

# President's Message

Hello Gold Coast Bonsai!

Last month as usual was a great bring your own tree workshop with local sensei Vlad. He is an excellent teacher and was able to help the members trees on their journey. Thank you Vlad! We appreciate you.

Our Annual Auction is finally here. With it our annual Bonsai auction for 2022. There will be some very high quality items, as well as entry level items, and everything in between. Bonsai fun for all ages and skill levels.

We'll have three special raffle items: **two Sara Rayner pots** and a **Roshi Stainless Steel five-piece bonsai tool set**. Tickets are \$5 ea. or 5 for \$20. A bucket will be with each item marked clearly & you can use a ticket for each or all items desired.

#### **Auction Schedule**

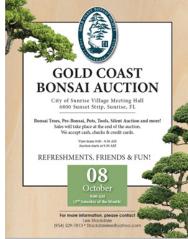
8 to 9 am:	Vendor Set Up
9 to 9:30 am:	Auction Preview
9:30 to 1 pm:	Live Auction
12:15 pm:	Silent Auction Ends
1 to 2 pm:	Check out (pay and pick up items)

Vendors need to submit their completed sell sheet to Marlena by **Sept. 30**. Please take a picture of your completed list and text it to Marlena at 954-260-2392 or email it to her at marlypariseau@gmail.com.

# September 2022 Newsletter

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**Next Meeting:** Sept. 10 City of Sunrise Community Center 6800 Sunset Strip Sunrise, FL 954-572-2287



## The GCBS Annual Auction is here!

#### **Auction Reminders**

For GCBS who are not vendors, we need your help. Please read the list carefully and help with the following:

- **Bring a snack** to share with the group, something small for 10 to 12 people.
- Volunteer. We still need people to help with the auction, and fill in critical roles. We still need people to help with the auction and fill in critical roles. Please contact Marlena at <u>marlypariseau@gmail.com</u> or Lee at <u>stockdalelee@yahoo.com</u> if you can volunteer.
- **Bring a folding table** if you have one. Mark your initials on it with a marker or tape.
- We still need high-quality items for the silent auction. Bonsai, suiseki, or garden-related is preferred but not required!
- If you bring a cart, mark it with paint or a marker so it doesn't get misplaced or go home with a different owner.
- Spread the word! Bring a friend and join in the auction fun! We have more payment options this year, with check, credit, and debit cards accepted.

If you have any questions, please contact Marlena at <u>marlypariseau@gmail.com</u> or Lee at <u>stockdalelee@yahoo.com</u>.

### Lee

Lee Stockdale, President

#### Membership Dues:

**Primary Club:** Single \$30 (Household \$35) **Secondary dues** (if your BSF dues are paid through another club; please identify your primary club) Single \$21 (Household \$26)

Checks should be made out to: **Gold Coast Bonsai Society**. Dues will also be collected at all club meetings.

Gold Coast Is On Facebook!

Log on to facebook.com and search for *Gold Coast Bonsai Society*. Thanks to Jesus Brito for our Facebook presence.

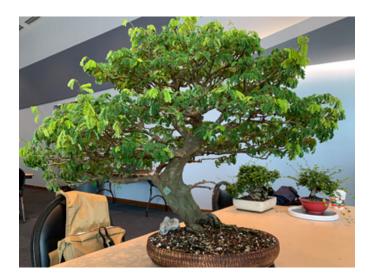


# **2022 Program Schedule**

January: Ficus Demo by Ed Trout & Betty Siskind February: Mike Sullivan BYOT Workshop March: David Cutchin Water Jasmin Demo April: Forest Planting for BSF Convention Voting May: Toby Diaz Workshop June: Jesus Brito Grafting Discussion July: Charlie Michelson BYOT Workshop August: Jeanne Cosenza Kusamono Workshop September: Vlad Foursa BYOT Workshop October: Annual Auction November: Mike Sullivan Forest Demo December: Holiday Party

### **September Photos**

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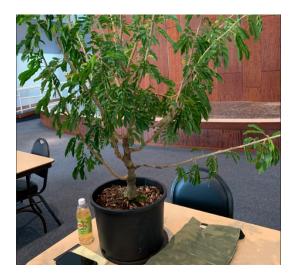














# <u>Area Bonsai Events</u> <u>And Meetings\*</u>

\* Please verify dates and times as changes may occur

Tuesday, Oct. 4 – 7:00 pm (First Tuesday of Month) Bonsai Society of the Palm Beaches Mount's Botanical Garden Auditorium West Palm Beach, Florida www.bonsai-bsf.com/clubs/sites/bspb

Tuesday, Oct. 11 – 7:00 pm (Second Tuesday of Month) Bonsai Society of Miami Pinecrest Gardens 11000 Red Rd, Pinecrest, FL 33156 www.bonsaisocietyofmiami.org

Saturday, Oct. 8 – 9 am (Second Saturday of Month) Gold Coast Bonsai Society

City of Sunrise Parks & Leisure Dept. 6800 Sunset Strip Sunrise, FL http://www.goldcoastbonsai.com/

### **Broward Bonsai Society**

Visit Their Website for Information Regarding Classes and Visiting Artists Flamingo Gardens, 3750 South Flamingo Road, Davie Classroom in rear. www.browardbonsai.com

Saturday, Oct. 15 – 9 am (Third Saturday of Month)

### **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.thebonsaisswfl.com Saturday, Oct. 22– 9:00 am (Fourth Saturday of Month) Lighthouse Bonsai Society Boca Raton Community Center, 150 N.W. Crawford Boulevard, Boca Raton www.lighthousebonsai.org

# **Private Sessions**

 Mike Sullivan
 954-432-1418

 Ed Trout & Betty Siskind
 954-432-8208

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## **Bonsai Links**

Bonsai Societies of Florida <u>www.bonsai-bsf.com</u> Bonsai Clubs International <u>www.bonsai-bci.com</u> The American Bonsai Society <u>www.absbonsai.org</u> The National Bonsai Foundation <u>www.bonsai-nbf.org</u>