

Historic Canoa Ranch



5375 South I-19 Frontage Road



www.pima.gov/canoaranch

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Registration for Natural Resources, Parks and Recreation (NRPR) activities is required.
Visit bit.ly/NRPRregistration

Gardens of 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, March 1 • 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.
Saturday, March 2, 9, and 16 • 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Saturday, March 2, 16, and 30 • 10:30 a.m.-Noon

Anza Tour at Historic Canoa Ranch

Join a walking tour discussing the 1775- 1776 Anza Expedition which camped at La Canoa. 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. \$5 fee. Online registration required.
Friday, March 8, 15, 22, and 29 • 9:30-10:30 a.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/>
Sunday, March 10 • 8:00-9:30 a.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, March 22 • 8:30-10:30 a.m.

Birding Canoa Ranch

Visit Historic Canoa Ranch, a birding hotspot in Pima County. Explore the pond, cienega, and desert at Historic Canoa Ranch, as we search for waterfowl, sparrows, finches, and many other birds.
\$5 fee. Online registration required.
Wednesday, March 27 • 8:00-10:00 a.m.

Stargazing Historic Canoa Ranch

Join us to explore the wonder and unfold the mysteries of the cosmos.
Description: Tucson Amateur Astronomy Association volunteers provide an introduction to the night sky and set up telescopes for celestial viewing. Weather permitting. Free, family-friendly fun. **Registration required.**
Online registration required; visit <https://bit.ly/ticketsEE>
Friday, March 29 • 7:30-9:30 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

