

105 Years of Educating Aquarists

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FRIDAY, JUNE 10@ 7:30 PM

**THE BROOKLYN AQUARIUM SOCIETY
PRESENTS**

Rit Forcier



Photo: H. J. Chen

**Have a great Summer.
See you in September.**

Goodeid Livebearers

fun fact
The male Goodeid
possesses a modified
notch in the anal fin
called an
andropodium.

**Marine Fish, Aqua-cultured Corals,
Freshwater Fish, Plants & Dry Goods Auction**

At New York Aquarium, Education Hall, Surf Ave. & West 8th St., Bklyn, NY

Free Parking • Free Refreshments

\$5 Donation for non-members. Good towards membership that night only.

Held the 2nd Friday of each month @ 7:30PM except July & August
For Information Visit WWW.BROOKLYNAQUARIUMSOCIETY.ORG.
Or Call BAS 24 Hr. Calendar of Events Hotline (718) 837-4455

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



May was a great month for us at BAS, good weather, and a great auction. We were packed to the maximum capacity allowed. The donation tables and aquatic supplies were bustling with excitement. Also, several established vendors displayed

their wares at various tables.

Discounted shirts, hats and patches kept the crowds looking for more. The aquatic supply and equipment tables held many hobbyists' interest. The auction had almost 250 bags of livestock and that was not counting aquariums, lighting and aquatic stands. It was a late night, but our members are worth it.

In June we have **Rit Forcier** coming up from Florida. Rit's topic for the evening will be "*Goodeid Livebearers*." As always, there will be free parking and refreshments. Doors open at 7:30 pm. **Entry is free to all active members**, non-members are asked to donate \$5 at the door to help offset expenses; however, their donation that night is good towards the cost of annual membership. Members receive discounts in most of our sponsoring stores and free entry to all our auctions.

Anyone wishing to donate any healthy livestock (fish, plants or live corals) or dry goods can bring them to any general meeting. Donations are always welcome and appreciated – it's what keeps your club healthy!

I must ask for our members' help – Our Treasurer Denise and Board member Stu Hershkowitz are moving to Florida. **We need a Treasurer and Board member.** Please, if you have experience in accounting, we need your help.

Also if you want to see different speakers and learn about different aquatic systems, fish, plants and marine life, please let me know. The elected officials of the Brooklyn Aquarium Society are here to serve YOU! So please let us know what you want and why because it would be helpful to everyone. It is important that you visit and patronize our sponsors. It goes full circle: by helping them, they are also helping you as hobbyists and everyone is helping the Brooklyn Aquarium Society, so help us, help you!

For more info, please call our BAS Hotline at (718) 837-4455, or visit our modern website at

WWW.BROOKLYNAQUARIUMSOCIETY.ORG

On a more personal note – any member who wants to attend a Board meeting, which are held at Education Hall of the New York Aquarium on the 1st Friday of the month, September through June, please notify me at (347) 277-4793 by the Tuesday before the meeting.



Steven

Steven Matassa,
President

THIS MONTH'S SPEAKER

Our speaker for this month, **Rit Forcier**, has kept tropical fish since age 10. Rit has been a member of the former Aqua Land Aquatic Society, Bristol, CT, since 1982 and became its President in 1986. He was Past President of the Exotic Fish Society of Hartford, 1985. The two clubs merged in 2009 and formed the Greater Hartford AS.

He is co-founder and first Chairman of the Northeast Livebearer Association, and currently its Treasurer and Membership Chair, as well as a member of the American Livebearers Association for over 15 years. Rit was elected to the ALA Board of Directors in September of 2002, a position he still holds. He became Vice Chairman in April of 2003 and elected Chairman of the Board of Directors in Oct. 2003 and reelected four times. He was honored by Aqualand in December of 1999 with an honorary lifetime membership for his "sincere dedication and generous support."

In addition, he is an honorary lifetime member of the Pioneer Valley Aquarium Society (MA), 2006 Recipient of the Betty Mueller Award from the Northeast Council of Aquarium Societies for his contributions to the hobby. His articles have been published in many hobby magazines, including TFH. He maintains 45 tanks, some of which do not contain livebearers. He has been an auctioneer for many clubs, including ALAS, PVAS, Nassau (LI) and NEC.

His livebearers have won Best of Show at Aqualand in 1996, and third place in the Wm. T. Innes competition of the Northeast Council in March of 2010, among other honors. He earned the Breeder designation of the Northeast Council in 1990, and Master Breeder in 1999. He holds Senior Breeder status in the ALA.

In real life, Rit is a computer consultant. He travels half the year teaching programmers to write programs.

Rit is a fun guy and a great speaker and very knowledgeable about fishkeeping, so if you want to learn about goodeids and livebearers, this is a not to be missed event.

DIRECTIONS TO THE NY AQUARIUM

Directions by Car: Take Belt Parkway to Ocean Parkway South (Exit 7S). Take Ocean Parkway approx. 1/2 mile. The New York Aquarium will be on your left.

Directions by Subway: Take either the Q or F trains to West 8th St, NY Aquarium Station. Follow signs to NY Aquarium.

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.

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

ELECTIONS FOR OFFICES AND BOARD TAKE PLACE IN JUNE

All members in good standing who have been in the Society for 6 months are eligible to run for any office on the Board. **We are always looking for members to help run this great, 105-year old Society.** If you want to help the Society in its second century of *Educating Aquarists*, please consider running. At the June Event, you can be nominated by a fellow member or nominate yourself. Just because you have been nominated does not mean you have to run, but we wish you would. We welcome new people to the Board. **New people bring new ideas and enthusiasm to the Society.**

**THIS YEAR WE NEED A NEW TREASURER.
IF YOU HAVE EXPERIENCE IN THIS AREA
PLEASE STEP-UP...WE NEED YOU!**

Our excellent treasurer **Denise Hershkowitz** and her husband **Stu**, a Board member, are moving to Florida.

We also need an **Exchange Editor**. A fun position, the Exchange Editor gets to read newsletters from other societies then writes up a short review of articles he/she feels our members would be interested in reading. He/she also looks for *Aquatica* article other societies have reprinted in their publications and reports this to the membership. The Exchange Editor only has to write 5 short article review columns a year.

**THIS IS YOUR SOCIETY,
PLEASE CONSIDER RUNNING FOR A POSITION.**

The open positions and members who are running are listed to the right. For information and details on any of the positions contact **Steven Matassa** at (718) 513-6636.

- President:
Steven Matassa
- 1st Vice President:
Alfred Turrisi
- 2nd Vice President:
Marie Licciardello
- Recording Secretary:
Kay Martin
- Treasurer:
POSITION OPEN
- Membership Chairperson:
David Manuel
- Corresponding Secretary:
Dan Smith
- Sgt. At Arms:
Lita Goldberg
- Exchange Editor:
POSITION OPEN

BOARD MEMBERS:*
Bill Amely
Marty Karfinkel
Gennady (Gene) Kogan
Michael Roman
Vito Sacchieri

*5 Board members are to be elected by the membership. 5 more are to be selected by the President and approved by the full Board.

Web Master: **Bernard Deren
Editor: **John Todaro
**Webmaster & Editor are appointed by the President and approved by the Board.



BROOKLYN AQUARIUM SOCIETY

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2016 ~ 2017

JUN 10 Rit Forcier - Goodeid Livebearers ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auctions. BAS Elections.

JULY / AUGUST - NO MEETINGS

SEPT 9 Joe Graffagnino ~ Joe's New Fish Room ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

OCT 14 Giant Fall Auction ~ Freshwater fish, plants, marine fish, aqua-cultured corals & dry goods, including a brand new 55-gallon tank & stand.

NOV 11 Daniel Kopulos ~ How Collecting Practices Affect the Marine Hobby ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

DEC 9 Holiday Party ~ Members, their families and friends dinner • Fish Bingo & Prizes • BAS awards presentations.

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FEB 10 SPEAKER TBA ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

MAR 10 SPEAKER TBA ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction.

APR 14 Micheal Barber ~ Tropical Fish Collecting & Wildlife Expeditions ~ Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATIONS TO THE MAY AUCTION

INDIVIDUALS

Frank Campo
David Hayes
David Manuel

Steve Matassa
Scott Peters
Dorothy Russell

Bob Strazzula
Michael Weiner

STORES & COMPANIES

- Absolutely Fish, West Clifton, NJ
- Aquarium Village, Westbury, NY
- Brooklyn Zoo & Aquarium, Brooklyn, NY
 - Fauna, Manhattan, NY
- Monster Aquarium, Flushing, NY
- Pacific Aquarium & Pet, Manhattan, NY
 - Pet Qua, New York, NY
- Thousand Islands Aquarium, Brooklyn, NY
 - World Class Aquarium, Brooklyn, NY

Aqua FX
Ati
Boyd
Caribsea
Central Aquatics
Cichlid News
Dolphin
Drs. Foster & Smith

Ecological Labs
Fritz
Ginger
Hikari
House of Fins
Lifegard
2 Little Fishes
Omega

Petland Discounts
Reed Mar.
Sera
Spectrum
Tetra
TFH
Your Fish Stuff

NEW BAS MEMBERS & RENEWALS MAY 2016

NEW MEMBERS

Dwayne Brown
Matthew Chiodo
Jamal Cumberbatch
Gil Elbaz
Samuel Gonzalez

Sean E. Hampden
Keron Medina
Michael Melbourne
Al Montanino
Andrey Mustafonsk

Michael Savarese
Eduard Shraga
William Smith
Brian Starling

RENEWALS

Nicolas Martinez
Andrew Payne
Ken Walsh

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COMING EVENTS OF INTEREST

EXHIBITIONS, AUCTIONS & CONVENTIONS 2016

JUNE 3 - 5 ~ GUPPY ASSOCIATES INTERNATIONAL CHICAGO ANNUAL SHOW. Held at the Hampton Inn and Suites, 1685 W. Lake St. Addison, IL 60101. Entries and judging for the show will take place on Saturday, with an Auction open to the public on Sunday morning. For more information on the show, contact Mr. Tom Allen at tgallen40@yahoo.com or look for details at WWW.IFGA.ORG.

JUNE 9 -12 - NORTH AMERICAN NATIVE FISH ASSOCIATION CONVENTION. Lodging and the convention at the Best Western Plus Wynnwood Hotel and Suites. 580 US Highway 1 Bypass, Portsmouth, NH. Fresh and saltwater collecting, fish photography, lectures by native fish experts, annual NANFA auction. Cruise on the Gulf Challenger, a 50 ft fisheries research vessel, tide pooling and creek seining at Odiome Point State Park. Much more! Banquet menu Saturday, June 11th. For additional information, or if you have questions, please contact: Josh.Jarvis.firstchaos_2000@yahoo.com, www.nanfa.org.

JULY 7 - 10 ~ AMERICAN CICHLID ASSOCIATION 2016 CONVENTION. Held at the Marriott Hotel & Resorts Cincinnati River Center, 10 West River Center Blvd, Covington, KY 41011. World Class Speakers: **Greg Steeves, Rusty Wessel, Jeff Cardwell, Ad Konings, Vin Kutty, Steve Lundblad, Wayne Leibel.** ACA Auction. For more information visit www.ACAconvention2016.com.

JULY 8 ~ NORTH AMERICAN DISCUS ASSOCIATION at Westin Lombard Hotel, 70 Yorktown Shopping Center, Lombard, IL 60148. The largest collection of discus, from the largest number of international breeders, ever seen in the Midwest. Raffles! Discus Judging! Discus Awards Banquet! Breakfast Buffet & Roundtable Discussion with all Scheduled Show Speakers! Drawing for a \$200 gift certificate towards purchase of discus - from Spirits of the Amazon! Speakers **Paul Butler** - International Discus Health Expert, **Dan Lorbeske** - Shedd Aquarium Senior Aquarist, **Dick Au** - International Discus Breeder & Author, **Spencer Jack** - Founder Canadian Cichlid Association, **Al Sabetta** - Biologist & Simply Discus Forum Owner, **Erica Hornbrook** - Shedd Aquarium Amazon Collection Manager, **John Nicholson** - American Discus Breeder & NADA Show Chair. For more information: **Jerry Baer Email: discusnada@gmail.com**.

JULY 15 - 17 ~ TEXAS AREA KILLIFISH ORGANIZATION TAKO BELLE REVUE SHOW & AUCTION. At the Thornwood Community Clubhouse, 15118 Turkey Creek Drive, Houston. Guest speaker: Stephen Rabke. On Sunday, the Auction will begin at 12:00 PM. Bidder Cards are free. Advance registration is encouraged. Please email **Art Leuterman** with your name, address, cell and home phone number if you plan to bid at the auction. Art's email address is leutajjl@swbell.net.

JUNE 23 - 26 ~ INTERNATIONAL BETTA CONGRESS (IBC) Held at the Holiday Inn Express, 150 Aquarium Drive, Janks, OK. Call 918-296-7300 for reservations, room rates \$99 plus tax. Full package \$175. Meals only \$130. For more information: ibcbettas.org/2012/

JULY 28 - 31 - AMERICAN CICHLID ASSOCIATION CONVENTION Held at the Red Lion Hotel, 11320 Chester Rd, Cincinnati, Ohio. Speakers: **Jeff Cardwell, Ad Konings, Wayne Leibel, Steve Lundblad, Greg Steeves, Rusty Wessel.** More information to come. Check their web site www.cichlid.org.

AUGUST 21 ~ NORTHEAST COUNCIL OF AQUARIUM SOCIETIES SUMMER AUCTION held at Earthplace, 10 Woodside Lane, Westport, CT. Auction of fish, aquarium equipment and dry goods. Viewing 9:30 -11:45. Auction 12 noon -5pm. For information email: president@northeastcouncil.org or Web: www.northeastcouncil.org

OCTOBER 9 ~ NORTH JERSEY AS GIANT FALL TROPICAL FISH AUCTION At Days Hotel & Conference Center, 195 Rt 18, Turnpike Exit 9, East Brunswick, NJ. Auction starts at 12 Noon. Viewing from 11 am. For more information go to: www.njas.net

OCTOBER 13 - 16 - ALL-AQUARIUM CATFISH CONVENTION at Hyatt Dulles, 2300 Dulles Corner Boulevard, Herndon, VA 20171. Special Convention Rate: \$119 per night plus taxes. •The Potomac Valley AS is proud to present its 7th biennial All-Aquarium Catfish Convention. Early Admission Registration from January 1, 2016, through June 30, 2016, is \$45. Speakers for Friday & Saturday: **Anton Lamboj, Narbie Fiorentino, Brooks Burr, Eric Bodrock, Hans Evers, Ingo Seidel, Regina Spotti, Stephan Tanner.** Sunday, an all day auction. For Info: <https://www.facebook.com/catfishcon> for updates

NOVEMBER 5 - 6 ~ WISCONSIN KILLIFISH ORG (WACO) 36th annual egg-laying Toothcarp Jamboree. Held at the Day's Inn & Suites - Airport. Milwaukee, WI. This is a day AKA sanctioned Show & Auction. The featured speaker is **Ken Normandin.** Seminars, Raffles, 15 Classes, Judged Competition, Live Foods, Box Sales & Publications, Hospitality and Huge Auction. For more information: www.wakoaaka.org





A COUPLE OF YOUNG FISH
FANS AND
A FUTURE FISH FAN AT THE BAS
MAY AUCTION.



TIP OF THE MONTH

It's summer break time for the BAS. We wish you all a great summer and enjoy your fish, ponds and breed lots of fish.

We will be back in September with a whole new schedule of great aquatic speakers and auctions.

See you then.

BAS Officers and Board.



THE SAFE FISH CARRIER THE INSULATED CARRYING BAG

This is the new safe, convenient and modern way to transport fish from an auction or a store. It's not clumsy and bulky like a styro box, easy to carry and it folds up when not in use. They're perfect for carrying and protecting livestock home from Society auctions or store purchases

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 bag, and folds up for flat easy storage. The bag is black with the BAS logo in gold and features a full Velcro closure to keep fish and corals safe in any type of weather. Cool in the summer and warm in the winter.

It's strong enough to carry many bags of fish.

ONLY \$10

You can purchase one at our events

KEEP YOUR FISH SAFE IN TRANSIT!



NEW FROM JOE GRAFFAGNINO

FANTASY & HORROR

SHORT STORIES



In addition to his fantasy / adventure novel *"The Journey of Mary/Ma Li"*. His latest book has 13 short stories under the title of *"Fantasy & Horror Short Stories"*. These 13 stories draw readers into a compelling web of intrigue and suspense. Some are funny, others sad, and still others capture the inner conflicts that torment us yet hint at hope for a brighter tomorrow. Readers immediately identify with the bigger-than-life fictional characters that make us ponder our inner selves, fantasies, dreams and passions, and question how far we're willing to go to get what we want.

"Fantasy & Horror Short Stories" is available at all book retailers and is available in hardcover, softcover and electronic editions. **Amazon has it in Kindle and Barnes and Noble has it in Nook versions for \$3.99.**

Please visit Joe's web site www.JAGraffagnino.com to purchase either book, in any of the listed formats. Also visit his web site for contests, FREE giveaways and information about other soon-to-be-released works from the author.



HATS, SHIRTS & PATCHES ON SALE AT THE MEETING.



NEW!

Official caps with embroidered
BAS logo.

(Black only) One size fits all.

Only **\$10** each

NEW!

Official BAS embroidered patches that
can easily be ironed onto any shirt, hat,
jacket or article of clothing you wish.

Only **\$4** each



NEW!

Official BAS T-Shirts. (Black only)
(Small to XL) **\$12** each (XXL & XXXL) **\$14** each



FRONT

BACK



RULES FOR POSTING ON BAS FACEBOOK

In an effort to control the posts that David Lund and I have noticed hitting the various groups advertising other items and merchandise, these rules basically address what members and followers can and cannot post on our pages such as spam, fraudulent products and direct mail to our member lists.

- We strive to keep this group as spam and drama free as possible. You can help by reporting spam and offensive content.
- Trolling & Spam will not be tolerated. Any post that an Administrator suspects is posted for the purpose of creating conflict may be deleted and the poster may be removed from the group. The same goes for offensive content.

PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES FOR GROUP INTERACTIONS:

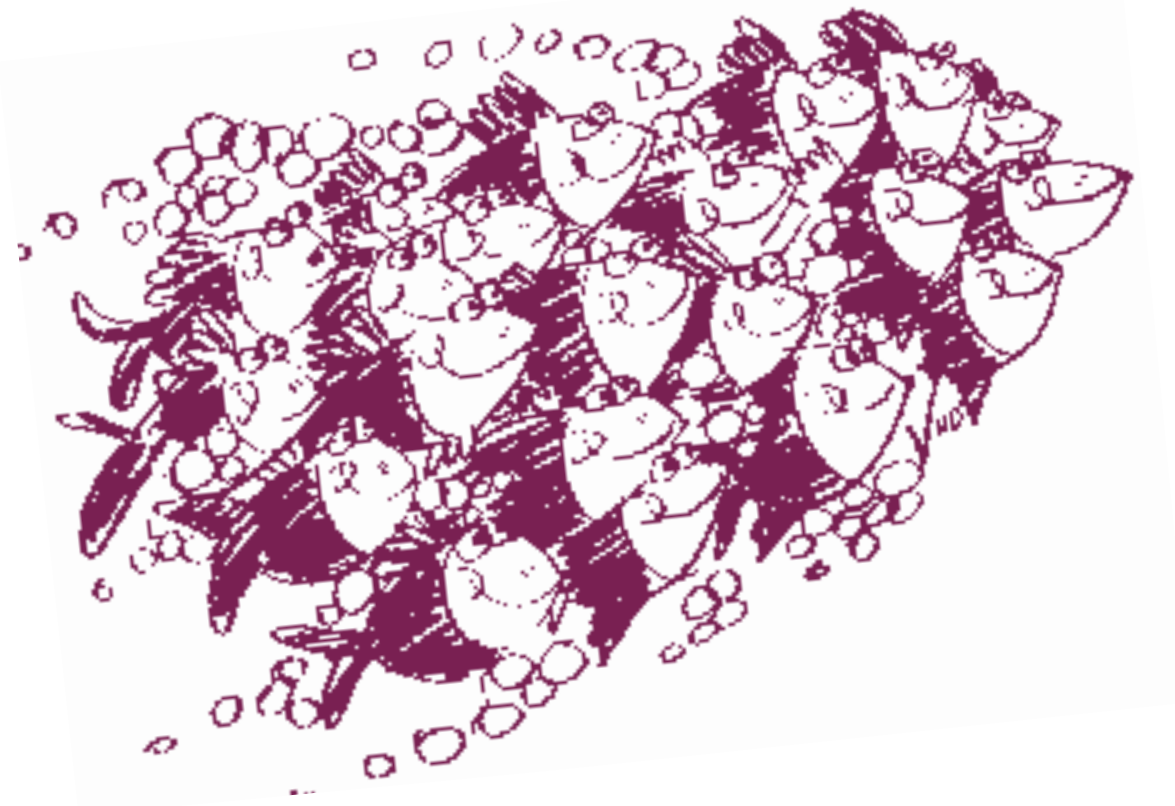
- If someone else bothers you: Block them. (Site Administrators would be the Exception; sorry, cannot allow blocking of any Administrator.) If they say something you think violates FB rules: Report them and/or block them.
- If they post spam: Report the account & report the post to Administrator.
- If someone is being inappropriate: Report the post to the Administrator and/or to FB.
- Trolling: Directed emails soliciting site members may be blocked. If you received excessive requests to follow another site, please report to us via private message to the Administrator. Thanks!
- Also: Buyer beware. If you are buying/trading with members in the group, take time to research what you are buying to make sure it is what you really want; if using PayPal or similar, make sure the method of payment you are using is typical. The group will not be responsible for inter-member transactions. You can bring any items for exchange to one of our monthly club events in person.
- We strive to promote the exchange of information and trade of aquatic equipment, but fraudulent solicitations or spamming will not be tolerated and will result in immediate ejection from the group.
- Thank you for helping us foster a warm and fruitful environment for you and all the members.



BAS ONLINE FORUM A GREAT PLACE TO MEET OTHER AQUARISTS

Check out our new forum on our web site at www.basny.org and click on **Forum** at the top right of the page. Registration is free and easy to all, so take advantage of this opportunity to ask your fish related questions, or just discuss whatever fish related topic you want like questions on filters, lights, pumps or anything else. There is even a place to sell or trade your fish, tanks or equipment. So help yourself and help us keep our forum going -- join today.

Steven Matassa



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 NY 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 18. Send inquires or membership checks to **Brooklyn Aquarium Society, c/o Membership Chairperson, P.O. Box 290610, Brooklyn, NY 11229-0011.**

NEWS & NOTES

Aqueon Air Pump (aqueonproducts.com)



This new pump features a unique design and function. While most air pumps in the marketplace are horizontal in design, Aqueon pumps are sleek, contemporary and stand upright. Each has a small footprint, and there's no need to hide it under a stand or cabinet because it doesn't look like a traditional air pump. From a functional perspective, the vertical air intake is located on the back of the air pump, which helps prevent the air line tubing from kinking. In the event power is lost, the internal check valve prevents water from back flushing and potentially overflowing the aquarium. Lastly, the rubber base completes the contemporary look and provides a foundation that absorbs vibrations. Aqueon Air Pumps

are available in sizes: 10, 20, 40, and 100.

Three new frozen foods from Ocean Nutrition America including a fully loaded preparation of Brine Shrimp with Spirulina and garlic for freshwater and marine animals.



**HAVE A GREAT SUMMER.
WE'LL SEE YOU IN
SEPTEMBER.**

REGIONAL SOCIETY EVENTS FOR 2016

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

CHECK ALL TIMES AND DATES BEFORE ATTENDING

If listed **TBA** (to be Announced), the Society has not gotten a speaker or has not updated their calendar of events.

WED. JUN 1 - GREATER CITY AS

• RUSTY WESSEL - FISHES OF THE MAYA - FISHES FROM SOUTHERN MEXICO, GUATEMALA & HONDURAS

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

THU. JUN 2 - BUCKS COUNTY AQUARIUM SOCIETY.

• TBA

Meetings begin @ 7:30 pm & doors open @ 7:00 pm on the 1st Thursday of every month except August, at The Churchville Nature Center, 501 Churchville Lane, Churchville, PA. Annual membership is \$20 for single membership, and \$10 for each additional family member who wishes to have voting privileges and the ability to participate in the BAP program. For directions, visit our web site: bcasonline.com

FRI. JUN 3 - LONG ISLAND REEF ASSOCIATION

• TBA

Generally meets 1st Friday of the month @ 8:00pm at Acan Lighting, 75 Austin Blvd, Commack, NY 11725. For directions & info: <http://www.LongIslandReef.org>

TUE. JUN 7 - PIONEER VALLEY AS

• TBA

Usually meets 1st Tuesday of the month at the **The First Congregational Church, 20 Lathrop St. West Springfield, MA @ 7:00pm**. Free parking in lot. Public welcome. For more information email: **Jacob Guinasso**, jguinasso@pvas.net or **Martha Morris**, martha_morris@hotmail.com. For directions go to pvas.net

THU. JUN 9 - TROPICAL FISH CLUB OF BURLINGTON

• CAROLINE ESTES - WHAT FISH GO IN WHAT SIZE TANK

Meetings are held the 2nd Thursday of the month at the VFW Hall, 73 Pearl St. in Essex Junction, VT starting @ 6:30pm. Free door prizes, bowl show (warmer months), monthly auction, fish discussions and a good time! New members are always welcome! For more information contact **David Banks** at dbanks@together.net or www.tfcfb.org

MON. JUN 13 - JERSEY SHORE AS

• KERRY DILKS - PLANTED AQUARIUMS

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

TUE. JUN 14 - NASSAU COUNTY AS

• DOLLAR A LOT AUCTION NIGHT! (NCAS collects \$1 from every lot sold. Seller gets the balance.)

Molloy College, 1000 Hempstead Ave., Rockville Centre NY @ 8:00pm. Meets 2nd Tue. of the month. 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

THU. JUN 16 - NORTH JERSEY AS

• RACHEL O'LEARY - DWARF HILLSTREAM FISH

Usually meeting held @ 7:45pm every 3rd Thursday of the month at the Quality Inn, 10 Polito Ave., Lyndhurst, NJ. NJAS one of the largest and most well respected aquarium clubs in North America. Since 1953, NJAS has provided a friendly outlet for the exchange of aquarium-related ideas and information and recognizes the accomplishments of local hobbyists. For more info: www.njas.net/

THU. JUN 16 - NORWALK AS

• CHARLEY GRIMES - DEAD FISH PROGRAM

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

FRI. JUN 17 - LONG ISLAND AS

• TBA

Usually meets the 3rd Friday of the month. Meetings are now held at SUNY Stony Brook's Maritime Science area, Room 120 in Endeavor Hall (After you enter building, take hallway on the right. Room 120 is first room on the left) 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. www.liasonline.org

WED. JUN 22 - METROPOLITAN AREA KILLIFISH ASSOC.

(MAKA)

• TBA

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

FRI. JUN 24 - DANBURY AREA AS

• TBA

Meets 4th Friday of the month at 7:30pm at Laura Sprain Memorial Cornerstone park, 1 Fair St. Carmel, NY 10512 For more info: **Rich Litsky (845) 228-0372** or **Joe Masi (845)-896-4793** or daas@notheastcouncil.org

TUE. JUN 28 - GREATER HARTFORD AS

• TBA

Meets 4th Tuesday of the month @ 7pm at the Lutz Children's Museum, 247 S. Main St. Manchester, CT. Call: (860)-643-0949



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Brooklyn Aquarium Society,
c/o Membership Chairperson, P.O.
Box 290610, Brooklyn, NY 11229-0011.

THE BENEFITS OF BECOMING A SPONSOR OF THE BROOKLYN AQUARIUM SOCIETY

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

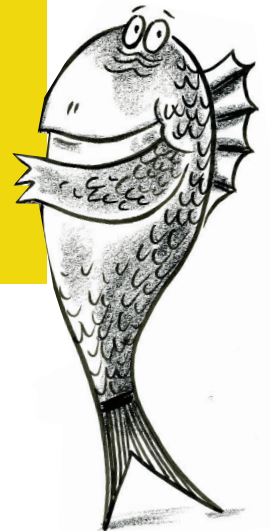
- An ad in our monthly publication, the *BAS Bulletin*, both in the printed and the online versions.
- A write-up in our bi-monthly journal, *Aquatica*.
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- A "room" on our web forum where you can advertise your product lines and have "questions and answers" with your customers and forum visitors.
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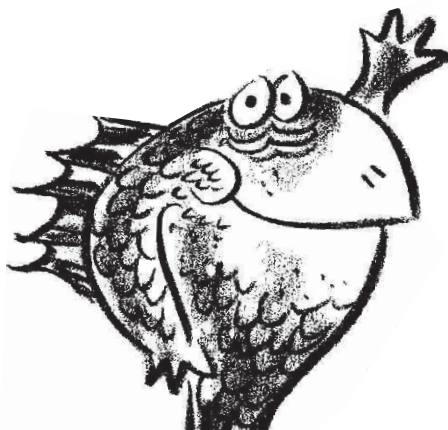
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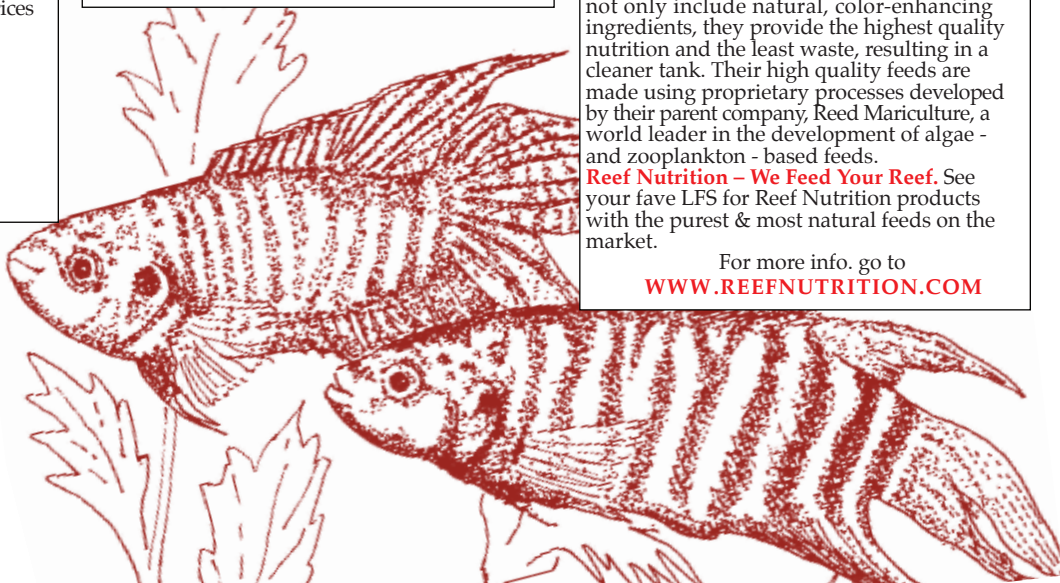
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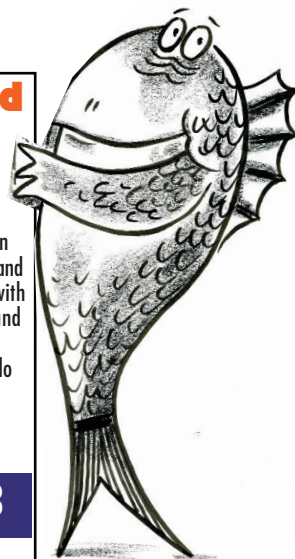
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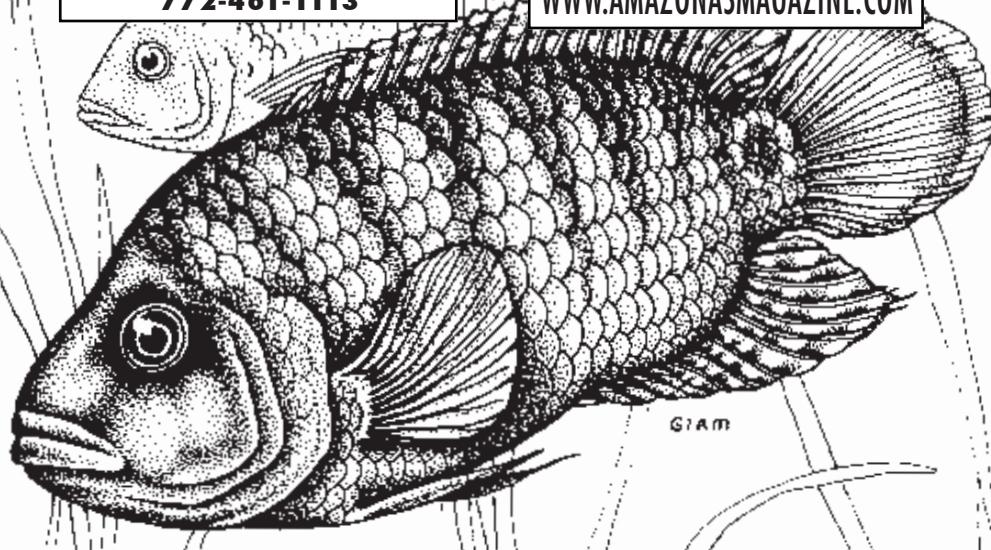
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