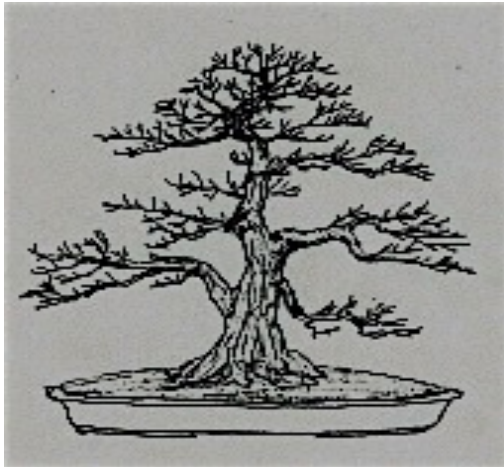


NEWSLETTER



Baikoen Bonsai Kenkyukai

Bus trip to San Diego is scheduled
for April 27, 2013

Please see newsletter for details.

There will be no
regular meeting in April.

our next meeting is May 23, 2013, at the

bamboo room
LA Arboretum
301 Baldwin Ave, Arcadia CA

Please bring something for
the raffle.

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San Diego Bonsai Club Spring Show, April 27, 2013

A bus trip to the San Diego Club Spring Show is planned for April 27, 2013. Sign-ups are taken now.

The trip is free to members. Please call Lindsay to reserve a spot on the bus. Reservations are mandatory.

The cost for non-members is \$30. If your membership has not been renewed by the time this newsletter goes out you will also pay \$30.

The bus will leave the Arboretum at 1:00 p.m. and may stop in Anaheim to pick up more members, if necessary. It will leave San Diego for home at 8:30 p.m.

Parking is at the South over flow parking lot. Just below the main parking lot.

For more information please contact Lindsay Shiba at (909) 473-0099 or ljshiba@juno.com

Please bring a dessert for the dinner reception.

Just a reminder There will be no April meeting. The bus trip will replace the meeting.

Alex Marien contributed this article on Mario Stemberger's workshop. And pictures too.

Thank you, Alex!

Last month's workshop with Mauro Stemberger was well attended. He showed us a variety of different techniques that proved to be very interesting.

Mauro, then went to work on a California Juniper that Lindsay brought in.

First, he cleaned up the tree by removing all the various small branches until only the major branches were left.

Then, he cleaned the trunks by brushing away some of the loose bark.

After all that was done he meticulously started wiring all the branches.

Mauro, then started bending the branches and positioned them in the proper location to create an even flow.

The finished tree looked amazing and was auctioned off.

The lucky bidder was our Club's President, Ken Teh. Congratulations, Ken!

See the pictures below of the tree. Before and after.





Thank you luncheon, Sunday, April 21, 2013 at 1:30 p.m.

We will have a thank you luncheon for all the volunteers who have worked so hard on our Winter Silhouette show in January.

MPV BBQ Seafood Restaurant .

545 W Valley Blvd., San Gabriel CA 91776,

(626) 282 6892.

NW Corner of New Ave and Valley Blvd. The parking lot is a little small and Ken suggests that we carpool, if possible. The luncheon is free for the volunteers. Friends and company is \$10 a person.

Please RSVP Ken Teh by april 19, 2013 at (626) 821- 9037 . hanyuls@yahoo.com

Harlan Jeché.

Harlan, Elaine's husband, has been battling chronic leukemia for a long time and we are sorry to report that the leukemia now has turned into acute leukemia. He went through chemo and it looked good for a while but the latest report showed that Harlan's white blood cell count returned to its previous high.

Please keep Harlan in your thoughts and prayers and Elaine and the rest of the family too.

Here is the information, should you want to send a card or phone or visit, (please call before you visit)

Harlan and Elaine Jeché

453 1/2 Rall Ave

La Puente CA 91748

(626)330-3170

Cookie/snack sign-up sheet for May 23 meeting.

Veronica Raymond, Martha Smith, Walter and Octavia Chin, Alex and Hedy Marien.

Thank you for signing up!

Santa Anita Bonsai Society Memorial Day weekend show. May 25, 26 and 27, 2013.

Besides the exhibit, there will be a plant sale and daily demonstrations.

Please note! There will be no reception on Saturday evening.

The Bonsai show will be held at the Los Angeles Arboretum. 301 N Baldwin Ave., Arcadia, CA 91007

(626) 821-3222 <http://www.arboretum.org/>

Orange Empire Bonsai Society. 24th Annual spring Garden Show. April 25 – 28, 2013

South Coast Plaza, 3333 Bear St. Costa Mesa CA. There will be a display of trees in traditional Japanese style.

Frank Goya will conduct a Saikei demonstration. Free admission and parking. For more information

www.springgardenshow.com, David Nadzam (714)345-6966 or dnadzam@socal.rr.com

Dai Ichi Bonsai Kai: Annual Exhibit "Serenity Through Bonsai" May 4-5, 2013.

at the Ken Nakaoka Community Center, 1670 W. 162nd St. Garden Grove CA. Hours are 10 AM – 4 PM, both days.

Novice to master bonsai exhibits. Beginner's hands-on workshop at 10:30 AM Saturday, at 1 PM a round-

robin demonstration featuring Peter Macasieb and Michael Sykes, and Sunday at 1 PM a saikei

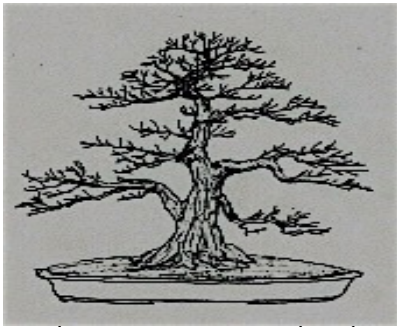
demonstration by Frank Goya will be held. The demonstration items will be in the benefit drawing, which

follows each demonstration. For more details about our club and show visit our website <http://>

daiichibonsaikai.wordpress.com

2013 Program/Demonstrator List

January 24	Mary Morrissey - Into to Bonsai
February 28	Elaine Grazyk - Demo. Banyan tree
March 28	Mauro Stemberger - Demo
April 27	Bus trip to San Diego instead of meeting.
May 23	TBA
June 27	TBA
July 25	TBA
August	No meeting
September 26	TBA
October 24	TBA
November	TBA
December	TBA



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