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Saturday November 21, Meeting in the Choir Room at 6:00 PM

Usually Meeting at the Anaheim United Methodist Church, 1000 S. State College Blvd., Anaheim

Our meeting hours will vary in 2026

Demonstration by CBS Visiting Artist Caroline‘Caz’Scott at 6:00 PM

Important Announcement

Beginning this year, some of our meetings will be at 1:00 PM, not 6:00 PM. Please check each month in the newsletter or on the website to see the time. Our meetings that feature the CBS visiting artists will still be at 6:00 PM because that is when they are available. Our annual benefit auction will still be in the evening.

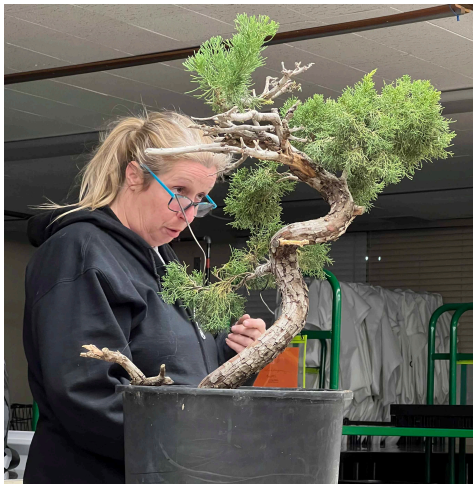
Sheees Baaaack!
Caroline ‘Caz’ Scott, CBS visiting artist, returns to California



Please join us on Saturday November 21 at 6 PM to welcome Caz back to Kofu Kai.
She was one of our most popular artists and her humor and artistry and expertise make her an unmissable demonstrator for all of the clubs lucky enough to have her.

From Caz’s website at cazbonsab.co,uk

Caz has been working with bonsai since her teens, beginning in local clubs and gradually progressing through decades of learning, experimentation, and collaboration with some of the most highly regarded artists in the field.



She’s known for her clear, honest teaching style and deep care for both people and trees. Her work has been recognized at major UK bonsai exhibitions and she remains passionate about sharing her knowledge and encouraging others - particularly underrepresented voices in the bonsai world.
Caz is especially known for her work with pines and junipers, but her practice spans a wide range of native and non-native species, each approached with the same quiet precision and thoughtful attention.

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Our October Meeting with Aaron Hughes



Aaron Hughes gave an interesting and very informative talk and demo at our October meeting. He had some amazing things to show and tell including a beautiful juniper work in progress that featured a trunk split and turned back on itself to create a long cascading branch. He covered many topics but maybe the most surprising thing he brought to share was his multi seedling technique for creating almost instant thick trunk black pine Shohin. Really, it was fascinating and I can't wait to try this out.







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2027 Pacific Bonsai Expo
February 6-7, 2027
Alameda County Fairgrounds
Pleasanton, California.

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CBS ANNUAL BONSAI SALE

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 29, 2026

Yamaguchi Bonsai Nursery
1905 Sawtelle Boulevard, West Los Angeles, CA 90025
9 AM – 1 PM

Arrive early for best selection.
No early holds or sales allowed.

Interested in selling? The CBS member's sale is open
to all current CBS members in good standing.
To apply for a membership please visit californiabonsaisociety.com.
Item drop off in Saturday 11/28 from 12pm - 5pm.

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www.californiabonsaisociety.com

Interested in selling at the CBS sale? To sell you must be a current CBS members in good standing. You can pay your dues at the set-up. Senior members 80 years and over do not need to pay dues.

Anyone can buy at the sale.

Setup will be on Saturday afternoon November 28th starting at 12 pm when members can bring in and tag their sale items. The sale will start at 9am Sunday morning. There will be no early sales so please don't ask. All members are encouraged to look for bonsai and bonsai related items that they'd like to sell. If you need help getting your items to the sale reach out to myself or Doyle Saito and we'll help get your items to the sale. Speaking of help we'll need volunteers to help with setup on Saturday and on Sunday for the sale so if you're able please reach out to Doyle or myself to arrange that. It takes a team effort so please help out.

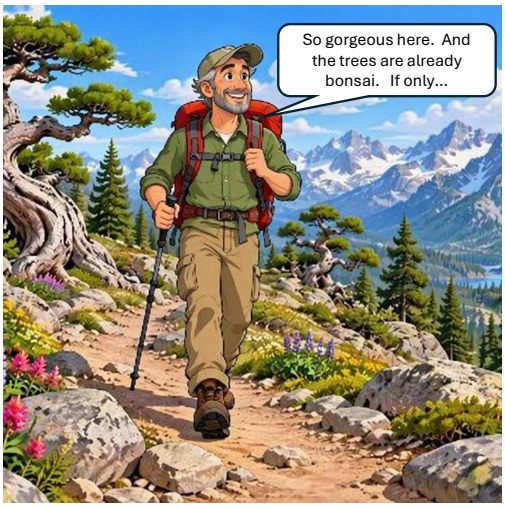
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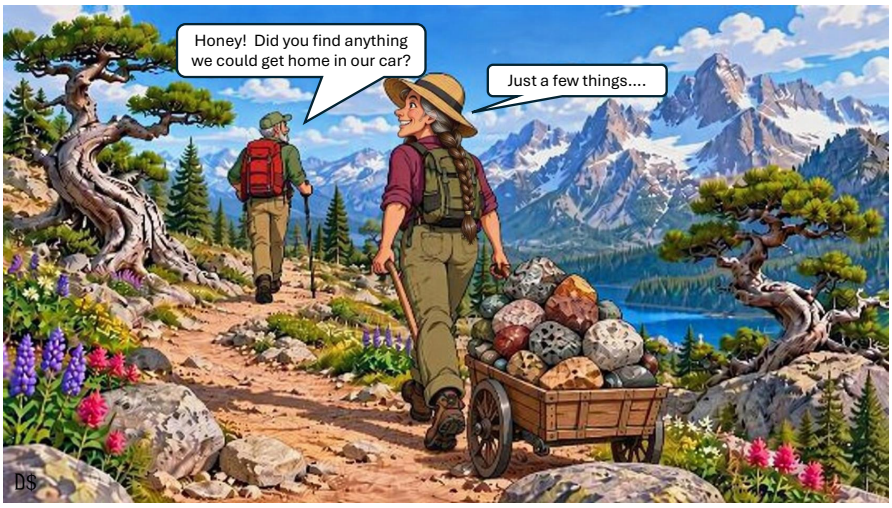
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Where Bonsai Artists go to retire.

On Vacation from Omiya on a friend's ranch.....





Upcoming Events, see flyers

November 14, Fresno Bonsai Society Sale
November 29, California Bonsai Society Annual Sale
January 16-17, Baikoen Sihlouettes Annual Show
February 6-7, Pacific Bonsai Expo
February 20-21, California Bonsai Society 70th Anniversary Exhibit
February 27-28, Bonsai Celebration at the Huntington

Continuing

Tuesday Evenings mentoring workshop with Mel Ikeda is resumes on Tuesday October 6 at 6:30PM. It usually meets from 6:30 -8:00 PM most Tuesdays. Bring your own tree and table cover. $15 per session. 11832 Euclid Avenue, Garden Grove. Contact Paul Minerich with questions. pminerich@sbcglobal.net

Kimura Bonsai Nursery in Castaic; Classes and workshops. Check their website for the latest offerings. 30535 Harley Canyon Rd, Castaic. kimurabonsainursery.com

David Nguy, Bonsai Jidai, offers once-per-month workshops year round. bonsaijidai.com

Peter Macasieb also offers workshops. @petermacasieb for instagram photos and videos.

Golden State Bonsai Federation is proud to announce the

HEADLINERS

for Bonsai Rendezvous 2027

Caroline "Caz" Scott



Caroline is an internationally recognized bonsai artist, teacher, and award-winning exhibitor. She studied under leading bonsai masters including Ryan Neil, Peter Warren, and Marco Invernizzi, and has received the BCI Presidents Award and Best in Show at Bonsai Expo UK. She now teaches and demonstrates bonsai around the world.

Alessandro Bonardo



Alessandro is an Italian bonsai artist who completed an apprenticeship under legendary bonsai master Masahiko Kimura in Japan. A graduate of the Nippon Bonsai Association and member of the Nippon Bonsai Kumiai, he works at Mansei-en in Omiya Bonsai Village, combining Italian artistry with traditional Japanese bonsai techniques.

BONSAI RENDEZVOUS2027

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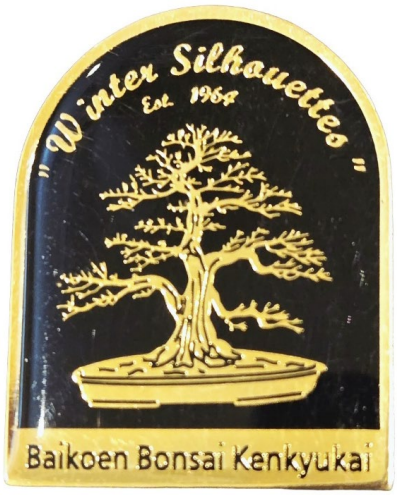
PRESENTS

62nd Winter Silhouettes Exhibition

Founded by Frank Fusaji Nagata

The Original Winter Silhouettes Show

Saturday & Sunday, January 16 & 17, 2027
10:00AM to 4:30 PM



DEMONSTRATIONS 1:00pm
Saturday – Bill Ward, tree demo
Sunday – Lindsay Shiba, show critique & analysis

Sales area: club and Vendor Plants, Pots, Tools and more

SATURDAY NIGHT RECEPTION FOR INVITED GUESTS STARTS AT 5PM, DINNER AT 6PM

TAIKO DRUM Entertainment by the Taiko Mix
Live Auction, Giant Raffle!

NAGATA-KOMAI AWARD TO
Fred Miyahara

Ayres Hall of Environmental Education
ARBORETUM of LOS ANGELES COUNTY
301 North Baldwin Avenue, Arcadia, CA 91007

For more information, contact Joe Galgoul joegalgoul@yahoo.com

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70th ANNIVERSARY EXHIBIT

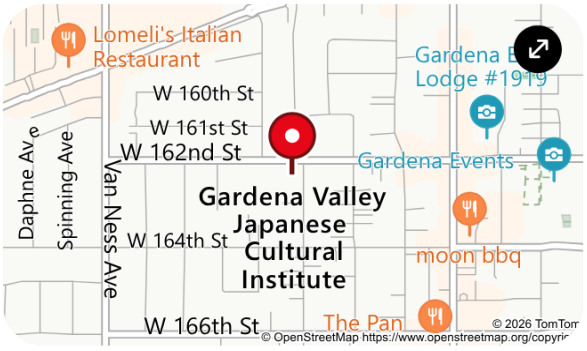
February 20 & 21, 2027

Gardena Valley Japanese Cultural Institute
1964 W 162nd St, Gardena, CA 90247
Open from 10 AM to 5PM



Headliner
Hidenori Uwa
Specializes in Black Pines and Junipers

Demonstration on Saturday, 12-3PM
Bring your own tree workshop on Sunday, 11AM-3PM, limited to 8 people, fee $75



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BONSAI CELEBRATION

FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE BONSAI-A-THON

Fundraiser for

THE GSBF COLLECTION AT THE HUNTINGTON

February 27 & 28, 2027, 10am to 5pm

The Huntington Library, Art Collections and Botanical Gardens
Brody Botanical Center, 1151 Oxford Road, San Marino, California

Live Auction at the 2026 Bonsai Celebration, with Ted Matson, Master Auctioneer







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FALL SALE & AUCTION

TREES, POTS, & MORE

November 14, 2026

10 am to 4 pm

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