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The Bromeliad Society of Broward County

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Everyone,

I would first like to thank all of you who participated and volunteered in the show and sale at Volunteer Park. What a huge success. Although, I could list many names that without you, it would have never run so smoothly. However, I do have to mention JoAnn Heyer the Show Chair. This was her first time putting a show together and did an incredible job. I just want to thank you JoAnn for all you did and the commitment was unprecedented.

The plants were beautiful, it was great to see the first timers enter and win. I hope all of you got out to see them.

All the vendors that participated had a great time with the highest compliment to us, which was they want to do it next year and to keep it a regular thing.

The Plantation Woman's Club was very pleased as well - they said everyone was so nice and loved working with all of you. We will be having a post meeting with them about the show; I will keep you posted on that venture.

This meeting will be the election so be prepared if you have someone from the floor you would like to nominate (just remember you must ask them first and get their permission to do so).

We won't be having a speaker this meeting; we thought we would wind down from the show and have our raffle, some great food and show off any plants that got blue ribbons or Award of Merits.

If you can, please bring in only one of your favorites to show off.

Thanks again to all of you for everything -

See you Monday,
Colleen

BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF BROWARD COUNTY

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Our meetings generally offer a speaker on timely and noteworthy topics, member plant sales, a plant raffle, special holiday plant auctions, diagnosis of disease and pest problems. We also offer a Country Store with selected bromeliad and gardening supplies. We meet the third Monday of every month (except January)



The Bromeliad Society of Broward County is a member of, and supports:

The Bromeliad Society International

<http://bsi.org>



The Bromeliad Society of Broward County is a member of, and supports:

The Florida Council of Bromeliad Societies

<http://fcbs.org>



The Bromeliad Society of Broward County is a member of, and supports:

The Cryptanthus Society

<http://www.iinet.net.au/-scrozier/Culture.html>

NEXT MEETING: MONDAY

April 20, 2009

Meeting begins promptly at 7:30 PM

Where: Jim Ward Community Center

301 NW 46th Ave (Park East Drive)

Plantation, Fl. 33317

*****The Member Sales Table will be CLOSED*****

We will have our Raffle Table

Those who bring plants to sell are asked to donate plants to the raffle table.

No speaker for the April 20th meeting.

(Read President's message for details of meeting.)

REMINDER

BSBC annual dues were due by February 1st.

**Please remember we depend upon dues money to produce and mail our newsletter
and also to obtain speakers.**

\$20.00 for an individual or \$25.00 for multiple members at same mailing address.

**You may make your check payable to the Bromeliad Society of Broward County and bring it
to the meeting on April 20th or mail it to our Treasurer, Larry Searle
P.O. Box 17272, Plantation, Fl. 33318**

Prompt payment of your dues will keep you on our mailing list or on our e-mail list for the Scurf. You will be kept informed of meetings, field trips and special events. We value your membership and participation. Thank you for helping to make our society so special and successful.

EMAIL ADDRESSES NEEDED

The Scurf has gone **GREEN** and your address is needed if you wish to receive your SCURF online. Saves postage as well especially with the increase in postage coming soon.

NOTICE OF BOARD MEETING

The Board will meet on April 27th, Monday at 6:30 P.M.

Jim Ward Community Center

BIRTHDAY REMINDERS

APRIL birthdays please bring a contribution to the Refreshment Table and get a free raffle ticket for a special drawing.

Happy Birthday and many more to.....

Griffin Bancroft, Ardra Davis, Tammy Dinneen, Michael Feely, Gina Havens, Eileen O'Connor, Tom Kirouac, Ignacio Moreno, Charles Nicholls, Leslie Packer, Gail Shirlaw, Lisa Synalovski, Louella Weber and anyone else celebrating in April!

If we missed your birthday or have you listed in the wrong month, please correct me!!

Happy Birthday to You!

PRESENTING OUR SLATE OF NEW OFFICERS

FOR THE BOARD of DIRECTORS

President: Maureen Frazel

Vice President: Caroline Plechac

Treasurer: Tami Newett

Director - 3 yr: Marcia David

Director - 2 yr: Larry Davis

Nominations accepted from the floor.

Prior permission must be obtained from the nominee.



RESULTS

The 12th Biennial BSI Standard Bromeliad Show and Sale
April 4th and 5th 2009

<u>BEST OF SHOW HORTICULTURE WINNER</u> (Vriesea ospinae)	Josepha Leon
<u>SWEEPSTAKES WINNER</u>	Bud Hendrix
CATEGORY 1.	
DIVISION 1. <u>Individual Plant Winner</u>	
Aechmea orlandiana 'White Knight'	Maureen Frazel
<u>Individual Specimen Plants - Section A - Foliage</u>	
Winner: Neoregelia 'Criss Cross'	Bud Hendrix
<u>Individual Specimen Plants - Section B - Blooming</u>	
Orthophytom 'Stardust'	Bud Hendrix
DIVISION 2. <u>Multiple Plant Winner</u>	
Vriesea 'Charmin' Carmen'	Tim Hendrix
<u>Multiples - Section A - Foliage Winner</u>	
Neoregelia punctatissima	Ann Kauffman
<u>Multiples - Section B - Blooming Winner</u>	
Neoregelia - 'Born of Fire'	Colleen Hendrix
DIVISION 3. <u>Horticultural Display Winner</u>	
Quesnelia marmorata	Colleen Hendrix
CATEGORY 2. Section B. <u>Best of Show Artistic</u>	
MAGICAL NIGHTS	
Black and white table featuring dried	
inflorescence Aechmea rubens enameled white	
Morris H. Hobbs Award	Ann Schandelmayer



DIVISION 4. <u>Decorative Container Winner</u>	
Neoregelia zonata variegata	Ann Kauffman

DIVISION 5. ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS

CATEGORY 2. Section B. "MAGICAL KINGDOM"

Artistic Arrangements Winner

Hohenbergia inermis

Maureen Frazel

Section A: MAGICAL MOMENTS

Hohenbergia stellata and Aechmea 'Valencia'

Maureen Frazel

Section C. "TRANSPARENT MAGIC"

Underwater Design

Gene Cain

Tilandsia's ionantha and usneoides

Sea Urchin

CATEGORY 3. Section 1 - NOVICE WINNER

Decorative container

Lillian Redlich

Vriesea 'Astrid'

CATEGORY 3. Section 2 - Judges Winner

Tillandsea schiedeana minor

Jay Thurrott

CATEGORY 3. SPECIAL Section 4.

Cut inflorescences -Aechmea pendiflora polittii

Sara Donayre

CATEGORY 3. Section 5

Bromeliad Art

Frog in the Neoregelia

Becky Blackwood

TOTAL ENTRIES 213

AOM 80

BLUE RIBBON 104



Scenes from the show.

Many beautiful plants!

Hard working people from the Plantation Women's Club and the Bromeliad Society of Broward County!

BSBC Country Store

The Hendrix Garden Shop has the following items for sale at great prices!

See Tim Hendrix to purchase or order.

ITEM	PRICE
Five - inch pots	5 pots for \$1.0
Logo Shirts, Hats & Totes	\$10.00 - \$25.00
Plant Name sticks - per 100	50 sticks for \$1.00
Mini-pine bark nuggets (per bag)	see Tim Hendrix for price
Drift wood	Priced as marked



Bromeliad Society of South Florida Show and Sale



The Show and Sale is Saturday and Sunday, April 18 and 19 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Admission is \$20 adults, \$15 seniors, \$10 children 6-17 and free to Fairchild members and children 5 and under.



FLORIDA JUDGES SCHOOL

The Florida Council of Bromeliad Societies is considering organizing a Judges school and is exploring the interest of all society members in the state.

The School consists of five sessions focusing on each of the main bromeliad genera and requires that 16 people are registered before it gets started. It lasts an average of 3 years with schools in various places, mostly in Fort Myers, one coinciding with a World Bromeliad Conference. In this case it would be the upcoming Conference in New Orleans. Each session will cost \$20.00(US). There will be a final exam before a judge is confirmed.

If any member is interested please forward your name to Secretary Gail Shirlaw. Names will be forwarded to Vicky Chirnside, Judges Registrar for Florida.



Membership Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____

Month of your birthday _____

Would you be willing to serve on a committee or otherwise assist?

Yes___ No___

Permanent Name Tag? No___ Yes___ Paid___

Membership Dues are:

\$20.00 per year for individuals.

\$25.00 per year for more than one member at the same address.

Please make check payable to:

Bromeliad Society of Broward County and mail this page to:

Larry Searle, Treasurer

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