

Taunton and Somerset Bonsai Club, Tree of the Month critique October 2021

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											
Mike	Blue cedar	20	6	3	9	15	10	3	66		Nice image and very healthy blue foliage. Circling roots need attention. Pot too big!!
Brian	Acer	22	6	5	11	16	9	3	73		Very pretty little tree. Nice rootbase and trunkline. Blue pot colour looks good against red foliage is lovely but is too big! A more dainty pot would suit the tree better.
Richard M	Yew	18	2	2	8	14	10	3	57		A nice show of berries! Sort out the ugly roots as they are not in keeping with the elegant trunk. Tree needs more height to suit the height of the trunk.
Sara	Acer dissectum	20	6	5	11	14	10	3	69		Elegant trunk line and good taper. Needs more branches/foilage on top. Blue pot looks great but is too big!! Weeds!