

UC DAVIS



ARBORETUM AND PUBLIC GARDEN

## WINTER 2017 GATEWAYS EVENTS

### plant sales

9 am–1 pm  
Arboretum Teaching Nursery  
Garrod Drive, UC Davis  
[arboretum.ucdavis.edu](http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu)

### MEMBER APPRECIATION SALE

**Saturday, March 11 (Members Only)**

- 10% off purchase
- \$10 off thank you gift
- free refreshments

Not a member? Call ahead or join at the door!

### PUBLIC SALES

**Saturday, April 8**  
**Saturday, April 29**

### music & wellness

### FOLK MUSIC JAM SESSIONS

**Fridays, January 13 & 27;**  
**February 10 & 24, March 10;**  
12–1 pm, Wyatt Deck

Folk musicians are invited to bring their acoustic instruments and play together informally over the lunch hour. All skill levels are welcome, and listeners are invited.

### OPEN MIC NIGHT UNDER THE STARS

**Thursday, February 9, 7–9 pm**  
Wyatt Deck

(Rain location: 146 Environmental Horticulture)

Join us for a free night of fun in nature while enjoying talented local musicians, poets, comedians and much more. If you would like to perform, email [openmicnightucd@gmail.com](mailto:openmicnightucd@gmail.com) for more information. **Intended for mature audiences.**

### DASH AND DINE

**Saturday, March 4, 9 am–12 pm**  
Wyatt Deck (Rain or shine!)

Start your day off right! Pick your distance and discover the Arboretum as you run or walk along our demonstration gardens, plant collections and the waterway, then join us for a light, healthy breakfast. Co-sponsored by the Arboretum Ambassadors and Davis Hiking Club.

### RANG BARSEY A CELEBRATION OF HOLI

**Sunday, March 12, 12–4 pm**  
Arboretum Gazebo

The Indian Graduate Student Association in collaboration with the Friends of the UC Davis Arboretum and Public Garden present “Rang Barsey”—a celebration of Holi. Have a fun-filled time in this magnificent celebration of joy and love with colors, water, and lots of Indian food at the Arboretum Gazebo. Stay tuned for updates including ticket prices.

### family programs

### GET DOWN WITH UPCYCLING

**Sunday, January 22, 1–3 pm**  
Wyatt Deck

(Rain location: 146 Environmental Horticulture)

Ever wonder what you can do with those empty soda bottles or milk cartons? Turn that trash into treasure! Join the Arboretum Ambassadors and the Aggie Reuse Store for a sustainable craft-making workshop. Learn how to press plants and upcycle everyday waste items into something creative and fun.

### UC DAVIS BIODIVERSITY MUSEUM DAY

**Saturday, February 18, 9 am–1 pm**  
Arboretum Headquarters

Go behind the scenes to explore and engage with scientists and students as you learn about the diversity of life right here on campus from 12 different university museums at this popular, all-ages open house event. Make the Arboretum one of your stops anytime between 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., but be sure to take in the other 11 participating museums anytime between 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

For more information, visit <http://biodiversitymuseumday.ucdavis.edu>.

### BIRDMANIA! BUILD YOUR KNOWLEDGE AND YOUR BIRD FEEDER

**Saturday, February 25, 12–2 pm**  
Wyatt Deck

(Rain location: Environmental Horticulture 146)

Build your own bird feeder using materials you already have in your home while learning more about local bird species. Please bring empty milk jugs, plastic bottles, tin cans, or milk cartons to design your project. All ages are welcome.

### NATIVE CALIFORNIA ELDERBERRY FLUTE-MAKING WORKSHOP

**Sunday, February 26, 1–3 pm**  
146 Environmental Horticulture

In this free, two-hour workshop, people of all ages will learn how to make and play a Native California elderberry flute. East Bay Regional Parks docent Antonio Flores will talk about the culture of flute-making and also about the endangered elderberry beetle. All materials will be supplied. Please bring a sharpened pocket knife if you have one. Adults will need to supervise their young children.

### guided tours

### WEDNESDAY WALKS WITH WARREN

All walks begin at 12 pm

**January 11**

West End Gardens, meet at Gazebo

**February 8**

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**March 8**

Warren G. Roberts Redbud Collection and Acacias, meet at Arboretum Headquarters (Valley Oak Cottage)

Join Warren Roberts, Superintendent Emeritus of the Arboretum and famous storyteller and punster, for an always engaging noontime exploration of the UC Davis Arboretum's gardens and plant collections.

### WINTER BIRDS IN DAVIS: SLIDE SHOW AND TOUR

**Saturday, January 14, 10:30 am**  
146 Environmental Horticulture

Our fine feathered friends are fascinating! Learn about birds that winter in Davis during a slide show talk. Then take a walk to see birds in the Arboretum (weather permitting). Park in Lot 5 and look for the signs to the meeting room.

### AMAZING ACACIAS

**Saturday, February 25, 2 pm**  
Meet at Putah Creek Lodge

Experience the spectacular spring display of yellow blossoms in the Eric E. Conn Acacia Grove. See acacia species from around the world and learn why they are great plants to consider for your home garden.

### THE FEAST – A CELEBRATION OF MEAD AND HONEY

**February 11, 6–9 pm**  
Robert Mondavi Institute

Featuring the partnership with the Arboretum and Public Garden

\$150 /person • More info: [honey.ucdavis.edu](http://honey.ucdavis.edu)

Proceeds benefit the UC Davis Honey and Pollination Center