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# ANNUAL REPORT



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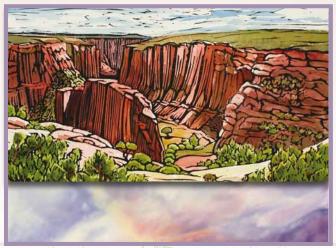






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- Richard and Jean Wilson formally dedicated Tohono Chul Park on April 19, 1985 —

## CELEBRATING 26 YEARS OF.

## ...nature

hrough our wildly successful spring plant sale, this year saw the debut of the first of the Park's exclusive, patent pending hybrids: the 'Red-headed Beauty' penstemon (pictured above). New varieties of exclusive hybrids are on their way!



elebrating the contemporary while honoring the historic, Tohono Chul Park's new Curator of Exhibits, Ben Johnson, and his assistant, Edie Wageman, promise to bring renewed vigor and a fresh vision to our award winning exhibit halls.

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erhaps the our largest event, the 2011 Sonoran Spring Celebration brought together a wide cross-section of the Tucson community, to reinvigorate its commitment to the Park and to celebrate the Sonoran Desert.

# TOHONO CHUL PARK

# Core Values, Mission and Vision

### Core Values

Love of Tohono Chul Park and respect for what the Park means to visitors, supporters and staff.

Responsible use of all natural, human, fiscal and temporal resources.

Respect for all people, their beliefs and cultures.

Excellence and integrity in all undertakings of the Park.
Lifelong learning, with special focus on living with the Sonoran Desert and the interactions of people with their environment.

Accessibility and outreach to the community in experiencing the resources of the Park.

### Mission

The mission of Tohono Chul
Park is to enrich people's
lives by connecting them
with the wonders of nature,
art and culture in the
Sonoran Desert region and
inspiring wise stewardship
of the natural world.

### Vision

Tohono Chul Park's vision is to be perceived as the leading center in the world for its unique fusion of nature, art and culture of the Sonoran Desert region. Tohono Chul Park strives to be an indispensible resource for helping people learn about, celebrate and conserve our region's natural and cultural heritage.

Every element of the Park will reflect excellence and beauty, creating a pleasurable, inspiring and enlightening experience for all.

#### Statement of Financial Position 2011

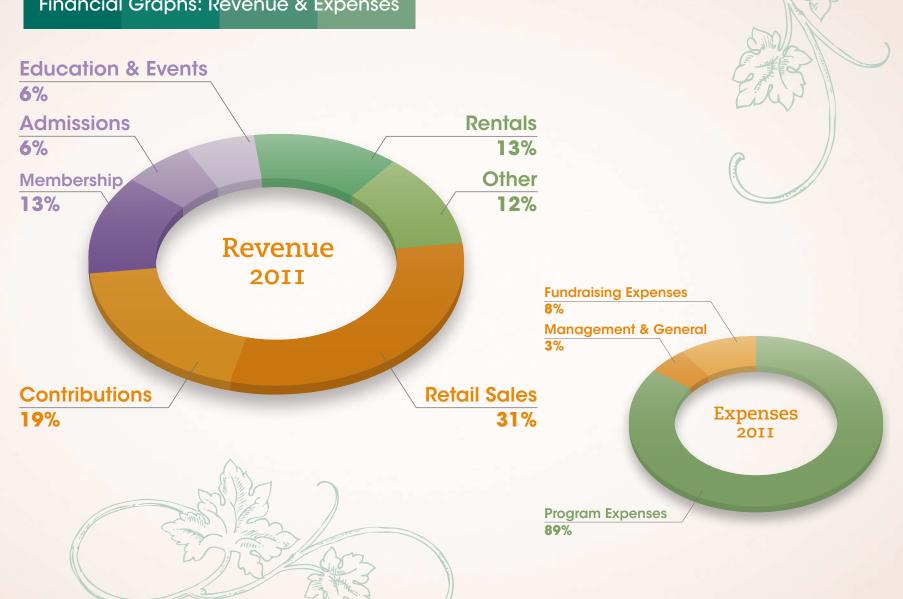
Assets	
cash and equivalents	\$600,550
investments	\$1,231,356
receivables	\$11,111
inventories	\$110,835
prepaid and other assets	\$29,964
pledges	\$14,674
property and equipment, net	\$5,614,246
Total Assets	\$7,612,736
Liabilities	
accounts payable, trade	\$51,991
accrued liabilities	\$80,330
deposits	\$17,535
Total Liabilities	\$149,856
Net Assets	
board designated	\$1,248,364
expended for property and equipment	\$5,614,246
undesignated	\$497,986
unrestricted net assets	\$7,360,596
temporarily restricted	\$102,284
Total Net Assets	\$7,462,880
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	\$7,612,736



#### **Activities Statement 2011**

Revenues and Support	
SALES	
museum shop sales	\$360,094
plant sales	\$173,671
exhibit sales	\$14,110
education trip sales	\$12,706
CONTRIBUTIONS	
annual campaign	\$76,053
in-kind	\$69,200
other donations	\$59,153
bequests	\$50,000
memberships	\$231,120
admissions	\$105,678
education and events	\$113,597
rental income	\$231,707
investment income	\$216,098
annual fundraising event	\$71,100
other income	\$703
net assets released from restriction	\$53,720
Total Revenues and Support	\$1,838,710
Expenses and Losses	
FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES	
program expenses	\$1,599,126
management and general	\$69,759
fundraising expenses	\$202,972
Total Expenses	\$1,871,857
Change in net Operating Assets	(\$33,147)

#### Financial Graphs: Revenue & Expenses



#### Senior Staff of Tohono Chul Park

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#### Individual Contributors July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2011

The Board of Directors recognizes the following donors for their generosity and commitment to Tohono Chul Park.

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\$5,000 - \$9,999

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**Ross Foundation** 

Wallace Research Foundation

\$10,000 - \$24,999

The Kautz Family Foundation

\$5,000 - \$9,999

Comcast

\$1,000 - \$4,999

Maltz Family Foundation

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## Memorials | Honorariums | Estates & Bequests

The Board of Directors recognizes the following donors for their generosity and commitment to Tohono Chul Park.

#### **MEMORIALS**

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#### \$250 - \$499

Dr. and Mrs. John Clymer in Memory of De Elda M. Reese

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in Memory of Mac Rainwater

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in Honor of Jo Falls

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Theresa Hersh

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#### **ESTATES AND BEQUESTS**

Claire B. Norton Fund (Community Foundation of Southern Arizona)

Estate of Phyllis A. Kroggel

#### **Matching Gift Companies**

Many companies will match their employee's and retiree's donations to the Park. The Board of Directors wishes to acknowledge the following corporations and foundations for their matching gift support.

**Bristol-Myers Squibb Foundation** 

**Davis Selected Advisers** 

**ExxonMobil Foundation** 

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# NOTEWORTHY

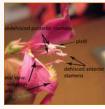




#### Leadership

On September 7, 2010, Tohono Chul Park welcomed its third Executive Director,

Dr. Christine Conte. With deep roots in the Tucson community, Christine has 20+ years experience leading major nonprofit organizations and programs dedicated to connecting people to art and nature in the Sonoran Desert. As the Park's Executive Director, Christine is bringing staff, members and volunteers together in honoring the legacy of its founders, Dick and Jean Wilson, while building a bright and sustainable future. "Our goal is to become an indispensible resource for helping people learn about, celebrate, and conserve the region's natural and cultural heritage. Every element of the Park should reflect beauty and excellence, creating a pleasurable, inspiring, and enlightening experience for all. Tohono Chul will be the leading center in the world for its unique fusion of nature, art, and culture of the Sonoran Desert region."



#### Innovation

This year marked the debut of the Parks' first patent pending plant, the hybrid

'Red Headed Beauty' (palmeri × perryi) × superbus. Likely crosspollinated by hummingbirds, and discovered and carefully evaluated by the Park's Plant Curator, Russ Burrows, the hybrid is spectacular with its extra large flowers, intense color, outstanding vigor and longevity. The patent ensures it is a true-breeding line and is now only produced from cuttings. The hybrid has been a great success. The 'Red Headed Beauty' is sold in our greenhouse and other select nurseries. It is already on display at the Park as well as San Diego Botanical Gardens, Desert Botanical Gardens, Chihuahuan Nature Center in Fort Davis, TX, University of Arizona Arboretum, the Tucson Botanical Gardens and the Phoenix Zoo.



#### Research

Year of the Bat 2011 - 2012 is an international collaborative effort promoting

bat conservation, research, and education around the globe. To help celebrate the Year of the Bat, Tohono Chul Park received a grant to carry out research and conservation education efforts about bats and other migratory pollinators in the Sonoran Desert region in collaboration with conservation biologists Dr. Rodrigo Medellin and Karen Krebbs.

The Park project brings together the expertise of renowned scientific researchers, the passion of the Park's trained volunteer "citizen scientists," and the experience of its staff educators. It represents a new and important addition to the Park's legacy of research and public education on the relationships between plants and their pollinators – relationships that reveal very deep and crucial links to our well-being as well as our standard of living.



