

**2017 Docent Training at The Arboretum**  
Wednesdays, March 1<sup>st</sup> – April 26<sup>th</sup> (except March 15<sup>th</sup>)  
March 1<sup>st</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> at Coconino Cooperative Extension Office  
April 5<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> at The Arboretum at Flagstaff

**Location: Coconino Cooperative Extension Office – 2304 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., 86004**

March 1<sup>st</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Welcome and Overview of The Arb* with Lynne Nemeth, Executive Director

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *Weeds, SEGA, and the Climate Change Center* with Dr. Kris Haskins, Director of Research

March 8<sup>th</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Plants and Endangered Species at The Arb* with Sheila Murray, Research Botanist

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *Milkweed for Monarchs and Pollinators* with Sheila Murray, Research Botanist

March 15<sup>th</sup>

NO DOCENT TRAINING

March 22<sup>nd</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Ethnobotany* with Phyllis Hogan, proprietor of the Winter Sun Trading Company and practicing Southwest herbalist for 25 years

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *Place-based Education* with Dr. Michael Caulkins, Lecturer – First Year Seminar Program, NAU

March 29<sup>th</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Forest Health, Fire Ecology, and Ponderosa Pine* with Peter Fulé, Professor – School of Forestry, NAU

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *Aspens* with Thomas Kolb, Professor of Forest Ecophysiology – School of Forestry, NAU

**Location: The Arboretum at Flagstaff – 4001 S. Woody Mountain Rd., 86005**

April 5<sup>th</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Animals and Ecology of the Colorado Plateau* with Lynne Nemeth, Executive Director

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *Horticulture, Greenhouses, and Gardens of The Arb* with Christi Sorrell, Director of Horticulture

April 12<sup>th</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Sample Docent Tour* with Lynne Nemeth, Executive Director

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *New and Ready to Use Features at The Arb* – The Climate Change Center, Phenology Garden, Milkweed Bed, and Compost with Dr. Kris Haskins, Director of Research, and Christi Sorrell, Director of Horticulture

April 13<sup>th</sup> (Thursday)

10am – 2:15pm: *School Programs Overview* with Coreen Walsh, Public Programs Manager, and Shannon Benjamin, Volunteer and Tour Coordinator

April 19<sup>th</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Practice Tours*

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *Sustainability and Conservation at The Arb* with Lynne Nemeth, Executive Director

April 26<sup>th</sup>

10am – 12pm: *Docent Tour Evaluation*

12:15pm – 2:15pm: *Potluck Graduation*

