

# Scurf

Bromeliad Society of Broward County

December 2004



## **NEXT MEETING: HOLIDAY PARTY**

The party is at Sea Watch Restaurant  
It begins at 1:00pm. Lunch will be served at  
1:30. Brown bag gift exchange and a raffle.

**Next meeting is Wednesday, January 19th, 2005**

**We meet the third Monday of every month (except January)  
at 7:30 p.m. in the Broward Agricultural Extension Building  
3245 College Avenue, Davie, Florida**

## **Calendar of Events for 2004-2005**

**December 11th 2004 - Broward Society of Broward County  
Annual Holiday Party** - Will be a luncheon starting at 1:00 pm  
for Hor d' oeuvres and 1:30 lunch will be served. Then plant  
exchange will begin. This all takes place at the SEA WATCH  
RESTAURANT (right on the beach), 6002 N. Ocean Blvd. Ft  
Lauderdale, FL.  
For more info please call Colleen at 954-530-0076 or e-mail  
Timbo-169@comcast.net

**April 2 & 3 2005 - Broward Society of Broward County  
Bivalve Show and Sale** Judging will be March 31st & April  
1st. The sale will be open to the public beginning Sat. April  
2nd, 9:00am to 5:00pm & Sunday April 3rd 9:00am to 4:00pm  
International Fishing Hall of Fame, Davie Beach, FL  
Any questions, please call Ann Schandelmayer, 954-583-1124



## The Presidents Message

Hi Bromeliad FANS,

Happy Holidays to you and all of your family members. Our holiday party this year is going to be better than ever. You do not want to miss this one. The restaurant is beautiful and on the ocean... what a way to bring in the holiday season with all of your bromeliad friends and family. If you have not gotten your tickets please give Bill Frazer a call and he will make sure you can join in. His number is 954-474-1349. You can also give Colleen a call for details.....our number is 954-530-0076.

Thanks to everyone who is bringing goodies to the meetings and to those styling and cleaning up.

On another note, our longtime member and judge Anne Krauffman fell at home and broke her leg. She had to have surgery and is at Memorial Regional Hospital. We send to you a speedy recovery Anne!

Remember, there will not be a December meeting nor will there be a board meeting. January meeting will be Wednesday the 19th, 2005 due to Martin Luther King day which is on our normal third Monday of the month. So mark your calendar.

Happy Holidays to all! See you at the party.

Tim

# Holiday Party

December 11th, 2004

1:00pm Hors d'Oeuvres

1:30 Lunch and 1:31 Fun!!!!

This year our annual Holiday Party will be held at the Sea Watch, 6002 North Ocean Blvd, Ft Lauderdale, 954-781-2200.

We will be having a luncheon holiday party that will begin at 1:00 pm with hors d'oeuvres and lunch will follow promptly at 1:30pm.

For those of you who have not experienced the Sea Watch; it is a quaint ocean side restaurant with a antiqued nautical theme and a fantastic 2nd floor bar over looking the Atlantic. We will also have the plant exchange (the rules are on the next page) .....we will start with Hors D' Oeuvres and you will have the choice of the following.....

## Entrees

Fresh Florida Red Snapper (Hot)

Grilled Orange Roughy (Hot)

Breast of Chicken (Hot)

Fresh Blackened Dolphin Salad (Cold)

## Dessert

Warm Godiva Chocolate Torte

Tickets for the luncheon will be \$20.00, however if you donate 5 plants to the auction you will receive a \$2.00 discount, your ticket will then be \$18.00.

Bill Frzel will be collecting the money and the

Deadline is December 1st

## Rules for the Holiday Plant Exchange

To participate your plant must be clean and free of scale, one that you would like to receive yourself as a gift. Put it in a paper bag so that it cannot be seen and bring it to the party. When you arrive at the party you will be given a number (only if you have brought a plant) so you can participate in the drawing, which works like this....

- 1) The numbers are drawn one at a time, randomly.
- 2) The first number drawn selects from **ALL** plants on the table removed from the bag and shown to the group.
- 3) The next number drawn has the option of selecting an unopened bag from the table **OR "TAKING"** the plant previously selected. If the previously selected plant is **"TAKEN"** then that person then selects another **UNOPENED** plant from the table.
- 4) The last number called gets to pick from **ALL** previously selected plants **except** from anyone that has had their plant taken twice. **The EXCEPTION:** No one can have more than **2** plants taken from them, you get to keep the **3rd**.

Happy Exchange

George Aldrich showing some of his incredible treasures on a collecting trip to Peru



Name Trg Winner  
JORMA HOYER  
NEO GUSPRCHO

Bonus Plant  
winner  
Jim Kerns  
CRUMMER JR SPE



## Reminders

January Birthdays bring goodies!  
Meeting Wednesday January 19th 2005

Happy Birthday to.....

Pat Boone  
Jean Tease

Welcome New Members

Chris Maler

Thank You

To all those that have been helping clean up our  
meeting room

Announcement

December Holiday Party December 11th

On the Cover

*Billbergia oxypetala*, cf *x eloisae*

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