

Dear Friends and Fellow Aquarists,

I would like to take the opportunity to welcome you all to the Port Talbot and District Aquarist Society's 40th open show.

This year's show promises to follow in tradition of our previous shows, with an enjoyable format which has something for everyone, for fishkeepers whether tropical or coldwater, and also to the general public, some of whom may even be recruited into our ranks after seeing the results of high quality fishkeeping.

There will be an auction commencing at 1.00 pm prompt, so bring all your surplus fish, plants and equipment for sale, 80% of the proceeds come back to you, with 20% to the society.

Anybody requiring assistance or further information about the club should feel free to contact any member of the society.

Special thanks to all our advertisers; all those who have donated prizes; the judges, and a special thanks to all members and their families who have worked so hard in the preparation of the show. Finally, thanks, in anticipation, to all exhibitors for all their support; for without them we would not have a show.

Yours sincerely
Roy Davies - Chairman

DIRECTIONS TO THE SHOW
DUKE STREET COMMUNITY CENTRE, TAIBACH,
PORT TALBOT, SA13 1NA

FROM M4 CARDIFF:- EXIT M4 AT JUNCTION 38. AT ROUNDABOUT TAKE SECOND EXIT ONTO A48 (DUAL CARRIAGEWAY). AT BOTTOM OF DUAL TURN LEFT AT THE ROUNDABOUT ONTO A48. DRIVE ALONG A48 THEN TAKE A LEFT TURN ONTO DUKE STREET (THIS IS THE LEFT TURNING JUST BEFORE OUR OLD VENUE). THE YOUTH CENTRE IS STRAIGHT IN FRONT OF YOU.

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BOOKING IN INFORMATION

Postal/Telephone/Email Entries-30p per entry. Exhibitors pay for the first 15 entries only, by post/telephone and e-mail.

Late Entries on the day will be charged at 50p per entry.

Please make cheques & postal orders payable to:
'PORT TALBOT & DISTRICT AQUARIST SOCIETY'

Postal Entries should be sent to:- Clare Davies
33 Longford Road, Neath Abbey, Neath, South Wales, SA10 7ET
(Please ensure your entries arrive before Friday 22nd July 2011)

Telephone entries:- 01792 904983 **to be received on Thursday 21st July 2011 before 8pm!**

E-mail entries:- to be received by Friday 22nd July 2011 by 6.00pm
to: clare.davies74@sky.com

Benching from 10.00 am till 11.30 am. Judging starts at 12.00 noon.

SHOW RULES

1. THE SHOW WILL BE RUN IN ACCORDANCE WITH FBAS RULES, A COPY OF WHICH WILL BE ON DISPLAY AT THE SHOW
2. SUBMISSION OF AN ENTRY SIGNIFIES ACCEPTANCE OF SHOW RULES, AND THESE NOTES.
3. BREEDERS TEAMS MUST SHOW DATE OF BIRTH. FOUR FISH FROM ONE SPAWNING CONSTITUTES AN ENTRY. NOT TO BE MORE THAN FOURTEEN MONTHS OLD ON THE DATE OF THE SHOW.
4. NO GRAVEL TO BE USED EXCEPT IN CLASSES AG & AK.
5. THERE WILL BE NO DEBENCHING UNTIL AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THE PRIZE GIVING.
6. THE DECISION OF THE SHOW COMMITTEE SHALL BE BINDING IN ALL MATTERS NOT COVERED BY THESE RULES.
7. WHILST REASONABLE CARE WILL BE TAKEN OF EXHIBITS, THE SHOW ORGANISERS WILL NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGE, IN WHOLE OR IN PART OF ANY EXHIBIT.
8. JUNIORS ARE EXHIBITORS OVER THE AGE OF EIGHT AND UNDER THE AGE OF SIXTEEN ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW.
9. WATER - USE OF LOCAL WATER IS ENTIRELY AT THE RISK OF THE EXHIBITOR. IT IS STRONGLY ADVISED THAT EXHIBITORS BRING SUFFICIENT MATURE WATER WITH THEM.

JUDGES AND AWARD PRIZES

F.B.A.S. JUDGES INVITED

MR. K. COCKER MR. P. CORBETT
MR. A. STEVENS MR. G. STEPTOWE
MR. L. PEARCE MR. D. NICE
MR. BOB ESSON

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC 3.30 P.M. (APPROX)
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS 4.30 P.M. (APPROX)

FISH AUCTION 1.00 P.M. Prompt.

AWARDS

F.B.A.S. CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY CLASSES

E = (Labyrinths other than Ea)

T = (A.O.S of Livebearers)

BEST FISH IN SHOW TROPHY

SPECIAL PRIZE FOR 'BEST FISH IN SHOW

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