

Somerset Bonsai Society, Tree of the Month critique July 2023

Member name	Tree species and style	Subject		Technique					Total Score Out of 100	Member votes	Comments
		Overall presentation 30	Pot 10	Roots 10	Trunk 15	Branches & foliage 20	Health & vigour 10	Surface 5			
Advanced											
Peter	Malay apple	21	9	8	12	15	10	4	78	1	Unusual tree! Good rootbase. Needs some more branching to fill some gaps
Richard P	Cherry	22	8	6	11	16	9	4	77		Lovely shape. A few scorched leaves. Look forward to seeing it in flower
Mike C	Orange Dream group	23	10	6	12	15	9	4	79	9	Lovely group. Getting a bit top heavy. A few scorched leaves
Bob	Kiyohime	21	6	9	11	13	9	5	74	4	Good rootbase. Difficult to see trunk due to front branch. Branch structure rather tangled, could do with some thinning out.Pot too deep.
Richard M	Birch	22	6	7	11	14	10	4	74		Well presented and tidy. Mix of straight and curved trunk looks odd.