NEWSLETTER



Baikoen Bonsai Kenkyukai

Our next meeting will be on

June 25, 2015 7:00 p.m.

> Mel Ikeda Demo

LA Arboretum 301 Baldwin Ave, Arcadía CA.

Please bring something for the raffle.

Officers

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May Cub meeting with Ted Matson







No one at the plant sale wanted it so Ted Matson bought it because he saw something special in the plant. He turned it into a cascade at our May club meeting.

It's not done yet. Ted has more work to do.

His advice to us was to take a good, long, hard look at a plant before you dismiss it and walk on. You might end up seeing something there that will turn into a masterpiece someday.

We have a new Newsletter Editor.

Shirley Quan has graciously offered to take over as the newsletter editor for Baikoen bonsai Kenkyukai. Welcome Shirley and thank you so much for taking over the newsletter. She will start in July. We are looking forward to a new newsletter.

I would like to thank the board and all the members for the patience and support you have shown me over the years. And Mary, I couldn't have done it without you. Thank you!

We also still need someone to take over the job of Treasurer so if anyone is interested please let Ken Teh know at (626) 822 - 0077 or email him at www.kteh@garvey.k12.ca.us

Mt Fují is celebrating it's 50th anniversary. on June 27, 2015. Please help Lindsay celebrate this very special day by coming to the celebration. Celebration is from 10 to 4:00.

1555 W. Foothill Blvd, Upland CA. (909) 985–2219

Regular nursery Hours 8 - 5.

Cookie/Snack sign up sheet for June 25, 2015.

Alex Marien, Octavia and Walter Chin, Lindsay Shiba. Thank you for signing up!

Dates to remember.

San Francisco Suiseki Kai: 34th annual Suiseki Exhibit. August 1-2, 2015.

1675 Post Street, San Francisco Ca

Union Bank Community Room, Japan Center,

Hours are 10 AM - 5 PM both days.

Japan Town is also celebrating the 42nd annual Nihonmachi Street Fair.

For more information about San Francisco Suiseki Kai please go to their website at www.sfsuisekikai@gmail.com or www sfsuisekikai.wordpress.com

Kofu Bonsaí Kaí: 2015 Bonsaí Fest at the Bowers Museum "The Bonsaí Tradition: Cultural Arts of Japan" September 23-27, 2015

Bowers Museum, John M. Lee Court, 2002 N. Main St.,

Hours 10 a.m. -4p.m. DailyPlease visit the Bowers Museum website for the complete schedule. www.kofukai.org (714)567-3695 or email Michael Walsh at michaeljwalsh@outlook.com

Golden State Bonsaí Federation (GSBF) presents 2015 Convention 38 "Bonsaí Fusion: Where Tradition Meets Innovation" October 29 - November 1, 2015 Riverside Convention Center 3637 Fifth Street, Riverside CA.

Headliners Bjorn Bjorhol and John Wang Guest artists: David Nguy and Tak Shimazu.

There will be demonstrations, seminars, critiques, workshops, drawings vendors and much more. Please go to the GSBF web site at www.gsbf2015.com for more information.

2015 Program/Demonstrator List

January 22 Club workshop/ Elect club officers

February 26 Peter Macaseib - Demo

March 26 David Nguy-Demo

April 23 Bob Pressler- Demo

May 28 Ted Matson - Demo

June 25 Mel Ikeda - Demo

July 23 Travis Goldstein - Demo

August No meeting

September 24 Takashi Shimazu - TBA

October 22 Al Nelson - demo

November 26 Kathy Benson - Demo

December TBA Christmas Party