

102 Years of Educating Aquarists

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8 @ 7:30 PM

The BAS is Proud to Present

KATHY CARDINEAU

President of Nassau County AS & Moderator on ManhattanReefs.com

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The Easy
Way**



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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Happy New Year for 2013 from all of us at BAS!

February marks our 102nd year of providing education, encouragement and enlightenment for the maintenance and prosperity of our aquatic creatures and plants.

Our January guest speaker was **Joe Yaiallo**, curator of the **Long Is-**

land Aquarium & Exhibition Center, located in Riverhead, Long Island.

Joe's topic for the evening was the care and maintenance of the Aquarium's 20,000 gallon marine tank. Joe and his crew have been extremely successful in propagating not only corals, but the marine fish are spawning as well. Joe discovered many interesting and unknown species' behaviors which he was kind enough to share with the member audience. Joe donated several beautiful coral frags to our auction. As always, Joe was well received by our enthusiastic members.

February may bring cold weather, but it starts us thinking about Spring. When we think about Spring what naturally comes to mind – Ponds! **Kathy Cardineau, President of the Nassau County Aquarium Society**, will be our guest speaker and her topic will be *"Ponds – The Easy Way."* Come on down for a warm, relaxing evening with fellow BAS members on February 8. Doors open at 7:30 PM and, as always, there is FREE Parking and FREE Refreshments.

This is YOUR club, so – please -- if you want to see different speakers, different topics and have ideas to better YOUR experience, then please let me know about it. As an example, sev-

eral members wanted to have a 50/50 split for fish, corals and plants, so we will have this at this meeting. Remember this is for livestock only, not equipment or food. We also have the Forum contest for the most posts in our BAS Forum. First prize is \$25 in BAS Bucks and second place is \$10 in BAS Bucks. So please participate because you can't win it if you're not in it!

Remember to use our Hot Line number for updates to BAS events: 718-837-4455.

Joe Graffagnino,
President



THIS MONTHS SPEAKER



Kathy Cardineau can usually be found either wet up to her elbows with her arms in a fish tank or hunched over the keyboard on her computer, talking 'fish' to anyone who cares to listen. When she isn't lugging buckets for water changes for her 3 reef tanks and 75 gallon freshwater tank that houses her gigantic Pleco named Murray, she stays busy as the President of the **Nassau County Aquarium**

Society and as a Moderator on ManhattanReefs.com, helping newbies get started in the fish keeping hobby. When she finally does get outside of the house, it is to either tend to her 2,000 Gallon Koi pond or to head over to the dock where she keeps her boat (no fishing allowed, purely a pleasure craft!). Kathy can frequently be found hanging over the edge of the dock watching the critters that make their home along the edge of the water. During her free time, she tends to her 2 rescued dogs, multitude of rescued cats and her rat named Smoke who was rescued from a pet shop fire.

Kathy's presentation will be what she has learned about tending to her 2,000 gallon Koi pond. She has titled her talk *"Ponds - The Easy Way."*

It's never too early to think about getting your pond up and running, or if you're dreaming about setting up a pond, remember, it's never too early to get involved with what you should do to have a successful Koi or goldfish pond.

Kathy will be available after her presentation to answer your pond questions.



All BAS meetings begin at 7:30pm.

No members, other than those donating their help setting up or items for the auction, will be allowed in before that time.

COMING EVENTS OF INTEREST

EXHIBITIONS, AUCTIONS & CONVENTIONS IN 2013

FRIDAY - SUNDAY FEBRUARY 15-17, 2013

28TH CAROLINA AQUARIUM WORKSHOP at the NC Fairgrounds, James Martin Bldg, 1025 Blue Ridge Rd, Raleigh NC 27607. Field trip, Speakers, Banquet, Auction. More info at: <http://raleighaquariumsociety.org/workshop/index.html>

EVENTS: Friday, Feb. 15: - Field Trip
Saturday, Feb. 16: - Freshwater Programs, Banquet
Sunday, Feb. 17: - Huge Auction- Fish, Plants, etc.
(register at <http://www.mygroupauctions.com>)

SPEAKERS: Chuck Davis, Mo Devlin, Bob Goldstein, Mike Hellweg, Tom Henderson, David Herlong.
Registration: \$25.00.

INFO: Chris Smith 919-698-2828, Todd Wenzel 919-791-7352 or email: raleighaquariumsociety@yahoo.com

SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 17 2013 PIONEER VALLEY A S ANNUAL TROPICAL FISH AUCTION at Chicopee Elks Hall, 431 Granby Rd, Chicopee, MA 01013. Auction starts 11am; the doors open at 9:30am for viewing and vendor registration. Giant Auction of Tropical Fish, Aquatic Plants & Dry Goods. Door Prizes • Silent Auction • Raffles • 50/50 Cash Raffle. Bring the Family and enjoy the day with new and old friends! Free Admission! Everyone is welcome!
DIRECTIONS: From I-91 north or south: Take exit 12 to I-391 north, go 1 mile to Exit 3, take a right onto Granby Rd, go straight thru lights and up the hill, Elks Hall is 1 mile on the right.

DIRECTIONS: From I-90 east or west: Take Exit 5 Chicopee, go left after the toll booth, take a right onto Montgomery St. and stay in the left lane, take a left at lights onto Granby Rd, Elks Hall is 1 1/4 mile on the left. For more information contact **Linda Giza** pvaslinda@hotmail.com or **Martha Morris** marthamorris@hotmail.com
Visit our Website: www.pvas.net.

SUNDAY - MARCH 10 JERSEY SHORE AS 21ST ANNUAL TROPICAL FISH & DRY GOODS AUCTION at the Knights of Columbus, 70 E. Main St., Freehold, NJ. Rare & exotic fish, a wide selection of aquatic plants,. Free goodies & door prizes all day long. Snacks & refreshments available. Open to public - free admission (\$2 bidder fee). Viewing items 10am - 11:45am. Auction starts 12 Noon.
Info: e-mail allaboutpetsllc@yahoo.com, call (732)223-4530 or visit www.jerseyshoreas.org

SATURDAY - MARCH 16 TROPICAL FISH SOCIETY OF RHODE ISLAND - TRIPLE CROWN FISH AUCTION at St. Joseph's Parish Center, 1303 Mendon Rd (Rte. 122), Cumberland, RI. Free admission! Doors open at 10am. Auction starts at 12 Noon. **Directions** to Auction: Rte 295 to Rte 122. (exit 10). Take a left off ramp, proceed past Burger King on left & Rte 116 on right.
Continue on Rte 122 approximately 1 mile. St Joseph's

Church will be on your left. Turn left into driveway before the church, follow the driveway around rear and proceed to top of hill. The Parish center will be on your right. For more Info: **Al Wagonblott (401) 619-7805** or visit: mr_wigles_sr@hotmail.com

FRIDAY - SUNDAY, APRIL 5-7 NEC CONVENTION at the Crowne Plaza in Cromwell, CT. **Speakers include:** Lee Finley, Mark Denaro, Todd Gardner, Rachel O'Leary, Charles Clapsaddle, Andre Carletto, Greg Steveeves, Richard Poerce, Amanda Wanger. Convention rate is \$99 per night (plus tax) for nights of April 5 - 7. This special rate is available through March 31, 2013. Please make hotel reservations by using the link listed.
https://resweb.passkey.com/Resweb.do?mode=welcome_ei_new&eventID=9602169 or call 1-860-635-2000 or 1-877 2 CROWNE (1-877-227-6963). Mention code NFQ.
Contact **Leslie Dick** by e-mail if you have any questions or concerns.

SATURDAY - SUNDAY, APRIL 6-7 MARINE AQUARIUM EXPO, at the O.C. Fair & Event Center 88 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92626. The Marine Aquarium Expo ("MAX") is the largest consumer event for the hobby in North America! You'll see the latest innovative products in the hobby as well as purchase livestock and dry goods from over 70 exhibitors!
Speakers include: Marc Levenson, Ret Talbot, Aviad Ben-Zekry, Bob Fenner, Mark Callahan & Dr. Timothy Hovanec. MAX is family-friendly. Our signature "FinZone" includes an 8ft Touch Tank to introduce kids to exotic marine animals, an H.D. theater, contests, prizes, and many other activities for a day of entertainment! Admission is \$15 for Adults, \$10 for Seniors & Military, \$5 for HS Students and FREE for Children 12 & under. More information: www.marineaquariumexpo.com.

FRIDAY - SUNDAY - MAY 24-26 2013 THE AMERICAN KILLIFISH ASSOCIATION NATIONAL CONVENTION
Held in Portland, Oregon. More information to come.

AUGUST 30th - SEPTEMBER 1st MARINE AQUARIUM CONFERENCE OF NORTH AMERICA, held at the Westin Diplomat Hotel, 3555 South Ocean Dr, Hollywood, FL 33019. Phone: (954) 602-6000. Group rates available until August 7, 2013. Subject to availability. Choose beachfront surf & sand or a more intimate stay surrounded by golf course greens and a full-service spa. **SPEAKERS:** Tony Vargas, Morgan Moore, Matt Wittenrich, Matt Wandell, Kevin Kohen, Julian Sprung, Jake Adams, Craig Bingman, Colin Foord, Ching Chai, Sanjay Joshi, Martin Moe, Vincent Chalias. Full access Pass \$109. Vendors/Speakers Day Pass \$30, Friday Reception Pass \$20, Saturday Banquet Pass \$30. If you have a question about tickets or registering, please send your emails directly to registration @ macna2013.com.

BROOKLYN AQUARIUM SOCIETY

CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2013 - 2014

FEB 8 Kathy Cardineau - Ponds - The Easy Way ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

MAR 8 Kevin Kohen - Superstar Fishes for Reef Aquaria ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

APR 12 Mark Denaro - Where Rare Species are Common ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

MAY 10 Giant Spring Auction ~ Freshwater fish, plants, marine fish, aqua-cultured corals & dry goods including a 55 gal. tank & stand.

JUN 14 Laura Birenbaum - Coral & Marine Inverts' Tolerances for Dry Shipping ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

JULY/AUGUST - NO MEETINGS

SEPT 13 Joe Graffagnino ~ Knowledge of Useless S - - t I Acquired Over the Years ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

OCT 11 Giant Fall Auction ~ Freshwater fish, plants, marine fish, aqua-cultured corals & dry goods, including a 55 gal. tank & stand.

NOV 8 John Coppolino ~ Modern Fish Keeping in Reef Aquaria ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

DEC 13 Holiday Party ~ Members, their families and friends, all you can eat sit-down dinner • Fish Bingo & Prizes • BAS Awards presentations.

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JAN 10 Pat Donston ~ Marine/reef TBA Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

FEB 14 TBA

MAR 13 Gene Ritter - Reef Diving in NYC ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

APR 11 Rachel Oleary ~ Freshwater topic

MAY 9 Giant Spring Auction

The Brooklyn Aquarium Society Inc. is a non-profit organization 501(C) (3) for people interested in the aquarium hobby and the study of aquatic life. The Society meets the 2nd Friday of each month except July and August at the Educational Hall of the N.Y. Aquarium at Coney Island, Surf Ave. at West 8th St., at 7:30 PM. Meetings are open to visitors. Membership is \$25 per year family, \$20 individual, \$15 for students under 14. Send inquires or membership checks to Brooklyn Aquarium Society, c/o Membership Chairperson, P.O. Box 290610, Brooklyn, NY 11229-0011.

Note: The editor takes full responsibility for misspellings and punctuation errors.

COLD WEATHER HELP FOR YOUR FISH FROM BAS

With cold weather setting in, transporting livestock home can be a problem. If you know you're going to buy fish or corals, you should have an insulated bag to carry them home. The BAS has developed a great insulated carrying bag for members; with a reflective aluminum foil interior. It has comfortable plastic handles and is constructed with eco-friendly P.E.T (Polyethylene terephthalate). The bag is made from post-consumer water bottles (85% from water bottles, 15% from other recycled materials). It's 22"H x 16"W x 11"D. Big enough to carry lots of livestock bags. It also folds up for flat easy

storage. The bag is black with the BAS logo in yellow on one side, and features a unique full Velcro closure to keep your fish and corals safely in and the elements out. Members cost is only \$10. You can purchase one at one of our events

They'll be going fast, so a word to the wise...get yours at the next event. Keep it in your car, so you'll always be ready to protect any fish or corals you get this winter.

They're perfect for carrying and protecting livestock home from Society auctions or store purchases.

Get one at the next event!

**A GREAT INSULATED CARRYING BAG FROM BAS!
ONLY \$10
KEEP YOUR FISH AND CORALS WARM THIS WINTER.**



I received this invitation from one of
the clubs I exchange with,
The Sacramento AS.
If you ever dreamt about collecting
fish in the wild, here's a
perfect opportunity.

Joe Graffagnino

Interested in going to the Peruvian Amazon to collect fish and then bring them back? Copa Airlines has great prices on round trip tickets - LAX to Iquitos for \$700. You will fly from LAX to Panama City, Panama and then a direct flight from PC to Iquitos. I just purchased mine. Will be leaving LAX on Friday, 15 March (take a red eye out of LA and arrive in Iquitos the next day at 2:30 PM) and returning Saturday, 23 March.

The cost break down will look something like this: **Flight** - \$700.00
Hotel - \$20 - \$40/day depending on where people stay. The hotel I stay at is \$40 a night, which includes a small kitchenette with fridge and ac, and hot shower. They also have a few of two bedroom places, but am not sure of the cost.

Food - \$15-\$35/day depends on what you like to eat. Grilled chicken and fries around \$7.00

Guide - \$15/day

Transportation - \$10-\$15/day

You will also have a chance to visit some of the fishermen's houses and exporters to purchase fish that you may be interested in. If you are interested, contact me directly for the information.

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Professor of Biology and Environmental Studies
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amazeroll@soka.edu or ichthyology@yahoo.com

BAS Forum Post Contest Winners for January

The 1st place winner of last months BAS Forum contest: *WHO CAN APPLY THE MOST POSTS PER MONTH* was:

David Manual, he received \$25 worth of BA\$ Buck\$. **John Fox** took 2nd and received \$10 in BA\$ Buck\$

The December contest is on now.

To participate in the February BAS Forum contest, with the chance of winning BA\$ Buck\$ go to our club's website, you can go to the top of the web page (right side corner) and click on the word forum and that will take you there, or you can use the link:

<http://forum.brooklynaquariumsociety.org/>

Good luck Joe

THE BENEFITS OF BECOMING A SPONSOR OF THE BROOKLYN AQUARIUM SOCIETY

As a sponsor of the Brooklyn Aquarium Society, you get the following:

- An ad in our monthly publication, the *BAS Bulletin*, both in the printed and the online versions.
- A write-up in our bi-monthly journal, *Aquatica*.
- A banner on our web site that will have a link to your website.
- A "room" on our web forum where you can advertise your product lines and have "questions and answers" with your customers and forum visitors.
- A photo of your store or its interior on our annual web calendar for one month that will advertise your business.

We also accept donations from businesses that we offer at our monthly meetings and will have a "hands on" with your products for our members and guests. We mention your products and your company at our meetings that generally have 125-200 attendees, depending on whether it's a freshwater or marine guest speaker and the speaker's topic for the evening.

If you are interested in working with us to advance your business, the hobby and to Educate Aquarists for an annual sponsorship fee of \$200, please contact me to learn more about the benefits of sponsorship. Once you become a sponsor, our Editor and Webmaster will contact you and work with you to discuss the particulars for your ad, the banner and the forum, along with creating the links.

Come and join our growing family of Brooklyn Aquarium Society supporters and sponsors.

Joe Graffagnino,
BAS President





FEBRUARY AUCTION

50/50 SPLIT!

At this month's meeting there will be a 50/50 split for fish, corals and plants, that you bring in for the auction.

NEW MEMBERS & RENEWALS

New Members:

Grace Allbright (family)
Angelo Aquino
David Garcia

Renewals:

Scott Berliner
Al Dispigna
Pauline Griffin

DONERS TO THE JANUARY BAS AUCTION

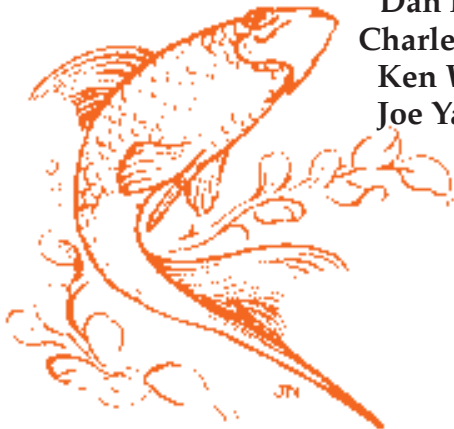
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EASY MEMBERSHIP RENEW ON-LINE

You can now join or renew on line using PayPal. Simply go to the BAS site and click on Membership, then on Sign Up Online. Fill out the sign-up form and click Submit. It's that easy!

REGIONAL SOCIETY EVENTS FOR 2013

List your society events FREE in the monthly *BAS Bulletin*. E-mail a copy of your announcement to: JTODDYBAS@AOL.COM at least 1 month in advance of your event.

FRI. FEB 1 - LONG ISLAND REEF ASSOCIATION

• TODD GARDNER - MARINE BREEDING

Generally meets 1st Friday of the month at 8pm at Dickens Inc, 75 Austin Blvd, Commack, NY 11725. For directions & info: <http://www.LongIslandReef.org>

TUE. FEB 5 - PIONEER VALLEY AS

• TBA

Usually meets 1st Tuesday of the month at the Springfield Science Museum, 21 Edwards St., Springfield, MA at 7:00pm. Free parking in lot. Public welcome. For more information contact: **Dave & Linda Giza (413) 283-8680** or email: mike@berkshiredesign.com, or for directions go to pvas.net

MON. FEB 11 - JERSEY SHORE AS

• TOM CONSTANTINE SERA FOODS FOR FISH

Meets the 2nd Monday of the month at the Knights of Columbus, 70 E. Main St., Freehold, NJ. At 8pm. Speakers, Auction rare & exotic fish, aquatic plants, door prizes. For more details: www.jerseyshoreAS.org; 732-859-5595; mws71@yahoo.com

TUES. FEB 12 - NASSAU COUNTY AS

• TBA

Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month at Kellenberg at Molloy College, 1000 Hempstead Ave., Rockville Centre NY 8:00pm. Check web site for directions. <http://ncasweb.org/directions.php>. General meetings open to the public. Guest speakers, fish related events, raffles, mini-auction. Info: **Mike Foran (516) 798-6766**, or at info@ncasweb.org

TUE. FEB 12 - OTTER VALLEY AS

• TBA

Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:30pm at the Maclure Library, Pittford, VT. The public is welcome. Refreshments, plant and fish auction, free parking. For information contact: **John Todaro** at: jtoddybas@aol.com

FRI. FEB 15- LONG ISLAND AS

• JARROD GORDON & MATTHEW SCHEINER - HOW TO TAKE GREAT AQUARIUM PHOTOS

Meets the 3rd Friday of the month. Meetings are now held at SUNY Stony Brook's Maritime Science area, Room 120 in Endeavor Hall on the State University at Stony Brook Campus, Stony Brook, NY 11794. Doors open @ 7:30pm meeting starts @ 8pm Speakers, auctions, refreshments, free parking. For Info go to www.liasonline.org

SUN. FEB 17 - SOUTH JERSEY GUPPY CLUB -

• TBA

Consists of 50 members with many years of maintaining, breeding & producing show quality/winning guppies. Meetings 3rd Sunday every month at 1 p.m. at Griggstown Volunteer Fire Co at Griggstown, NJ. See South Jersey Guppy Club website for further info: www.guppysa2z.com

THUR. FEB 21 - NORWALK AS

• TBA

Meets the 3rd Thursday of the month at 8:00pm at Earthplace, The Nature Discovery Center, 10 Woodside Lane, Westport, CT. Open to public. Info: Norwalkas.org

THUR. FEB 21- NORTH JERSEY AS -

• JOSHUA WIEGERT - NORTH AMERICAN NATIVE FISH FOR THE AQUARIUM

General meetings are held 3rd Thursday of the month at 8pm; doors open at 7:30pm. This meeting will be held at the Meadowlands Environmental Center. At the Elks Club, 251 Park Ave. Lyndhurst, NJ. 07071. Open to the public. Speakers, raffles, auctions. Info: Call (732) 541-1392 or call **Kevin Carr** @ 201 724-9460 or visit on line for directions www.njas.net or <http://www.meadowlandsstate.nj.us/directions.html>

FRI. FEB 22- DANBURY AREA AS

• TBA

Meets 4th Friday of the month at the Carmel Ambulance Corps Vink Dr., Carmel, NY. For more info: **Rich Litsky** (845) 228-0372 or **Joe Masi** (845) 896-4793 or daas@notheastcouncil.org

TUE. FEB 26- GREATER HARTFORD AS

• TBA

Meets 4th Tuesday of the month at 7 pm at the Lutz Children's Museum, 247 S. Main St. Manchester, CT Call: (9860) 643-0949

WED. FEB 27 - METROPOLITAN AREA KILLIFISH ASSOC. (MAKA)

• TBA

Meets 4th Wednesday of the month at 8 pm at the Meadowlands Environmental Center in Lyndhurst, NJ. Speaker and auction of fish eggs, plants and dry goods. Refreshments served. Info: SLMACK@compuserve.com

WED. MARCH 6 - GREATER CITY AS

• NO MEETINGS JAN & FEB.

Meets 7:30pm on the 1st Wednesday of the month at the Queens Botanical Garden, except for January and February. The public is welcome! Speakers, publication, bowl show, raffles, door prizes, refreshments, plant and fish auctions. For information, please contact **Claudia Dickinson** at: ivyrose@optonline.net or 631-668-5125, or visit www.greatercity.org

CHECK ALL TIMES AND DATES BEFORE ATTENDING

If listed TBA (to be Announced), that means the society has not gotten a speaker or has not updated their calendar of events as of the printing of this list.



TIP OF THE MONTH

When you have to replace evaporated water from your marine aquariums, replace it with fresh water, since none of the sea salt is lost during evaporation. If you just add more salt water that would alter the specific gravity of the aquarium's water, which will put stress on your fish and corals.



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PLEASE SHOP OUR SPONSORS FOR ALL YOUR AQUATIC NEEDS

Our local pet shops and aquarium sponsors are a very important part of the tropical fish hobby. They're there when you need immediate help -- medications, live foods, or a replacement part for a filter. You can check out the fish you're interested in at the store in person; often the shops will special order fish for you. Most will do free water checks for you and most all give discounts to our members. **They want you to succeed in the hobby so you remain their customer, we want them to succeed in their businesses. Whenever you can, buy local! Remember we're all in the hobby together.**

Absolutely Fish's staff is knowledgeable and can help you solve your aquatic problems. **They offer a 15% discount on select fish, marine life & supplies when you present your current BAS membership card.** A really great aquatic shop and well worth the trip. Make a day of it!

Absolutely Fish 1080 Route 46 West
Clifton, NJ 07013
Ph: 1 (973) 365-0200
Open 7 days a week:
Mon-Fri 12-9 Sat 12-8 Sun 12-5

Aquatic Wildlife, features 11,000 gal. of freshwater fish, plants & marine life. **Discounts to members with current membership card.** Well worth the trip.

Aquatic Wildlife,
179D Demming St, Manchester, CT 06040
(In the Panera Plaza)
Ph: 1 (860) 648-1166
www.aquaticwildlifecompany.com

Brooklyn Zoo & Aquarium Inc. is a classic pet shop. They have a full line of aquarium supplies, freshwater, marine fish and corals and offer a **10% discount to BAS members with presentation of a current membership card.** Some restrictions apply.

Brooklyn Zoo & Aquarium Inc.
2377 Ralph, Ave., Bklyn, NY 11234
Ph: 1 (718) 251-7389
Hrs: Sat - Sun 10 - 6 & Mon - Fri 10am - 8pm

"C" The Jungle Pet Store in the heart of Brooklyn carries a full line of pet supplies, tropical fish, birds, and small animals. **They also offer a 10% discount to BAS members with a current membership card.**

Stop in and see what new livestock has arrived.

"C" The Jungle Pet Store
247 New Lots Ave., Bklyn NY 11207
Ph: 1 (718) 649-2536
Hrs: Tue-Sat 10am-8pm • Sun 10am-6pm

Royal Aqua World Inc. has over 100 tanks of marine fish, hard & soft corals, freshwater fish, goldfish & koi imported from Japan, plus plants and pond supplies. **BAS members get a 10% discount on all purchases with a current membership card.** Open 7 days a week.

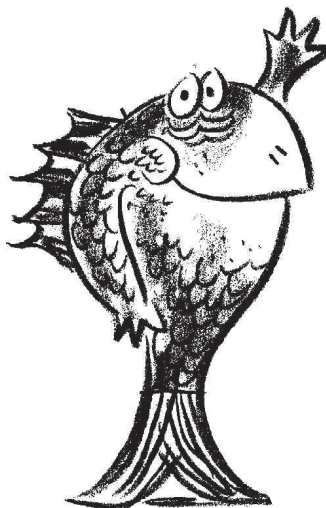
Royal Aqua World Inc., 815 65th St., Bklyn,
NY 11220
Ph: 1 (718) 238-0918
Hrs: 7 days a week 10:30am-8pm

Fauna is Manhattan's largest exotic pet boutique and is a new sponsor of the BAS. **Dan, the owner, offers a 10% discount to members.** He keeps over 2,300 gal. stocked with freshwater, marine fish and corals. They also carry small animals, birds and reptiles. Make a point to visit and tell them you saw their ad in the *BAS Bulletin* and *Aquatica*. This store will blow you away!

FAUNA
265 West 87th street
between Bway & West End Ave,
Ph: 212-877-2473
Hrs: Mon-Wed-Thur-Fri 11am- 7pm
Closed Tue Sat 11am-7pm • Sun 11am-6pm

Mark's Discus hatchery is right in the heart of Brooklyn, breeding quality hormone free Discus and Angelfish. They offer a live delivery guarantee. You're welcome to visit their hatchery; call Mark for an appointment and directions. **BAS members get a 10% discount with a current membership card.**

marksdiscus.com
Ph: 917 202-7699
Open 7 days and all Holidays 9am -11pm



Pacific Aquarium & Pet Inc. in Manhattan's Chinatown carries ornamental goldfish, koi, freshwater fish, & aquatic plants. BAS members get **10% discount with current membership card** (Discounts not to be combined with other specials). They have a full line of aquarium supplies, and you can order custom size tanks.

Pacific Aquarium & Pet Inc.
46 Delancey St., NY, NY 10002
Ph: 1 (212) 995-5895
Open 7 days a week and all holidays
10am to 7:30pm

Pet Shanty. Family owned & operated, stocks 3 rooms of freshwater fish & 1 of marine fish & corals.

They stock a vast list of fish which is posted on line at <http://petsshanty.com>. They also carry other pets and pet supplies. You've got to check them out; they probably have the fish or corals you want. **Members get a 10% discount.**

Pet Shanty
2507 U.S. Hway 22, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076
Ph: 1 (908) 889-8262 • Fax: 1 (908) 889-0803
Hrs: Mon-Fri: 10am-9pm • Sat 10am-7pm
Sun 10am-5pm

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They also carry a variety of fish, birds, small animals and reptiles.

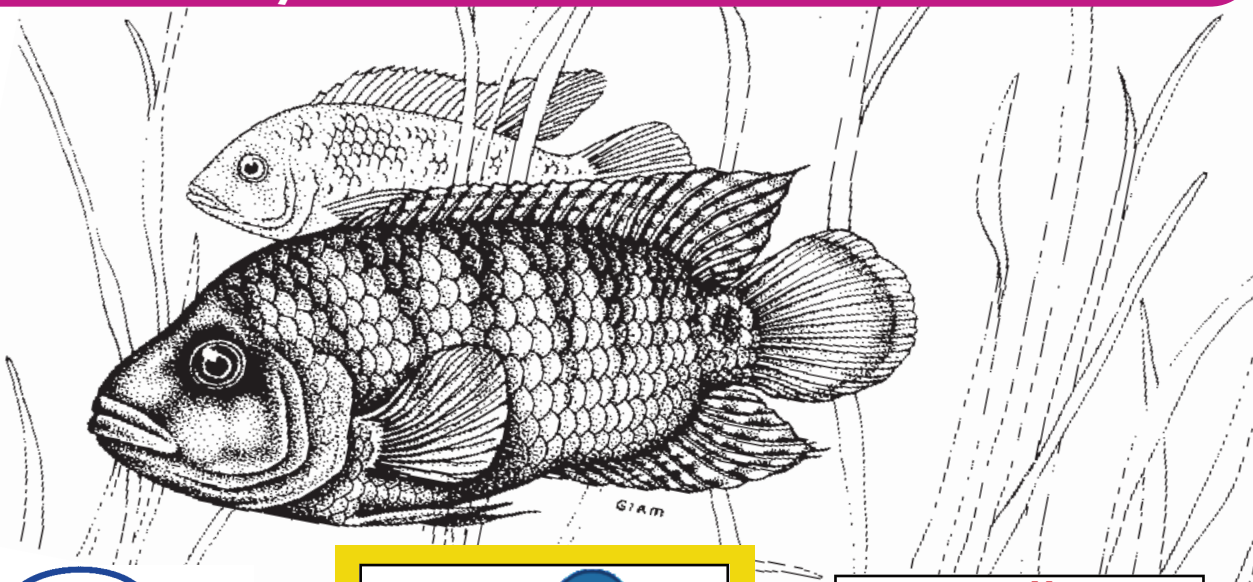
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