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Newsletter of The Bonsai Society of
Upstate New York



32nd Annual Spring Show

On May 14th and 15th we will be having our annual spring show at the Monroe Community Hospital. This will take the place of our normal Tuesday night meeting. Our featured speaker will be Jim Doyle from Natures Way Nursery in Harrisburg, PA. Jim will be giving two lecture / demos over the weekend. Both talks will be at 2:00PM. During the show three special bonsai displays will be set up in the memory of Ed Schreiner, Goldy Goldsworth and Fred Stanzel.

At the Saturday evening reception beginning around 5:30 we will have a special free door prize of an ancient collected Ponderosa Pine bonsai from the collection of Fred Stanzel. His family has also generously donated ten bonsai and pre-bonsai to our society so we will auction them at the Saturday evening reception. Please do not forget to vote for your favorite bonsai for our annual People's Choice Award in the memory of Yuji Yoshimura.

Don't Forget, the spring show takes the place of our regular Tuesday meeting. Try to participate in the show somehow. Submit a tree, sell raffle tickets, work security. There are many jobs to be done. If you don't know what you can do, ask. Remember, many hands make light work!

We need your trees!

Please make sure to bring your cleaned and prepared bonsai to the Monroe community Hospital on Friday, May 13th at 5-6PM for our show. Set up will be completed by 8PM. The trees do not have to be masterpieces but should look nice. We also will need help to set up the exhibition and during the exhibit. For more information call Bill Valavanis (334-2595) or Harvey Carapella (426-6548)

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<http://www.bonsai-upstateny.org/>

Meeting Date

**Saturday and Sunday
May 14 and 15**

**Monroe Community
Hospital**

2:00PM Meeting

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Wine and Cheese Social

There will be a wine and cheese social for members at 5:30 on Saturday when the exhibit closes for the day. Members will be able to leisurely look at the trees and enjoy some great refreshments. You will also be able to vote for your favorite tree and the winner will receive the annual Members Choice Award. It's a nice time to share time and thoughts with friends. See you there.

Bavarian Bonsai Caravan

Our next meeting will be on Friday, June 3rd at the Brighton Town Lodge. The Bavarian Bonsai Caravan Demonstration featuring Wolfgang Putz from Austria and two of his friends will be giving an exciting demonstration. This should be a special event so make sure you put it on your calendars.

2005 Programs

June	03	Bavarian Caravan Demonstration with Wolfgang Putz and friends
June	25	Oriental Garden Supply Field trip on a Saturday
July	26	Nucitelli Garden Field Trip
Aug.	17	Charles Osterly Garden Tour
Sept.	12	Mr. Mitsuya and Kathy Shaner, BYOB workshop in afternoon Lecture and demo in evening

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