



Potomac Valley Aquarium Society

August 2007

Welcome New Members

Jason Bauer
Sarah Vincent
Travis Georgieff

Welcome back as a PVAS
Member:

William Pabst, a former member,
who just returned after living
in Florida for quite a few years.
He is also one of the founders
of our local aquatic plants club,
GWAPA.

Special Announcement

After PVAS' August meeting,
please check the website and
Monthly Newsletter as PVAS
will be changing room location:
from the Cafeteria to Room 112
at the Green Acres Center in
Fairfax City, VA.

This Month

Meeting: August 13, 7:45pm

Our speaker this month is Jonathan Kalmes, "CO2 in the Planted Tank,"

"A broad discussion and presentation on CO2 in the aquarium... why it works, what doesn't work, what equipment you'll need, how to measure and maintain your CO2 system, etc. We'll start with a broad introduction to help you understand if CO2 is going to be helpful for your tank and what kind of work you'll need to get going. We'll end up with a discussion of 'high-tech' systems and some comparisons of the many ways to introduce CO2 to your tank!"

Bowl show categories

Class I: Catfish, Synodontidae

Class II: Old World Characins: Tetras

Class III: Old World Killifish

Help Wanted

Program Chair: Responsibilities include contacting and booking guest speakers, arranging for transportation and accommodation for guests as needed.

Recording Secretary: Responsibilities include recording the minutes of board meetings and posting them to the board mailing list, vote on issues brought before the board.

If you would like to help out in either of these positions, please contact Susan Zahn at eviltwinpress@yahoo.com.

AquaFest 2007

PVAS is planning a new event in conjunction with the Capital Cichlid Association (CCA) and the Greater Washington Aquatic Plants Association (GWAPA). The event will be three days in October, the 20th - 21st, in the Laurel Holiday Inn. There will be nationally renowned speakers invited by all three clubs, a Cichlid Show conducted by the CCA, an all-day auction, and much more. Mark your calendars, you won't want to miss this event!