



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY



THE TREES OF THE CHAVEZ RAVINE ARBORETUM: PART 2 GUIDED TOUR AND PICNIC

Sunday, October 9, 2011

10AM TOUR then 12PM PICNIC

Join our own experts **Don Hodel and Bart O'Brien** on a guided tour of the **Chavez Ravine Arboretum in Elysian Park** (near Dodger Stadium). It is the first and oldest arboretum in Southern California and was founded in 1893 by the Los Angeles Horticultural Society. Planting of rare trees in the Arboretum continued through the 1920s. Most of the Arboretum's original trees are still standing in their regal grandeur. Many of the trees are the oldest and largest of their kind in California and even the United States. Rich in history and displayed for your pleasure and education, these splendid, handsome trees are but an introduction to the more than 100 varieties from around the world that can be grown in our mild Southern California climate. The Chavez Ravine Arboretum was declared a Historic Cultural Monument in 1967.

Directions and parking: Elysian Park Drive is off Academy Road near Dodger Stadium. Park near the Grace E. Simons Lodge at 1025 Elysian Park Dr. LA 90012. Signs will lead to Grace E. Simons Lodge.

We will picnic on the grounds at 12PM. Bring something to eat and possibly something to share (desserts are always appreciated!) We will provide sodas, water and utensils.

To secure your reservation, please complete and send in the form below, along with your check. If you have any questions, contact Joel Lichtenwalter at: joel@growoutdoordesign.com or by phone (310) 908-5036.

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PLEASE RESPOND NO LATER FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7.

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_____ Total Tickets \$_____ Total Enclosed

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