



# The Spine and Stolon

BROMELIAD SOCIETY OF THE PALM BEACHES

March 2019



## Meeting Information

**Next Meeting: Thursday – 21, March 2019 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

Very fine bromeliad weather. I have lots of new flowers and lots of offsets coming along. I actually sowed some seeds this weekend and potted up some Puyas I started at the beginning of the year.

We are looking for volunteer a spend a few hours at our spring sale in April as cashiers and baggers. Mark your calendars for April 27 & 28 and see our treasurer Lyn to sign up for a few hours at our booth. It's a great way to learn more about bromeliads by spending time with our club experts.

This month's speaker is Alex Bello from the Miami society. Alex is going to talk about all the great Steve Correale hybrids. He'll probably even have some for sale.

If you're done with your taxes, go out and find a few nice plants to put on the raffle table.

Nick Bethmann

President, Bromeliad Society of the Palm Beaches



Neoregelia 'Barcelona'



Aechmea ampla



Pitcairnia xanthocalyx

## Program

This month's speaker is Alex Bello. Tillandsia hybrids and crosses by Steve Corrales.

Alex is a past president of the Bromeliad Society of South Florida. He is serious collector of Chester Skotack hybrids and has his own nursery business.

Alex will be selling plants.

## March Ramble

None planned

## March Birthdays

If it's your birthday month please bring an appetizer or dessert to share at the meeting. Don't be surprised if you get a call from the Refreshment Chairman.

Hand, Klimkowski, Nagronski, Simpson, Walvoord

## Bromeliad Websites

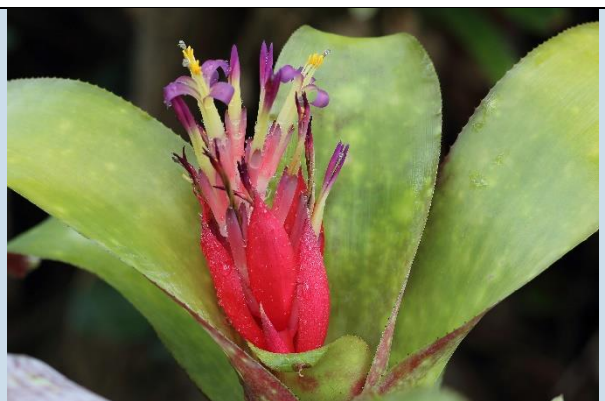
[Bromeliad Society of the Palm Beaches](#)

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Puya 'Cayata'



Bilbergia 'Holiday'



*Aechmea ampla*



Aechmea 'Rebellion'