



PIETERMARITZBURG BONSAI SOCIETY

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NEWSLETTER - JULY 2010

Hi all you bonsai lovers,

It's time again for us to plan and get together for our next workshop which will be held at the **Potting Shed, on Saturday 10 July 2010 from 2 - 5 pm.**

Jürgen will be bringing his **grinding equipment**, so if you need a tree to be attended to, this is the time to bring it along. If not, bring a tree that needs some trimming or shaping.

Our AGM went off smoothly, and swiftly and our committee stands as before; Wade has stepped down, but I have left his name in the top square in case anyone needs some advice. He is always willing to help with advice on bonsai material.

We had a visitor, Mahommed Omarjee, who seemed very interested in bonsai, hope he can join and enjoy our favourite hobby.

After tea we worked on trees, I took my bougainvillea which was in full flower. Wade brought some large comiphora trees for the raffle, and Joy's Vietnamese Fig were snapped up pretty smartly! Jürgen helped members with the trimming and potting of the comiphora's. Joy worked on her lovely Olive tree.

IMPORTANT NOTICE : The South African Bonsai Association (SABA) has asked all members to submit their names to the SABA email address list; This means that all bonsai members in South Africa will be kept up-to-date with bonsai activities and information relating to any bonsai matters in the country. If anyone **does not want** their name on this list, please let Jürgen, or any of the committee members know, in that case, your name will not be submitted. So do please advise us of your wishes.

See you all on the 10th July, kind regards, Lyn

