

JANUARY 2011

# SCURF



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi Bromeliad Lovers,

Happy New Year! I hope all of you rang in the New Year with health and prosperity.

[First bit of very important news - "OUR MEETING FOR THIS MONTH IS THURS JAN 20<sup>TH</sup> DUE TO MLK DAY"](#).

I am sorry if it is conflicting with any other activity that you may have, but it was the only night that Jim Ward had available.

[February's meeting is Thursday Feb 24<sup>th</sup> due to Presidents Day](#), so please mark your calendars.

There will be a lot of info given at those meetings about the upcoming show and sale "Garden Fest 2011". We are getting our committee chairs together and they will be calling on you to volunteer. I will pass around another list at the meeting with more specifics of what we need. I want to thank you in

advance for volunteering, it will take all of us to make this happen. I have sent out over 70 invitations and emails to potential vendors and I am already starting to get confirmations. If you know of anyone that would like to be a vendor please have them contact me asap. A 10 x10 space is \$125.00 for the two days and 10x20 is \$175.00 – non-profits will not be charged.

I really hope that you consider entering at least one plant – we will be giving information to you about how to groom your plants for entry. You never know, you could win best in show!!

The Holiday party was a hit! I wish that all of you had attended; the food was delicious and the room was beautiful. Also, I don't think I have ever seen such beautiful plants given at the gift exchange..... wow! For those of you that are current members and did not get your plant – it will be at the January meeting. If you cannot make the January meeting please call me to make arrangements to come pick it up at my house. By the February meeting, the rest that are left over will be raffled off.

That reminds me – [DUES ARE DUE February 1<sup>ST</sup>](#) so please get them to Marcia at this meeting or you can put a check in the mail to PO Box 17272 Plantation, FL 33318. Please remember we rely on your membership to keep the society afloat and we do appreciate your donation.

See you [Thursday, Jan 20<sup>th</sup>!!!!](#)

Colleen

BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF BROWARD COUNTY

P.O. BOX 17272

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>

## JANUARY MEETING

(Please note the change in the day we meet.)  
(This is due to the Martin Luther King holiday.)

Thursday, January 20, 2011

Plant Viewing at 6:30 P.M.

Meeting begins promptly at 7:00

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 CLOSED

The Raffle Table will be OPEN

Ray Lemieux of Sarasota will speak on  
**TERRESTRIAL BROMELIADS**

Ray is an expert terrestrial grower who is having multiple successes propagating and hybridizing many of the terrestrials at Tropiflora.

We look forward to having Ray share his information with us.



## HAPPY JANUARY BIRTHDAY



To:

Eloise Beach, Pat Boone, Jean Tease, Lynn Molitor,  
Laretta Smith, Gayle Spinell-Gellers, Deborah Wehnes,

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!)



Colleen with Michael Kiehl of "Michael's Bromeliads" in Venice, FL  
*Encholirium horridum* (L.B.Smith)

# "Save the Date"

March 26th and 27th, 2011

## Garden Fest 2011

Bromeliad Plant Show, Sale and More



Presented by  
 Bromeliad Society of Broward County  
 and  
 The Plantation Woman's Club  
 at  
 Volunteer Park, Plantation FL

If you'd like to be a vendor the cost for two days is \$125.00.  
 (Payment will be due by March 1, 2011 to hold your spot.)  
 If you are a non-profit 501c-3, there is no charge.  
 There will be advertising and security will be provided.  
 Free parking, Free admission, GREAT FOOD.

Please pass the word if you know of anyone else that may be interested in being a vendor. It doesn't have to be plants - but should be garden related, organic, or green!!!!!!!  
 Any questions??? Please call Colleen Hendrix @ 305-799-7037 or email [timbo-169@comcast.net](mailto:timbo-169@comcast.net)

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS



January 14, 15, 16	Fort Lauderdale Orchid Society	War Memorial Aud.
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 @ <a href="mailto:timbo-169@comcast.net">timbo-169@comcast.net</a>	Volunteer Park

### Monthly

1st Tuesday	BSSF meeting	Fairchild Gardens
1st Tuesday	Plantation Orchid Society	Deicke Aud.
3rd Thursday	Bromeliad Society of Broward Co.	Jim Ward Comm. Center
3rd Thursday	Bromeliad Society of the Palm Beaches	Mounds Botanical West Palm Beach
4th Thursday	Plantation Shade Brigade	Plantation Bldg. Dept.

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

Photo's from December's Luncheon



Suzee Newman, Nancy Long,  
Patti Barnes, Colleen Hendrix



Plants ready for distribution to  
members



Setting up the beautiful buffet!



Richard Sedlak, Patti Barnes and  
Nancy Long



**T & C Tropicals**

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21 Holly Lane  
Plantation, FL 33317  
954-530-0076 / 954-931-1711

Tim & Colleen Hendrix

BSBC Country Store

The Country Store has the following items for sale at great prices!

Item	Price
Five and Six inch pots	5 pots for \$1.00
Plant Name Sticks	50 sticks for \$1.00

**Sunshine Ranches**  
BROMELIA, EXOTIC PLANTS  
Josefa Leon

14601 Sheridan Street  
Fl. Lauderdale, FL 33330  
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**BUD HENDRIX**  
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PLANTATION, FL 33317  
954-583-8636

"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.



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](http://www.bsi.org))

Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

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

Those dates will be announced in the SCURF.

Jim Ward Community Center

301 NW 46th Ave.

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