COMMUNITY GARDEN 5K PROJECT Greta Cotraccia

Seating

I am excited to share that this semester
I have had the pleasure of making the UA Community Garden a more
welcoming and inviting space for all! We successfully purchased 4 new,
permenant benches for visitors to spend time in when enjoying the garden.
Additionally, we will be installing a hanging bench from the existing ramada!

Ramada

It has also been a great joy working with the Compost Cats maintenance team to prepare the garden for the instalation of a second ramada in the South East corner. This will provide a place to escape the Tucson sun and be introduced to passive education about the garden!

Signage

The garden now features beautiful permenant signage that educates the community about compost, pollinators, and garden rules. We hope to spread the importance of these urban green spaces to anyone who wanders into the garden to enjoy its beauty.

Community Educationg and Participation

It is important to involve community in the community garden as much as possible! Beyond scheduled programming it is important to create a safe and welcoming space for people to build community and connect to the environment. The hope is that we have built a space that others can take advantage of and use to its full potential.