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# CALENDAR

### September 2011

10th Gold Coast Bonsai Society @ 9:30 am. Center, 6800 Sunset Strip, Sunrise Florida.

13th @ 7:30 pm B.Y.O.T- get your trees ready for the show

Pinecrest Gardens, 11000 S.W. Red Road, Pinecrest Fl.

17th Broward Bonsai Society @ 10:00 am - Flamingo

Gardens, Davie Florida

20th BSM Board Meeting - @ 7:30 pm. Betty's Best Burgers

US 1 & 104th Street ALL MEMBERS WELCOME

### October 2011

8th Gold Coast Bonsai Society @ 9:30 am. Center, 6800 Sunset Strip, Sunrise Florida.

11th @ 7:30 pm ????????????????????????

Pinecrest Gardens, 11000 S.W. Red Road, Pinecrest FI.

15th & 16th BONSAI SOCIETY OF MIAMI SHOW & SALE 24th

ANNUAL EVENT @ PINECREST GARDENS

15th Broward Bonsai Society @ 10:00 am - Flamingo

Gardens, Davie Florida

18th BSM Board Meeting - @ 7:30 pm. Betty's Best Burgers

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#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Bonsai Friends,

This month's general meeting will be a B.Y.O.T. workshop. Take advantage of a great opportunity to prep your show trees. Bring them in if you feel that you may need some help with them. Some of you may feel that your trees may not be good enough, but think again. I've seen in many cases were that's not true. So let's get those trees ready. Our show is only about a month away and it will be here before you know it. Big Bob has mailed out the show packets so if there's anyone of you that didn't get one, contact Big Bob or myself and we will make sure that you get one. There's only so many spaces open for the workshops so make sure you sign up right away. It is open to B.S.M. members first so don't vacillate and miss out. Guy Guidry's B.Y.O.T. is almost sold out and the Yamadori Campeche workshop is a must for those of you who don't own a Campeche. Please send back your information right away especially for the Friday Night Preview Party so we can finalize the food and beverage arrangements.

Last month at our general meeting Hiram, a new upcoming artist and our newsletter editor did a fantastic job on the Brazilian Rain tree demo. It was very informative especially with the handouts that he provided. He gave us a lot of information and thoroughly talked about how they grow and showed us a little trick on burning the jins to make them look older faster. The tree was bought from Jupiter Bonsai and it started out very full and before you knew it, Hiram turned into a great Literati style. Hiram will continue to bring it to the meetings for you to see its progression. Thank you very much Hiram for sharing you knowledge with us and I look forward to future programs by you. Congratulations to Aaron Buchler who won the tree from the raffle table. I am sure it will be a nice addition to his collection.

Please bring something in for the raffle table at this months meeting it helps us offset the cost for future programs and visiting artist. Let's see your trees and other creations on the display table. The Bonsai corner store will be there to take on your business if you have any thing to sell. Hiram will bring some shohin Yamadori Campeches and Escambrones for selling. All at reasonable prices.

See you at the meeting.

Glenn

## HIRAM'S BRAZILIAN

### r aint r ee demo

























#### On the cover

The Dragonfly is our best friend in the bonsai world. They are the fastest insect on the planet and they eat mosquitoes, ants, and even white flies. So next time you see one on your bonsai trees, say thank you and enjoy them. This one loves my dead top Campeche.

### We need volunteers for the show.

Please sign up and help out the club. We are in a new venue and we need as many hands and bodies as possible. There is a great deal of work and setting up to do. This year we will need a lot of people to be tree monitors. That means we need people to watch over an area and make sure the trees are secured inside and out. This year the exhibit will be indoors and some tree outside. Any little time you can offer will be greatly appreciated it. Thank you for your support.

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