

Inland Empire Bonsai Society

Monthly Meeting Minutes

July 15, 2007

2007 Annual Show and Sale

As in previous years, for the month of July, in place of the regular meeting format IEBS conducted a day-long exhibit and sale at the Manito Park meeting room.

IEBS members arrived at 8:00 for setup. The club's large gazebo / tent was set up outside to provide shaded seating for styling demonstrations. Two additional smaller tents were setup for the sale items. Items for sale included pots, wooden training boxes, soil, books, and a large number of seedlings and some larger pre-bonsai stock. Approximately 30 trees were displayed in the meeting room, with tags indicating common name, genus, species, age, and time in training.

The show and sale was open to the public from 9:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. Approximately 300 people visited throughout the day. Trees in the exhibit received many favorable comments. Many fliers were distributed and a few people indicated interest in becoming members of the club. Sales were also good, with 10% of the proceeds going to IEBS.

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