



About The Malaysia Bonsai & Suiseki Society

The Malaysia Bonsai and Suiseki Society (MBSS) was founded in 1988 by a group of bonsai enthusiasts who shared a common interest in the hobby.

Its growth is synonymous with the growth of bonsai in Malaysia and today MBSS is the largest non-profit bonsai group in the country, also solely recognized to represent Malaysia on the world stage for participation in the regional and international level Bonsai and Suiseki friendship federation.

MBSS, a society registered under the Societies Act, 1966 with over 850 members as of the year 2023, the objective is to promote the art of Bonsai and Suiseki of Malaysia. MBSS is currently located at its own premise at No 95, Jalan Rukun 5, Taman Gembira, 58200 Kuala Lumpur.

For the first time ever, MBSS is proudly the country host for the 6th Asia Pacific Bonsai & Suiseki Conference and Exhibition (ASPAC) at The MINES Kuala Lumpur in 2001. This is the remarkable achievement MBSS has made thus far. After 25 years, we won the host for the 10th World Bonsai Convention 2026 in Pavilion Bukit Jalil, Kuala Lumpur. Our members could proudly showcase their artistic works to the world delegates and learn the philosophy of life from nature.

The aim and objective of the society as outlined in our constitution are as follows: -

1. To promote the art of bonsai and suiseki and its related activities in making a greener Malaysia
2. To foster friendship through bonsai and suiseki
3. To arrange and organize bonsai and suiseki shows for the benefit of its members and the Malaysian public at large.
4. To promote and propagate the art and appreciation of bonsai and suiseki to all Malaysians.



WBFF's Chairman Message

UNITY IN DIVERSITY

The Asia-Pacific Region will host the 10th World Bonsai Convention (WBC) in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, in 2026. We promised to bring you the arts that diffuse throughout the world, bonsai (a miniature plant on pot) is a living art that can be appreciated by all people as it brings peace and happiness to everyone.

The WBFF's mission to "promote international friendship and understanding through bonsai" resonates well with Malaysia's diverse bonsai community. You will witness bonsai arts that bridge people and communities to demonstrate UNITY IN DIVERSITY.

Together with the organizing Committee, we are excited to show you Malaysia's exquisite bonsai, suiseki, and wood art.

Selamat datang ke Malaysia.

Kim Sae Won
The Chairman of World Bonsai Friendship Federation (WBFF)



10th WORLD BONSAI CONVENTION 2026

KUALA LUMPUR

has been chosen as the host city

28 - 31 August 2026
Pavilion Bukit Jalil,
Kuala Lumpur,
Malaysia



Wrightia religiosa (Jeliti)
水梅



SELAMAT DATANG TO MALAYSIA

Malaysia is one of the most vibrant and exciting countries in Southeast Asia with its fascinating fusion of Malay, Chinese, Indian, and indigenous cultures including the Kadazan and Iban among many others.

"Selamat Datang" means "Welcome" in Bahasa Malaysia, the national language. This greeting, written on the faces of its people, reflects the friendliness, heart-warming charm and genuine hospitality of the country.



Kuala Lumpur will host the 10th World Bonsai Convention in 2026, marking the first time the event has been hosted in the destination.

The bid was lead by Malaysia Bonsai & Suiseki Society (MBSS) and supported by Malaysia Convention & Exhibition Bureau.

The event are sponsored and promoted by the World Bonsai Friendship Federation (WBFF), takes place from 28 - 31 August and will welcome more than 1,000 bonsai enthusiasts from around the world, who will gather over four days at Pavilion Bukit Jalil.



Proposed Convention Program



27/8/26 Thursday Day 0	28/8/26 Friday Day 1	29/8/26 Saturday Day 2	30/8/26 Sunday Day 3	31/8/26 Monday Day 4	1/9/26 Tuesday Day 5
International delegates arrival free & easy	Bonsai marketplace, grand opening of the convention, Exhibition starts & gala dinner	The 1st session features regional headliners' bonsai demonstration and excursion KL city tour till nightfall.	The 2nd session features regional headliners' bonsai demonstration and tour of Royal Floria Putrajaya	A must visit Genting Highlands tour & closing ceremony of the convention	Official event end & bon voyage. Participants can go on exciting excursions around Malaysia with various packages being arranged.

