National Almond Day

Almonds grow on trees and are part of the rose family (along with peaches and apricots). Almonds are picked by a machine that shakes them off the trees. Then, they lay on the ground for 5-10 days when a sweeper comes and picks them up.

Bees are an important part of almond growth. Farmers rent them to pollinate their orchards. Without bees pollinating the flowers, the almonds wouldn't grow.

