

## NBS Links

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## Upcoming Events

### *Club Tree Work*

7/6/19, 10am-2pm  
@ John Cole's

### *July Meeting*

7/9/19, 6:30pm-9pm  
@ Cheekwood

### *Annual Show*

7/13-14/19, 10am-4pm  
@ Cheekwood

### *August Meeting*

8/13/19, 6:30pm-9pm  
@ Cheekwood

## Meetings

2nd Tuesday of every month  
@ Cheekwood, Massey Hall

## 2019 Dues

\$30 per member  
or  
\$40 per family

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Hello to all the Members and Guests of the Nashville Bonsai Society!

### *June Recap*

June started off with a BYOT workshop led by Owen Reich. Club members brought a variety of trees in various stages of growth to the workshop, from collected Yamadori to show ready material. Members of the workshop received individual instruction and had lots of questions answered.



Most of the material brought to the workshop by club members was deciduous. It was a beautiful day and we thank John Cole for opening up the Garden Stop to the club for the workshop. It made for a great learning atmosphere.



Owen even wired and styled a tree or two for Club members to maintain until the NBS club show in July!

### *June Meeting*

After the workshop, the NBS club meeting was held in its usual spot in Massey Hall, but on an unusual day, the first Tuesday instead of second. The meeting kicked off with Eileen giving attendees a rundown on how to best get ready for the NBS Club show in July. Show principals were discussed as she put together a Bonsai display piece by piece, finishing with a complete showing of tree, stand, and accent in an ideal setup.



Next, Zach gave a comprehensive speech on the basics of care and design for Crepe Myrtle Bonsai. Zach showed off some impressive multi-trunk specimens. Afterward, he answered questions about the species and spoke with members who had brought in their own Crepe Myrtles. As usual, our local vendors were set up with some great trees in all stages of development.



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### *June – Multi Flush Pine Workshop*

Eileen Knox hosted a multi-flush pine workshop at her home. Participants learned about care for multi flush pines such as Japanese Black and Red Pine. Everyone had a great time, so much so that nobody remembered to take pictures!

### *July – Club Tree Work*

Our July mentorship event will consist of community tree work at John Cole’s home on Saturday, July 6<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm. This event is open to paying club members. If you do not already have John’s address you can get it from him by writing to john.cole3829@comcast.com for directions. Community tree work is a great event where you can get help and feedback from your fellow club members on whatever you are working on. Its also a great time to get to know other members, relax, and talk trees. We hope to see everyone there!

### *July – Care Calendar*

<p>Hottest month</p> <p>Avg. Low 70° Avg. High 89° Record Low 51° Record High 107°</p>	<p>Tree Talk:</p> <p>Toward the end of July is our hottest time of year. Trees will move into summer dormancy by mid-month. Water uptake will slow and fertilizer will no longer decompose as quickly. Foliage has finished elongating (except ponderosa pines) and should have formed its cuticle. Bugs are very active.</p>	<p>How to Respond:</p> <p>Stop fertilizing until after the worst of the summer heat passes. Put the scissors down. The trees need their foliage to stay hydrated and cool. 85% of all water uptake is used for air conditioning. This is the "water only" time of year. It is best to water early in the day and then check again to see who dried out. Monitor for Pests and Diseases.</p>
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## 2019 Calendar

All events in the “Other Event” and “Mentorship” categories are member’s only events. All monthly meetings are open to the public.

	January	February	March	April	
<b>Monthly Meeting</b>	N/A	Topic: <b>Collecting Trees</b> 2/12/19, 6:30pm-9pm	Topic: <b>Repotting Demo’s</b> 3/5/19, 6:30pm-9pm	Topic: <b>Deciduous Demo w/ Owen R</b> 4/9/2019, 6:30pm-9pm	
<b>Other Event</b>	N/A	<b>Lawn &amp; Garden Expo</b> 2/28/19-3/2/19, 8am-5pm	<b>Lawn &amp; Garden Expo</b> 2/28/19-3/2/19, 8am-5pm	<b>Member Garden Tour</b> 4/27/19, 10am-2pm	
<b>Mentorship</b>	<b>101 Class</b> 1/5/19, 10am-2pm	<b>101 Class</b> 2/2/19, 10am-2pm	<b>101 Class</b> 3/2/19, 10am-2pm	<b>101 Class</b> 4/6/19, 10am-2pm	<b>Pines (SF) Class</b> 4/13/19, 10am-2pm
	May	June	July	August	
<b>Monthly Meeting</b>	Topic: <b>Deciduous Discussion **@ Eisei-en**</b> 5/14/19, 6:30pm-9pm	Topic: <b>Crepe Myrtle Discussion &amp; Show Prep</b> 6/4/19, 6:30pm-9pm	Topic: <b>Bald Cypress Demo w/ John W</b> 7/9/19, 6:30pm-9pm	Topic: <b>Bonsai Pottery</b> 8/13/2019, 6:30pm-9pm	
<b>Other Event</b>	<b>Open House, Turnbull Creek Bonsai</b> 5/4/19, 1pm-5pm	<b>BYOT Workshop w/ Owen R</b> 6/1/19, 8am-12pm	<b>NBS Annual Show</b> 7/13-14/19, 10am-4pm	TBD	
<b>Mentorship</b>	N/A	<b>Pine (MF) Class</b> 6/15/19, 10am-2pm	<b>Tree Work</b> 7/6/19, 10am-2pm	<b>Tree Work</b> 8/3/19, 10am-2pm	
	September	October	November	December	
<b>Monthly Meeting</b>	Topic: <b>Juniper Discussion</b> 9/10/19, 6:30pm-9pm	Topic: <b>Tree Talk, Winter Edition</b> 10/8/19, 6:30pm-9pm	Topic: <b>Conifer Demo w/ Bjorn B</b> 11/12/19, 6:30pm-9pm	N/A	
<b>Other Event</b>	<b>Cheekwood Moon Viewing</b> TBD	<b>Fall Picnic</b> TBD, 2pm-6pm	N/A	N/A	
<b>Mentorship</b>	<b>Tree Work</b> 9/7/19, 10am-2pm	<b>101 Class</b> 10/5/19, 10am-2pm	<b>101 Class</b> 11/2/19, 10am-2pm	N/A	

## Annual Club Show

Our annual show will be on July 13th & 14th. Yes, we will be extending the show to two days this year! We have fill all of our volunteer slots, thanks to everyone who signed up to help! However, we still have a lot of room to show trees. If you have been on the fence about it, we encourage you to contact John Cole and arrange to show a tree! We will also be hosting a novice table in case this is your first show or you have concerns about the quality of your material.

Brussel Martin has graciously accepted our request to be our judge and demonstrator. He will do a short critique and then a demonstration later on Saturday afternoon. The demo material will be auctioned off at the end of the day on Saturday.



We have also purchased an azalea that we will raffle off during the show. Ticket price will be \$5 and went on sale during our June meeting. We will continue offering raffle tickets through our July meeting. This is a great piece of material and it could be yours!

The detailed schedule is below:

### **Friday, 7/12**

4pm-8pm: Room Set Up

### **Saturday, 7/13**

7am-9am: Display Set Up

9am-9:30am: Judging

9:30am-10:30am: Judge Critique

**10am-4pm: Show Open to the public**

1pm-3pm: Demonstration with Auction after

### **Sunday, 7/14**

**10am-4pm: Show Open to the public**

4pm-6pm: Tear Down



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