



Tucson Cactus and Succulent Society October 2025

RAFFLE PLANTS
DOOR PRIZES
FREE PLANTS

Presented by Mark Stubbs

RAFFLE PLANTS

Prices:

\$1 per ticket

Six tickets for \$5

Oreocereus trollii

‘Old Man of the Andes’



- Raffle Plant
- Origin: Bolivia, Argentina
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Habitat: Arid mountains to 13,000 ft
- Forms chunky clustered columns
 - Diameter per stem: to 6 in
 - Height: to 2 ft
- Propagated from seed or offsets
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Ferocactus peninsulae



- Raffle plant
- Origin: Baja California Sur
- Min temp: 28 deg F
- Solitary
 - Height: up to 28 inches
 - Diameter: up to 16 inches
- Propagated from seed
- Full sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Gymnocalycium saglionis



- Raffle plant
- Origin: Argentina
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Solitary barrel cactus
 - Stem diameter to 15 in
 - Height: to 3 ft
- Largest of the gymnos
- Propagated from seed
- Full sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Ferocactus rectispinus



- Raffle plant
- Origin: Mexico (Baja California)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Usually solitary
 - Stem diameter: to 24 in
 - Height: to 3 ft
- Propagated from seed
- Full sun
- Well-drained soil

Echinocactus platyacanthus

- Raffle plant
- Origin: Mexico (NE and Central)
- Min temp: tolerates mild frost for short periods
- Grows slowly, usually solitary
- Largest of all barrel cacti
 - Diameter: to 5 ft
 - Height: to 8 ft
- Full sun
- Propagated from seed
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Use highly porous, well-drained soil



Astrophytum ornatum



- Raffle plant
- Origin: Mexico (Hidalgo, Queretaro, Guanajuato)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Forms solitary short column
 - Diameter: to 1 ft
 - Height: to 3 ft
- Full sun
- Propagated from seed
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Use highly porous, well-drained soil

Mammillaria mystax hybrid

- Raffle plant
- Origin: Mexico (Hidalgo, Oaxaca, Puebla)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Solitary
 - Height: to 6 in
 - Diameter: to 4 in
- Propagated from seed
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Use well-drained soil



DOOR PRIZES

Pick up ticket as you enter
Must have your name tag

Gymnocalycium spegazzinii



- Door prize
- Origin: Argentina
- Min temp: to 25 deg F
- Solitary barrel cactus
 - Stem diameter to 7 in
 - Height: to 4 in
- Propagated from seed
- Partial Shade/dappled sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Mammillaria mystax hybrid

- Door prize
- Origin: Mexico (Hidalgo, Oaxaca, Puebla)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Solitary
 - Height: to 6 in
 - Diameter: to 4 in
- Propagated from seed
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Use well-drained soil



Agave victoria-reginae

- Door Prize
- Origin: Mexico (Coahuila, Nuevo Leon)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Grows slowly as dense rosette
 - Height: to 10 in
 - Diameter: to 18 in
- Propagated from seed
- Full / filtered sun
- Water when dry in warm weather
- Use well-drained soil mix



Mammillaria compressa



- Door prize
- Origin: Mexico (central)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Forms massive clumps 3 ft wide
 - Head height: to 4 in
 - Head diameter: to 4 in
- Propagated from seed, offsets
- Full sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Notocactus (Wigginsia) leprosorum



- Door prize
- Origin: Brazil (Rio Grande do Sul)
- Min temp: to 14 deg
- Usually solitary
 - Diameter: to 6 in
 - Height: to 5 in
- Propagated from seed
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Echinocereus pentaloophus

- Door prize
- Origin: Northeastern, Mexico into Texas
- Min temp: 20 deg F
- Forms small clumps
 - Width: up to 3 feet
 - Height: up to 8 inches
- Propagated from seeds and cuttings
- Full / filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil



Thelocactus macdowellii

- Door prize
- Origin: Mexico (Coahuila, Nuevo Leon)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Usually solitary, may cluster in time
 - Stem diameter: to 4 in
 - Stem height: to 4 in
- Propagated from seed, offsets
- Full sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil



FREE PLANTS

Rules:

One plant per person

Pick up outside after meeting ends

Mammillaria elongata



- Free plant
- Origin: Mexico (Guerrero, Morelos)
- Min temp: give protection in colder areas
- Aka 'Ladyfinger cactus'
- Forms densely packed clusters
 - Stem diameter: to 1 in
 - Stem height: to 6 in
- Propagated from seed, cuttings
- Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Pachypodium saundersii



- Free plant
- Origin: South Africa
- Min temp: to 25 deg F
- Summer grower
- Forms low branching caudex
 - Diameter: to 18 in
 - Height: to 4 ft
- Propagated from seed
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Euphorbia anoplia

- Free plant
- Origin: South Africa
- Min temp: Protect from frost
- Forms clump of stems
 - Height: to 12 in
 - Clump diameter: to 12 in
- Propagated from seed, offsets
- Water when dry during warm season
- Filtered sun
- Use well-drained soil



Lophocereus schottii monstrose



- Raffle Plant
- Origin: Mexico (Sonora, Baja California)
- Min temp: to 14 deg G
- Aka 'Totem Pole'
- Grows as tall, irregularly shaped pole
 - Diameter: to 6 in
 - Height: to 10 ft
- Propagated from cuttings
- Full / filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Echinopsis subdenudata

- Free plant
- Origin: Bolivia, Paraguay
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Forms clusters
 - Stem diameter: to 3 in
 - Stem height: to 3 in
- Propagated from seed, offsets
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil



Euphorbia milii v decaryi

- Raffle
- Origin: Madagascar
- Min temp: protect from frost
- Smallest variety of milii
- Forms dwarf shrub
 - Height: to 1 ft
 - Diameter: to 1 ft
- Propagated from cuttings
- Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Use well-drained soil



Euphorbia decaryi var spirosticha

- Free plant
- Origin: Madagascar
- Min temp: to 25 deg F
- Forms dense mat of tangled stems
 - Diameter per stem: to ½ in
 - Height: to 12 in
- Planted in pumice, lava grit, and a little leaf mold
- Propagated from cuttings
- Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil



Mammillaria geminispina



- Free plant
- Origin: Mexico (Hidalgo, Queretaro, San Luis Potosi)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Forms large clusters
 - Stem diameter to 3 in
 - Height: to 15 in
- Propagated from seed, offsets
- Full sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

Mammillaria mystax

- Free plant
- Origin: Mexico (Hidalgo, Oaxaca, Puebla)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Solitary
 - Height: to 6 in
 - Diameter: to 4 in
- Propagated from seed
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Use well-drained soil



Mammillaria duwei

- Free plant
- Origin: Mexico (Guanajuato)
- Min temp: hardy to 14 deg F
- Forms clusters
 - Stem height: to 3 in
 - Stem diameter: to 3 in
- Propagated by seed, cuttings
- Full / Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil



Gymnocalycium horstii

- Free plant
- Origin: Uruguay, Paraguay, Brazil, Argentina
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Usually solitary
 - Stem diameter: to 8 in
 - Stem height: to 6 in
- Propagated from seed
- Filtered sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil



Thelocactus macdowellii

- Free plant
- Origin: Mexico (Coahuila, Nuevo Leon)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Usually solitary, may cluster in time
 - Stem diameter: to 4 in
 - Stem height: to 4 in
- Propagated from seed, offsets
- Full sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil



Thelocactus bicolor

- Free plant
- Origin: Texas, Mexico (San Luis Potosi)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Usually solitary
 - Stem diameter: to 4 in
 - Height: to 8 in
- Propagated from seed
- Full sun
- Well-drained soil



Ferocactus rectispinus hybrid



- Free plant
- Origin: Mexico (Baja California)
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- Usually solitary
 - Stem diameter: to 24 in
 - Height: to 3 ft
- Propagated from seed
- Full sun
- Well-drained soil

Ferrocactus pilosus



- Free plant
- Origin: North central Mexico
- Min temp: to 14 deg F
- May form massive groups with offsets growing from main plant
 - Plant height: to 6 ft
 - Stem diameter: to 14 in
- Propagated from seed
- Full sun
- Water when dry during warm weather
- Well-drained soil

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