

August / September 2010

SCURF

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hey ya'll,

Well, to start off, this month has been a cleaning and pitching of bromeliads for me. We set our 10 x 10 tent up over our potting table in the shade house and plugged in the box fan and away we went. With my father-in-laws help, we cleaned, pupped and re-potted every single plant. Wow, what a job, but it's done, and if I may add not a bit of crown rot. However, this past weekend I decided to go thru my yard and pup all of the *Aechmea blanchetiana*'s and found at least 50% of them had crown rot. Hmm, just makes you wonder..... if it has to have something to do with the protection of the one's in the shade house (from the cold this past winter) verses the one's in the yard.



Anyway, hope I see you all at our upcoming annual pot luck social. There will be great food and surprises and lots of fun so please join us. If you are coming please remember to get with Harriet and let her know what you will be bringing - lovedisney20022002@yahoo.com.

Next, I signed the contract for our Holiday Party. It will be at the Jacaranda Golf and Country Club, Saturday, Dec 11th from 11:30 to 3:30. All the information will be in the October Scurf (directions, ticket price, menu, price for a round of golf etc).

As most of you know - you do not have to be a member to come to the Christmas party - we urge you to bring friends and family - we will be collecting your checks starting in September. March 26th and 27th will be the BSBC Garden Fest that we will put on jointly with the Plantation Woman's Club at Volunteer Park. Contact me at timbo-169@comcast.net if you wish to be a vendor. More later.

I shall sign off for now - see you at the potluck!!

Colleen

BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF BROWARD COUNTY

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PLANTATION FL. 33312



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Our meetings generally offer a speaker on timely and noteworthy topics, member plant sales, a plant raffle, special holiday plant auction, diagnosis of disease and pest problems. We also offer a Country Store with selected bromeliads and gardening supplies. We meet on the Third Monday of each month except when it falls on a holiday and then we meet on the Fourth Monday at 6:30 p.m.



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> Our clubs' reps are: Dr. Jose and Sara Donayre



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

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

August Meeting

Monday, August 16, 2010

Plant Viewing at 6:30 PM

Meeting begins promptly at 7:00 PM

Where: Jim Ward Community Center

301 NW 46th Ave. (Park East Drive)

Plantation, Fl. 33317

PLEASE BRING YOUR BLOOMING PLANTS FOR THE SHOW AND TELL TABLE

The Sales Table will be OPEN

The Raffle Table will be OPEN

ANNUAL AUGUST PICNIC

Please remember to bring your dish to pass!

Call Harriet @ 954-434-8466 if you forgot

what you signed up to bring.

This is always a fun time to meet the members and share your love of bromeliads.

Table chatter welcome!!!!

September Meeting

Monday, September 20, 2010

Plant Viewing at 6:30 pm

Meeting begins promptly at 7:00 pm.

Where: Jim Ward Community Center

301 NW 46th Ave. (Park East Drive)

Plantation, Fl. 33317

Don't forget your plants for the Show and Tell Table

The Sales Table will be OPEN

The Raffle Table will be Open

Alan Herndon

Will be our guest speaker

Alan Herndon is a trained botanist graduating from Florida International University. Alan is a true native having been born here in Miami. He has worked with people in the bromeliad industry for decades and has two brothers also located in Miami- Dade County specializing in bromeliad nursery/sales. He and wife Rhonda have a steadily growing nursery in the Redlands which has expanded significantly over the past few years. Alan has been published since 1969.



HAPPY August BIRTHDAY

To

Sibyl Cotten, Dr. Norman Grover, Colleen Hendrix,
Marie Howard, Deborah Johnson, Steve Kalogerakis,
Harry Sperling.

HAPPY September BIRTHDAY

To

Denise Addison, Gerry Bohning, Susan Gutman, Phyllis
Kowal, Kenny Seesahal, Tom Shirley, Bill Frazel



A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU ALL!

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

(Please note: for some couples we have only one birthday!)

August and September Birthdays - please bring a contribution to the Refreshment table for September.

Contribute refreshments in your month and get a

free raffle ticket for a special drawing!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September 20, 2010	BSBC - Alan Herndon, speaker 6:30 pm	Jim Ward Comm. Center
October 18, 2010	BSBC - Annual Bromeliad auction 6:30 pm	Jim Ward Comm. Center
November 15, 2010	BSBC - TBA 6:30 pm	Jim Ward Comm. Center
December 11, 2010	Christmas Party 11:30 - 3:30	Jacaranda Golf & Country Club
January 19-21, 2011	TPIE Uniquely Tropical Show	Broward Co. Convention Center
March 24-27, 2011	BSBC's show and sale "Garden Fest" Co-hosting with Plantation Woman' Club Vendors - contact Colleen @ timbo-169@comcast.net	Volunteer Park

Monthly

1st Tuesday	BSSF meeting Plantation Orchid Society	Fairchild Gardens Deicke Aud.
3rd Thursday	Bromeliad Society of the Palm Beaches	Mounts Botanical West Palm Beach
4th Thursday	Plantation Shade Brigade	Plantation Bldg. Dept.

BROMELIADS from Patti Barnes home



MEMBERS GALLERY

"How your Garden Grows"

Please email Bill at marbilld@mac.com if you would like to be considered to have your garden photographed. We take 'em any way we can get 'em!

Small scapes to larger scapes! Don't be shy, cause your plants love the camera!

Thanks, Bill David, Photographer, BSBC

(See Patti Barnes yard above)

Members; Jean Tease and Pat Boone have moved to Vero Beach.
Please call Marcia if you'd like their address and/or telephone number.

Jean and Pat are long time members, always active with our club and
we shall miss them.

Photo's from July's Meeting



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BSBC Country Store

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ITEM	PRICE
Five and Six inch pots	5 pots for \$1.00
Plant Name Sticks	50 sticks for \$1.00

"Diaper Your Plants"

Please "diaper" your plants that you bring in by using a newspaper sleeve or a plastic bag to cover the bottom of the plant.

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BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF BROWARD COUNTY

Membership Application

Name: _____

Address _____

City, State. Zip _____

Email: _____ Birthday Month _____

Telephone #'s Home _____ Cell _____

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

Permanent Name Tag ? Yes_____ No_____ 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 your check payable to:

Bromeliad Society of Broward County (BSBC) and mail to:

Tami Newett, Treasurer

P.O. Box 17272

Plantation, Fl. 33318

Do you wish to apply for membership to Bromeliad Society International (BSI)

Cost is \$40.00 for a single or dual one year membership. (www.bsi.org)

Yes_____ No_____

We meet at 6:30 PM on the 3rd Monday of the month, except January and December.

January and December dates will be announced in the SCURF.

at the

Jim Ward Community Center

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Plantation, Fl. 33317

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