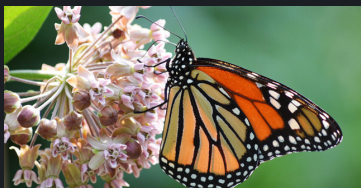


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SCREENING OF FLIGHT OF THE BUTTERFLIES WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 2021 7:00 PM

WEBEX LINK:

[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/MCCBUTTERFLYMOVIE](https://tinyurl.com/mccbutterflymovie)



Produced in 2012, *Flight of the Butterflies* is a Canadian documentary film that takes factual information about the monarch butterfly and re-enacts it in order to answer questions about the insect, including, where it overwinters, and how many generations it takes for the butterfly to reach its destination. The film documents nearly 40 years scientific investigation of the monarch butterfly (*Danaus plexippus*) as it follows one of the longest known insect migrations in the world as the monarchs fly from Central Mexico to the United States and Canada—a journey of 2,500 miles or 4,000 km. The 45 minute film will be accompanied by an introduction regarding the current state of the monarch in the west and will conclude with student remarks regarding projects currently being conducted at MCC that support and promote a monarch population in central Arizona.



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