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*NEC meetings are held at NOON (unless otherwise noted)

(SHS) – Sheraton Hartford South hotel

(CC) – Conference Call

The NEC does not coordinate dates for club events, but does publish this monthly calendar for your convenience. Prior to selecting a date for your club’s next event, please check the NEC calendar for availability, and then notify me of the new date immediately at BRomeo1234@optonline.net or by phone @ 914-433-2556.
Hello Everyone,

The NEC summer auction is August 30, 2015 at the Rocky Hill Sheraton. Please mark your calendars and come out and join us. There are quite a few events occurring throughout the summer months; please check the NEC newsletter calendar for the details. Dates have been set and the planning for the 2016 Convention has begun, which BTW is the NEC's 60th anniversary; more to come from Leslie. Enjoy the summer, looks to be a hot one this year...

Clubs: please ensure that Barb Romeo gets the updates for the contact list if your club has held elections. Please check the NEC calendar for upcoming shows/auctions and make sure to send Barb Romeo information/fliers on your club events. Don't forget to get out there and support our sister clubs, you'll have a great time doing it....

NEC meeting dates for 2015: (please note several meeting dates have changed)

General:

3Q – Oct 4 (CC)
4Q – Dec 6 (RHS) - Annual

BOG:

3Q – Aug 29 (RHS @ 5pm)
4Q – Nov 15 (CC)

Events:

Summer Auction: Aug 30 (RHS)

(RHS) – Rocky Hill Sheraton Hotel *(CC) – Conference Call
Note: the above dates may change if conflicts are encountered; meeting confirmation and information will be published in the newsletter President’s message.

The next NEC Board Meeting will be held on August 29, 2015 at 5pm. This meeting will be at the Rocky Hill Sheraton, the day before the summer auction. Details will be sent prior to the meeting.

The next NEC General Meeting will be held on Sunday October 3, 2015 at 12 noon. This meeting will be a conference call. Details will be sent prior to the meeting.

Items to Remember:

1. Send your club contact updates to Barbara Romeo at bromeo1234@optonline.net
2. Newsletter events to Barbara Romeo at bromeo1234@optonline.net
3. Website news & events to Barbara Romeo at bromeo1234@optonline.net
4. Speaker list updates to Linda Giza at lindag413@gmail.com

Please feel free to contact me with questions or suggestions; it's best to contact me by email at president@northeastcouncil.org, you can also call me at 1-845-896-4793.

Joe Masi
NEC President
08/13/15

NEC Convention Update

Please mark your calendars and join us for the NEC’s 60th anniversary celebration! The convention is being held for our second year at the Sheraton Hartford South in Rocky Hill, CT from April 8-10, 2016.

The convention committee is already hard at work to bring another great line up of speakers, vendors and donors to our convention.

Stay tuned for more updates!
Leslie
8/13/15
See the new FB cover devised by Ted Coletti promoting the NEC Summer Auction at https://www.facebook.com/pages/Northeast-Council-of-Aquarium-Societies/243913172321

Please post what you are bringing to the auction and what you hope to find on the NEC FB event page at

https://www.facebook.com/events/423103984564045/

or

You can email what you are bringing to Barbara Romeo at mailto:BRomeo1234@optonline.net?subject=auction submission

by Saturday, August 29th at 7 PM.

All fish, plant and dry good offerings sent by 8/29 at 7 PM will also be posted on the NEC webpage at http://northeastcouncil.org/NewNEC/
NORTHEAST COUNCIL OF AQUARIUM SOCIETIES
SERVING THE AQUARIUM HOBBY

SUMMER AUCTION-2015
SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2015

OF FISH (ALL SPECIES), AQUARIUM EQUIPMENT AND RELATED DRY GOODS

LOCATION:
THE SHERATON HARTFORD, SOUTH
100 CAPITAL BOULEVARD, ROCKY HILL, CT 06067
(860)-257-6000

REGISTRATION: REGISTER AT THE AUCTION: 50/50 SPLIT, 10 OR MORE LOTS 60/40 SPLIT, 1 RED DOT PER VENDOR, ADDITIONAL RED DOT/10 LOTS*. PLEASE LABEL YOUR BAGS.

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RAFFLE.............................................................. 50/50

NEC INVITES YOU TO ATTEND!!
Updating NEC Speakers List

If you have heard a wonderful speaker at a meeting or if you are a program chair for your club and have recommendations or if you are a speaker yourself, we would like to hear from you.

It would be helpful to give the following information for each speaker:

- Name (first, last),
- Address, city, state,
- Telephone number,
- Email address,
- Program(s) offered.

Please email NEC Speakers Chair, Linda Giza at: lindag413@gmail.com

NEC Slide and Videos

All video and slide presentations are available to any NEC club to use as their monthly meeting program. Any other use should be discussed with the NEC slide and video chairman prior to the request. Please make requests as far in advance as possible to allow for scheduling and regular mail delivery. The NEC club requesting the program is responsible for actual shipping charges in both directions.

Failure to return the program will result in a $50 replacement charge. Please return programs within 14 days after the scheduled meeting.

Requests should be made to: David Banks, 315 US RT 2, Grand Isle, VT 05458
Email: dbanks@together.net or 802-372-8716

Last published library listing: January 15, 2015 NEC Newsletter
**In Remembrance**

*From Aqua Design Amano Co., Ltd...*

**2015/08/08**

**The loss of Takashi Amano**

Dear Friends,

With our deepest sorrow, we announce that Takashi Amano, President & CEO of Aqua Design Amano Co., Ltd., passed away on August 4, 2015. It was Amano’s wish that his funeral to be conducted by his close family members only.

As Amano had been fighting an illness for several years, he kept working on his creative activities.

In last February, he accomplished a great achievement of creating the world’s largest planted layout, the 40m Nature Aquarium in Oceanário de Lisboa in Portugal. After attending its opening ceremony in late April, he was concentrating on treatment while continuing to work. His last job was to work on his autobiographical photo collection, “ORIGIN OF CREATION” and to select his works for the photo exhibition, starting from September 5th, titled as same as the book.

Keeping Amano’s message in our mind that we should look at Nature and take interest in Nature, we sincerely hope that people around the world continue to enjoy Nature Aquarium.

We are planning a farewell ceremony that will take place soon. Details will be announced later.


*From Wikipendia...*

**Takashi Amano** (天野尚, 18 July 1954 – 4 August 2015) was a **photographer, designer** and **aquarist**. His interest in **aquaria** led him to create the Japanese company Aqua Design Amano.

Amano was the author of **Nature Aquarium World** (TFH Publications, 1994), a three-book series on aquascaping and **freshwater aquarium plants** and **fish**. He has also published the book **Aquarium Plant**
A species of freshwater shrimp is named the “Amano shrimp” or "Yamato shrimp" (*Caridina multidentata*; previously *Caridina japonica*) after him. After discovering this species' ability to eat large quantities of algae, Amano asked a local distributor to special order several thousand of them.[1] They have since become a staple in the freshwater planted aquarium hobby.

He also developed a line of aquarium components that are known as ADA, and his "Nature Aquarium" article series appeared monthly in both *Practical Fishkeeping* magazine in the UK, and *Tropical Fish Hobbyist* magazine in the US. He died in 2015 at the age of 61.[2]

Source: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Takashi_Amano (last viewed 8/13/15)
Scott Dowd is a conservation biologist at New England Aquarium in Boston, MA, USA and Executive Director of Project Piaba. He received his M.Sc. from the University of Stirling in 2003; his thesis was entitled “Observations on the cardinal tetra fishery with an emphasis on the measurement of stress.” For more than 20 years, Scott has been actively involved in conservation of the cardinal tetra fishery in the mid-Rio Negro region of the Amazon, working along the entire industry chain of Amazonian fishermen, exporters, importers, retail stores, and hobbyists. He continues to be a strong proponent of the trade in environmentally friendly ornamental fish worldwide. Scott has recently established the Home Aquarium Fish Sub-group within the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN). He has recruited a Steering Committee of global leaders in the aquarium industry and related fields and is now working to replicate and expand the Project Piaba model as a tool of conservation and poverty alleviation in regions of biological importance.

More information:

Project Piaba website: http://www.projectpiaba.org/

Project Piaba Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/pages/Project-Piaba/332179033504804

Home Aquarium Fish Sub-group: http://www.iucnffsg.org/about-ffsg-2/home-aquarium-fish-sub-group/
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NEC INVITES YOU TO ATTEND!!
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11 @ 7:30 PM
The Brooklyn Aquarium Society is Proud to Present
RICK BORSTEIN
60 TIPS in 60 MINUTES

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

At New York Aquarium, Education Hall, Surf Ave. & West 8th St., Bklyn, NY
$5 Donation for Non-members. Good towards membership that night only.

Free Parking • Free Refreshments

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
NORTHEAST WEEKEND

September 18th-20th

Hotel: Albany Airport Best Western
200 Wolf Road, Albany, NY, 12205, United States
Phone: 518/458-1000

Costs: Hotel - $90.00 per night. Call (518) 458-1000 to make reservations. Make sure you tell them it is for the killifish convention.

Speakers: Richard Pierce on Fundulopanchax, Tony Pinto on his Collecting Trips, and Tom Grady on Updating the Nothos,

Banquet Speaker is: Mike Lucas on Collecting Natives

The weekend begins Friday evening with a speaker and then the traditional NEW beer and pizza party. Saturday will be the open table sales in the morning along with speakers throughout the day. The competition will be judged Saturday afternoon and the Awards Banquet will begin with cocktails at 6:00 PM. On Sunday, the First Ever – ALL SPECIES AUCTION will begin at 10:00 AM.

ALL SPECIES AUCTION SUNDAY

For the first time ever at a NEW, we are holding an all-species auction for anyone who wants to sell their fish or aquarium hard goods. The Auction will be 75/25 in favor of the vendor. It will be the first auction of the Autumn in the NY-New England (NEC) region. There will be a shipment of Imported Killifish from Europe and many more species obtained specifically for this year’s auction.

The Killifish Show

This is a fully sanctioned AKA competition. Points awarded will go towards the Killifish Exhibitor of the Year. All mail-in fish entered in the competition are auctioned Sunday. Fish not mailed in may be taken home.

Fish must arrive at the hotel by Friday Sept. 18th. Mail-ins are to be sent to the Best Western address above with the notation: Killie Show.

Event Registration: $30.00. Saturday Italian buffet banquet: $30.00. Payment may be sent to:

PayPal: unyka@aka.org or make checks out to Tom Grady (27 Webster St., Malone, NY, 12953)
"Knowledge of Useless Stuff I Acquired" by Joe Graffagnino

It is tips and ideas that Joe picked up over the past 40 years. Not just on aquarium ideas but in everyday things that we do.

Joe has been a hobbyist of freshwater fish for over 40 years. He enjoys breeding all species of tropical fish and sharing them with fellow hobbyists. Joe has written extensively on breeding and raising fish. He has been published in Tropical Fish Hobbyist magazine, Aquarium Fish magazine and Freshwater and Marine Aquarium magazine (FAMA). Joe has also been published in the American Cichlid Association publication Buntbarsche Bulletin and in many local aquarium society publications throughout the United States and England. His new found passion is fish photography. Joe lives in Brooklyn, NY with his wife and currently maintains aquariums of various sizes containing killifish, anabantoids, characins, cyprinids, livebearers, cichlids and catfish both Old and New World. Joe is President of the Brooklyn Aquarium Society since 2007, prior to being President Joe was the Society’s Corresponding Secretary from 1997 to 2007. Joe joined the Brooklyn Aquarium Society in 1975.
CLASH OF THE CICHLIDS 3

Coming September 26th 2015 - The 3rd installment of the CCY Cichlid show

C3C

Clash of the Cichlids 3

With Mo Devlin

WHEN
September 26th 2015
1pm

WHERE
50 Northeast St
Spring Grove PA 17362

FEATURING - CCY FUND RAISER - HUGE CICHLID SHOW, FOOD, LIVE AUCTION, SILENT AUCTION, RAFFLE AND MUCH MUCH MORE!

WWW.CLASHOFTHECICHLIDS.COM

GUEST SPEAKER:
MO DEVLIN !!

Clash of the Cichlid Judges

Fran Bethea
Matt Quinn
Rachel O’Leary

SPECIAL GUEST JUDGE: CHUCK DAVIS!!!
Norwalk Aquarium Society

49th ANNUAL
Tropical Fish & Aquarium Equipment Auction

Sunday, September 27th, 2015
Registration and Viewing is from 9:30-11:30 a.m.
Auction Starts at 12:00 p.m.
Earthplace, Nature Discovery Center
10 Woodside Lane, Westport, Connecticut

Auction is open to the Public - free of charge
One of the Northeast’s Largest Auctions
of Beautiful Tropical Fish &
New and Good Used Aquarium Equipment!

50/50 Split – If present payment made at END of Auction.
Or if NOT present at end of Auction, an
Itemized Statement and Check will be sent within 10 days.

For more information visit website: www.norwalkas.org or
Call Barry at (203) -363-9808 or contact Sal at salsilv44@yahoo.com
DIRECTIONS TO - Earthplace, located at 10 Woodside Lane in Westport, Connecticut.

From I-95 (Connecticut Turnpike) Exit 17

Left at bottom of ramp onto Rte. 33 North. Go 1.5 miles to intersection with Route 1 (Post Road). Left onto Rte. 1. Go 0.5 miles to second traffic light. Turn right onto King's Highway North. Take first left turn onto Woodside Avenue (becomes Woodside Lane). Go straight 0.9 mile to Earthplace.

From Merritt Parkway (Route 16) Exit 41

From Norwalk/Stamford – Turn left at end of ramp at traffic light by the Red Barn Restaurant.
From Fairfield/Bridgeport – Turn right at the end of ramp at the traffic light. Go under the Parkway to the traffic light by Red Barn Restaurant. Go straight on Route 33 South to the next traffic light. Turn right onto King's Highway North. Go 0.6 miles past 2 stop signs and 3 speed bumps to a right turn onto Woodside Avenue (becomes Woodside Lane). Go straight 0.9 miles to Earthplace.

From Route 1

From Norwalk - Turn left at the second traffic light after the Westport town line onto King's Highway North. Take first left turn onto Woodside Avenue (becomes Woodside Lane). Go straight 0.9 miles to Earthplace.
From Fairfield - Turn right at the second traffic light after the intersection with Route 33 onto King's Highway North. Take first left turn onto Woodside Avenue (becomes Woodside Lane). Go straight 0.9 miles to Earthplace.

From Wilton/Ridgefield/Danbury

Follow Route 7 South to Route 33 South. Follow Route 33 South for 1.5 miles to third traffic light after the Merritt Parkway intersection. Turn right onto King's Highway North. Go 0.6 miles past 2 stop signs and 3 speed bumps to a right turn onto Woodside Avenue (becomes Woodside Lane). Go straight 0.9 miles to Earthplace.
NORTH JERSEY AQUARIUM SOCIETY
FALL AUCTION
OCTOBER 11 SUNDAY
9:00 AM REGISTRATION
12 NOON AUCTION START
ON-LINE PRE REGISTRATION
(60/40 SPLIT)
DAYS HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER
195 RT 18 S.
EAST BRUNSWICK NJ 08816
www.njas.net
NJAS IS A REGISTERED NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION
FIND US ON FACEBOOK
TROPICAL FISH CLUB OF BURLINGTON

Giant Auction
Fish, Plants, New and Used Equipment, Fish Foods, etc

Sunday Oct 25, 2015
12 noon

VFW Hall
176 South Winooski Ave
Burlington

For more information
David & Janine 372-8716 dbanks@together.net
Ann Whitman 434-3294 awhitman@madriver.com
Brian Candib 864-0746 BCandib@comcast.net

www.tfcb.org
THE JERSEY SHORE AQUARIUM SOCIETY
presents its
FALL 2015
Tropical Fish and
Dry Goods Auction!
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2015

Featuring rare and exotic tropical fish,
a wide selection of aquatic plants, with
free goodies and door prizes all day long!
Snacks and refreshments will be available.
Open to public - free admission.

To be held at the
South Wall Fire Rescue Company
2605 Atlantic Avenue
Manasquan, NJ 08736

Live goods registration: 9 to 11 a.m.
No guarantee that items registered after 11 a.m.
will be auctioned. No used dry goods.

Viewing of items: 11 a.m. – 12 noon. There will be
no viewing allowed after noon.

Auction starts at noon sharp!
Any person may bring quality live fish and aquatic
plants to enter into auction.
• Pre-registration will open on Sunday, October
25th on our club’s website (jerseyshoreas.org)
and close at 3:00 pm, Saturday October 31st.
Pre-registration will get a 60/40 split.
• 50/50 split for walk-ins at the auction.
Auction rules available upon request.

For more information:
e-mail Russ White at rwhite8@optonline.net,
call (732) 928-2836, or visit jerseyshoreas.org
New England Tropical Fish Auction 2015

Sunday November 8 9AM - 5 PM
Auction Starts at 12:30
Malden Emergency Center
7 Jackson Street - Malden, MA

More information: https://www.facebook.com/events/1440812876217637/
2015 the *CCY* will have the Mount Rushmore of great speakers!!
Call for …..

Listings for “Wants to Buy, Sell &/or Trade” in the NEC Newsletter

Rules & Disclaimer: If you would like to advertise a Swap Shop listing please forward information to Barbara Romeo at bromeo1234@optonline.net by the tenth of each month. Be sure to include all pertinent information in your announcement. NEC reserves the right to deny a listing for any reason. Users of the Swap Shop should understand that they do so AT THEIR OWN RISK. Both parties understand and agree to complete the transaction independently of the NEC. The NEC is in no way responsible for any portion of these transactions and cannot be held in any way liable for any loss incurred by either party in the transaction. Furthermore, participation in the Swap Shop serves as acceptance of these rules.

Call for more…

Local Fish Store Information to be entered into a “Local Fish Store Directory”

Information Requested:
• Shop Name, Owner’s Name, Full Address, Phone,
• Website and/or social media (e.g., Facebook page) addresses,
• Store Hours, Approx. number of tanks or gallons, current stock,
• Other information such as specialty items/ordering, hard to find fish, other types of pets for sale, any discounts offered &/or is a club sponsor.

Who can submit: NEC delegate, alternate delegate or NEC member club president
Submit to: Barbara Romeo at bromeo1234@optonline.net

If you would like to advertise your monthly meetings or special events, please forward the information to Barbara Romeo by the tenth of each month. Be sure to include all pertinent information (location, time, contact person or website for additional information) in your announcement.
Koi Organisation International

We can help!

Learn Online

www.KoiOrganisationInternational.org
2015 Club Meetings

Please note that all NEC clubs are listed on the NEC website’s homepage, and have a link to each of the local club’s websites if you need additional information for any of the club meetings.

August, 2015

August 17
Boston Aquarium Society
Scott Dowd
“Freshwater Fish Specialist Group”
More info: http://www.bostonaquariumsociety.org

August 20
Norwalk Aquarium Society
Larry Jinks
“Breeding Catfish”
More info: http://www.norwalkas.org/xoops/

September, 2015

September 2
Greater City Aquarium Society (GCAS)
Tom Keegan
“How Fish Get Here, There, and Almost Anywhere”
More info: http://www.greatercity.org

September 10
Tropical Fish Club of Burlington (TFCB)
Karen Randall
“Plants”
More info: http://www.tfcb.org

September 11
Brooklyn Aquarium Society (BASNY)
Rick Borstein
“60 Tips in 60 Minutes”
More info: http://www.basny.org/events
September 13
Pioneer Valley Water Garden & Koi Club (PVWG &K)
Dave Conklin
“Bringing Life to Discarded Wood”
More info: http://www.pioneervalleypondclub.com/meetings.html

September 14
The Jersey Shore Aquarium Society (JSAS)
Larry Jinks
“Catfish Breeding”
More info: http://www.jerseyshoreas.org

September 17
North Jersey Aquarium Society (NJAS)
Larry Jinks
“Breeding Fish”
More info: http://www.njas.net

September 19
Aquarium Club of Lancaster County (ACLC)
Joe Graffagnino
“Knowledge of Useless Stuff I Aquired”
More info: https://www.facebook.com/events/1458303064477373/

October, 2015

October 12
Jersey Shore Aquarium Society (NSAS)
Bill Loach & ZooMed
“New Products”
More info: http://www.jerseyshoreas.org/
NEC MEMBER CLUBS:
Aquarium Club of Lancaster County  ACLC
Boston Aquarium Society    BAS
Boston Guppy Club    BGC
Brooklyn Aquarium Society    BASNY
Central New York Aquarium Society  CNYAS
Cichlid Club of York    CCNY
Connecticut Aquatic Plant Enthusiasts  CAPE
Connecticut Betta Club    CBC
Danbury Area Aquarium Society   DAAS
Greater City Aquarium Society  GCAS
Greater Hartford Aquarium Society  GHAS
Jersey Shore Aquarium Society   JSAS
Koi Organisation International  K.O.I.
Long Island Aquarium Society   LIAS
Nassau County Aquarium Society  NCAS
New England Cichlid Association NECA
New Hampshire Aquarium Society  NHAS
New York Planted Tank   NYPT
Northeast Livebearers Association NELA
North Jersey Aquarium Society  NJAS
Norwalk Aquarium Society   NAS
Otter Valley Aquarium Society    OVAS
Pioneer Valley Aquarium Society  PVAS
Pioneer Valley Water Garden & Koi PVWG&K
Southern New England Killifish Assoc. SNEKA
Tropical Fish Club of Burlington TFCB
Tropical Fish Society of Rhode Island TFSRI
Upstate NY Killifish Association UNYKA
Worcester Aquarium Society    WAS

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Judging & Standards ……… Anne Broadmeyer
Legislation ……………….. Dave Giza
Planning (Council Mtg. Prog.) Linda Giza
Programs (Slides & Videos) .. Dave Banks
Public Relations (Society Relations) ……… Open
Organization (Assist / New Groups) ……….. Open
Raffles (Fund Raising) …… Open
Shows …………………….. Open
Workshop ………………… Leslie Dick

Non-Standing Committees:
Advertising ………………… Ted Coletti
Articles Competition ………. Artie Platt
Auction …………………….. Joe Masi / Dave Giza
Betty Mueller ……………… Joe Masi
Breeder Participation Program Richard Pierce
JJW Memorial Conservation..Dave Giza
Donations ……………...…. Barbara Romeo
Exhibitor Competition...... Bill Gill
Historian ……………………. Dave Banks
Newsletter ………………… Barbara Romeo
Nominating ………………… Linda Giza
Photo Contest ……………… Rich Pierce
Speakers …………………… Linda Giza
Sunshine ………………….. Fran Masi
Webmaster ………………..Mark Broadmeyer