



# earthfest PATAGONIA, ARIZONA

**Trails Day • Earth Day • Arbor Day**

*a celebration of our biological diversity,  
cultural heritage and local resiliency*

**April 16 - 18, 2015**

**Theme: TREES**

The 6th annual EARTHfest Patagonia, AZ celebration is an opportunity to celebrate the beauty of our trails and the nature that surrounds us as well as to become informed about choices that can be made that will contribute to this resilient and thriving community. One by one we can make the changes that work for each individual and result in the benchmark of local resiliency being realized so that our resources (natural, human and financial) are used effectively and efficiently, we co-create a thriving community, we increase the awareness of regenerative actions, we educate all members of the community with specific action steps, and we honor and respect each person's choice.

**GUIDED WALKS \* WORKSHOPS**

**YOUTH ACTIVITIES \* FAMILY FUN**

**Thursday, April 16**

7 p.m. at the Library: Julio Betancourt, co-author of "Requiem for the Santa Cruz: An Environmental History of an Arizona River"

**Friday, April 17**

3 p.m. meet at Cady Hall: German Quiroga leads a walking tour of historic Patagonia

7 p.m. at the Library: Katherine Morrissey, cultural anthropologist presents "Marking the Divide: Photographs and Monuments along the U.S./Mexico Border"

**Saturday, April 18**

8 am - Noon: Hazardous Waste Material Collection

10 am - 3 pm: Recycle Electronics at Cady Hall

**Saturday, April 18**

**WORKSHOPS at Town Council Chambers:**

9 am - 9:30 am: "Ecotourism" by Bryan Jungers

9:30 am - 10 am: "Trees" by Luke Reese

10 am - 11 am: "Tucson Audubon's Paton Center" by Keith Ashley

11 am - Noon: "Sky Islands Biodiversity" by Vincent Pinto

Noon - 12:30 pm: "Youth Restoration Movement - a report on Patagonia High School and BECY Institute activities by Caleb Weaver and PUHS students

12:30 pm - 1 pm: "Update on the Arizona Trail" by Zay Hartigan

1 pm - 2 pm "People Helping People in the Border Zone" presentation by the Arivaca Community Group

2 pm - 2:30 pm: "Permaculture and Deep Dirt Farm Institute" presentation by Kate Tirion

2:30 pm - 3 pm: "Revivalist Botanicals" presentation by Bethany Brandt

3 pm - 4 pm: "Human Habitats and Well Being" by Phil Allsopp

**GUIDED WALKS (meet at Town Council Chambers):**

7:45 am: Bird Walk guided by Tucson Audubon Paton House

9 am: Naturalist Saunter guided by Vincent Pinto

10 am: Tour of Historic Patagonia guided by German Quiroga

4 pm: Tree Planting

**YOUTH ACTIVITIES at Cady Hall:**

10 am to 4 pm: Youth Art Exhibit, Face Painting

10:30 am to 11:30 am: "Food Alive" by Leah Lynn

**INFORMATION & FUN at Cady Hall & Library:**

10 am - 4 pm: Community service organizations information tables in Cady Hall

Noon - 4 pm: Display of Young Authors (K-2nd graders) books about trees

2 pm: Little Free Library auction and celebration, a fundraising event for Friends of Patagonia Library

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