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BSHI APRIL 2024



WELCOME SPRING... Cryptanthus 'Peachy Keen' Pastel

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> Individual - \$20 Family - \$30

Allyn Pearlman BSH Treasurer 6422 Bankside Drive Houston, TX 77096 or Zelle to: deliboys@comcast.net 713-858-3047

APRIL 13 ABC's (Details in this newsletter) (In lieu or regular meeting)

MAY 3 TO MAY 5 BSHI 50th SHOW AND SALE Location Judson Robinson, Jr. Community <u>Center</u> 2020 Hermann Drive, Houston, TX 77004

NO MAY MEETING BECAUSE OF WORLD CONFERENCE

MAY 22 TO MAY 25 BSI World Conference in Florida

Don't forget.... Consortium Contributions needed by April 13 to Cherie Lee

ABCs DIVIDE and CONQUER

Come join us at this year's ABCs to divide your plants and conquer your growing challenges!

Our April meeting will be our annual ABCs and you won't want to miss it.

When: Saturday, April 13th from 10am to 2pm Where: The Edmonson's at 16023 Pebble Bend Drive 77068 Contact: For help with directions, call Mary at 346-235-8931.

If you are new to bromeliads or the society, our members love to share and this is the perfect event for you to meet them and get set up for successful growing. Experienced growers can benefit as well drawing on the expertise of other growers in this area.

If you have a plant or two that you'd like to fix up and would like some help, bring them. We're talking about those plants that need careful dividing, repotting or just a general tidying up.

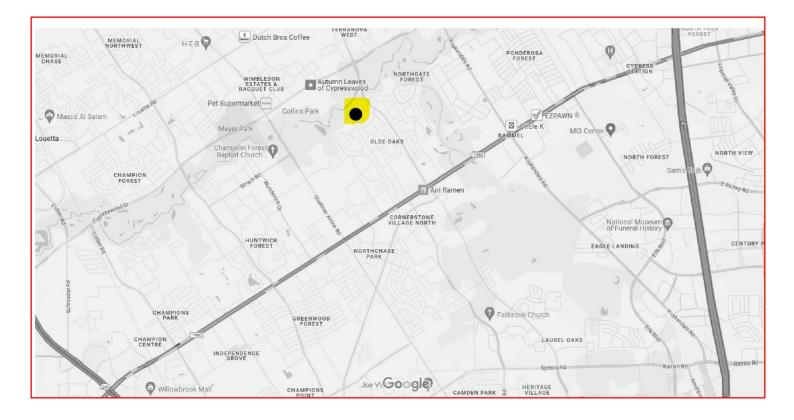
We will have folks show how to handle Cryptanthus, Neoregelias, Dykias and Aechmeas. They will demonstrate their techniques and preferred tools at their workstations. And they will cover the tips for preparing for a BSHI show.

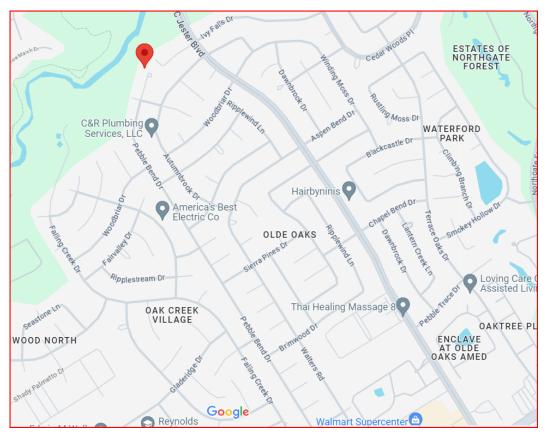
Part of the fun is sharing a meal with friends at lunch too! Brisket and ham will be provided along with water and assorted soft drinks. Plan to bring your specialty side dish or dessert to share with other members.

Also, this is a BYOC event. Tables will be provided, but, Bring Your Own Chairs!

See you there!

ABCs DIVIDE and CONQUER—MAPS





APRIL BROMS Cherie and Frank Lee



Aechmea 'Chocolate'



Ae. apocalyptica



Canistropsis seidelii

APRIL BROMS Cherie and Frank Lee





Neo 'Leo'

Vr, saundersii

APRIL BROMS Cherie and Frank Lee



Vr. platynema x Vr. saundersii variegated



Multiples on *Dykia* in garden

APRIL BROMS Edmonson Cinotto



Ctyptanthus 'Bonfire'





Vr. 'Purple Cockatoo'



Tillandsia ionantha 'Peachy'

Till. Ionantha 'Druid'

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We have a large selection of Aechmea, Billbergia, Cryptanthus, Dyckia, Neoregelia, and Tillandsia. Please compare our prices and our quality.

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www.houstonorchidsociety.org

Regular meeting first Thursday of month at 7:30 PM First Christian Church | 1601 Sunset Blvd



Texas Gulf Coast Fern Society

www.tgcfernsoc.org Regular meeting third Sunday of month at 2:00 PM Judson Robinson Jr. Community Center 2020 Hermann Drive., Houston, TX 77004



Houston Cactus and Succulent Society

www.hcsstex.org

Regular meeting fourth Wednesday of month at 7:00 PM

Metropolitan Multi-Service Center

1475 West Gray, Houston, TX 77019



BSHI MARCH 2024 RAFFLE \$26

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BS/H membership

There are two classes of membership:

Individua	\$20 per yea
Family	\$30 per yea

All memberships begin with January of the current year.

Visit our website at <u>www.bromeliadsocietyhouston.org</u> for more information.

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Cryptanthus Society membership

There are two classes of membership:

Individual	\$20 per yea
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Please send your check to:

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