



Protecting the landscape you love...

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events!

Here's what's coming up.

Preserve at the Cave Tours

Join us as we take a trip back in history and explore the "Cave" for which Cave Creek is named. So much history lives within its walls. From the pecking of petroglyphs to Apache battles, the Cave has seen a lot! Desert Foothills Land Trust protects this significant property with a conservation easement. It is not open to the public, so this is your only way to see this incredible historic landmark. Don't miss out!



Preserve at the Cave Tour
[February 3, 2018](#)
9:00 am - 12 noon

Preserve at the Cave Tour
[March 3, 2018](#)
9:00 am - 12 noon

Preserve at the Cave Tour
[April 7, 2018](#)
9:00 am - 12 noon

Guided Cave tours are free, but registration is required. Please click here to [Register for a Cave Tour](#).

Please note: Space is limited on our Preserve at the Cave Tours and they tend to fill up very quickly. Registrations are accepted on a first come,

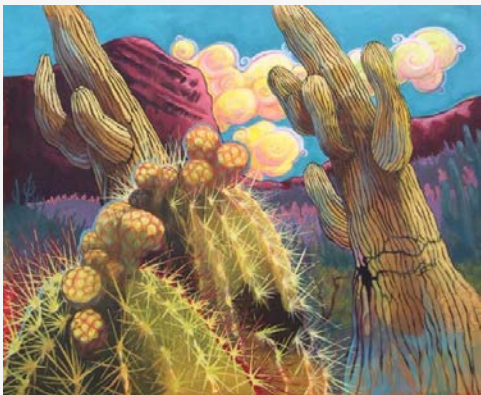
first serve basis.

**Free Guided Hike
P.A. Seitts Preserve at Go John Canyon
Saturday, February 10, 2018
9 am - Noon**

The areas all along Cave Creek Wash are abundant in desert flora and fauna and steeped in history. P.A. Seitts Preserve at Go John Canyon is no exception. The preserve not only holds a sensitive riparian habitat it is also rich in archaeology, mining and ranching history. Join us for a 3 mile hike as we explore this 271 acre preserve in the heart of Cave Creek and discover the treasures that make it a special place in our community.



Though all our guided hikes are free registration is required. Please click here to register for the [P.A. Seitts Preserve hike](#).



2017 1st place winner by Genise McGregor.

**Registration is open!
It's Art for Land's Sake
A juried exhibit and sale
Entry deadline: Feb. 19 at 4
pm**

[Click here for complete rules and entry form](#)

Artists are invited to share their talent in celebration of local land conservation. Desert Foothills Land

Trust is accepting entries for the 2018 It's Art for Land's Sake exhibition and sale. Artists of all ages and levels of experience are welcome to enter.

This juried exhibit and sale is intended to increase awareness of the Land Trust's work and to inspire land and wildlife conservation through traditional and representational art works. It's Art for Land's Sake

promotes incredible artwork and artists inspired by local conserved land.

The 2018 show juror will be Tim Rees, a renowned artist and instructor at the Scottsdale Artist's School and the academy Rees Atelier (www.reesfineart.com). Mr. Rees will select the winners and artworks to be included in the exhibit.

For details and more information click here ["It's Art for Land's Sake"](#)

**Winterfest at Heritage Park
Black Canyon City
Saturday, January 27
10 am - 2 pm**

**A day for curiosity, discovery,
and stewardship.**

Enjoy a day of free family fun in Black Canyon City's beautiful Heritage Park!

This event offers participants of all ages and physical abilities a variety of discovery experiences to instill respect, responsibility, and stewardship for the outstanding cultural, historical, recreational, and environmental offerings in Black Canyon City and the areas that surround it. Come check out the food, crafts, informational booths, and activities that will appeal to people of all backgrounds and ages. A perfect day trip for outdoor enthusiasts!



Black Canyon Heritage Park

Click here for a map [Black Canyon Heritage Park](#)

If you go, be sure to stop by the Land Trust booth and say "hello".

Desert Foothills Land Trust is thrilled to offer these great opportunities for our community and visitors to connect to nature and learn more about the importance of protecting the land we love. We are so grateful to those who support the Land Trust and make it possible for us to offer many of these events for free.

We hope that you can come out and join us!

[Donate Now.](#)

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