

-ANNOUNCING-
THE SEVENTH ANNUAL BONSAI SOCIETY OF GREATER
CINCINNATI NEW TALENT COMPETITION

SPONSORED BY THE JOHN CARROL EDUCATION ENDOWMENT

WHEN-Saturday, October 9, 2010

WHERE-A feature of our Krohn Fall Show

TIME-11:00 AM to 4:00 PM

JUDGING-Starting @ 4:00 PM

ELIGIBILITY-This competition is judged by three of our most senior members & is open to all members in good standing of the Bonsai Society of Greater Cincinnati who have been involved in formal bonsai instruction for five (5) years or less. The Membership Chair will confirm membership start dates & will resolve all disputes. Specifically excluded from the 2009 competition are the first place finishers from all prior years.

LIMIT-The number of participants will be limited to a maximum of eight (8) contestants.

MATERIAL-will be provided by the club & assignment will be by draw, promptly at 11:00 AM. Punctuality is important. Participants are responsible for providing their own tools. Aluminum wire will be provided & trees will not be potted. After the judging, trees will become the property of the contestants to take home & add to their collections.

AWARDS-1st Place \$100

2nd Place \$50

3rd Place \$25

The purpose of this event is in keeping with the purpose of our society & the J. Carroll Endowment—Education, Education & Education. The way you progress in our art form is by doing. This will be a “next step” in your bonsai education & one you will look back on as a major contributor. This is an extremely popular event among our newer members, so don’t delay your decision to participate. Put aside your inhibitions & get involved. Entrants need to contact me by phone, email or see me at our June, July, August or September meetings & sign-up. Don’t wait too long—first come first served. Entry will close when we reach 8 participants or at the September meeting, whichever occurs first.

MISC-The material for this year’s competition is still being considered but it will be the approx same size as last year’s competition which was considerably larger than in prior years. And, yes there will be some tools available to fill voids in you tool collection.

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