

T.T.A.A NEWS

THE THREE RIVERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

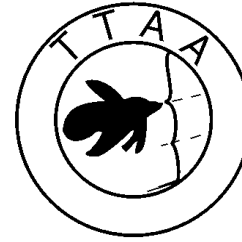
The THREE RIVERS' CHAMPIONSHIP has for the last few years been very poorly attended and a decline in entries was attributed to people showing their fish in the Open Show and not the THREE RIVERS'. For this reason, this year, things are a little different.

For the first time, the THREE RIVERS' will be contested in its very own flagship Show with a small Table Show of 5 classes to run alongside. This Table Show will also help in the training of a new Judge in the area.

The T.T.A.A. has also invited all the local Clubs to set up a display and promote their own Club in the Show Hall.

Here, their members will be available to help and advise in all areas of the hobby including tropical, marine, coldwater, Koi and pond fish, plus other aspects of the hobby like how to build a fish house or how to get started if you want to show fish.

So just come along! You will see the very best Show fish from around the North-east of England. You may see some fish you have never seen before and you may just get that bit of help that you need to solve a problem you are having in your tank.



The
TYNE TEES AREA ASSOCIATION

Presents their 2009

THREE RIVERS'
CHAMPIONSHIP
& TABLE SHOW

SUNDAY 6th SEPTEMBER

at

**Redby Community Centre Fulwell Rd, Sunderland
SR6 9QU**

THERE WILL BE NO CATERING AT THIS EVENT

LOTS BOOKED IN FROM 10.00am TIL 11.15am

AUCTION STARTS 11.30PM

BENCHING FROM 10.00am UNTIL 11.45am

JUDGING STARTS 12.00PM

RAFFLE

F.B.A.S. JUDGES INVITED

THIS SHOW WILL BE RUN

IN ACCORDANCE TO F.B.A.S RULES



A full copy of F.B.A.S. rules will be available.

All fish to be shown in flat sided container minimum of 100x100x100mm.

If framing containers, only black PVC tape is permissible.

Only natural brown gravel, maximum 2cm clear or black bases only.

Debenching will not take place without the permission of the Show Secretary, or until the time for debenching has been announced.

No fish will be removed from hall until all exhibitors have their fish

Auction

Lots can be booked in from 10.00am to 11.15am auction starts at 11.30pm

2 **lists** of all items will be needed one for the lot the other for the cash table. T.T.A.A will take 20% commission on all lots sold.

All lots not sold by 4.30pm will be returned.

All electrical equipment should be labelled with name and address or be marked spares or repair.

All fish must be transported in a suitable fish box or bag

The T.T.A.A. can accept no responsibility for fish sold. All fish are sold as seen. Any knowingly unhealthy fish will not be sold.

Any problems with fish should be dealt with between the vendor and the purchaser direct.

A charge of 50p will be made for any re-bagging deemed necessary.

The Show Organizers have the right to refuse entry or admission to any person

For further information please contact:-

Mr. S A Horn 0191 4311628

Judges Invited

Mr. P Barrow (A Class) Mr. A D Race (A Class)

Mr. D Lamb (C Class)

THE THREE RIVERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

This Class is for all fish that received a T.T.A.A Special Award at any T.T.A.A affiliated Club Show in the last 12 months. These fish can be shown in the Table Show classes and will then be placed in the Three Rivers' Class as this will be judged last.

TABLE SHOW CLASSES

| | | <u>Class sponsors</u> |
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| E | Labyrinths Inc <i>Betta splendens</i> | W.A.S.P |
| M | A.O.V. Tropical egg layer Inc Rainbows | S.T.A.M.P.S |
| O | Male & female | N.E.G.S |
| P | Cultivated Livebearers | O.A.S.I.S |

THE BIG, BAD & THE UGLY ALL CLUBS

This is for all those fish you have that aren't quite Show material but you love them anyway.

We don't care what they are, or what they look, like bring them along!

They may not be pretty but they may win a prize - the stranger the better - as the Class name suggests.