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BONSAI CALENDAR

November

11/10 - *No Meeting in lieu of meeting on 11/17*

11/12 - Bonsai Exhibit at SA Botanical Gardens, 9am Set-up at 7am

11/17 - Club Meeting, L/D with Andrew Robson, 6:30pm, at Donna's Studio

11/23 - *No Bonsai Workshop due to holiday*

December

12/08 - Club Meeting, Holiday Party, 6:30pm, Lion's Field

11/28 - *No Bonsai Workshop due to holidays*



President's Message

Jay N. bonsai-jay@satx.rr.com

Welcome to November. Winter is on its way and preparations to protect your plants should be underway if not already completed. Tropical and sub-tropical plants will be needing protection from near freezing and freezing temperatures. Be ready.

This month our usual meeting date has been moved to the third Thursday, the 17th. The meeting location will also be moved to Donna D.'s studio. This will allow for a lecture/demonstration with Andrew Robson while he is in town. Andrew is a regular visitor to our club and is the owner of RAKUYO Bonsai in Portland, Oregon.

During this meeting we will be voting for five new members to join the Board of Directors for next year.

Bonsai-Jay

Vice President/Program Director's Message

Ryan O. bonsaiode@gmail.com

ADJUST YOUR CALENDARS. NO MEETING ON THURSDAY NOVEMBER 10TH AS THE MEETING IS ON THURSDAY NOVEMBER 17TH!!!! NOVEMBER 17TH'S MEETING IS AT DONNA'S STUDIO AT Sculptural Designs Atelier 927 N. Alamo Street, SATX 78215

Pedro Morales

For those that missed the great BYOTs and L/D by Pedro here is a photo of the Campeche/Logwood he styled. Not sure who won the tree, but the guy in the blue shirt sure looks happy he won. Hahahaha!!!



Art Under the Oaks Exhibit

Debbie, Kevin, Hattie, and I had a wonderful time at The Garden Center Nursery's Art Under the Oaks Festival. As always, we each answered many questions from those interested in our trees and the art form. The father/son owners of the nursery each complimented us on the wonderful and outstanding display we had. Part of this outstanding display is due to Hattie's abundance of Halloween decorations to make all the trees festive. Thanks Hattie!!!



November Bonsai Exhibits

A few members were at the Japan America Society of San Antonio's (JASSA) annual festival entitled Akimatsuir at the Raymond Russell Park on 11/5.

On 11/12 we will have a one-day exhibit of bonsai trees at the SA Botanical Gardens. Any members wanting to showcase a tree or two, assist with questions or the sales table, and/or perform a mini demonstration, please use the following link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4BA8AF2CA1FF2-bonsai>. We are just under only 40 trees to be displayed. Please sign up to bring extra trees!!!!

Fall Repotting

For those thinking about repotting Junipers or Pines in the fall, SABS has buckets of soil available. Standard Club Mix at \$25 for approx. 5-Gal and APL mix at \$75 for approx. 4-Gal. Please email me at bonsaiode@gmail.com if you need any.

Holiday Party

December's Holiday Party will be at the Lion's Field. SABS will host the main course while side dishes, salads, snacks, beverages, and desserts to be furnished by volunteers. Please email me, Ryan, (bonsaiode@gmail.com) with your RSVP and what type of dish/beverage/offering you can provide. I'll keep track of the dishes/beverages so we don't have duplicates.

We will also have a White Elephant Gift Exchange. Please limit your gift to \$15.00-\$30.00. Participation in the White Elephant is not required to attend the Holiday Party. The White Elephant will follow our dinner and the same rules as in previous Holiday Parties where the gift may be "traded" up to 3 times before it is "safe" with its current owner. I'll will keep track of the exchanges.

We will also have a holiday bonsai tree decorating contest. We will have prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Each attendee will vote for their favorite.





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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