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BONSAI CALENDAR

March

03/10 – Club Meeting, 6:30pm, Lion's Field
03/19 – Convention Preparation Meeting,
9:30am Drury Inn
03/23 – Bonsai Workshop, 6:30pm, Lion's
Field
03/26 – L/D at The Garden Center Nursery,
10am-2pm

April

04/14 – Club Meeting, 6:30pm, Lion's Field
04/16 – Convention Preparation Meeting,
9:30am, Location TBD
04/23 – Convention Preparation Meeting,
9:30am, Location TBD
04/27 – Bonsai Workshop, 6:30pm, Lion's
Field
04/27 – Begin setting up at the Drury Plaza
Hotel, 8am
04/28-05/01 – BONSAI CONVENTION



President's Message

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Bonsai-Jay

Hello and Welcome to March.

Hopefully you and your trees have made it this far through the unpredictable central Texas winter. Keep your eyes on the weather for that last cold front that always comes sliding through here during March. February was a busy month with digging opportunities in Bourne and Leaky, TX. We also held a soil mixer at Ryan's house.

This month brings us even closer to our convention. It is my most sincere wish that everyone shows a tree at this year's convention. Volunteers are needed for almost all functions to have a successful convention. Signup sheets will be available at the next SABS meetings. All we are asking for are a minimum of two hours of your time to help. Volunteering will get you into the convention and expose you to another side of the Texas Bonsai experience.

I'm still looking for raffle items. Old pots, magazines, and books are great donation items. Extra plants (bonsai material or not) are welcome too. Each item donated helps bring money into our clubs coffers. Bring your items to any club function or reach out to me and I'll come pick them up.

Vice President/Program Director's Message

We have soil!!!! We have twenty-five 5-gal (approx.) buckets of Club soil for sale at \$25 each, fourteen 5-gal (approx.) buckets of Akadama, Pumice, and Lava (APL) for sale at \$75 each, and nine 1-gal (approx.) bags of shohin sized APL for sale for \$25 each. Please reach out to me if you would like to pick up soil from my residence. I work from home so almost anytime is acceptable. Just call, text, email in advance. I kindly ask no requests to bring buckets to meetings as I have encountered many times members not showing up and thus, I must lug multiple buckets back home.

The Leaky, TX dig was a huge success. Between the 9 attendees we probably dug up 20-25 trees consisting of Ashe junipers, Elms, Bur Oaks, Persimmons, Live Oaks, and others. See the photos below of our adventure. A special thank you to Laird F. for allowing this great event and feeding us chili.

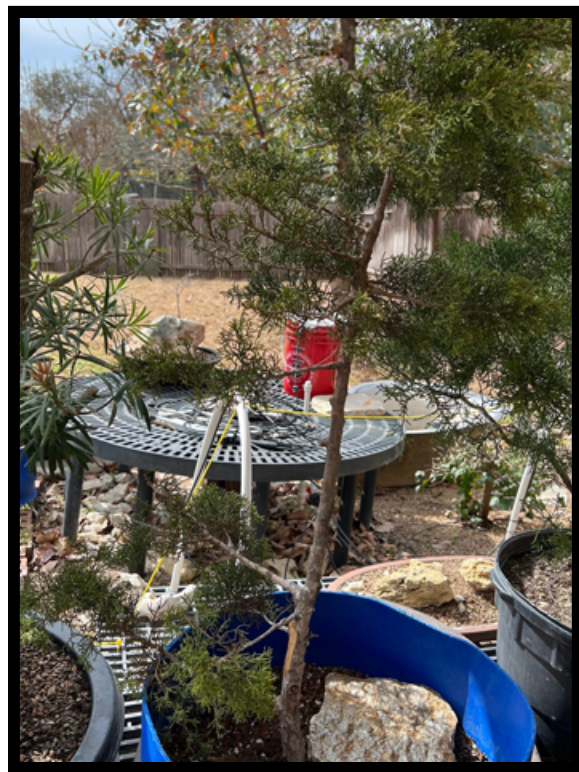
Don't forget to register for the 2022 Bonsai Convention at:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/o/san-antonio-bonsai-society-and-lone-star-bonsai-federation-27761752397>

SABS has extended the early registration rate of only \$150.00 until March 31st.



OK, HERE AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES
ARE PICTURES FROM THE DIG IN LEAKEY, TX



HEY! LIKE THAT TREE COMING
OUT OF THE ROCK?

TALK TO RYAN



THE WILDS OF
TEXAS
HILL COUNTRY.
OUR
TRIP TO
LEAKEY, TX



CURRENT MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR
THE SAN ANTONIO BONSAI SOCIETY

\$30 individual

\$50 family \$25 senior 60+

\$40 senior family



The informal upright style (Moyogi) is considered the most popular shape in all bonsai, especially suited to our native Ashe Juniper.

Our logo, represented by this informal style stands for the informal nature of the San Antonio Bonsai Society, Inc. This popular, interesting style depicts the objectives of the Society—promoting participation and enjoyment of Bonsai.

The emblem was adopted as the official logo

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