

1962 – 2011

Palomar Cactus and Succulent Garden

was designed and planted by the founding members of the
Palomar Cactus & Succulent Society:

Mitch Beauchamp, Al Chamberlain, Allis De Rege, Gilbert Garcia, Mildred Gregory, Alfred Hansen, Mrs. Augusta Hansen, Charles F. Harbison, Helen Hegyi, Orié Imes, Dorothy Miller, Elmer Peterson, and Fred Servatius.

Their efforts will be forever appreciated.

The Garden was funded, maintained and expanded for 49 years under the supervision of dedicated PCSS members who served as managers and organized member volunteer workdays. Among those managers we thank: Art Holden, Katie Macdonald, Al Resnick, Betty Wollrich and Garden Manager Richard Henderson who has dedicated 15 years of service to the garden since 1997.

The thousands of specimens contained within the garden were donated by the Palomar Cactus & Succulent Society in 2011. We hope that the garden will continue to expand and flourish for students, staff, faculty and the public to enjoy for many years to come.

Presented this day April 10, 2012

Robert P. Deegan
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