



MID SUMMER NEWSLETTER

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and all types of accessories

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Fantastic News:

Charles Ceronio's book *Bonsai Styles of the World* now titled "Practical Guide to Bonsai Styles of the World" is in its third edition and is now again available.

Distributed worldwide, or available from us direct once again.

A must have Hand Book for those of us who have already mastered the art of creating bonsai, but wishing now to refine and perfect our creations to an acceptable defined and recognized standards worldwide.

However, its introduction is essential for beginners, detailing the art of bonsai creation design.



**Merry Christmas
& a
Prosperous
New Year**

Festive Business hours:

We will be closed between the 24th December and 1 January 2016.

We will be re-opening again on the 2nd January 2016
Dunnottar nursery: business hours remain as before.

Brandmuller's Garden Pavilion: – Vereeniging:
Open every day 09:00- 17:00
Closed 25, 26, 27 December and 1 January

Christmas Gift Vouchers:

Available at Jo-da Bonsai Dunnottar
for that special person,
any amount you wish,
valid for three months.

Unique gifts for Christmas:

Miniature Chinese Landscapes:
in ceramic trays or on a slate.
Priced from R95.

Miniature African wild animals and birds: full range including
the big five from R40.

Wind Chimes Imported:
Assorted sizes, designs and tones from R140.

WHAT'S NEW AT JO-DA BONSAI DISTRIBUTORS: Bonsai Pots Galore:



Imported Ceramic pots:

A large range of medium to large unglazed.
Most of the small pots are glazed.

Bonsai I.D. labels:

Imported plastic "Hut" shaped labels to identify your
bonsai, size 45mm width x 35mm height with
50mm long spike.

Baobabs:

Adansonia digitata in black nursery bags
Priced from R85 to R400.

Availability List:

Bonsai in ceramic pots and potential bonsai in black nursery bags.
While stocks last.
Refer to our website:
www.jodabonsai.co.za
click on "What's New/ then Current Availability List"

**WHAT TO DO DURING MID SUMMER:
DECEMBER AND JANUARY.**

Our bonsai should be in limbo, an intermediate state at this time of year, only requiring to be watered, fertilized (a balanced fertilizer) trimmed and landscape kept clean. Unfortunately due to the heat wave and water restrictions, we are experiencing special care is needed whilst watering. Especially those small bonsai and those that thrive best in the shade typically Japanese Maples, Azaleas etc. With the low humidity or none at all, the moss is brown. Fortunately Jo-da Bonsai nursery stock is not suffering to much as we monthly use "Superthrive", a vitamin, hormone product.

It helps with assistance to stress, strengthen the bonsai, besides being a product mainly used by bonsai enthusiasts for potting and re-potting stress. You may also use it during Yamadori searching and collecting. Clivia enthusiasts use it when planting their seeds.

Available from us @ R195/100ml or R110/50ml.
It must be used very sparingly.

I think due to the heat wave our stock was invaded by all species of birds, digging up the moss, scratching the landscaping pebbles all over the place. What a mess! We tried everything possible to scare them away, kiddy's whirly fans, hanging old CD disks etc but when the wind was not blowing, or they got braver, it did not help. Then eventually by sprinkling "insecticide granules" on the bonsai, with it's strong unpleasant smell the problem was solved and no harm came to the birds.

Don't forget to water
your bonsai!

**Caring for Bonsai, demands
attention like a
baby except it's left at home!!
Don't forget to water!!**



**BRANDMULLER'S
Garden Pavilion**

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Wheelchair friendly

SPOONS tea garden

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016 428 -3311

Visit the new shop

ALL ABOUT TOYS & HOBBIES

Open Mon – Friday 09:00 – 16:30

Sat & Sundays till 13:00

016 427-1187

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