



**Black Canyon Heritage Park**  
33955 Old Black Canyon Highway  
(Box 33)  
Black Canyon City, AZ 85324  
**Open Daily 9am to 1pm**

## May 25, 9 AM - SIGN UP NOW!! Butterfly Event - Limited Space

### Event Details:

**May 25, 2024**

- Starts at 9 AM
- Ends at about 11

### Place:

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We invite you to [sign up](#) for our FREE May 25, 9 AM "Butterfly Viewing with an Expert". Join us for about 2 hours of an incredible experience.

We'll make frequent stops to observe and identify butterflies. Our leaders, Mel and John Dicus, will share their butterfly expertise with use.

Best to bring your own close-focusing binoculars if possible. Other binoculars will work. We'll have some loaners too.

Sign up and more details: [CLICK HERE](#)



### Thanks Earth Day Volunteers

Thanks to all our volunteers (over 28)! We achieved more than we expected.

- Planting what Desert Botanical Garden donated
- Removing of unwanted and invasive plants (particularly Chamomile / stinknet).
- Clearing the accessible nature trail of bushes and branches extending into the trail area.
- Weed whacking along the pond area.
- Having fun!

Click [HERE](#) for more pictures.





### Thanks for Work Done!

We were impressed and thankful for the 5th, 7th, and 8th graders that contributed to the preservation of the park, They removed unwanted and invasive plants, particularly Chamomile / Stinknet, from a section of the Nature Path.

### Thanks Cañon School

This month, we had an amazing adventure with students and teachers from Cañon School. We started with a captivating learning activity developed by the Black Canyon City Community Library, providing an enjoyable way to discover local bird species.

As another learning experience, they explored the rich history of the area with a tour of the Old Cañon School Museum. Les Glover offered fascinating insights into the museum and Black Canyon City's heritage.

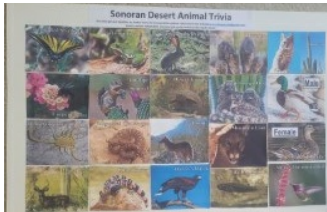
The final treat was their picnic lunch at the park. Best of all - they simply had fun!

## Black Canyon Heritage Park at High Desert Park's Spring Festival



Set up complete!! We had items for sale, games to play and art contest announced.

Note to all that grabbed a coloring page and contest form- don't forget they are due May 11!!



Wildlife Trivia Game. What fun! Lots of people had a chance to test their knowledge playing this awesome game created by our volunteer Ambur Gore of Black Canyon City.



Ann captured Patty Jo happily assisting a couple in this photo, amidst a gathering of familiar faces from Black Canyon City and new acquaintances from diverse backgrounds. They shared plenty of information along the way..

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## Our Mural Wall Finished



On the left, Isaac Caruso painted this picture in 2020 ([see video](#)). It comes from his book "Sam and Sara" (for sale in Visitor Center). He kept his promise to come back someday to paint the other half of the wall. On April 26, 2024 he did!



Come see his incredible Harris Hawk in honor of one of our favorite residents.



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