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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



The new season kick off meeting of September featuring Joe Caparetta was a great success. Joe's topic for the evening was "Unique Corals You Can Keep". We had "technical difficulties" with the Power Point presentation so Joe had to "wing" it

and just talk about keeping marine corals, fish and the proper maintenance to sustain these live-stock. The Q & A went on long after Joe went off camera. Everyone enjoyed this very different type of presentation.

October brings our Fall Giant auction featuring marine fish and corals, freshwater plants, fish and invertebrates. As always, we will have many bags of your favorite species. Great bargains will be available so make sure you come to the greatest auction in New York on October 14. Our unique sales tables will be open for shirts, hats, books, magazines and other aquarium equipment and supplies. We will also have a giant raffle for our members and guests.

I hope to see everyone at our October 14th auction. As always, there is free parking and free refreshments.

Please visit our new website where you can read the *BAS Bulletin* and enjoy a full color *Aquatica*. So far, feedback has been very favorable. We put a lot of effort and hard work into this new web site and we want your reaction as to how you like it. Please get back to me on this. The interactive forums and sponsor sections are truly enjoyable. Provided you have given us your email address, you will be getting notifications of club events via email.

I am asking for your help and support. If you want to see different speakers or try different things, please let me know. The elected

officials of the Brooklyn Aquarium Society are here to serve YOU! Please let us know what you want and why. 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 desires to attend a Board meeting, held at the Education Center of the New York Aquarium on the 1st Friday of the month, please notify me at (718) 238-1792 by the Tuesday previous to the meeting.

Joe

Joe Graffagnino
President



THE FALL GIANT AUCTION

THIS YEAR MARKS THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SOCIETY, and to celebrate, we're throwing a Giant Anniversary Auction for our members featuring both freshwater and marine fish...hard to find and rare fish and plants you won't find anywhere else, and they usually go for ridiculously low prices.

Arrive on time to get a good seat and to view auction items from 7:30pm to 8:30pm. The Auction starts at 8:30pm. [see above!!]

We will, as usual, auction a new 55-gallon tank and stand donated by our good friends at **Petland Discounts**. If you intend to bid on it, keep in mind that you will receive a coupon for the tank and stand so you can pick it up at a Petland Discounts store here in Brooklyn that you designate. Our auctions are all cash, but we will accept personal checks from members and people we know.

Please stay seated once the auction has started. Runners will bring items to you for inspection. We will have for sale a new item, a beautiful Brooklyn Aquarium Society 100th an-

niversary commemorative cloisonné enamel key chain. In addition, we are selling aquarium books at marked down prices, plus other aquarium products, along with official BAS hats, T-shirts, and a special raffle. So come early for a great evening with friends and great bargains at the auction.

**Have fish or corals that have
outgrown your tank?
We will find them a good home.**

If you have fish or corals you no longer want or fish that have outgrown their tank, you can donate them to our auction. We will see they get a good home. The funds generated will help the BAS continue to educate aquarists. Call our 1st VP, **Steve Matassa at (cell) 347 277-4793**. Steve will give you more information on donating to the BAS.



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 2011

• **October 8 - 9, 2011 Minnesota Killie Keepers Association 18th Annual Show** at America's Best Value Inn 1244 Canterbury Road, Shokopee, MN 55379

Box sales: Welcome all day on Saturday only. 100% goes to the seller, no fees.

Auction: A generous 70/30 split in favor of the seller. Plants & other fish related items are welcome. Raffle: larger hard goods

raffle will be held during the auction on Sunday.

Hospitality: Saturday evening MKKA will host free dinner and drink at Craig's apartment party room.

For more information see the MKKA website

[@www.mkka.net](http://www.mkka.net) Hotel room rates, is \$89 per night.

Phone: 952-445-3644

Mention the MKKA Show for this rate.

• **October 13th - 16th, 2011. The World-Wide Guppy Conference** will be in Boston, MA. The conference is a joint effort between the IGEES (International Guppy Education & Exhibition Society), the World Guppy Association, the Boston Guppy Club, and the Boston Aquarium Society. There'll be workshops and speakers, including a presentation by the famous Canadian guppy breeder **Philip Shaddock**, author of *"Theory and Practice of Guppy Breeding"* and *"The Library of Guppy Color Strains, Their History and Genetics."* The conference features a vendor room and a dedicated block of rooms for "in-room sales." The event will include the World Guppy Association's "15th World Guppy Championship" and an "IGEES Guppy Innovation Contest" featuring guppies from breeders around the world. The judging panel includes **Andrew Lim** of Malaysia and **Oemer Gulmez** of Germany. The event will feature the Boston Aquarium Society Annual Auction which will be open to the public. Further details will be released when the GuppyCon.com event website is launched. Vendor and Sponsorship inquiries contact **Bill Gill**, GuppyCom2011_boston-breeder@bostonguppyclub.com.

• **October 14 -16, 2011 The Southern New England Killifish Association will be hosting the Northeast Weekend** at the Albany Ramada Plaza Hotel, 3 Watervliet Ave., Albany, NY 12206. Just off the Thruway at Exit 24.

This is an AKA affiliate key official show: 7 classes.

Saturday evening will be a complete buffet banquet.

Special Banquet Speaker: **Aril Bornstein**.

Also **Charles Nunziata** - Epiplatys & Nothos.

There will be fish rooms and an open hospitality room with a full bar Friday & Saturday nights. Tap beer will be free.

Saturday Morning: Box sales.

Sunday: Auction will be 70/30 in favor of the vendor.

For Albany Ramada Plaza Hotel reservations:

per room/night \$80 Call (518) 438-8431.

For more information go to

<http://tinyurl.com/sneka>

• **October 21-23, 2011 Old School Still Rules - North Jersey AS Aquatic Weekend** at the Quality Inn, 10 Polito Ave., @ Route 17S, Lyndhurst, NJ. For reservations call: 201-933-9800. Room rate \$79 per night.

World-renowned speakers Friday & Saturday. All species tropical fish show Saturday. Vendor Expo Friday & Saturday. Fish, plant and products auction on Sunday. Silent auction all weekend plus ask the experts booth on Saturday. Speakers **Dr. Paul Loiselle**, **Dave Boruchowitz**, **George Fear**, **Tony Orso**, **Mo Devlin**. Registration \$15 per day or Early Registration \$20 for weekend.

For more information: www.njas.net or at

www.facebook.com/northjerseyaquariumsociety.

Bobby Larsen 201-406-0857 or

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Send inquires or membership checks to
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P.O. Box 290610, Brooklyn, NY 11229-0011.

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

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BROOKLYN AQUARIUM SOCIETY CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2011-2012

OCT 14 Fall Giant Auction ~ Freshwater fish, plants, marine fish, aqua-cultured corals & dry goods auction including a new 55 gal. tank & stand • Discount books & sales.

NOV 11 Anthony Stissi ~ Lake Tanganyikan Tropheus Species Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction • Discount books & sales.

DEC 9 BAS 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 13 Joe Yaiullo ~11 Years of Feeding Atlantis Marine World's 20,000 Gallon Reef Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction

FEB 10 Peter Warny ~ Visits to Various City & State Aquaria. Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction

MAR 9 Tony Vargas ~ Successful Reef Aquariums from Around the World and How They Got There. ~Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction

APR 13 TBA (freshwater)

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

JUN 8 Todd Gardner ~ Getting Started in Marine Aquaculture Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction

JULY/AUGUST No meetings

SEPT 14 Mike Hellwig ~ Fish Breeding Contest with Ted Judy Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction

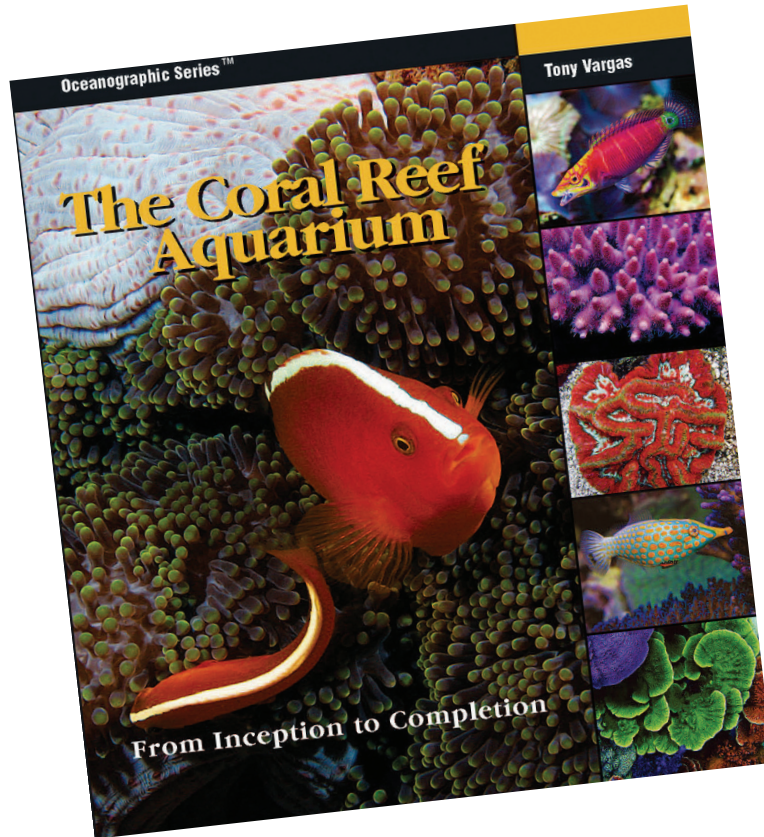
OCT 12 Giant Fall Auction ~ Freshwater fish, plants, marine fish, aqua-cultured corals & dry goods, including a 55 gal. tank & stand

NOV 9 Gene Ritter ~ Reef Diving Marine fish, aqua-cultured corals, freshwater fish, plants & dry goods auction

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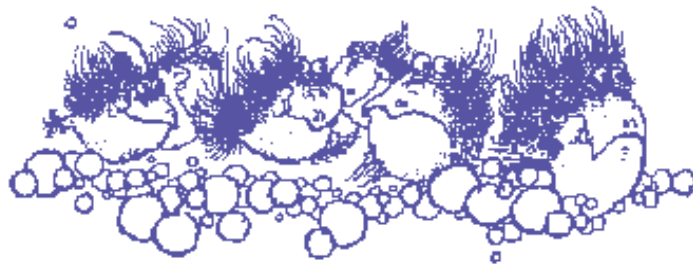


The *Coral Reef Aquarium* focuses from start to finish of how to set up a slammin' reef tank. Coral and Fish identification books and guides are published often enough, but it's been a while since we've had a great new reef book.

In the book are chapters on modern techniques and designs for how reef tanks are set up in the 21st century. The second half of the book is a gallery and information section on some of the most amazing reef aquariums from around the world.

Tony's book is now on sale and will be widely available for educating a whole new crop of beginner to advanced reef aquarists in time for the winter reefing season.

The book is published by **Two Little Fishies** in a hard cover format only.



BAS 100TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE CLOISSONNÉ ENAMEL KEY CHAIN

To commemorate our 100th year of Educating Aquarist we have created a handsome limited edition metal

cloisonné enamel key chain pictured at the right. It has our present logo symbol on one side and our original logo on the other side. The key chain disk is enameled in our official colors; blue and gold, and is 1 1/2" in size.

There's a limited supply of these commemorative key chains and once they are gone...they are gone! We're sure they will become aquatic collector items.

Show your support for your Society and as a reminder that you belong to the oldest functioning general aquarium Society in America. 1911 to 2011. Not only that, but it's great for holding all your keys.

For collectors of aquatic memorabilia, the key chain comes in its own clear plastic flip top display box. The key chain rests on a form pad so it can be kept in mint condition.

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John T.



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OCEAN HEAT KILLING CORAL

Newsday, Thursday August 19, 2010

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vation Society biologists discovered massive bleaching, which occurs when algae living inside coral tissues are expelled, in Aceh province, on the tip of Sumatra island, in May when surface waters in the Andaman Sea peaked at 93° degrees Fahrenheit, a 7-degree rise over long-term averages.



WE NEED A FEW GOOD MEMBERS TO HELP RUN THE BAS

Next year we will be losing our Treasurer, Denise Hershkowitz, and her husband Stu, Exchange Editor, to Florida's sunshine. We need members to step up and handle these essential jobs.

We need a member to fill the post of Corresponding Secretary. This extremely important position entails handling all external correspondence, soliciting donations, obtaining ads for our online publications, handling other Board and Society business and keeping a record of Society correspondence.

Being on the Board is a great way to meet other hobbyists. I know there must be more than one member that is capable of filling these posts. If you are interested, please contact Joe Graffagnino at 917 922-5108 and talk to him. He'll fill you in on what the different offices are and what is expected.

This is not rocket science and there are great personal rewards to those who help guide the Society for its next 100 years of Educating Aquarists.

John Todaro

YEARLY INCOME/EXPENSE REPORT

9/1/2009 through 8/31/2010

INCOME

100th B'day Tickets	6,125.00
100th Birthday-Raffles	627.00
Advertiser	7,187.75
Auction	9,260.00
Book Sales	1,048.00
Food & Chemicals	2,259.00
Interest Inc	3.89
Membership	3,885.00
Other Inc	392.05
Product Sales	3,969.75
Raffle Sales	282.00
Shirts	455.00
FROM PayPal	1,340.38
TOTAL INCOME	36,834.82

EXPENSES

Uncategorized	0.00
100th Birthday	15,514.86
Advertising	739.50
Auto	1,879.79
Awards	789.00
Bank Charge	180.00
Clothing	519.20
Computer	648.73
Dining	180.73
Education	324.86
Fish Supplies	45.00
Gifts Given	132.00
Insurance-Liability	1,018.00
Meeting	1,415.68
Misc	85.00

EXPENSES


Office Supplies	2,773.84
Postage	1,092.19
Printing	1,842.50
Refreshments	1,401.75
Speaker	1,872.23
Storage Unit	3,600.00
Subscriptions	250.00
Utilities	304.37
To Checking	1,340.38
TOTAL EXPENSES	37,949.61
OVERALL TOTAL	-1,114.79

Account Balances - As of 8/31/2011

Checking	11,690.75
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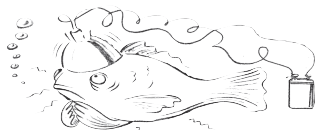
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The holidays are coming up fast. Since this is our 100th year of "Educating Aquarists," we are planning a very special party. Start thinking about setting aside December 9th to attend this year's party.

As usual, there will be tons of great food. The BAS supplies basics: a roast turkey and trimmings, baked ham, desserts, coffee and soda. Our talented members bring their favorite dishes and desserts, delicious hot dishes ranging from pasta, chicken, sausage & peppers and salads, plus an array of fabulous ethnic foods.

It's a sit-down dinner with members, family, and significant others. The doors open at 7:30pm and the buffet dinner starts at 8pm. So please wait because we need time to set up arriving dishes on the buffet table; if you jump the line, you may miss some fantastic dishes!

We also play fish bingo with aquarium-related prizes. We honor members who have served the Society for the past year and members who have written articles for *Aquatica* with awards.

It's all great food and fun...and some surprises this year. Mark your calendar now -- December 9th, and start thinking of the dish you're going to donate to the party.

You Must bring a dish or pay a cover charge of \$10 per person.

The party is held at the Education Hall of the NY Aquarium. All food donations are always acknowledged in the *BAS Bulletin*. JT

BAS ON FACEBOOK

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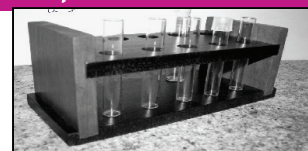
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REGIONAL SOCIETY EVENTS

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.

TUE. OCT 4 - 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

WED. OCT 5 - GREATER CITY AS • RIT FORCIER - TOPIC TO BE ANNOUNCED

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 Dickin-son** at: ivyrose@optonline.net or 631-668-5125, or visit www.greatercity.org

FRI. OCT 7 LONG ISLAND REEF ASSOCIATION • TBA

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>

MON. OCT 10 - JERSEY SHORE AS • TBA

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

TUE. OCT 11 - OTTER VALLEY AS • SAL SILVESTRI - AT HOME WITH APISTOS

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

TUE. OCT 11 - NASSAU COUNTY AS • CHRISTINE WILLIAMS - WHEN AQUARIUMS ATTACK!

Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month at Kellenberg at Molloy College, 1000 Hempstead Ave., Rockville Centre NY 7:30pm. Check web site for directions. 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

WED. OCT 19 - TROPICAL FISH SOCIETY OF RHODE ISLAND • TBA

General meeting are held the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm at The Letter Carriers Plaza, 174 Mayfield Ave., Cranston, Rhode Island. For info: tfstri.net15

THUR. OCT 20 - NORWALK AS • TBA

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

THUR. OCT 20 - NORTH JERSEY AS • TBA

General meetings are held 3rd Thursday of the month at 8pm; doors open at 7:30pm. 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 to swap meet www.njas.net or <http://www.meadowlandsstate.nj.us/directions.html>

FRI/SUN OCT 20/23- NORTH JERSEY AS

• OLD SCHOOL STILL RULES - North Jersey AS Aquatic Weekend at the Quality Inn, 10 Polito Ave., @ Route 17S, Lyndhurst, NJ. SEE PAGE 3 FOR MORE INFORMATION

FRI. OCT 21- LONG ISLAND AS • TBA

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

TUE. OCT 25 - GREATER HARTFORD AS • TBA

Meets 4th Tuesday of the month at 7pm at the Lutz Children's Museum, 247 S. Main St in Manchester CT 06040. Call 860-643-0949.

WED. OCT 26 - 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

FRI. OCT 28 - DANBURY AREA AS • TBA

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

CHECK ALL TIMES & DATES

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