Virtual Crossword

Visit the site above to explore the Historical and Natural features of the San Dieguito River Valley. Each of these clues can be found within the different tabs of the story map. Some clues use information found in the description. Explore the different places located on the map to help you figure out clues below.

Across
1. Native California plant that loves dry weather. (9)
6. Location of San Diego Archaeological Center and many wineries: San _____ Valley (7)
7. Very loud croaker: American ____ (8)
11. Red ____ woodpecker (5)
12. Local peak with a variety of microclimates: _____ Mountain (6)
13. Old Escondido farmstead (2 words) (10)
14. Local tribe that left legacy of tools and ceramics over thousands of years (5)

Down
2. Local reptile: Western Banded ____; also a famous insurance spokesman (5)
3. Reptilian bench is located at ____ Viewpoint (11)
4. Battle of San Pasqual took place here (2 words) (8)
5. San Diego Zoo runs this neighbor of the San Diego Archaeological Center (2 words) (10)
7. ____’s horned lizard can shoot blood from its eyes (10)
8. Osprey nest area ____ Fairground (2 words) (6)
9. Toxic invasive plant in San Diego area (2 words) (10)
10. Trail of ceremonial rock art: Piedras ____ (8)
13. Thousands of years of San Diego history can be found here (abbr) (4)