

LCNCA Youth Education Program Chart – July 2014

Organization and web address	Program Name	Audience	Program	Contact
Tucson Audubon tucsonaudubon.org	River Pathways	High School Students	Curriculum and field trips. Learn about aquatic ecology and habitat as it relates to birds	Bete Jones bjones@tucsonaudubon.org
Bureau of Land Management – Tucson Office handsontheland.org/site-profiles?id=63	Youth in Wilderness	Pasqua Yaqui students	Blend traditional teachings with STEM	Catie Fenn cfenn@blm.gov
Bureau of Land Management – Tucson Office	Historic Preservation	Grades 5 – 12, Scout groups	Tours of Empire Ranch house, adobe brick making; build an understanding of the process by which people came here.	Chris Schrage cschrage@blm.gov
Empire Ranch Foundation empireranchfoundation.org	Hands on the Land/Wild about the Grasslands	K - 12	Single day events that focus on landscape and habitats biomes riparian zones, stewardship, water monitoring; ranch history, outdoor recreation, conservation ethics, outdoor education tours; with Journaling; learning, play and stewardship	Gail Corkill northstarlearn@gmail.com Christine Auerbach christine@empireranchfoundation.org
Appleton-Whittell Research Ranch of the National Audubon Society researchranch.audubon.org	No 'official' youth program; One visit from a local middle school science class	Adult community members	Monthly pot-luck lecture series <i>Living Gently on the Land</i>	Linda Kennedy lkennedy@audubon.org
Arizona Trail Association aztrail.org	Seeds of Stewardship	Middle and High school youth	3-tiered program working with communities near the 800 mile trail; in southern Arizona works with Tucson/Vail; 1) <i>Experience</i> hiking, biking, camping; 2) <i>Education</i> into outings for same group of students, tailor made but also STEMs etc, writing, science, etc. lessons onto trails 3) <i>Engage</i> youth to get their hands dirty--then working with BLM, FS; ties youth to that	Matthew Nelson matthew@aztrail.org Deborah Oslik deborah@aztrail.org

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Cienega Watershed Partnership cienega.org	Partner of Youth Engaged Stewardship YES! program	High School	Youth apply for the 12 program slots. Over the course of nine sessions in the summer, youth study the environmental issues at LCNCA, form a board and decide on a stewardship project.	Shela McFarlin outreach@cienega.org Annamarie Schaecher youth@cienega.org
Ironwood Tree Experience https://ironwoodtreexperience.org	Partner of the YES! Program	middle and high school	ITE programs: 1) ecoprograms exploration and, discovery in Sonoran desert 2) field science programs 3) community action which provides opportunities for skills to do environmental conservation projects including urban.	Suzanne Dhruv Suzanne@ironwoodtreexperience.org Eric Dhruv eric@ironwoodtreexperience.org
Empire High School - Vail Unified School District	Christine In-Albon Partner of YES! program	Environmental Science teacher	regularly brings students to LCNCA for outdoor classroom for AP environmental science.	Chris In Albon Inac@vail.k12.az.us
Independent Educator	Dennis Caldwell - biologist	youth	Aquatic ecology, native frog expert	Dennis Caldwell dennis@caldwell-design.com
Arizona Game and Fish Department azgfd.gov/w_c/nongameandendangeredwildlifeprogram/Black-tailedPrairieDog.shtml	Black-tailed prairie dog reintroduction	Youth, college students	Will give background about BTPD project, coordinated volunteer labor and monitoring projects	Robert Fink rfink@azgfd.gov
Arizona Antelope Foundation azantelope.org	Pronghorn Antelope Habitat Improvement	Young adults 18-24	Hire youth to replace wire fencing for antelope movement	