



KAWA BONSAI SOCIETY

MONTHLY MEETING REPORT

August 21, 2020

Meeting was called to order by our President, Mike Rogers at 12:15pm.

Treasurer's Report, presented by Treasurer, Mark Chskavich, was accepted and filed.

New Member: Welcome Gary Fisher!

Bonsai Auction and Barbecue - is planned to be held during our September Meeting time, September 19, 2020, from noon to 4pm.

Admission is free

Members of other Bonsai Clubs and the public are welcome

An live auction, silent auction and raffles will be held

Bonsai and Oriental item donations* will be graciously accepted from our club members and others

Items will also be accepted for sale — the owner of the item will receive 80% of the item sale price, KAWA 20%. The seller has the option to put a minimum bid on the item or a reserve.

Taiko Earth Pottery (handmade pottery by our member Rob Addonizio) will be available for sale

Barbecue platters will be \$5.00/person. Food items available will be brisket, hamburgers, sides, and desserts.

*Oriental items as scrolls, saki cups, bonsai stands, pots, prints, etc

CDC requirements and Deland's Mask Mandate will be followed. This event will be held outside, all food will be served by KAWA members wearing gloves in addition to masks, and there are a number of tables and benches throughout the nursery where people and sit and eat maintaining at least a minimum of a 6 ft distance from one another.

KAWA member responsibilities and assignments as of this date:

All Members: donation of a side dish, dessert or beverages. Please make beverages provided individual size unless making a gallon of kool aid, crystal lite, etc. If donating the latter items, please bring a gallons of water to mix it in.

Mark Ceskavich - auction and raffle administrative responsibilities

MaryLou DeVane - list of side dishes, deserts, and water/soft drinks members are donating. **Please call MaryLou at 386-237-7712 and advise what you would like to bring or, if you prefer, a list of what is needed. Please call her asap!**

Sharon Christian and MaryLou DeVane - set up, clean up and food serving.

Darryl Padgett - set up food serving and auction areas.

Needed:

Persons to help with the aforementioned tasks

Auctioneer for live auction

Persons to assist in parking area

Persons to provide security for bonsai areas

Joy of Bonsai 2021 - Jason is attempting to finalize speaker availability.

“**Member Show and Tell**” was extensive this month. A number of pictures are available on our website. During this part of our meeting, a number of member sought guidance on the next required step in the bonsai training process for their tree.

Demonstration: Mike Rogers provided an excellent and very detailed demonstration of grafting of Ficus Golden Coin onto a Ficus Microcarpa.. This demonstration was videotaped and will available after editing.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeanne Florio
KAWA Secretary