

BCI

BCI is the oldest nonprofit global organization of individuals and clubs which educates people in the ancient and living arts of Bonsai and Suiseki. These unique art forms are enjoyed and practiced by diverse cultures, utilizing the lessons of nature to improve the physical, mental, and spiritual well being of mankind and our relationship to our environment.

BCI membership includes a yearly subscription to **Bonsai & Stone appreciation magazine**, a publication which shares with Bonsai and Suiseki artists and collectors worldwide special horticultural and design techniques as well as the history, philosophy of Bonsai and Suiseki, and news and happenings on the international scene.. BCI cosponsors with its member clubs and affiliates an international bonsai congress annually, this congress serves as the organization's annual meeting and is a forum where bonsai enthusiasts can meet, enjoy each others company and soak in the Bonsai entertainment

Why Join BCI?

- Both individuals and clubs can join
- Quarterly magazine
- Exclusive BCI only international tours
- Being part of an international family of bonsai enthusiast
- Access to an International teachers register.

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www.bonsai-bci.com
or complete the form below and mail to

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Bonsai -- a living art form

Bonsai is a combination of both art and horticulture. No two people will create exactly the same tree in the same way that no two artists will paint exactly the same picture. Yet, the techniques of bud pinching, root pruning, trimming, fertilizing, watering and other activities which hold the Bonsai in miniature form, follow time-honored and time-tested routines. Bonsai is a living art form, constantly changing under the hand of the artist. It is the painting that is never quite finished, the sculpture never quite complete. Bonsai change with the season's miniature pine, spruce and juniper glow bright green with their new covering of springtime buds. Flowering quince, cherry and crab apple bear fruit and offer it to the warmth of the summer sun. The leaves of tiny maples and elms welcome the cool temperatures of fall with a host of color and in winter bare branches are stark against the ice and snow. Bonsai is an exciting adventure í and one that you can participate in through membership in Bonsai Clubs International.

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