



Golden State Bonsai Federation

Annual Membership Information

due March 1, 2025

Hello Club President or Correspondent,

Thank you for your support of the Golden State Bonsai Federation. Your membership fees help Golden State Bonsai Federation promote the art of bonsai throughout California and adjacent states through education, collaboration, and an extensive peer network of fellow bonsai enthusiasts.

Highlights are:

- We maintain three public permanent bonsai collections at Bonsai Garden at Lake Merritt, Clark Bonsai Museum, and The GSBF Collection at the Huntington.
- We host the biennial centrally-located 3-day Bonsai Rendezvous October 24-26 2025.
- By October 2025, the GSBF "Give Back" program will have donated over \$20,000 to support our Collections and GSBF clubs.

Members get the **added benefits** of:

- Listing in the GSBF directory. (Be sure to tell us who is who we should reach out to for insurance matters and who will forward GSBF correspondence to your membership.)
- Opportunities to promote your events and gather RSVPs on our website.
- Quarterly on-line educational programs, Golden Zooms, by local and internationally renowned bonsai masters including Bjorn Bjorholm and Peter Tea.
- Option to purchase any of these: General Liability; Directors and Officers; Volunteer Accident; and Additional Insured.

Please consider renewing your membership by March 1, 2025.

Annual club dues for membership to Golden State Bonsai Federation are **\$50.00** for all clubs.

Please download this file, complete the interactive form on your computer, print it using the print button on the lower right corner of the form, and mail the application and check payable to GSBF. Our address is: GSBF PO Box 340694, Sacramento, CA 95834. You can also reach out to me with any questions at dodienewman@gmail.com or 916-799-9575 (call or text). Information on the form will be used in our member directory.

As always, we welcome your ideas, suggestions, and comments.

Best wishes,

Dodie Newman

Treasurer, Golden State Bonsai Federation



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Date Club Name # of Members

Club's Website Address

Club's Social Media Handle(s)

MEETING INFORMATION

Meeting 1:

Day Address

Time

Meeting 2 (if applicable):

Day Address

Time

CONTACT INFORMATION

Club President Name

email Phone

2nd Contact/Position

email Phone

Who will distribute GSBF information to your members? (select one)

President 2nd Contact Other
name &
email

INSURANCE

Interested in Purchasing GSBF Coverage? Yes No

Club's Insurance Contact Person

email Phone

Annual Fee: \$50.00

Asterisk information you do not want included in the GSBF directory. Please keep your information up-to-date.
Make your check payable to GSBF. Our address is: GSBF PO Box 340694, Sacramento, CA 95834.