## **BONSAI – LIVING ART**

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#### **HOTEL RESERVATIONS**

Emerald Beach Hotel 1102 So. Shoreline Blvd. Corpus Christi, TX 78401 361-883-5731

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Reserve room by September 29<sup>th</sup> for special rate of \$95.00 plus tax.

Code for room rate LSB – Request North Tower

#### EARLY BIRD RECEPTION - TEXAS TALENT

For full registrants arriving on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> a reception is scheduled for your enjoyment. Liquid refreshments and Hors d' Oeuvres will be served in the Catamaran Room from 6:30p.m. until 8:00p.m. During this time the Texas Talent Competition will take place in the same room from 5:00p.m. until 8:00p.m. Each club may select members to participate. A collection of different pre-bonsai material will be available for the participants to choose from. The designed trees will then be placed with the rest of the trees to be auctioned Saturday night.

# **LECTURE/DEMONSTRATIONS**

Following dinner Friday night, the three artists, Ed Trout, Joe Day and Jason Schley will conduct the L/D's. Each will have a tree to design. Trees will then be placed in the auction area.

### **AUCTION**

Members from all clubs are invited to bring trees for the Saturday night auction. Bidding on each tree must start at \$100 or more. This year trees can be in a bonsai or nursery container. Tree owner will receive 80% & the convention 20% of the sale.