



# The Spine and Stolon

BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF THE PALM BEACHES

October 2018



## Meeting Information

**Next Meeting: Thursday – 18 October 2018 Time: 7:30 p.m.**

**Location: Mounts Botanical Garden at 531 North Military Trail, West Palm Beach FL 33415. North of Southern Blvd. Meeting is in the building next to the front parking lot. (Do not go through the main entrance gate.)**

## President's Report

Hello Bromeliad Lovers,

Oktoberfest is here with Halloween just around the corner. Looking forward to the first "cold" front, a great fall sale and the end of hurricane season.

Yes, the Fall Plant Sale at Mounts is right around the corner, November 3 & 4. We need cashiers for both days from 8-5 on Saturday and 9-4 on Sunday. This is an important fund raising event for the club so the help is very important and much appreciated.

We will be announcing the nominations for next year's officers and committee chairs and we'll be taking nominations from the floor.

We are happy to have Chip Jones back as speaker. He always has a lot to say and clearly knows how to grow bromeliads.

Please bring any nice bromeliads you don't need any more and put them on the raffle table.

Enjoy your gardens, family and friends.

Nick Bethmann

President, Bromeliad Society of the Palm Beaches



Bromelia pequin



Neoregelia 'Freddy Krueger'



Dyckia 'Brittle Star' F2

## Program

This month's speaker, Chip Jones of [Jones Landscaping](#), will present "Growing bromeliads from pups to a show quality finish".

Chip will be selling plants.

### October Ramble

No club sponsored ramble this month. Go to Octoberfest in Lantana next weekend and the Mounts Fall Sale in a few weeks.

### October Birthdays

If it's your birthday month please bring an appetizer or dessert to share at the meeting.

Breen, Caldy, Davis, Magnuson, Meisner, Russell, Thompson

### Bromeliad Websites

[Bromeliad Society of the Palm Beaches](#)

[BSI International](#)

[Bromeliad Cultivar Registry - What's New](#)

[Florida Council of Bromeliad Societies](#)

[Mounts Botanical Garden](#)

[Friends of Fakahatchee](#)

[Octoberfest in Palm Beach](#)



Neoregelia 'Jeffrey Block'



Aechmea blanchetiana