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JULY NEWSLETTER

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**SCHEDULED MEETING
WILL BE**

9:00 A.M.

SAT. July 10th, 2010

City of Sunrise Parks & Leisure Dept
6800 Sunset Strip, Sunrise, FL
954-572-2287

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We get back into our normal meeting schedule with our July meeting. Last month, we were honored to have Lindsey Shiba as our guest speaker, but it was on an off date from our regular schedule. Thank you to all who attended ! Lindsey did a wonderful job on the demo tree we provided, and many raffle tickets were purchased in anticipation of winning a great addition to someone's collection. Jorge Mailhe beamed as he collected another great tree for his growing collection. It's wonderful to see the passion in those who have gotten " The Bonsai Fever", and Jorge certainly has it ! Thank you Lindsey for a great demo, and all of the tips you gave us during your demo.

We have a treat this month with Dick Miller giving us a program. Dick has been instrumental in reviving the bonsai collection at The Morikami Museum in Delray Beach, and also is the publisher of a great Tropical Bonsai quarterly

President's Message Continued:

magazine. This promises to be a wonderful meeting, so don't miss it.

The weather is very hot now, and in spite of the unpredictable rain storms, we must be careful that our trees are getting enough water. Remember, trees that wilt, even for a few minutes, are damaged, and are not conducive to bonsai development. Now is when trees need a good watering and fertilizing schedule in order to maximize their growth and development this time of year.

See you at the meeting.

Ed

JULY PROGRAM:

BY: BEN LISS

This month we have Dick Miller doing a program for us. Dick will discuss and present a Power Point presentation on "Collection Management". Not public collections but rather our very own private collections. Dick will discuss tree's we collect from the raffle table to the vendors table. We often talk about an individual tree or species, this discussion will be on our entire collections, how we think about our collections and how we make our next acquisition or should I say acquisitions. As always please bring a tree for our display table.

CLUB INFORMATION:

Be Sure to bring something to share for the raffle table

Be Sure to bring a tree to display

BOOK INFORMATION

**BONSAI CLUB'S INTER'N.
INSTRUCTOR BOOK IS NOW
AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE**

News From Bonsai Society of the Palm Beaches

It's that time of year again for the Bonsai Society of the Palm Beaches to hold another great auction of bonsai trees, pots and accessories. The date to mark on your calendars is July 6th. Doors open at 5:00 pm for sellers to set up and fill out their forms. Preview is at 6:30 and the auction starts at 7:00.

Materials for the live auction will have a \$10 minimum bid but items of any price can be sold on the silent auction tables. Sellers will be limited to 10 items for the live auction while silent auction items will be limited only to available space. Sellers will be issued an identifying letter to place on their auction lists and buyers will register and receive a number at the door. The auction is open to the public and we welcome everyone to come and purchase that something special. Any member of any bonsai club is welcome to sell. The club will receive 15% of the selling price for both live and silent auction items.

Please contact me if you would like seller forms to fill out prior to the event date.

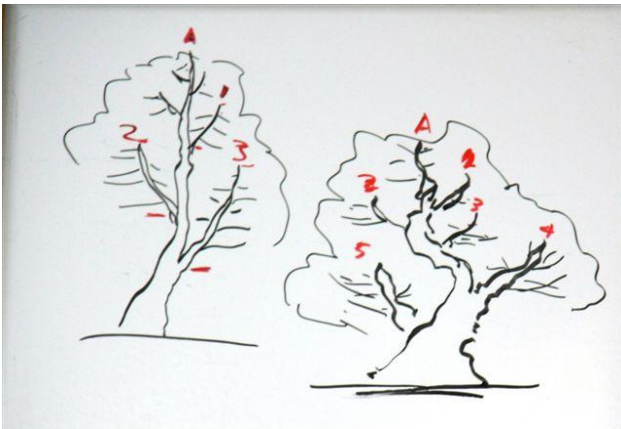
These auctions are always a lot of fun and there are always great bargains to be had. I hope to see you there.

Maggie Kline
Bonsai Society of the Palm Beaches
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PHOTOS OF LAST MONTHS PROGRAM

By:Larry Duke and Bob Yarling







AREA BONSAI EVENTS AND MEETINGS

Tuesday – July 6th – 7:30 PM

Bonsai Society of Miami

Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden,
Old Cutler Road, Coral Gables
www.bonsaisocietyofmiami.org

Saturday – July 17th 9:00 AM

Bonsai Society of Southwest Florida

SPALC Building,
6281 Metro Plantation Road (Off Metro Parkway between
Daniels Parkway and Colonial Boulevard),
Ft. Meyers, Florida
Contact Dorothy Schmitz 239-947-3552
www.thebonsaiswfl.com

Saturday – July 10th – 11:30 AM

Broward Bonsai Society,

Flamingo Gardens, 3750 South Flamingo Road, Davie
Classroom in rear.
www.browardbonsai.com

Saturday – July 10th – 9:00 AM

Gold Coast Bonsai Society

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6800 Sunset Strip, Sunrise, FL
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Saturday – July 24th, – 9:30 AM

Lighthouse Bonsai Society

Boca Raton Community Center, 150 N.W. Crawford
Boulevard, Boca Raton
www.lighthousebonsai.com

Tuesday – July 6st, – 7:00 PM

Society of the Palm Beaches

Mount's Botanical Garden Auditorium
West Palm Beach, Florida
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