



Seminole Bromeliad and Tropical Plant Society

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40th Year Anniversary: 1977-2017

August 2017 Newsletter

**Annual Fall Plant Sale:
August 19 & 20 from 9 AM to 4 PM
200 Fairmont Dr., Sanford**

Our plant sale will feature a huge selection of Bromeliads, Heliconias, Gingers, Orchids, and many other tropical plants as well as plant supplies.



Pictures from the April 2017 Plant Sale

President's Message

July Meeting

Charlie Birdsong gave an excellent Bromeliad presentation, *The Niduraliod Complex*, for the 37 attendees. We also had an [Inflorescence Contest](#) with the photos and plant names now available on our website.

Annual Fall Plant Sale

We already have over 20 sellers signed-up for our August plant sale. We expect to have another great sale. You won't want to miss it!

2017 Bromeliad Extravaganza

The Extravaganza was held in Tampa during the weekend of August 4-6. Our Society was well represented with 9 members plus 3 spouses registered. Another 4 members plus a spouse attended the Plant Sale on Saturday. There was a very entertaining plant auction on Saturday night which included seven special plants donated by the SBTPS, all of which generated spirited bidding. The event concluded with a bus trip to three spectacular private gardens on Sunday morning.

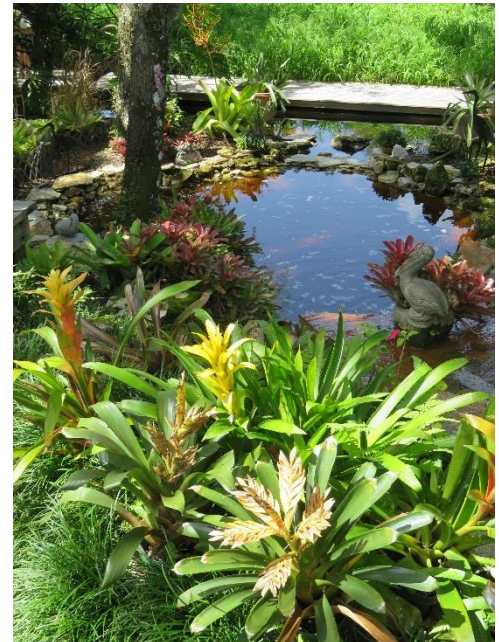
--Greg Kolojeski



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Extravaganza Banquet and Auction



Private Garden in Tampa



SBTPS Members on a Garden Tour



A Great Layout at a Private Garden

September 17th Meeting: Dave Johnston with a Bromeliad presentation