



NEWSLETTER

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SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN AQUARIUM SOCIETY



Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society

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Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society Mission Statement

The mission of the Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society is to have fun, educate, and promote conservation in the fish keeping hobby.





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President's Message

Hope everyone enjoyed playing fishy bingo at the March meeting. It was a great time and a lot of great fish were brought in. Thanks to everyone that brought in prizes and hope everyone had a great time!

This month we have a doubleheader for you! Come out Friday night and learn tips about how to turn your hobby into a business! This is a talk you don't want to miss and then come out Saturday to the swap meet from 12:00-3:00 and support all the great vendors that will be there offering you some great aquatic livestock and dry goods.

In May we will be having a special members only anniversary party to celebrate one year of the Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society. I am working on some special sponsors and donations for this event. More information forth coming soon!

Don't forget to bring BAP for a chance to win awards for the 2023 year. We have multiple awards up for grabs. Can't win if you don't participate!! In closing I would like to thank the members that have joined so far and the members. Without the members there is no fish club.

Josh Cunningham

SMAS President



Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society April Meeting Preview

Come out this Friday night and hear how to turn your Hobby into a Business!
This talk will surely give you things to think about!!

WE WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME



Guest Speaker
JOSH CUNNINGHAM

FRIDAY - APRIL 14 - 7PM

**ALLEN PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
6835 PARK AVE, ALLEN PARK, MI 48101**





Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society Swap Meet

Come out this Saturday and get your fish swap on!!!

WHAT IS A SWAP MEET?



IT'S A GROUP OF LIKE MINDED FISHY PEEPS!
"YES IT'S REALLY A DREAM COME TRUE"
YOU CAN ACTUALLY MEET OTHER HOBBIEIST
THAT HAVE BEEN BREEDING & CARING FOR
THEM. YOU WILL ALSO HAVE YOUR CHANCE AT
WINNING SOME PRETTY FISHY RAFFLE PRIZES!

*DISCLAIMER: THERE IS NO CURE FOR MTS & WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR ACTIONS

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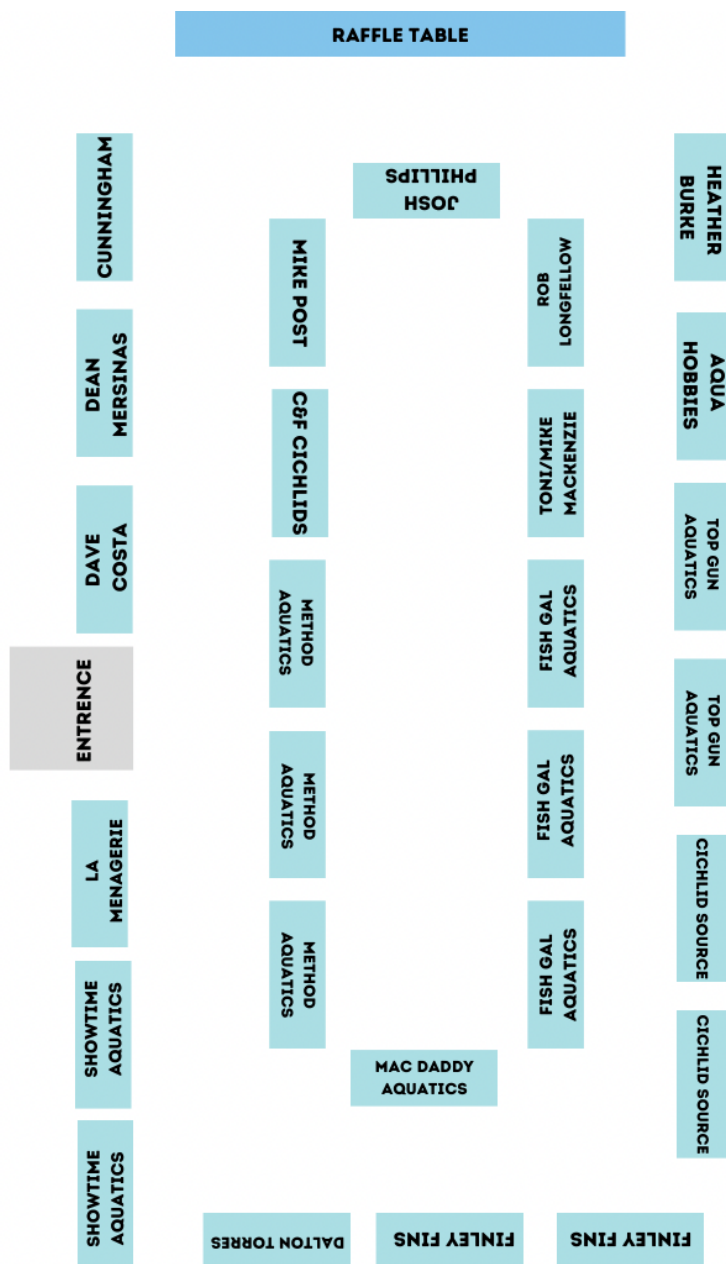
SWAP SATURDAY
APRIL 15, 2023
12PM-3PM



ALLEN PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | 6835 PARK AVE, ALLEN PARK, MI 48101



Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society Swap Layout



VENDOR LIST

- CUNNINGHAM TROPICALS
- MIKE POST
- C&F CICHLIDS
- MAC DADDY AQUATICS
- ROB LONGFELLOW
- SHOWTIME AQUATICS
- FINLEY FINS
- DEAN MERSINAS
- FISH GAL AQUATICS
- TOP GUN AQUATICS
- THE CICHLID SOURCE
- METHOD AQUATICS
- JOSH PHILLIPS
- HEATHER BURKE
- AQUA HOBBIES
- TONI/MIKE MACKENZIE
- DAVE COSTA
- LA MENAGERIE





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New Band Page

One of the benefits of being a paid member of the club is you can post sales and wants on our new band page. Come over and join today!!

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<https://band.us/n/a5a88aDeL3E1H>



Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society March Meeting Fun





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BAP Report

March - 2023

Member Name	Species Name	Points
Bruce Croft	Hypsophrys nicaraguensis	15
Chris Gerzanics	Placidochromis electra	10
Terry LaPrad	Black Bar Endlers	5
Bill McCabe	Majestic short tail guppies	5
Bill McCabe	Red Mosaic guppies	5
Bill McCabe	Pterophyllum scalare (Black)	10
Steve Stapleton	Pterochromis congicus	15
Angie Theis	Blue Dream Shrimp	5
Angie Theis	Bloody Mary Shrimp	5
Angie Theis	Orange Shrimp	5
Angie Theis	Orange Schukra Shrimp	5
Angie Theis	Black Rose Shrimp	5
Angie Theis	Yellow Fire Shrimp	5
Angie Theis	Black Bar Endlers	5

Congratulations to Bruce Croft, Terry LaPrad, and Angie Theis on turning in your first BAP!! Keep breeding those aquatic animals!!! Who is going to win Breeder of the Year???



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BAP Report

2023

Member Name	Total
Bill McCabe	40
Angie Theis	35
Scott Kaiser	30
Dalton Torres	30
Bruce Croft	15
Steve Stapleton	15
Chris Gerzanics	10
Terry LaPrad	5



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Treasurer Report

March-2022

	<u>Cash In</u>	<u>Cash Out</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Opening Balance			\$1,267.00
Membership	\$75.00		
Raffle	\$98.00		
Mini Auction/BAP	\$16.00		
Terry LaPrad		\$15.00	
Bingo Cards	\$34.00		
Swap Meet Tables	\$70.00		
Josh Cunningham			
Business cards		\$110.00	
Fish		\$65.00	
			<u>\$1,370.00</u>

Expenses to be reimbursed to Josh Cunningham when the bank balance equals \$1,500.00

Balance	<u>\$373.00</u>
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Membership Update

Membership's Expiring in May of 2023

CUNNINGHAM, JOSH

EMMERS, RICH

GERZANICS / DROSART

CHRIS / FAITH - CHRISTOPHER G. - DALLAS DROSART

JONES, TOM / JACKIE

KAISER, SCOTT

LOHMAN, KEITH

MATSON, JEFFERY

MINAS, ED

POST, MIKE

STAPLETON, STEVEN / MEGAN - GRACE - LEAH - STEVEN - AVA

THEIS, ANGELA

WIRTZ, BRIAN



Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society Trading Post

Any Fish or Fishy Related Items For Sale

email smastradingpost@gmail.com



Southeastern Michigan Aquarium Society Sponsors



10% off all orders for paid members.



11% off all orders for paid
members.



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Agnoquatics
Tropical Fish & More

