

Buttonwood Bonsai Club Programs for 2018

June 23 Club photo session - Club members are asked to bring at least two of their bonsai to the club meeting. Photos will be taken and used in photo displays.

July 28 Raft Styling of Trees – The raft and sinuous styles are characterized by a single trunk that is growing along the ground, with three or more trunks rising from it. In raft style, the trunk along the ground is perfectly straight and illustrates a tree in nature that has been blown over by the wind, taken root and had its branches on the upward side continue growth as new trunks.

August 25 Defoliate trees – When, how, benefits and what types of trees to defoliate.

September 22 Grafting – How to shape a tree using the method of grafting a limb to the tree.

October 27 Douglas and JoAnn Good of Ocala (potters) will be at our meeting to discuss how they make bonsai pots and have pots for sale.

November 24 Wiring – Tips, tricks, and methods of wiring bonsai trees to reshape their branches.

December 22 Christmas party –