



# World Bonsai Friendship Federation

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## 2017

REGIONAL SUSSEX UK	Sept 9 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>Sussex Bonsai Show</b> , Wivelsfield Village Hall, Eastern Rd, Wivelsfield Green, RH17 7QH. 10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m. Contact: <a href="mailto:ray.b@talktalk.net">ray.b@talktalk.net</a>
NATIONAL St. JEAN D'ANGELEY FRANCE	Sept 9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>National French exhibition of Mame / Shohin</b> Contact : 33 5 46 32 00 43 <a href="http://www.ffbonsai.com">www.ffbonsai.com</a> 17400 Saint-Jean-d'Angély, France Contact: Gérard Arnault, 05 46 32 00 43 Bonsai club « Val Botonne » organising an exhibition national of Mame / Shohin at St Jean d'Angély.
INTERNATIONAL MILAN ITALY	Sept. 15 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>International Bonsai &amp; Suiseki Meeting - Crespi Cup 2017</b> with five exhibition contests of bonsai, shohin, suiseki and pots for expert and amateurs - <u>INTERNATIONAL</u> . On the occasion of this edition of the event, it is expected the presence of important international guests who will held technical demonstrations, courses and workshop. Entrance, free for the visitors Crespi Bonsai, Parabiago, Milan, Italy  Tel +39-0331491850 <a href="http://www.crespibonsai.com">www.crespibonsai.com</a> <a href="mailto:info@crespibonsai.com">info@crespibonsai.com</a>

REGIONAL FRANCE (NORD)	September 16th -17th 2017	<b>Rue Francois Mitterraand, Fleury s/Orne, near to Caen (Nord)</b> <b>Exhibition of suiseki, ikebana and a selection of trees from the National Congress</b>
REGIONAL BIRMINGHAM UK	Sept. 17 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>South Staffs Bonsai Society Annual Show. Birmingham Botanical Gardens, Westbourne Rd. Birmingham.</b> 10.30am – 4.30pm. Large exhibition with other local societies. Demos throughout the day. Info <a href="mailto:davidbarnsley@blueyonder.co.uk">davidbarnsley@blueyonder.co.uk</a>
NATIONAL KYOTO JAPAN	Sept 22-24 2017	<b>A unique bonsai exhibition in Kyoto,</b> <b>Title ‘ KYOSAI.’ The venue is Niji-jo Castle in Kyoto.</b> <a href="http://www2.city.kyoto.lg.jp/bunshi/nijojo/english/index.html">http://www2.city.kyoto.lg.jp/bunshi/nijojo/english/index.html</a> If you are in Japan during that period, please visit this exhibition
REGIONAL MOUGINS FRANCE	September 23th – 24th 2017	<b>Exhibition of Bonsai - MOUGINS eco-park</b>
REGIONAL Uriage (Rhône-Alpes) FRANCE	September 23th – 24th 2017	<b>Regional exhibition of Bonsai organised by the Belle Donne Bonsai Club, held at Uriage –Les- Bains park.</b>
REGIONAL ALBI, SOUTH REGION FRANCE	Sept.30 – Oct 1 2017	<b>Regional exhibition, at the Hall d’ Albert, 81160 St. Juey Albi, France.</b>
INTERNATIONAL BURY LANCASHIRE UK	Oct 7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>BONSAI EUROPA 2017, CASTLE LEISURE CENTRE, BURY:</b> over 150 trees and 25 traders from across Europe, Lectures and demonstrations from special guests Tree submission closing date June 30 <sup>th</sup> 2017 Info <a href="mailto:bonsaieuropa2017@gmail.com">bonsaieuropa2017@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://www.bonsaieuropa.com">www.bonsaieuropa.com</a>

REGIONAL BRUGES (SOUTH –OUEST) FRANCE	7th – 8th October 2017	<b>Bonsai Exhibition. Bruges, Bordeaux, France</b>
REGIONAL KENT UK	Oct. 8 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>SUNDAY OCTOBER 8TH KENT BONSAI CLUB AUTUMN SHOW.</b> 10am - 4pm Admission £1, refreshments, demonstrations and sales tables. Contact <a href="mailto:adrian58long@btinternet.com">adrian58long@btinternet.com</a> for more details.

INTERNATIONAL SAULIEU FRANCE	Oct 14 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>5<sup>th</sup> European Bonsai-San Show, Saulieu, France</b> Luis Vallejo will be our Guest of Honour, with a large number of specimens from The Museum. David Benavente, Peter Warren and Michael Tran will be doing simultaneous demonstrations on both days. We anticipate 60 traders, and probably close to 100 exhibition trees.
REGIONAL ASHVILLE/ NC USA	Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>Carolina Bonsai Expo:</b> For information: <a href="http://www.ncarboretum.org/event/3arolina-bonsai-expo-2017/2017-10-14/">http://www.ncarboretum.org/event/3arolina-bonsai-expo-2017/2017-10-14/</a>
REGIONAL A ST FLOUR FRANCE	Oct 21 <sup>st</sup> - 22 <sup>nd</sup> 2017	<b>à St-Flour (Centre) Exhibition of Bonsai,</b>
NATIONAL HEATHROW UK	October 22 <sup>nd</sup> 2017	<b>Heathrow Bonsai Show</b> Harlington Sports Centre, Pinkwell Lane, Harlington, Middlesex. UB3 1PB. Adm: £3 & Children/OAP £2 Times: 1000 - 1600.hrs Demonstrating: John Hanby Contact: Mark & Ming Chen Moreland 07850.771201 Email: <a href="mailto:markmoreland@live.co.uk">markmoreland@live.co.uk</a> Website: <a href="http://www.heathrowbonsai.weebly.com">www.heathrowbonsai.weebly.com</a>

NATIONAL CALIFORNIA USA	OCT 25 <sup>th</sup> – 30 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>GOLDEN STATE BONSAI FEDERATION: GSBF 40<sup>TH</sup> CONVENTION</b> at the Riverside Convention Center. For information see <a href="http://www.gsbfconvention.org">http://www.gsbfconvention.org</a> .
INTERNATIONAL MEISE BELGIUM	November 1 <sup>st</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>40 YEAR VLAAMSE BONSAIVERENIGING.</b> Final event: Several exhibitions. International demonstrators. Workshops. National Botanical Garden, Meise <a href="http://www.vlaamsebonsai.be/">http://www.vlaamsebonsai.be/</a>
REGIONAL AUSTIN /TX USA	Nov 5 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<b>SHOHIN SOCIETY OF TEXAS.</b> For information: Steven Hendricks at <a href="mailto:stevenhendricks@sbcglobal.net">stevenhendricks@sbcglobal.net</a> .
REGIONAL STOURBRIDGE UK	Nov5th 2017	<b>MEMBERS WINTER EXHIBITION AND AUCTION, STOURBRIDGE BONSAI SOCIETY,</b> Sunday Nov 5 <sup>th</sup> 10.00 am – 4.00pm The Bonded Warehouse, Canal Street, Stourbridge Info <a href="mailto:mpdavis1953@gmail.com">mpdavis1953@gmail.com</a> TEL 07415 158167
REGIONAL MARLY 57 SUD EST FRANCE	Nov.4-5 2017	<b>BONSAI EXHIBITION Marly (57)</b>
REGIONAL VALBONNE SUD EST FRANCE	Nov.4-5 2017	Bonsai Exhibition, Hall at the Art Gallery, 06 Valbonne Sophia Antipolis. Demonstrations sales of bonsai and pottery

INTERNATIONAL CHANGHUA TAIWAN	Nov. 3 <sup>rd</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<p><b>2017 BCI AND THE 14TH ASIA-PACIFIC BONSAI &amp; SUISEKI CONVENTION AND EXHIBITION</b>  <b>LOCATION: XIZHOU PARK, NATIONAL MUSEUM OF NATURAL SCIENCE, WAN-JING ART GARDEN</b>  Demos. Xiao-Fong Wu, <i>Argentina</i>, Lindsay Bebb, <i>Australia</i>, Carlos Tramuja, <i>Brazi</i>,. Chuan-Gang Liu, <i>China</i>, Shuli Fan, <i>China</i>, Juan Andrade, <i>Costa Rica</i>, Václav Novák, <i>Czech</i>. Darrieux Laurent, <i>France</i>,,Nikunj &amp; Jyoti,Parekh, <i>India</i>, Budi Sulisty, <i>Indonesia</i>, Moshe Emergui, <i>Israel</i>. Kim Seok Ju, <i>Korea</i>, Michael Siow, <i>Malaysia</i>. Enrique Castaño, <i>Mexico</i>. Vic Ceballos,<i>Philippines</i>. Jose Luis Rodrigue, <i>Puerto Rico</i>, David Benavente, <i>Spain</i>. Chung-Hung Lee, <i>Taiwan</i>. Jian-Chang Wu ,<i>Taiwan</i>. Jian-Liang Chen, <i>Taiwan</i> Yuan-Fa Zhuang, <i>Taiwan</i>. Zi-Jing Yan, <i>Taiwan</i>. Michael Hagedorn, <i>USA</i>. Nacho Marin, <i>Venezuela</i>, Gudrun Benz, <i>Germany</i>.  Info;- <a href="mailto:bc2017aspac14@gmail.com">bc2017aspac14@gmail.com</a> or <a href="mailto:seanschuang@yahoo.com.tw">seanschuang@yahoo.com.tw</a></p>
NATIONAL PORT ELIZABETH SOUTH AFRICA	Nov. 17 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<p><b>SOUTH AFRICAN BONSAI ASSOCIATION CONVENTION</b>  Hosted by Eastern Province Bonsai Society Demos: Juan Llaga  .Email : <a href="mailto:convention2017@epbonsai.co.za">convention2017@epbonsai.co.za</a> Web <a href="http://www.epbonsai.co.za/convention.html">http://www.epbonsai.co.za/convention.html</a></p>
INTERNATIONAL KYOTO JAPAN	Nov 18 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> 2017	<p><b>-37<sup>TH</sup> NIPPON EXHIBITION</b>  (9-1,Okazaki Seisyoji-cho, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto, 606-8343 200 displays,-sales area -Admission 900 yen Biggest bonsai exhibition in Kansai area</p>
REGIONAL WASHINGTON DC	Nov ? 2017	<p><b>AKI MATSURI FESTIVAL</b></p>

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<p>INTERNATIONAL GENK BELGIUM</p>	<p>Feb. 3-4 2018</p>	<p><b>Noelanders Trophy XIX. International Bonsai Show, Limberhal, Genk, Belgium</b>  <b>Info; <a href="http://www.bonsaiassociation.be">www.bonsaiassociation.be</a> <a href="mailto:secretaries@bonsaiassociation.be">secretaries@bonsaiassociation.be</a></b>  Demos. Kunio Kobayashi, Japan. Bjorn Bjorholm, USA. Milan Karpisek, CZ. Giacomo Pappalardo, IT.</p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL TOKYO JAPAN</p>	<p>Feb 8th – 16<sup>th</sup> 2018</p>	<p><b>92nd Kokufu Bonsai Exhibition Nippon Bonsai Association</b>  <b>First part Feb 8<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018</b>  <b>Second part Feb 13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> 2018</b>  <b>at Tokyo Metropolitan Art Museum</b></p>
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<p>NATIONAL SWINDON UK</p>	<p>Feb, 25<sup>th</sup> 2018</p>	<p><b>Swindon Winter Image Show.</b> Grange Leisure Centre, Grange Drive, Swindon SN3 4JY 10.30 – 16.00 hrs.  Further details on the Swindon web site..... <a href="http://www.swindon-bonsai.co.uk/winter-show/">www.swindon-bonsai.co.uk/winter-show/</a> or Paul on 07982 401103</p>
<p>NATIONAL PUNE INDIA</p>	<p><b>February 2018</b></p>	<p><b>Convention: 4 days, large exhibition of many trees. Trade areas and workshops for registrants.</b>  Bjorn L Bjorholm, Koji Hiramatsu, Kunio Kobayashi, Mauro Stemberger, Marc Noelanders, Mike Siow, Morten Albek, Nacho Marin, Oscar Jonker, Peter Warren, Pedro J. Morales, Rudy Najoan, Sergio Luciani, Suthin Sukosolvisit, Tony Bebb, Tran Thang, Tony Tickle.  C/10, Abhimaan Shree Society, Baner Road  Pune-411 007, Maharashtra INDIA. Tel :- +91 77982 84747  Email :- <a href="mailto:info@bonsainamaste.com">info@bonsainamaste.com</a> Web Site :- <a href="http://bonsainamaste.com">bonsainamaste.com</a></p>

<p>NATIONAL HARLINGTON, MIDDX. UK</p>	<p><b>April 8 2018</b></p>	<p><b>EXPO BONSAI UK</b>, 8 April 2018, 10am - 4pm at Harlington Sports Centre, Pinkwell Lane, Harlington, Middlesex. UB3 1PB. Adm: £5 adults under 16 FREE Further details: Steve Hale: <a href="mailto:ebuk18@gmail.com">ebuk18@gmail.com</a> Brian Wallin: <a href="mailto:bbrianwallin@aol.com">bbrianwallin@aol.com</a> or 07752.888684 Mark Moreland: <a href="mailto:markmoreland@live.co.uk">markmoreland@live.co.uk</a> or 07850.771201 <a href="http://www.expobonsaiuk.weebly.com">www.expobonsaiuk.weebly.com</a></p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL MALAYSIA</p>	<p><b>April 23<sup>rd</sup> -29<sup>th</sup> 2018</b></p>	<p><b>Malaysia–Bonsai Clubs International (BCI) – International Friendship Tour And Exhibition.</b> Come and enjoy the Peace of Mind, totally different BCI’s experiences from us with Bonsai, Stone &amp; Wood Exhibition Favourite Local Malaysian Food and a Great Shopping Experience with Sight Seeing. E mail - <a href="mailto:malaysiabci2018@gmail.com">malaysiabci2018@gmail.com</a> Tel H/P : +6019-3372539</p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL ARCO, ITALY</p>	<p><b>May 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> 2018</b></p>	<p><b>European Bonsai Association Convention 2018, combined with European Suiseki Association and UBI Congress VIII Arco Bonsai Trophy</b> <b>Italian Bonsai Club Contest, EBA and UBI New Talent Contest</b> Demonstrations by Hotsumi Terakawa. Venue: Congress Centre, Casino Municipal, Arco More than 50 Traders Info <a href="http://www.arcobonsai.com">www.arcobonsai.com</a></p>
<p>REGIONAL SUSSEX UK</p>	<p><b>June 10<sup>th</sup> 2018</b></p>	<p><b>EASTBOURNE &amp; WEALDEN BONSAI SHOW 2018.</b> Herstmonceux Village Hall, Herstmonceux, East Sussex, BN27 4JX. 10am – 4pm. Adm: £2.50. Demonstration throughout the day. Reg Bolton is Judging and lecturing. Trade Stands, Beginners Advice and Refreshments. Contact: Brian Dale, 01323 731369. <a href="http://www.eandwbonsaiclub.co.uk">www.eandwbonsaiclub.co.uk</a></p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL ROCHESTER USA</p>	<p><b>Sept 8<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> 2018</b></p>	<p><b>6th U.S. National Bonsai Exhibition</b> Total Sports Experience (TSE) 435 West Commercial Street, East Rochester, NY 14445 Demos. Peter Warren, (England) Enrique Castano, PhD, (Mexico) Tony Tickle, (England) Minoru Akiyama, (Japan). Suiseki Japanese Viewing Stones by Sean L. Smith, Pennsylvania</p>

<p>REGIONAL OREGON USA</p>	<p><b>Sept. 14 – 16 2018</b></p>	<p><b>Pacific Northwest Bonsai Clubs Association and Bonsai Society of Portland, Oregon</b>  2018 NW Bonsai “Rendezvous”, truly unconventional bonsai convention. NW artists of international acclaim, Ryan Neil, Michael Hagedorn, Matt Reel and Bobby Curtright, joined by nationally recognized local artists David DeGroot, Joe Harris III, Scott Elser and Dennis Vojtilla. All plant materials for workshops are high quality, having been selected by the guest artist themselves. Trees are either collected native North American materials or have been field grown and developed for Bonsai training .  Registration from Sept 1, 2017. Info. contact <a href="https://portlandbosai.org">https://portlandbosai.org</a> the “Rendezvous” web site at <a href="https://www.bonsairendezvous.org">https://www.bonsairendezvous.org</a></p>
<p>INTERNATIONAL MULHOUSE FRANCE</p>	<p><b>Oct 12<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> 2018</b></p>	<p><b>Bonsai Clubs International 2018, Mulhouse City will host this event. Including French Bonsai Federation Convention, the French Suiseki Federation Convention</b> and other exhibitions. Displaying bonsai, suiseki and ishitsuki, 12 international demonstrators and a very large trade market. Info and reservations <a href="http://www.world-bonsa-mulhouse.fr">www.world-bonsa-mulhouse.fr</a></p>
<p>NATIONAL HEATHROW UK</p>	<p><b>Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 2018</b></p>	<p><b>Heathrow Bonsai Show</b> Harlington Sports Centre, Pinkwell Lane, Harlington, Middlesex. UB3 1PB.  Adm: £3.00 &amp; Children/OAP £2.00. Times: 10.00 – 16.00.hrs  Contact: Mark &amp; Ming Chen Moreland 07850.771201  Email: <a href="mailto:markmoreland@live.co.uk">markmoreland@live.co.uk</a> Website: <a href="http://www.heathrowbonsai.weebly.com">www.heathrowbonsai.weebly.com</a></p>