

PLANTS AT CAVE CREEK RANCH

"non-native" means not native to the Chiricahuas

<u>FAMILY</u>	<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Botanical Name</u>	<u>Notes</u>
ACANTHACEAE	Acanthus family Desert Honeysuckle	<i>Anisacanthus thurberi</i>	"Chuparosa"
ANACARDIACEAE	Sumac family Three-leaf Sumac Evergreen Sumac Little-leaf Sumac Poison Oak/Ivy	<i>Rhus aromatica var. trilobata</i> <i>R. virens var. choriophylla</i> <i>R. microphylla</i> <i>Rhus toxicodendron</i>	possible
ASPARAGACEAE	Asparagus family Palmer Agave Parry Agave American Century Plant Sotol Beargrass Madrean Yucca Red Hesperaloe	<i>Agave palmeri</i> <i>Agave parryi</i> <i>Agave americana</i> <i>Dasylirion wheeleri</i> <i>Nolina microcarpa</i> <i>Yucca Madrensis</i> <i>Hesperaloe parviflora</i>	non-native non-native
ASTERACEAE	Sunflower family Seepwillow Mt. Lemmon marigold Rubber Rabbitbrush Turpentine bush Camphorweed Dogweed Broom Snakeweed many others	<i>Baccharis salicifolia</i> <i>Tagetes lemmonii</i> <i>Ericameria nauseosa</i> <i>Ericameria laricifolia</i> <i>Heterotheca subaxillaris</i> <i>Thymophylla pentachaeta</i> Gutierrezia sarothrae	non-native
APOCYNACEAE	Dogbane/Milkweed family Oleander	<i>Nerium oleander</i>	non-native
BIGNONIACEAE	Bignonia family Desert Willow Yellow Trumpet Vine Crossvine Cat's Claw vine	<i>Chilopsis linearis</i> <i>Campsis radicans (f. flava)</i> <i>Bignonia capreolata</i> <i>Dolichandra unguis-cati</i>	non-native non-native non-native
BORAGINACEAE	Borage family Scorpion weed	<i>Phacelia sp.</i>	
BRASSICACEAE	Mustard family Tansy mustard	<i>Descurainia pinnata</i>	

	Flixweed	<i>Descurainia sophia</i>	non-native
	London Rocket	<i>Sisymbrium irio</i>	non-native
CACTACEAE	Cactus family		
	Cane Cholla	<i>Cylindropuntia spinosior</i>	
	Hedgehog cactus	<i>Echinocereus sp.</i>	
	Engelmann Prickly Pear	<i>Opuntia engelmannii</i>	
CANNABACEAE	Hemp family		
	Netleaf Hackberry	<i>Celtis reticulata</i>	
CELASTRACEAE	Staff-tree family		
	Boxwood	<i>Schaefferia frutescens</i>	non-native
CUPRESSACEAE	Cypress family		
	Arizona Cypress	<i>Cupressus arizonica</i>	
	Italian cypress	<i>Cupressus sempervirens</i>	non-native
	Alligator Juniper	<i>Juniperus deppeana</i>	
	Redberry Juniper	<i>J. arizonica</i>	
ERICACEAE	Heath family		
	Point-leaf Manzanita	<i>Arctostaphylos pungens</i>	
FABACEAE	Pea family		
	Whitethorn Acacia	<i>Acacia constricta</i>	
	False Indigo Bush	<i>Amorpha fruticosa</i>	
	Fairy Duster	<i>Calliandra eriophylla</i>	
	Wait-a-minute Bush	<i>Mimosa aculeaticarpa</i>	
	Velvet Mesquite	<i>Prosopis velutina</i>	
	Texas Mescal-bean	<i>Sophora secundiflora</i>	non-native
	Eastern Redbud	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	non-native
	Mexican Palo Verde	<i>Parkinsonia aculeata</i>	non-native
	Spanish Broom	<i>Spartium junceum</i>	non-native
	Bushy tick-clover	<i>Desmodium batocaulon</i>	
	Texas Mountain Laurel	<i>Dermatophyllum secundiflorum</i>	"Sophora", non-native
	Australian Mimosa	<i>Mimosa pudica</i>	non-native
FAGACEAE	Oak/Beech family		
	Arizona White Oak	<i>Quercus arizonica</i>	
	Emory Oak	<i>Q. emoryi</i>	
FOQUIERIAACEAE	Ocotillo family		
	Ocotillo	<i>Fouquieria splendens</i>	
GELSEMIACEAE	Jessamine family		
	Yellow false jasmine	<i>Gelsemium sempervirens</i>	non-native
GARRYACEAE	Silktassel family		
	Wright's Silktassel	<i>Garrya wrightii</i>	
JUGLANDACEAE	Walnut family		

	Arizona Walnut	<i>Juglans major</i>	
LAMIACEAE	Mint family		
	Mexican Bush Sage	<i>Salvia Leucantha</i>	non-native
	Chaste Tree	<i>Vitex agnus-castus</i>	non-native
	Lavender	<i>Lavendula sp.</i>	non-native
	Butterfly bush	<i>Buddleja sp.</i>	non-native
	Horehound	<i>Marrubium vulgare</i>	non-native
	Texas Betony	<i>Stachys coccinea</i>	
	Texas Ranger	<i>Leucophyllum frutescens</i>	non-native
	Autumn Sage	<i>Salvia greggii</i>	non-native
LYTHRACEAE	Loosestrife family		
	Pomegranate	<i>Punica granatum</i>	non-native
MALVACEAE	Mallow family		
	Globe Mallow	<i>Sphaeralcea sp.</i>	
MORACEAE	Mulberry family		
	Texas Mulberry	<i>Morus microphylla</i>	
OLEACEAE	Ash family		
	Velvet Ash	<i>Fraxinus velutina</i>	
ONAGRACEAE	Evening Primrose family		
	Hummingbird Trumpet	<i>Epilobium canum</i>	
	Desert Evening Primrose	<i>Oenothera primiveris</i>	
	Harlequinbush	<i>Guara hexandra</i>	
POACEAE	Grass family		
	Squirreltail, Bottlebrush	<i>Elymus elymoides</i>	
	Sand dropseed	<i>Sporobolus cryptandrus</i>	
	Cane beardgrass	<i>Bothriochloa barbinodis</i>	
	Pinyon ricegrass	<i>Piptochaetium fimbriatum</i>	
	Wolftail	<i>Lycurus phleoides</i>	
	Vine mesquite	<i>Hopia obtusa</i>	
	Blue grama	<i>Bouteloua gracilis</i>	
	Hairy grama	<i>Bouteloua hirsuta</i>	
	Sideoats grama	<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	
	Green sprangletop	<i>Disakisperma dubium</i>	
	Plains lovegrass	<i>Eragrostis intermedia</i>	
PAPAVERACEAE	Poppy family		
	Southwestern Prickly-Poppy	<i>Argemone pleiacantha</i>	
PINACEAE	Pine family		
	Border Pinyon	<i>Pinus discolor</i>	
	Chihuahuan pine	<i>Pinus chichuahcuana</i>	
PLANTAGINACEAE	Plantain family		

	Beardlip penstemon	<i>Penstemon barbatus</i>	
	Desert penstemon	<i>Penstemon pseudospectabilis</i>	
	Snapdragon vine	<i>Maurandya antirrhiniflora</i>	
PLANTANACEAE	Sycamore family		
	Arizona Sycamore	<i>Platanus wrightii</i>	
LYTHRACEAE	Loosestrife family		
	Pomegranate	<i>Punica granatum</i>	
RHAMNACEAE	Buckthorn family		
	Fendler's Ceanothus	<i>Ceanothus fenderi</i>	
	Birchleaf Buckthorn	<i>Frangula betulifolia</i>	
ROSACEAE	Rose family		
	Apache Plume	<i>Fallugia paradoxa</i>	
	Choke-cherry	<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	
	Pyracantha	<i>Pyracantha sp.</i>	
SALICACEAE	Willow family		
	Fremont Cottonwood	<i>Populus fremontii</i>	
	Coyote Willow	<i>Salix exigua</i>	
	Arroyo Willow	<i>Salix lasiolepis</i>	
SANTALACEAE	Mistletoe family		
	Oak Mistletoe	<i>Phoradendron leucarpum</i>	
	Juniper Mistletoe	<i>Phoradendron juniperum</i>	
	Hairy Mistletoe	<i>Phoradendron capitellatum</i>	on Junipers
	Desert Mistletoe	<i>Phoradendron californicum</i>	on Mesquite
SAPINDACEAE	Maple/Soapberry family		
	Western Soapberry	<i>Sapindus saponaria</i>	
SAPOTACEAE	Bumelia family		
	Bumelia	<i>Sideroxylon occidentale</i>	
SCROPHULARIACEAE	Figwort family		
	Mullein	<i>Verbascum thapsis</i>	
SOLANACEAE	Nightshade family		
	Wolfberry	<i>Lycium sp.</i>	
	Silver-leaf Nightshade	<i>Solanum elaeagnifolium</i>	
TAMARICACEAE	Tamarisk family		
	Salt cedar	<i>Tamarix chinensis</i>	
ULMACEAE	Elm family		
	Siberian Elm	<i>Ulmus pumila</i>	non-native
VERBENACEAE	Verbena family		

Wright's beebrush *Aloysia wrightii* "Mexican oregano"

VITACEAE

Grape family

Virginia Creeper

Parthenocissus quinquefolia

Canyon Grape

Vitis arizonica

ZYGOPHYLLACEAE

Caltrop family

Creosote Bush

Larria tridentata

ORCHARD TREES include Pear, Plum, Pomegranate, Pistachio, Asian Pear, Apple, Apricot, and Almond

This is an incomplete list:

We have not included all aquatic plants, mosses, lichens, many annuals and grasses, etc.

If you notice an error or you find something that I should add, please let us know in the office as we would like to keep this accurate - thank you.

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