

## 2019 Tour de Bird Descriptions

- A. Reinert – 25639 S Beech Creek Dr - A large Mesquite tree shades this habitat and allows the Reinert's to easily grow other plants here. Hummingbirds love the wall-hanging fountains and butterflies use the lantana as a landing strip.
- B. Autery – 2770 E Capricorn Pl - The Autery's removed grass and planted 16 trees and over 400 plants, with a center fountain to attract pollinators and wildlife, all the while maintaining a casual look.
- C. Veterans Oasis – 4050 E Chandler Hts Rd - This 113 Acre Park includes the Environmental Education Center, five recharge basins, an urban lake, and 153 species of birds. Take a birdwalk with us. Live Raptors will be on display by Liberty Wildlife in the morning.
- D. The Perch Pub Brewery -222 S Wall St – The Perch Pub Brewery combines great food, craft beer with exotic bird rescue. Varieties of Macaws, Cockatoos and others live on the patio. You can donate to their feeding and care.
- E. Hammers – 1121 N Terrace Rd - The Hammers habitat hosts a re-circulating stream. This bird and butterfly garden has desert trees and shrubs. The Desert Rivers nature store will also be set up here.
- F. Hummingbird Habitat – 660 W Desert Breeze Pkwy - This habitat, tucked away in a corner of Desert Breeze Park, is maintained by volunteers from Desert Rivers Audubon. It is our demonstration garden showing that you can have a lush and colorful garden - even in the desert!
- G. Elsaesser – 1360 E Desert Trumpet Dr - This habitat is an oasis of native plants and trees, designed to attract birds and Monarch Butterflies. Learn how the owner raises Monarchs for release.
- H. Yount – 1373 E Desert Broom Way - The Younts have created an impeccable landscape that highlights the sculptural forms classic to the Sonoran Desert. They are also expert vegetable growers.
- I. Peterson – 14604 S 1<sup>st</sup> St - Visit the Peterson's mountainside home to see how desert landscaping can make an artistic statement appealing to both humans and wildlife.
- J. Fielding - 16819 S 15<sup>th</sup> Ave - Cliff Fielding has been fascinated with cactus and succulents since he was a teen. His front yard is the result of 25 years of collecting, and includes native specimens rescued from Arizona development sites
- K. Treeland - 2900 S Country Club Dr - Let the nursery experts tell you about the native plants that you've seen in the habitats that you've visited. Present this coupon and get a 10% discount on your purchase of all non-sale items.
- L. Galyean – 1038 W Emerald - A casual mix of more than 60 different plant species from the Sonoran Desert and surrounding regions create a haven for native birds, bees, butterflies, and other wildlife in a small suburban yard.
- M. Wild Birds Unlimited – 2136 E Baseline Rd Ste 2 - Learn about bird feeding from Dave and the experts at Wild Birds Unlimited. Special talks about attracting birds to your yard will be held at 9 and 10 am and 2 and 3 pm. Refreshments will be available.