

RAS Newsletter

February 2004

Raleigh Aquarium Society
PO Box 31564
Raleigh, NC 27612-1564.

Meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month at the N.C. State Veterinary Medical College located at [4700 Hillsborough Street in Raleigh](#). Visitors are welcome! Snacks and light refreshments are provided. There will be a raffle for club members at the beginning of the meeting so please be on time. A raffle of fish and fish related items follow the meeting.

Next Meeting

Thursday, February 5th @7:30pm

Meeting Agenda

Equipment Troubleshooting & Repair Clinic

How to fix & optimize use of your air pumps, filters, lights, heaters, air & water piping, and other aquarium or pond accessories. Bring your problems, ideas, and suggestions!

Upcoming Meetings:

March: DEEP SEA FISHES - Fritz Rohde
April: Dr. Dan Johnson: Koi & Goldfish medicine

The Carolina Aquarium Workshop XX

February 27th, 28th, & 29th, 2004

Located at Wake County Commons Building, 4011 Cary Drive, Raleigh, NC
(Carya Drive is just east of I-440 beltline at Poole Road exit)

The Schedule is as follows:

Friday, Feb. 27th

12:30pm – 5:30pm - Native Fish Collection Trip – meet outside Wake County Commons Building

7:30pm Intro to Reef Aquariums - Richard Harker

8:30pm Toxins in Reef Aquariums - Wade Lehmann

Saturday, February 28th

8:30am Registration Begins

9:00am Garden Ponds -Ken Sholar

10:30 am Aquatic plants - Karen Randall

11:30 am Plant Auction

12:00 pm Lunch

1:00 pm Color Patterns in Bettas - Gene Lucas

2:00 pm Mostly Fundulopanchax - David Ramsey

3:00 pm Dwarf Cichlids - David Soares

4:00 pm Fish Auction

6:00 pm Dinner - A visit to AquaRama and south Asian fish farms - Gene Lucas

Sunday, February 29th

9:00 – 11:00 – Auction Registration – (All items must be registered by 11:00)

11:30 – Auction begins

More details to follow in the coming week.

TRADING POST

To advertise please send the information to:
brandonberry@cox.net

Gerald Pottern has for sale or trade:

Badis ruber (Burmese red badis)

Apisto. viejita - adult male

Apisto. trifasciata - 3/4 inch fry

Alabama rainbow shiners (Notropis chrosomus) - 1 inch fry

Emerald bettas (B. smaragdina) - 1/2 to 3/4 inch fry

wanted: broken coconut shells (for caves)

wanted: Odessa Barb - one or two males

GPottern@RJGAcarolina.com

556-8845

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Triangle Tropical Fish	5110N. Roxboro Rd., Durham	(10%)

(Excludes Aquariums and hoods)

You may be asked to show your *RAS* membership card.

Please contact Ken Fowlston at kfowlston@mindspring.com if you are an active member of the Raleigh Aquarium Society and do not have an up to date membership card. Membership cards can be picked up at any meeting.

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Application for

Membership

Membership privileges include:

12 monthly newsletters

A discount card good at participating local pet stores

All club discounts on club functions

Individual Full Year \$15.00

Family Full Year \$17.00

Name(s): _____

Date: ____/____/____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Email Address: _____

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