding hotspot in Pima County. Winter birding at Historic Canoa Ranch means ducks and sparrows. We will also be on the lookout for birds like Lawrence's Goldfinch, Northern Harrier, and more. \$5 fee. Online registration required.

Tuesday, February 20 • 8:00-10:00 a.m.

## The Chiricahua Apaches: A Concise History

Join author and historian Bill Cavaliere for an overview of the Chiricahua Apaches including Cochise, his son Naiche, and Geronimo. Presented as part of the 2024 Historic Canoa Ranch Speaker Series.

\$5 fee. Online registration required. Saturday, February 24 • 1:00-2:30 p.m.

Group size strictly limited to maintain optimal experience. For the safety and comfort of all participants, no pets are allowed. Program information – Phone: 520-724-5375 or Email: eeducation@pima.gov To see a complete list of our Environmental Education programs, bit.ly/NRPRregistration