

A Letter from Ann Gergar, Volunteer Leader, Remembrance Garden, June 18, 2018

To: Members of the Bonsai Society of SWFL:

In April 2018, the Brandywine Community in Ft. Myers requested the assistance of the Ft. Myers Bonsai Society with planting of a tree in a craggy rock in our Remembrance Garden, a peaceful garden planted in honor of deceased residents of our community.

Judy Giandelone and Phil Krieg visited the garden to assess our possibilities, and on June 9, four members (Judy, Phil, Sam Wollard and Jack Lunz) of your organization demonstrated for our interested residents how such intricate planting is accomplished and happily answered all of our novice questions.

They were meticulous and spared no effort in trying to assure that the planting would prosper.

The product of their efforts is so picturesque, even before they hopefully return to show us how the plant should be pruned and shaped several months hence.

Our community would like to recognize their enthusiastic and so very helpful response to our request.

Thank you for your outreach.

Signed, Ann Gergar