

## RVGC: Field Trips, Programs, and Workshops 2017 to 2018

	Date		Time	Provider	Location	Topic	Cost/ Transp.
<b>Program</b>	September 26, 2017	Tuesday		<b>Eric Trygg</b>	RMA Bldg.	Carnivorous Plants & Bromeliads	
<b>Field Trip</b>	October 16, 2017	Monday		<b>Co-sponsored by RVGC &amp; Arden Park Garden Club</b>	UC Berkeley	U.C. Berkeley Botanical Gardens. Tour includes lunch at Spengers and an afternoon tour at Orchard Nursery in Lafayette.	Meet at RMA Building at 7:45 a.m. We will carpool to La Sierra Park to meet up with the Arden Park Club members, then on to Berkeley. Our tour will begin at 11 a.m. Cost: Only \$10. Cost of lunch depends upon what you order.
<b>Workshop</b>	October 18, 2017	Wednesday	10 am - noon	<b>Ellison Cowles</b>	6507 Via Sereno	Make a Wire Cloche	Free. Call 549-0379
<b>Workshop</b>	October 21, 2017	Saturday	10 am - noon	<b>Nancy Clark</b>	15201 De La Cruz	Staghorn Fern Workshop	Demo is free; mounted ferns can be purchased
<b>Program</b>	October 24, 2017	Tuesday		<b>Julie Fong &amp; Adienne Chattot</b>	RMA Bldg.	Ikebana Arranging	
<b>Workshop</b>	November 14, 2017	Tuesday	2:00 - 3:30	<b>Ellison Cowles</b>	6507 Via Sereno	Make a Vacation Plant Waterer	Bring your own materials
<b>Field Trip</b>	November 15, 2017	Wednesday		<b>Effie Yeaw Nature Center</b>	Sacramento	Hike with a Naturalist from 10am to 11am. Tour includes time to visit the nature center. Lunch at a local restaurant, and visit to Fair Oaks Nursery.	Carpool, total of \$85 for the group, indiv. cost will be determined by how many members attend.

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Field Trip	December 5, 2017	Tuesday		Alden Lane Nursery	Livermore	A festive holiday decorating event that includes a demonstration of decorating with live greens and Christmas arrangements. Lunch will be provided, along with the instructional holiday décor presentation, tour of the nursery grounds, and shopping – which includes gift wrap.	Carpool from RM (it's about a 1-1/2 hour drive). Cost is \$20 per person. Reservations for 10 people have been made so far. Deadline: 11/30 - make checks payable to Nancy Compton.
Field Trip	December 8, 2017	Friday		Historic Folsom Holiday Tour	Folsom	Tour beautifully decorated homes, museums, and churches, all decked out for the holidays. Shop in gift boutique! This is a fund raiser for the Murer House and the Folsom Historial Society. Lunch in a local restaurant.	Carpool. \$18 per person for a group of 8 or more.
Workshop	January	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Program	January 23, 2018	Tuesday		Chris Strutz	RMA Bldg.	All About Fertilizers	
Program	February 27, 2018	Tuesday		Chuck Cottam	RMA Bldg.	Building A Koi Pond in Your Garden	
Program	March 27, 2018	Tuesday		Chef Johnny	RMA Bldg.	TBD	
Program	April 24, 2018	Tuesday		Betty Bloom	RMA Bldg.	All About Orchids	
Program	May 22, 2018	Tuesday		Chris Huey	RMA Bldg.	Penny Pines and The El Dorado Forest	