



YOUR BONSAI LEGACY

THE ABAS BONSAI STEWARDSHIP & ESTATE PLANNING PROGRAMS

The American Bonsai Association of Sacramento (ABAS) prides itself on its strong and caring community of bonsai enthusiasts. In that spirit, we are pleased to announce our Bonsai Stewardship and Estate Planning Programs which offer support and assistance in times of need.

Whether due to incapacitation or death, some day we will need to call on others for help or risk the loss of precious trees that we have

nurtured, often, for many years. Unfortunately, for various reasons, many collections have been lost during these difficult times. ABAS would like to suggest that our members think about this while still healthy and enjoying their love of bonsai.

The Bonsai Stewardship Program: Please reach out to us if you or a loved one are unable to care for your bonsai. We can arrange for short term support or, if necessary, help with the sale of some or all of your collection. To access the Bonsai Stewardship Program details, click the link: [Stewardship Program Description](#)

The Bonsai Estate Planning Program: We have developed a form offering suggestions and a possible format for making your wishes known regarding arrangements for your collection. The form is linked below. Informally, without addition to your legal documents, it will let the person who will attend to your estate know your wishes (please, do choose someone). And/or, it may be shared with your attorney who can formally add or reference it in your will or trust. If you choose, it can also notify ABAS of your wishes regarding our support/involvement at that time. If you are not comfortable completing the entire form now, do what makes sense to you. Please share your wishes with the individuals outlined in your completed form. To access the Bonsai Estate Planning document, [click and download this fillable form](#).

Contact abasbonsaiclub@gmail.com for more information.

As always, our club cares for and seeks to support our membership throughout our bonsai journey.